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**STATE PROCUREMENT OFFICE  
NOTICE OF AND REQUEST FOR EXEMPTION  
FROM CHAPTER 103D, HRS**

1. TO: Chief Procurement Officer  
2. FROM: Lester Nakamura, Administrator, ICSD, DAGS

Department/Division/Agency

Pursuant to §103D-102(b)(4), HRS, and Chapter 3-120, HAR, the Department requests a procurement exemption to purchase the following:

3. Description of goods, services or construction:

Providing Equal Access for Long Distance Telephone Services for Hawaii State Government (as provided for in Contract No. PL-03-19).

4. Name of Vendor: Sprint Communications Company, L.P. dba Sprint Hawaii  
Address: 925 Dillingham Blvd.  
Honolulu, HI 96817

5. Price:  
\$Price List

6. Term of Contract: From: Jan 1, 2007 To: Dec 31, 2007

7. Prior Exemption Ref. No.

8. Explanation describing how procurement by competitive means is either not practicable nor advantageous to the State:  
This exemption is being sought to continue existing long distance telephone services from Sprint Hawaii until IFB-07-008-SW can be completed. Currently, the Technical Proposals submitted on October 11, 2006 are being reviewed by the Evaluation Committee. A new contract should be in place before the end of the extension. We considered extending the existing contract for six-months; however, the contractor was unable to offer an extension for this period of time due to corporate policy. Instead, the contractor offered a one-year extension at the same prices. The current rates are advantageous to the State and Counties. This exemption is needed in order to accept the one-year extension.

9. Details of the process or procedures to be followed in selecting the vendor to ensure maximum fair and open competition as practicable:

None for this exemption request, the contractor is currently providing the service under Contract No. PL-03-19.

10. A description of the agency's internal controls and approval requirements for the exempted procurement:

None for this exemption request.

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12. A list of agency personnel, by position, who will be involved in the approval process and administration of the contract:		
Name	Position	Involvement in Process
Lester Nakamura	ICSD Administrator	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval <input type="checkbox"/> Administration
Richard Shimomura	ICSD Assistant Administrator	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval <input type="checkbox"/> Administration
Gwen Nakahara	Telecom Services Branch Chief	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Administration
Christopher Lai	Telephone Engineer	<input type="checkbox"/> Approval <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Administration
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13. Direct inquiries to:	Department: DAGS Contact Name: Gwen Nakahara Phone Number: 586-1930 x 615 Fax Number: 586-1962
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Agency shall ensure adherence to applicable administrative and statutory requirements

14. *I certify that the information provided above is, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct.*


12/6/06  
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 Department Head Date

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	15. Date Notice Posted <u>12/07/06</u>
The Chief Procurement Officer is in the process of reviewing this request for exemption from Chapter 103D, HRS. Submit written objections to this notice to issue an exemption from Chapter 103D, HRS, within seven calendar days or as otherwise allowed from the above posted date to: <p align="center">                     Chief Procurement Officer                      State Procurement Office                      P.O. Box 119                      Honolulu, Hawaii 96810-0119                 </p>	
Chief Procurement Officer's comments:	

16.  APPROVED     DISAPPROVED     NO ACTION REQUIRED


12/14/06  
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 Chief Procurement Officer Date