**JUSTIFICATION AND APPROVAL FOR OTHER THAN FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION (OVERSEAS CONTRACTING ACTIVITIES)**

1. I recommend that Embassy *Abu Dhabi* use other than full and open competition for the acquisition of *parts for maintenance of new central HVAC chiller at the Embassy.* The estimated cost *may be over $3,000.*

2. Nature and/or description of the action being approved. – *Procurement of spare parts stock for repair / maintenance of the new central HVAC chiller.*

3. A description of the supplies or services required to meet the agency's needs. – *Maintenance spares stock parts per PR4381510.*

4. An identification of the statutory authority permitting other than full and open competition. *FAR 6.302-1(c)*

5. A demonstration that the proposed contractor's unique qualifications or the nature of the acquisition requires use of the authority cited (for sole source acquisitions; also required for unusual and compelling urgency where more than one offer will not be solicited). *We need the specified brand-name parts, which will fit in the HVAC system chillers when maintenance repairs are required, so the whole system does not have to be replaced.*

6. A description of efforts made to ensure that offers are solicited from as many potential sources as is practicable. The description should include whether a FedBizOpps notice was or will be publicized, as required by FAR 5.2, and if not, which exception under FAR 5.202 applies (e.g., blanket waiver provided in DOSAR 605.202-70). - *The parts may be procured from any dealer of the brands.*

7. A determination by the Contracting Officer that the anticipated cost to the Government will be fair and reasonable. – *Brand specific items due to existing Chiller Equipment within the building, all quotes will be considered.*

8. A description of the market survey conducted and the results or a statement of the reasons a market survey was not conducted. – *Market research was not conducted since this request is brand name specific.*

9. Any other facts supporting the use of other than full and open competition. - *The requisitioned parts match and fit an existing building system.*

10. A listing of sources, if any that expressed, in writing, an interest in the acquisition. *N/A*

11. A statement of the actions, if any, the agency may take to remove or overcome any barriers to competition before any subsequent acquisition for the supplies or services required. *JOFOC is posted on FedBizOpps.*

## CERTIFICATIONS

I certify that this justification is accurate and contains complete data necessary to support the recommendation for other than full and open competition.

06-15-2015
Date

Name Devender Singh
Title Maintenance Supervisor

## Requirements Office

I certify that this submission is accurate, and that it contains complete information necessary to enable other officials to make an informed recommendation for approval or disapproval.

6/16/2015
Date

Contracting Officer