

NOTICES

INTENT TO SOLE SOURCE

The South Carolina Department of Health & Environmental Control (DHEC) is seeking qualified vendors to provide a Waters Technology Corporation Acquity ARC High Pressure Liquid Chromatograph (HPLC) system, including all hardware, computer, operating software, installation and training. Software must run with Microsoft Windows 10, and must have the ability to upload past and current data files, process past and current data, and use the current analysis methods from the current systems in the DHEC Division of Analytical and Radiological Environmental Services (ARESD) laboratory. System must be compatible in design and operation used in existing Waters HPLC systems in operation, as well as the standard operating procedures used by ARESD for the analysis of drinking water samples. Consumables and detectors must be interchangeable with existing Waters HPLC systems in operation. The estimated dollar amount of the purchase is \$111,000, including shipping.

PROTEST:

If you are aggrieved in connection with the intended award or award of the contract, you may be entitled to protest, but only as provided in Section 11-35-4210. To protest an award, you must (i) submit notice of your intent to protest within five (5) business days of the date this notice is posted, and (ii) submit your actual protest within fifteen days of the date this notice is posted. Days are calculated as provided in Section 11-35-310(13). Both protests and notices of intent to protest must be in writing and must be received by the appropriate Chief Procurement Officer within the time provided. The grounds of the protest and the relief requested must be set forth with enough particularity to give notice of the issues to be decided. Any protest or notice of intent to protest must be addressed to the Chief Procurement Officer, Materials Management Office, and submitted in writing (a) by email to: protest-mmo@mmo.state.sc.us or (b) by post or delivery to: 1201 Main Street, Suite 600, Columbia, SC 29201.

Qualified vendors should contact Rebecca Nichols at NICHOLRJ@dhec.sc.gov by Midnight, December 23, 2020 for additional formation.