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SCHEDULE TITLE: GENERAL PURPOSE COMMERCIAL INFORMATION
TECHNOLOGY EQUIPMENT, SOFTWARE AND SERVICES

SIN: 132-51/132-51RC - INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (IT)
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

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FPDS CODES: D301 - IT Facility Management
D302 - IT Systems Development Services
D306 - IT Systems Analysis Services
D307 - Automated Information Systems Services
D308 - Programming Services
D310 - IT Backup and Security Services
D311 - IT Data Conversion Services
D316 - IT Network Management Services
D399 - Other Information Technology Services,
Not Elsewhere Classified

CONTRACT PERIOD: 24 June 1999 through 23 June 2019

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EFFECTIVE DATE:** 24 June 2014

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BUSINESS SIZE: BTAS is a Woman-Owned Small Business



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I. INFORMATION FOR ORDERING OFFICES

SPECIAL NOTICE TO AGENCIES:

Small Business Participation

SBA strongly supports the participation of small business concerns in the Federal Supply Schedules Program. To enhance Small Business Participation SBA policy allows agencies to include in their procurement base and goals, the dollar value of orders expected to be placed against the Federal Supply Schedules, and to report accomplishments against these goals.

For orders exceeding the micro-purchase threshold, FAR 8.404 requires agencies to consider the catalogs/pricelists of at least three schedule contractors or consider reasonably available information by using the GSA Advantage!® on-line shopping service (www.gsaadvantage.gov). The U.S. General Services Administration Home Page (www.gsa.gov) contains information on a broad array of products and services offered by small business concerns.

This information should be used as a tool to assist ordering activities in meeting or exceeding established small business goals. It should also be used as a tool to assist in including small, small disadvantaged, and women-owned small businesses among those considered when selecting pricelists for a best value determination.

For orders exceeding the micro-purchase threshold, customers are to give preference to small business concerns when two or more items at the same delivered price will satisfy their requirement.

1. GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE OF CONTRACT:

The geographic scope of contract is the 48 contiguous states, the District of Columbia, Alaska, Hawaii, and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico.

2. CONTRACTOR'S ORDERING ADDRESS AND PAYMENT INFORMATION:

BTAS, Inc.
3572 Dayton-Xenia Rd., Suite 210
Beavercreek, OH 45432
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(937) 431-9413 fax

Contractors are required to accept the Government purchase card for payments equal to or less than the micro-purchase threshold for oral or written delivery orders. Credit cards will not be acceptable for payment above the micro-purchase threshold. In addition, bank account information for wire transfer payments will be shown on the invoice. The following telephone number(s) can be used by ordering agencies to obtain technical and/or ordering assistance: (937) 431-9431 Voice; (937) 431-9413 Fax.



3. LIABILITY FOR INJURY OR DAMAGE:

The Contractor shall not be liable for any injury to Government personnel or damage to Government property arising from the use of equipment maintained by the Contractor, unless such injury or damage is due to the fault or negligence of the Contractor.

4. STATISTICAL DATA FOR GOVERNMENT ORDERING OFFICE COMPLETION OF STANDARD FORM 279:

Block 9: G. Order/Modification Under Federal Schedule

Block 16: Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) Number: **88-350-4854**

Block 30: Type of Contractor – B. Other Small Business

Block 31: Woman-Owned Small Business - Yes

Block 36: Contractor's Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN): **31-1431073**

4a. CAGE Code: **07GB6**

4b. BTAS has registered with the System for Award Management.

5. FOB:

Destination

6. DELIVERY SCHEDULE:

(1) TIME OF DELIVERY: As negotiated by the Agency and the Contractor.

(2) URGENT REQUIREMENTS: As negotiated by the Agency and the Contractor.

7. DISCOUNTS:

Prices shown are NET Prices; Basic Discounts have been deducted.

Educational Institutions are offered the same discounts as all other Government customers

8. TRADE AGREEMENTS ACT OF 1979, AS AMENDED:

All items are U.S. made end products, designated country end products, Caribbean Basin country end products, Canadian end products, or Mexican end products as defined in the Trade Agreements Act of 1979, as amended.

9. STATEMENT CONCERNING AVAILABILITY OF EXPORT PACKING:

N/A

10. SMALL REQUIREMENTS:

The minimum dollar value of orders to be issued is \$100.

11. MAXIMUM ORDER:

The maximum dollar value per order for all IT Professional services will be \$500,000.00, exclusive of any prompt payment discount.



12. ORDERING PROCEDURES FOR FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE CONTRACTS.

Ordering activities shall use the ordering procedures of Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 8.405 when placing an order or establishing a BPA for supplies or services. These procedures apply to all schedules.

- a. FAR 8.405-1 Ordering procedures for supplies, and services not requiring a statement of work.
- b. FAR 8.405-2 Ordering procedures for services requiring a statement of work.

13. FEDERAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY/TELECOMMUNICATION STANDARDS REQUIREMENTS:

Ordering activities acquiring products from this Schedule must comply with the provisions of the Federal Standards Program, as appropriate (reference: NIST Federal Standards Index). Inquiries to determine whether or not specific products listed herein comply with Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) or Federal Telecommunication Standards (FED-STDS), which are cited by ordering activities, shall be responded to promptly by the Contractor.

