



March 27, 2013

Mr. Michael Veit  
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801 East Jefferson  
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Re: RFP No. YH 14-0001  
Scoring Tools and Methodology

Dear Mr. Veit:

I received your March 26, 2013 in response to my letter requesting the scoring tools and methodology used to calculate the detailed scores used in determining contract awards for RFP YH 14-0001.

You suggested that I review information that is available on the AHCCCS website which includes total scores for each Offeror, scores by category and rankings of each Offeror's submissions and overall ranking. While those documents include some information about the process of scoring the bidder's proposals, they do not include the detail that I am seeking. In particular, there is no description of the specific formula used to assess each submission requirement. As a result, we are unable to determine how PHP's (or any bidder's ) score for each submission was calculated and therefore, we cannot determine how the overall score was calculated.

While your letter indicates that working documents were destroyed, you state that the weighting formula and detailed scoring methodology are "confidential" and will not be disclosed. This is inconsistent with the practice in past procurements when these scoring tools and the formula used to calculate the scores was made available to the public. We renew our request that you disclose these documents to us. And, additionally, we request that you provide to us any working documents related to scoring that have not yet been destroyed. Finally, we ask that you preserve all documents related to this request that currently exist.

Please feel free to contact me at (602) 824-3812 if you have questions or wish to discuss these requests.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Nancy Novick".

Nancy Novick  
President and CEO

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