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STATE PROCUREMENT OFFICE  
NOTICE & REQUEST FOR SOLE SOURCE

STATE PROCUREMENT OFFICE  
STATE OF HAWAII

TO: Chief Procurement Officer  
FROM: Department of Public Safety/Sheriff Division  
Name of Requesting Department

Pursuant to HRS §103D-306 and HAR chapter 3-122, Subchapter 9, the Department requests sole source approval to purchase the following:

1. Describe the goods, services, or construction to be procured.  
Mobile interoperable connectivity communications equipment with engineering.

2. Vendor/Contractor/Service Provider Name: Pacific Wireless Communications	3. Amount of Request: \$70,000.00
4. Term of contract (shall not exceed 12 months), if applicable: From: _____ To: _____	5. Prior SPO-001, Sole Source (SS) No.: n/a 08-076-5

6. Describe in detail the following:  
a. The unique features, characteristics, or capabilities of the goods, service or construction.  
The equipment the Sheriff Division is requesting will allow "patching" of various and different communications equipment to allow users of different system to communicate effectively. Familiarity with the existing communications system the division employs along with the division's direction to continue the use of the Telex based radio controllers already in use by the division mobile command trailer is unique to this company. Pacific Wireless is the sole vendor of Motorola communications equipment the division and completed the communications package being used in the division's mobile command trailer. A previous sole source request was submitted and approved by DAGS for the completion of the mobile command trailer's communications package.  
b. How the unique features, characteristics or capabilities of the goods, service or construction are essential for the department to accomplish its work.  
The familiarity and knowledge required to complete this project is unique to Pacific Wireless based on their experience with the division's communications infrastructure and previous work with the division mobile command trailer. Failure of communications places the public, critical infrastructure, and first responders at increased risk. This package requested will provide a unique capability to be flown or driven to any location and provide communications command/control capabilities of various different communications systems. This is essential to support any State law enforcement or disaster relief response.

7. Describe the efforts and results in determining that this is the only vendor/contractor/service provider who can provide the goods, services or construction.

Pacific Wireless is the only authorized dealer in Hawaii for Motorola Products. The counties of Kauai and Hawaii are also using Motorola equipment as is the Sheriff's Division. The use of this vendor will help ensure that the mobile package capabilities will be maximized in conjunction with other Sheriff Division communications infrastructure and the the existing mobile command trailer.

8. Alternate source. Describe the other possible sources for the goods, services, or construction that were investigated but did not meet the department's needs.

The primary communications equipment the division deploys is Motorola. The only authorized Motorola dealer in Hawaii is Pacific Wireless Communications. No other vendor is available in state to provide the equipment and technical support needed to complete this project.

9. Identify the primary individual(s) who is knowledgeable about this request, who will conduct and manage this process, and has 1) appropriate written delegated procurement authority; 2) completed mandatory training; and 3) who SPO may contact for follow up inquiry, if any.

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Department shall ensure adherence to applicable administrative and statutory requirements, including HAR chapter 3-122, Subchapter 15, Cost or Pricing Data if required.

**All requirements/approvals and internal controls for this expenditure is the responsibility of the department.  
I certify that the information provided is to the best of my knowledge, true and correct.**



Department Head Signature

6/7/12

Date

**For Chief Procurement Officer Use Only**

Date Notice Posted: 6/12/12

Submit written objection to this notice to issue a sole source contract within seven calendar days or as otherwise allowed from date notice posted to:

state.procurement.office@hawaii.gov

Chief Procurement Officer (CPO) Comments:

Request has been withdrawn by the department.

Approved

Disapproved

No Action Required

*Oliver J. ...*  
Chief Procurement Officer Signature

6/28/2012  
Date