13.1 FEDERAL INFORMATION PROCESSING STANDARDS PUBLICATIONS (FIPS PUBS):

Information Technology products under this Schedule that do not conform to Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) should not be acquired unless a waiver has been granted in accordance with the applicable "FIPS Publication." Federal Information Processing Standards Publications (FIPS PUBS) are issued by the U.S. Department of Commerce, National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), pursuant to National Security Act. Information concerning their availability and applicability should be obtained from the National Technical Information Service (NTIS), 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, Virginia 22161. FIPS PUBS include voluntary standards when these are adopted for Federal use. Individual orders for FIPS PUBS should be referred to the NTIS Sales Office, and orders for subscription service should be referred to the NTIS Subscription Officer, both at the above address, or telephone number (703) 487-4650.

13.2 FEDERAL TELECOMMUNICATION STANDARDS (FED-STDS):

Telecommunication products under this Schedule that do not conform to Federal Telecommunication Standards (FED-STDS) should not be acquired unless a waiver has been granted in accordance with the applicable "FED-STD." Federal Telecommunication Standards are issued by the U.S. Department of Commerce, National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), pursuant to National Security Act. Ordering information and information concerning the availability of FED-STDS should be obtained from the GSA, Federal Acquisition Service, Specification Section, 470 East L'Enfant Plaza, Suite 8100, SW, Washington, DC 20407, telephone number (202)619-8925. Please include a self-addressed mailing label when requesting information by mail. Information concerning their applicability can be obtained by writing or calling the U.S. Department of Commerce, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, MD 20899, telephone number (301)975-2833.



14. **CONTRACTOR TASKS / SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (C-FSS-370) (NOV 2003)**

- (a) **Security Clearances:** The Contractor may be required to obtain/possess varying levels of security clearances in the performance of orders issued under this contract. All costs associated with obtaining/possessing such security clearances should be factored into the price offered under the Multiple Award Schedule.
- (b) **Travel:** The Contractor may be required to travel in performance of orders issued under this contract. Allowable travel and per diem charges are governed by Pub .L. 99-234 and FAR Part 31, and are reimbursable by the ordering agency or can be priced as a fixed price item on orders placed under the Multiple Award Schedule. Travel in performance of a task order will only be reimbursable to the extent authorized by the ordering agency. The Industrial Funding Fee does NOT apply to travel and per diem charges.
- (c) **Certifications, Licenses and Accreditations:** As a commercial practice, the Contractor may be required to obtain/possess any variety of certifications, licenses and accreditations for specific FSC/service code classifications offered. All costs associated with obtaining/ possessing such certifications, licenses and accreditations should be factored into the price offered under the Multiple Award Schedule program.
- (d) **Insurance:** As a commercial practice, the Contractor may be required to obtain/possess insurance coverage for specific FSC/service code classifications offered. All costs associated with obtaining/possessing such insurance should be factored into the price offered under the Multiple Award Schedule program.
- (e) **Personnel:** The Contractor may be required to provide key personnel, resumes or skill category descriptions in the performance of orders issued under this contract. Ordering activities may require agency approval of additions or replacements to key personnel.
- (f) **Organizational Conflicts of Interest:** Where there may be an organizational conflict of interest as determined by the ordering agency, the Contractor's participation in such order may be restricted in accordance with FAR Part 9.5.
- (g) **Documentation/Standards:** The Contractor may be requested to provide products or services in accordance with rules, regulations, OMB orders, standards and documentation as specified by the agency's order.
- (h) **Data/Deliverable Requirements:** Any required data/deliverables at the ordering level will be as specified or negotiated in the agency's order.
- (i) **Government-Furnished Property:** As specified by the agency's order, the Government may provide property, equipment, materials or resources as necessary.
- (j) **Availability of Funds:** Many Government agencies' operating funds are appropriated for a specific fiscal year. Funds may not be presently available for any orders placed under the contract or any option year. The Government's obligation on orders placed under this contract is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payment for ordering purposes can be made.



No legal liability on the part of the Government for any payment may arise until funds are available to the ordering Contracting Officer.

15. CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION FOR ORDERING OFFICES:

Any ordering activity, with respect to any one or more delivery orders placed by it under this contract, may exercise the same rights of termination as might the GSA Contracting Officer under provisions of FAR 52.212-4, paragraphs (l) Termination for the ordering activity's convenience, and (m) Termination for Cause (See 52.212-4)

16. GSA Advantage!

GSA Advantage! is an on-line, interactive electronic information and ordering system that provides on-line access to vendors' schedule prices with ordering information. *GSA Advantage!* will allow the user to perform various searches across all contracts including, but not limited to:

- (1) Manufacturer;
- (2) Manufacturer's Part Number; and
- (3) Product categories.

Agencies can browse *GSA Advantage!* by accessing the Internet World Wide Web utilizing a browser . The Internet address is www.GSAAdvantage.gov.

17. PURCHASE OF OPEN MARKET ITEMS:

NOTE: Open Market Items are also known as incidental items, noncontract items, non-Schedule items, and items not on a Federal Supply Schedule contract. ODCs (Other Direct Costs) are not part of this contract and should be treated as open market purchases. Ordering Activities procuring open market items must follow FAR 8.402(f).

For administrative convenience, an ordering activity contracting officer may add items not on the Federal Supply Multiple Award Schedule (MAS) -- referred to as open market items -- to a Federal Supply Schedule blanket purchase agreement (BPA) or an individual task or delivery order, **only if-**

- (1) All applicable acquisition regulations pertaining to the purchase of the items not on the Federal Supply Schedule have been followed (e.g., publicizing (Part 5), competition requirements (Part 6), acquisition of commercial items (Part 12), contracting methods (Parts 13, 14, and 15), and small business programs (Part 19));
- (2) The ordering activity contracting officer has determined the price for the items not on the Federal Supply Schedule is fair and reasonable;
- (3) The items are clearly labeled on the order as items not on the Federal Supply Schedule; and
- (4) All clauses applicable to items not on the Federal Supply Schedule are included in the order.

