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In reply, please refer to:
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March 14, 2013

TO: Mr. Aaron Fujioka
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FROM: Loretta J. Fuddy, A.C.S.W., M.P.H.
Director of Health

SUBJECT: Request Sole Source Approval for Biomerieux, Inc. SS-13-025K

A Sole Source request (SS-13-025K) for Biomerieux, Inc. was disapproved on December 26, 2012 because the vendor was listed as non-compliant in Hawaii Compliance Express (HCE). On March 14, 2013, we have verified that the vendor's status is compliant in HCE as shown by the attached certificate. In view of Biomerieux's effort to meet the requirement of the HCE, we are requesting your consideration to approve our request for Biomerieux, Inc.

If you have any questions regarding this memo, please call Dr. A. Christian Whelen, the Laboratory Administrator of the HSLD at (808)-453-6650.

CPO COMMENTS: Approval is granted for the period 04/01/13 to 03/31/14 and is based on the department's determination that Biomerieux, Inc. is the only vendor who can provide the Vidas kits. This approval is for the solicitation process only, HRS section 103D-310(c) and HAR section 3-122-112, shall apply (i.e. vendor is required to be compliant on the Hawaii Compliance Express) and award is required to be posted on the Awards Reporting System.

If there are any questions, please contact Wendy Ebisui at 586-0563, or wendy.mo.ebisui@hawaii.gov.

Approved Disapproved

Aaron Fujioka → 4/2/2013
Chief Procurement Officer Date

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