

## **INTENT TO SOLE SOURCE**

The South Carolina Department of Health & Environmental Control (DHEC) is seeking a qualified vendor to provide Vitaflo metabolic formulas or FDA approved formulas of exact metabolic composition of Vitaflo formulas, which are available only by prescription from a licensed medical provider and used to treat children with inborn errors of metabolism. These formulas will be distributed to DHEC clients on an as-needed basis. The total estimated dollar amount is \$100,000, over a one year period.

### **PROTESTS:**

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](mailto: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](mailto:NICHOLRJ@dhec.sc.gov) by December 7, 2021 for additional formation.