18. CONTRACTOR COMMITMENTS, WARRANTIES AND REPRESENTATIONS

a. For the purpose of this contract, commitments, warranties and representations include, in addition to those agreed to for the entire schedule contract:

- (1) Time of delivery/installation quotations for individual orders;
- (2) Technical representations and/or warranties of products concerning performance, total system performance and/or configuration, physical, design and/or functional characteristics



and capabilities of a product/equipment/ service/software package submitted in response to requirements which result in orders under this schedule contract.

(3) Any representations and/or warranties concerning the products made in any literature, description, drawings and/or specifications furnished by the Contractor.

b. The above is not intended to encompass items not currently covered by the GSA Schedule contract.

19. OVERSEAS ACTIVITIES:

Upon request of the Contractor, the Government may provide the Contractor with logistics support, as available, in accordance with all applicable Government regulations. Such Government support will be provided on a reimbursable basis, and will only be provided to the Contractor's technical personnel whose services are exclusively required for the fulfillment of the terms and conditions of this contract.

20. BLANKET PURCHASE AGREEMENTS (BPAs)

The use of BPAs under any schedule contract to fill repetitive needs for supplies or services is allowable. BPAs may be established with one or more schedule contractors. The number of BPAs to be established is within the discretion of the ordering activity establishing the BPA and should be based on a strategy that is expected to maximize the effectiveness of the BPA(s). Ordering activities shall follow FAR 8.405-3 when creating and implementing BPA(s).

21. CONTRACTOR TEAM ARRANGEMENTS

Contractors participating in contractor team arrangements must abide by all terms and conditions of their respective contracts. This includes compliance with Clauses 552.238-74; Industrial Funding Fee and Sales Reporting, i.e., each contractor (team member) must report sales and remit the IFF for all products and services provided under its individual contract.

22. INSTALLATION, DEINSTALLATION, REINSTALLATION

The Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 276a-276a-7) provides that contracts in excess of \$2,000 to which the United States or the District of Columbia is a party for construction, alteration, or repair (including painting and decorating) of public buildings or public works with the United States, shall contain a clause that no laborer or mechanic employed directly upon the site of the work shall receive less than the prevailing wage rates as determined by the Secretary of Labor. The requirements of the Davis-Bacon Act do not apply if the construction work is incidental to the furnishing of supplies, equipment, or services. For example, the requirements do not apply to simple installation or alteration of a public building or public work that is incidental to furnishing supplies or equipment under a supply contract. However, if the construction, alteration or repair is segregable and exceeds \$2,000, then the requirements of the Davis-Bacon Act apply.

The ordering activity issuing the task order against this contract will be responsible for proper administration and enforcement of the Federal labor standards covered by the Davis-Bacon Act. The proper Davis-Bacon wage determination will be issued by the ordering activity at the time a request for quotations is made for applicable construction classified installation, de-installation, and reinstallation services under SIN 132-8.



23. **SECTION 508 COMPLIANCE** N/A

24. **PRIME CONTRACTOR ORDERING FROM FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE**

Prime Contractors (on cost reimbursement contracts) placing orders under Federal Supply Schedules, on behalf of an ordering activity, shall follow the terms of the applicable schedule and authorization and include with each order –

(a) A copy of the authorization from the ordering activity with whom the contractor has the prime contract (unless a copy was previously furnished to the Federal Supply Schedule contractor); and

(b) The following statement:

This order is placed under written authorization from _____ dated _____. In the event of any inconsistency between the terms and conditions of this order and those of your Federal Supply Schedule contract, the latter will govern.

25. **INSURANCE—WORK ON A GOVERNMENT INSTALLATION (JAN 1997)(FAR 52.228-5)**

(a) The Contractor shall, at its own expense, provide and maintain during the entire performance of this contract, at least the kinds and minimum amounts of insurance required in the Schedule or elsewhere in the contract.

(b) Before commencing work under this contract, the Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer in writing that the required insurance has been obtained. The policies evidencing required insurance shall contain an endorsement to the effect that any cancellation or any material change adversely affecting the Government's interest shall not be effective—

(1) For such period as the laws of the State in which this contract is to be performed prescribe; or

(2) Until 30 days after the insurer or the Contractor gives written notice to the Contracting Officer, whichever period is longer.

(c) The Contractor shall insert the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (c), in subcontracts under this contract that require work on a Government installation and shall require subcontractors to provide and maintain the insurance required in the Schedule or elsewhere in the contract. The Contractor shall maintain a copy of all subcontractors' proofs of required insurance, and shall make copies available to the Contracting Officer upon request.

26. **SOFTWARE INTEROPERABILITY**

Offerors are encouraged to identify within their software items any component interfaces that support open standard interoperability. An item's interface may be identified as interoperable on the basis of participation in a Government agency-sponsored program or in an independent organization program. Interfaces may be identified by reference to an interface registered in the component registry located at <http://www.core.gov>.

27. **ADVANCE PAYMENTS**

A payment under this contract to provide a service or deliver an article for the United States Government may not be more than the value of the service already provided or the article already delivered. Advance or pre-payment is not authorized or allowed under this contract. (31 U.S.C. 3324)



II. TERMS AND CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (IT) PROFESSIONAL SERVICES (SPECIAL ITEM NUMBER 132-51/132-51RC)

1. SCOPE

- a. The prices, terms and conditions stated under Special Item Number 132-51 Information Technology Professional Services apply exclusively to IT Services within the scope of this Information Technology Schedule.
- b. The Contractor shall provide services at the Contractor's facility and/or at the ordering activity location, as agreed to by the Contractor and the ordering office.

2. PERFORMANCE INCENTIVES I-FSS-60 Performance Incentives (April 2000)

- a. Performance incentives may be agreed upon between the Contractor and the ordering activity on individual fixed price orders or Blanket Purchase Agreements under this contract in accordance with this clause.
- b. The ordering activity must establish a maximum performance incentive price for these services and/or total solutions on individual orders or Blanket Purchase Agreements.
- c. Incentives should be designed to relate results achieved by the contractor to specified targets. To the maximum extent practicable, ordering activities shall consider establishing incentives where performance is critical to the ordering activity's mission and incentives are likely to motivate the contractor. Incentives shall be based on objectively measurable tasks.

3. ORDER

- a. Agencies may use written orders, EDI orders, blanket purchase agreements, individual purchase orders, or task orders for ordering services under this contract. Blanket Purchase Agreements shall not extend beyond the end of the contract period; all services and delivery shall be made and the contract terms and conditions shall continue in effect until the completion of the order. Orders for tasks which extend beyond the fiscal year for which funds are available shall include FAR 52.232-19 (Deviation – May 2003) Availability of Funds for the Next Fiscal Year. The purchase order shall specify the availability of funds and the period for which funds are available.
- b. All task orders are subject to the terms and conditions of the contract. In the event of conflict between a task order and the contract, the contract will take precedence.

4. PERFORMANCE OF SERVICES

- a. The Contractor shall commence performance of services on the date agreed to by the Contractor and the ordering activity.
- b. The Contractor agrees to render services only during normal working hours, unless otherwise agreed to by the Contractor and the ordering activity.



- b. The ordering activity should include the criteria for satisfactory completion for each task in the Statement of Work or Delivery Order. Services shall be completed in a good and workmanlike manner.
- c. Any Contractor travel required in the performance of IT/EC Services must comply with the Federal Travel Regulation or Joint Travel Regulations, as applicable, in effect on the date(s) the travel is performed. Established Federal Government per diem rates will apply to all Contractor travel. Contractors cannot use GSA city pair contracts.

5. STOP-WORK ORDER (FAR 52.242-15) (AUG 1989)

- a. The Contracting Officer may, at any time, by written order to the Contractor, require the Contractor to stop all, or any part, of the work called for by this contract for a period of 90 days after the order is delivered to the Contractor, and for any further period to which the parties may agree. The order shall be specifically identified as a stop-work order issued under this clause. Upon receipt of the order, the Contractor shall immediately comply with its terms and take all reasonable steps to minimize the incurrence of costs allocable to the work covered by the order during the period of work stoppage. Within a period of 90 days after a stop-work is delivered to the Contractor, or within any extension of that period to which the parties shall have agreed, the Contracting Officer shall either-
 - (1) Cancel the stop-work order; or
 - (2) Terminate the work covered by the order as provided in the Default, or the Termination for Convenience of the Government, clause of this contract.
- b. If a stop-work order issued under this clause is canceled or the period of the order or any extension thereof expires, the Contractor shall resume work. The Contracting Officer shall make an equitable adjustment in the delivery schedule or contract price, or both, and the contract shall be modified, in writing, accordingly, if-
 - (1) The stop-work order results in an increase in the time required for, or in the Contractor's cost properly allocable to, the performance of any part of this contract; and
 - (2) The Contractor asserts its right to the adjustment within 30 days after the end of the period of work stoppage; provided that, if the Contracting Officer decides the facts justify the action, the Contracting Officer may receive and act upon the claim submitted at any time before final payment under this contract.
- c. If a stop-work order is not canceled and the work covered by the order is terminated for the convenience of the Government, the Contracting Officer shall allow reasonable costs resulting from the stop-work order in arriving at the termination settlement.
- d. If a stop-work order is not canceled and the work covered by the order is terminated for default, the Contracting Officer shall allow, by equitable adjustment or otherwise, reasonable costs resulting from the stop-work order.



6. INSPECTION OF SERVICES

In accordance with FAR 52.212-4 CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS--COMMERCIAL ITEMS (MAR 2009) (DEVIATION I - FEB 2007) for Firm-Fixed Price orders and FAR 52.212-4 CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS -COMMERCIAL ITEMS (MAR 2009) (ALTERNATE I - OCT 2008) (DEVIATION I – FEB 2007) applies to Time-and-Materials and Labor-Hour Contracts orders placed under this contract.

7. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CONTRACTOR

The Contractor shall comply with all laws, ordinances, and regulations (Federal, State, City, or otherwise) covering work of this character. If the end product of a task order is software, then FAR 52.227-14 (Dec 2007) Rights in Data – General, may apply.

8. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE GOVERNMENT

Subject to security regulations, the ordering activity shall permit Contractor access to all facilities necessary to perform the requisite IT Services.

9. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

All IT Services performed by the Contractor under the terms of this contract shall be as an independent Contractor, and not as an agent or employee of the ordering activity.

10. ORGANIZATIONAL CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

a. Definitions.

“Contractor” means the person, firm, unincorporated association, joint venture, partnership, or corporation that is a party to this contract.

“Contractor and its affiliates” and “Contractor or its affiliates” refers to the Contractor, its chief executives, directors, officers, subsidiaries, affiliates, subcontractors at any tier, and consultants and any joint venture involving the Contractor, any entity into or with which the Contractor subsequently merges or affiliates, or any other successor or assignee of the Contractor.

An “Organizational conflict of interest” exists when the nature of the work to be performed under a proposed ordering activity contract, without some restriction on ordering activities by the Contractor and its affiliates, may either (i) result in an unfair competitive advantage to the Contractor or its affiliates or (ii) impair the Contractor’s or its affiliates’ objectivity in performing contract work.

- b. To avoid an organizational or financial conflict of interest and to avoid prejudicing the best interests of the ordering activity, ordering activities may place restrictions on the Contractors, its affiliates, chief executives, directors, subsidiaries and subcontractors at any tier when placing orders against schedule contracts. Such restrictions shall be consistent with FAR 9.505 and shall be designed to avoid, neutralize, or mitigate organizational conflicts of interest that might otherwise exist in situations related to individual orders placed against the schedule contract. Examples of situations, which may require restrictions, are provided at FAR 9.508.



11. INVOICES

The Contractor, upon completion of the work ordered, shall submit invoices for IT services. Progress payments may be authorized by the ordering activity on individual orders if appropriate. Progress payments shall be based upon completion of defined milestones or interim products. Invoices shall be submitted monthly for recurring services performed during the preceding month.

12. PAYMENTS:

For firm-fixed price orders the ordering activity shall pay the Contractor, upon submission of proper invoices or vouchers, the prices stipulated in this contract for service rendered and accepted. Progress payments shall be made only when authorized by the order.

For time-and-materials orders, the Payments under Time-and-Materials and Labor-Hour Contracts at FAR 52.212-4 (MAR 2009) (ALTERNATE I – OCT 2008) (DEVIATION I – FEB 2007) applies to time-and-materials orders placed under this contract.

For labor-hour orders, the Payment under Time-and-Materials and Labor-Hour Contracts at FAR 52.212-4 (MAR 2009) (ALTERNATE I – OCT 2008) (DEVIATION I – FEB 2007) applies to labor-hour orders placed under this contract. 52.216-31(Feb 2007) Time-and-Materials/Labor-Hour Proposal Requirements—Commercial Item Acquisition As prescribed in 16.601(e)(3), insert the following provision:

- (a) The Government contemplates award of a Time-and-Materials or Labor-Hour type of contract resulting from this solicitation.
- (b) The offeror must specify fixed hourly rates in its offer that include wages, overhead, general and administrative expenses, and profit. The offeror must specify whether the fixed hourly rate for each labor category applies to labor performed by—
 - (1) The offeror;
 - (2) Subcontractors; and/or
 - (3) Divisions, subsidiaries, or affiliates of the offeror under a common control.

13. RESUMES:

Resumes shall be provided to the GSA Contracting Officer or the user ordering activity upon request.

14. INCIDENTAL SUPPORT COSTS

Incidental support costs are available outside the scope of this contract. The costs will be negotiated separately with the ordering activity in accordance with the guidelines set forth in the FAR.

15. APPROVAL OF SUBCONTRACTS

The ordering activity may require that the Contractor receive, from the ordering activity's Contracting Officer, written consent before placing any subcontract for furnishing any of the work called for in a task order.



16. DESCRIPTION OF IT SERVICES AND PRICING

a. LABOR CATEGORIES AND QUALIFICATIONS OF IT PROFESSIONALS:

Commercial Job Title: **PROGRAM MANAGER**

Minimum/General Experience:

Ability to plan, direct, and coordinate program resources. Demonstrates proficiency in providing management guidance and effective communication in all areas of program/project management. Possesses technical knowhow and an understanding of the program requirements.

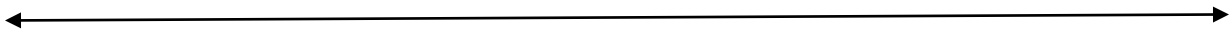
Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, provides guidance and direction, management support, and ensures projects are successfully completed.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	5	7	10	12	13

A Bachelor Degree is preferred with 10 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical degree in the areas of computer science, engineering and information management systems. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. A Ph.D. accompanied by 5 years of experience. A Master degree accompanied by 7 years of experience. An Associate Degree accompanied by 12 years of experience, or with 13 or more years' experience, a degree is not required.



Commercial Job Title: **PRINCIPAL INFORMATION SYSTEMS ENGINEER**

Minimum/General Experience:

Ability to design, modernize or maintain information systems. Demonstrates an understanding of the activities pertaining to systems development, functional operations, or systems data management relevant to the program requirements. Possesses an understanding of systems analysis, systems design, systems programming, change order management, or key program documentation.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, provides expertise to plan, analyze, design, operate or construct information systems. Duties may also include developing analytical & computational techniques or methods for problem solving, performing strategic systems analysis or business information planning.



Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	7	10	12	16	20

A Master Degree is preferred with 10 years’ experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical or engineering degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. A Ph.D. accompanied by 7 years of experience is required. A Bachelor degree accompanied by 12 years of experience is required. An Associate Degree accompanied by 16 years of experience, or with 20 or more years’ experience, a degree is not required.



Commercial Job Title: **PRINCIPAL INTEGRATION MANAGER**

Minimum/General Experience:

Demonstrates senior-level expertise in systems integration. Expertise includes defining requirements, requirements analysis, systems analysis and design, software programming, program design or documentation preparation as it relates to information systems or data.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, provides senior-level expertise in the integration of information technology, physically or functionally. May perform systems analysis or technical research, design IT systems or network integration strategies. May analyze technical architectures or functionality requirements, and may identify incompatibilities and recommend systems solutions.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	7	10	12	16	20

A Master Degree is preferred with 10 years’ experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. A Ph.D. accompanied by 7 years of experience. A Bachelor Degree accompanied by 12 years of experience. An Associate Degree accompanied by 16 years of experience, or with 20 or more years’ experience, a degree is not required.



Commercial Job Title: **PRINCIPAL NETWORK/SYSTEMS ARCHITECT**

Minimum/General Experience:

Provides senior-level expertise in the discipline of systems architecture. Establishes system requirements for hardware or software in the development of enterprise-wide or large-scale



information technology programs. Experience may also include designing software, hardware, or communications protocols in accord with government policy and best business practices.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, provides technical direction in systems engineering or in the development of information technology architectures for hardware or software. May evaluate organizational work or information flows to determine the optimum (information technology) architecture for the enterprise and/or domain.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	7	10	12	16	20

A Master Degree is preferred with 10 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. A Ph.D. accompanied by 7 years of experience. A Bachelor Degree accompanied by 12 years of experience. An Associate Degree accompanied by 16 years of experience, or with 20 or more years' experience, a degree is not required.

Commercial Job Title: **COMMUNICATIONS ENGINEER II**

Minimum/General Experience:

Demonstrates senior-level expertise in management of communication systems and may include expertise in network systems, communication interfaces, network security, information technology administration or firewall implementations. As such, experience encompasses network design, network security, engineering, development, implementation, or network support.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, performs analysis, planning, design, or technical administration of communications systems.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	3	5	7	8	10

A Bachelor Degree in preferred with 7 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidate possessing a technical degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. A Ph.D. accompanied by 3 years of experience. A Master degree accompanied by 5 years of experience. An Associate Degree accompanied by 8 years of experience, or with 10 or more years' experience, a degree is not required.



Commercial Job Title: **COMMUNICATIONS ENGINEER I**

Minimum/General Experience:

Analyzes communication systems and may include expertise in network interfaces, communication interfaces, network security, information technology administration or firewall implementations. As such, experience encompasses network design, network security, engineering, development, implementation, or network support.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, performs analysis, planning, design, or technical support of communications systems.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	-	3	5	6	7

A Bachelor Degree in preferred with 5 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidate possessing a technical degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. A Master degree accompanied by 3 years of experience. An Associate Degree accompanied by 6 years of experience, or with 7 years' experience, a degree is not required.



Commercial Job Title: **QUALITY ASSURANCE MANAGER**

Minimum/General Experience:

Provides knowledge and expertise in the development, verification or maintenance of quality assurance or quality control programs. Possesses an understanding of a recognized quality management method such as: Total Quality Management, Kaizen, Six Sigma, Malcolm Baldrige, International Organization for Standardization (ISO), CMMI or other similar type disciplines. Ability to plan, implement or survey a quality management system.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, provides support and analysis of quality standards and metrics as they apply to management or technical processes.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	-	3	5	6	7

A Bachelor degree is preferred with 5 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. A Master degree



accompanied by 3 years of experience. An Associate Degree accompanied by 6 years of experience, or with 7 or more years' experience, a degree is not required.



Commercial Job Title: **SENIOR SYSTEMS PROGRAMMER**

Minimum/General Experience:

Demonstrates senior-level expertise in systems programming. Expertise includes developing or maintaining computer operating systems, application modernization efforts, systems modernization or defining software requirements.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, plans, performs analysis, designs, operates or constructs information systems. Duties may also include: develop, design, modify or maintain application software, databases, computer operating systems or other 'unique or special purpose' software.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	-	3	5	7	8

A Bachelor Degree is preferred with 5 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical or engineering degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. A Master Degree accompanied by 3 years of experience. An Associate Degree accompanied by 7 years of experience or with 8 years' experience, a degree is not required.



Commercial Job Title: **MIDDLE SYSTEMS PROGRAMMER**

Minimum/General Experience:

Ability to develop or maintain computer operating systems, web-sites or software applications.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, develops, modifies maintains or implements application software, other 'unique or special purpose' software. May work in support of senior programmers for which, duties may include; documentation or other administrative support.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	-	-	1	4	5

An Associate Degree is preferred with 4 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical degree. A Bachelor Degree requires 1 years' experience, or with 5 years' experience, a degree is not required.



Commercial Job Title: **SENIOR SYSTEMS ANALYST**

Minimum/General Experience:

Provides analysis and other support activities of programs requiring technical information, such as command and control, information systems, or computer application programs. Has an understanding of information systems, management, training, government programs, or a specialized discipline as it relates to the contract PWS or SOW.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, employs analytical techniques or specialized knowledge to support program activities. May include program documentation, reports or studies.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	-	3	5	7	8

A Bachelor Degree is preferred with 5 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical or engineering degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. A Master Degree accompanied by 3 years of experience is required. An Associate Degree accompanied by 7 years of experience, or with 8 years of experience, a degree is not required.

Commercial Job Title: **SYSTEMS ANALYST**

Minimum/General Experience:

Provides analysis and other support activities of programs requiring technical information. Experience includes an understanding of information systems, management, training, specialized disciplines, programs, science or technology as it relates to the contract PWS or SOW.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, employs analytical techniques or specialized knowledge to support program activities. An understanding of program documentation reports or studies.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	-	-	3	5	6

A Bachelor Degree is preferred with 3 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical or engineering degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. An Associate Degree accompanied by 5 years' experience, or with 6 years of experience, a degree is not required.



Commercial Job Title: **SENIOR OPERATIONS ANALYST**

Minimum/General Experience:

Provides senior-level technical, functional or management support of programs. Experience includes systems operations, acquisition or management support as it relates to customer programs. Possesses sufficient breadth and depth of applicable experience to support customer programs.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, provides plans, analysis, acquisition, or operational support for information technology programs. May provide management oversight of senior technical, analytical or operational staff.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	3	5	7	8	10

A Bachelor Degree is preferred with 7 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical or engineering degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. A Ph.D. accompanied by 3 years of experience is required. A Master Degree accompanied by 5 years of experience is required. An Associate Degree accompanied by 8 years' experience, or with 10 or more years' experience, a degree is not required.



Commercial Job Title: **OPERATIONS ANALYST**

Minimum/General Experience:

Provide technical, functional or management support of programs. Experience includes systems operations, acquisition or management support as it relates to customer programs.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, provides plans, analysis, acquisition, or operational support for information technology programs.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	-	-	3	5	6

A Bachelor Degree is preferred with 3 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical or engineering degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. An Associate Degree accompanied by 5 years' experience, or with 6 or more years' experience, a degree is not required.



Commercial Job Title: **SENIOR FUNCTIONAL ANALYST**

Minimum/General Experience:

Demonstrates senior-level expertise as it relates to PWS or SOW requirements. Provides specialized expertise in support of information technology programs, including systems analysis, systems design, testing, systems integration, or configuration control for information systems.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, provides technical or programmatic advice and assistance as it relates to system development or business processes. May conduct systems analysis, monitor program or operational performance, develop metric reports, or analysis of user needs to determine functional requirements.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	3	5	7	8	10

A Bachelor Degree is preferred with 7 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical or engineering degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. A Ph.D. accompanied by 3 years of experience is required. A Master Degree accompanied by 5 years of experience is required. An Associate Degree accompanied by 8 years' experience, or with 10 or more years' experience, a degree is not required.

Commercial Job Title: **SENIOR BPR SPECIALIST**

Minimum/General Experience:

Demonstrates senior-level expertise in business processes or management as it applies to technical program requirements, may including defining process requirements, communication analysis, facilitation, training, process reengineering, identifying best practices, change management or organizational development.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, provides the expertise to plan, analyze, design, operate or construct business processes. Duties may also include: data collection or data analysis to improve or reengineer business processes, develop modern business rules and methods, identify best practices, create, or assesses performance measurements.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	3	5	7	8	10



A Bachelor Degree is preferred with 7 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical or engineering degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. A Ph.D. accompanied by 3 years of experience is required. A Master Degree accompanied by 5 years of experience is required. An Associate Degree accompanied by 8 years' experience, or with 10 or more years' experience, a degree is not required.

Commercial Job Title: **SENIOR SUBJECT MATTER EXPERT**

Minimum/General Experience:

Demonstrates senior-level expertise. Ability to provide niche expertise or specialized knowledge in technical or business matters considered vital to the performance of the contracted effort.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, provides unique support required to ensure responsiveness, and achieve successful performance. May perform specialized research, analysis, unique in-depth technical or business expertise.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	3	5	7	8	10

A Bachelor Degree is preferred with 7 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical or engineering degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. Ph.D. accompanied by 3 years of experience is required. A Master Degree accompanied by 5 years of experience is required. An Associate Degree accompanied by 8 years' experience, or with 10 or more years' experience, a degree is not required.

Commercial Job Title: **RESEARCH/OPERATIONS ASSOCIATE**

Minimum/General Experience:

Possesses knowledge and expertise in graphics development, briefing presentation, security administration, financial reporting, configuration management, program administration or office support.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, provides documentation, program implementation or administration support.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	-	-	4	5	6



A Bachelor Degree is preferred with 4 years' experience. Preference will be given to candidates possessing a technical or engineering degree. Other college degrees require the candidate to have additional management, information technology or specialized training and experience. An Associate Degree accompanied by 5 years' experience, or with 6 or more years' experience, a degree is not required.

Commercial Job Title: **CLERICAL**

Minimum/General Experience:

Demonstrates a thorough understanding of the activities pertaining administrative support. Experience in office software tools and general office organization and techniques is required.

Functional Responsibility:

In accordance with task requirements, provides administrative support to program personnel.

Minimum Education:

Education	Ph. Degree, Plus X	Masters Degree, Plus X	Bachelors Degree, Plus X	Associates Degree, Plus X	High School Dipl, Plus X
Years Experience	-	-	-	2	4

An Associate Degree is preferred with 2 years' experience, or with 4 years' experience, no degree or certification is required.



17. EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE LEVELS FOR ALL LABOR CATEGORIES

BTAS, Inc. ensures each employee meets or exceeds the minimum qualification requirements as indicated in each Labor Category Description provided. BTAS permits experience to substitute for education requirements and education for experience. The chart below identifies both the ‘basic requirement’ for each labor category and the number of years’ experience necessary to meet the qualification of each.

Labor Category	Ph. Degree, Plus X Years Exp	Masters Degree, Plus X Years Exp	Bachelors Degree, Plus X Years Exp	Associates Degree, Plus X Years Exp	High School Dipl, Plus X Years Exp
Program Manager	5	7	10	12	13
Principal Information Systems Engineer	7	10	12	16	20
Principal Integration Manager	7	10	12	16	20
Principal Network/Systems Architect	7	10	12	16	20
Communications Engineer II	3	5	7	8	10
Communications Engineer I	-	3	5	6	7
Quality Assurance Manager	-	3	5	6	7
Senior Systems Programmer	-	3	5	7	8
Middle Systems Programmer	-	-	1	4	5
Senior Systems Analyst	-	3	5	7	8
Systems Analyst	-	-	3	5	6
Senior Operations Analyst	3	5	7	8	10
Operations Analyst	-	-	3	5	6
Senior Functional Analyst	3	5	7	8	10
Senior Business Process Re-engineers Specialist	3	6	7	8	10
Senior Subject Matter Expert	3	5	7	8	10
Research/Operations Associate	-	-	4	5	6
Clerical	-	-	-	2	4
		= basic requirement for each LCAT			



18. DISCOUNTED INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY HOURLY RATES:

Labor Category	24-Jun-14	24-Jun-15	24-Jun-16	24-Jun-17	24-Jun-18
	23-Jun-15	23-Jun-16	23-Jun-17	23-Jun-18	23-Jun-19
Program Manager	\$146.06				
Principal Information Systems Engineer	\$112.32				
Principal Integration Manager	\$129.57				
Principal Network/Systems Architect	\$104.24				
Communications Engineer II	\$75.21				
Communications Engineer I	\$59.45				
Quality Assurance Manager	\$67.58				
Senior Systems Programmer	\$67.32				
Middle Systems Programmer	\$63.54				
Senior Systems Analyst	\$118.74				
Systems Analyst	\$82.32				
Senior Operations Analyst	\$108.05				
Operations Analyst	\$60.28				
Senior Functional Analyst	\$62.86				
Senior Business Process Re-engineers Specialist	\$65.22				
Senior Subject Matter Expert	\$81.16				
Research/Operations Associate	\$43.18				
Clerical	\$39.12				
Note - Option Year Labor Rates have not been finalized with the GSA.					
Note: Rates are inclusive of a .75% Industrial Funding Fee.					



USA COMMITMENT TO PROMOTE SMALL BUSINESS PARTICIPATION PROCUREMENT PROGRAMS

PREAMBLE

BTAS, Inc. provides commercial products and services to ordering activities. We are committed to promoting participation of small, small disadvantaged, women-owned hub zone and veteran owned small businesses in our contracts. We pledge to provide opportunities to the small business community through reselling opportunities, mentor-protégé programs, joint ventures, teaming arrangements, and subcontracting.

COMMITMENT

- To actively seek and partner with small businesses.
- To identify, qualify, mentor and develop small, small disadvantaged and women-owned small businesses by purchasing from these businesses whenever practical.
- To develop and promote company policy initiatives that demonstrates our support for awarding contracts and subcontracts to small business concerns.
- To undertake significant efforts to determine the potential of small, small disadvantaged and women-owned small business to supply products and services to our company.
- To insure procurement opportunities are designed to permit the maximum possible participation of small, small disadvantaged and women-owned small businesses.
- To attend business opportunity workshops, minority business enterprise seminars, trade fairs, procurement conferences, etc., to identify and increase small businesses with whom to partner.
- To publicize in our marketing publications our interest in meeting small businesses that may be interested in subcontracting opportunities.
- We signify our commitment to work in partnership with small, small disadvantaged and women-owned small businesses to promote and increase their participation in ordering activity contracts. To accelerate potential opportunities please contact:

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**BEST VALUE
BLANKET PURCHASE AGREEMENT
FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE**

(Insert Customer Name)

In the spirit of the Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act, (Ordering Activity) and (Contractor) enter into a cooperative agreement to further reduce the administrative costs of acquiring commercial items from the General Services Administration (GSA) Federal Supply Schedule Contract(s) _____.

Federal Supply Schedule contract BPAs eliminate contracting and open market costs such as: search for sources; the development of technical documents, solicitations and the evaluation of offers. Teaming Arrangements are permitted with Federal Supply Schedule Contractors in accordance with Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 9.6.

This BPA will further decrease costs, reduce paperwork, and save time by eliminating the need for repetitive, individual purchases from the schedule contract. The end result is to create a purchasing mechanism for the ordering activity that works better and costs less.

Signatures

Ordering Activity		Date		Contractor		Date
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BPA NUMBER _____

(CUSTOMER NAME)
BLANKET PURCHASE AGREEMENT

Pursuant to GSA Federal Supply Schedule Contract Number(s) _____, Blanket Purchase Agreements, the Contractor agrees to the following terms of a Blanket Purchase Agreement (BPA) EXCLUSIVELY WITH (Ordering Agency):

- (1) The following contract items can be ordered under this BPA. All orders placed against this BPA are subject to the terms and conditions of the contract, except as noted below:

MODEL NUMBER/PART NUMBER	*SPECIAL BPA DISCOUNT/PRICE
_____	_____
_____	_____

- (2) Delivery:

DESTINATION	DELIVERY SCHEDULE/DATES
_____	_____
_____	_____

- (3) The Government estimates, but does not guarantee, that the volume of purchases through this agreement will be _____.

- (4) This BPA does not obligate any funds.

- (5) This BPA expires on _____ or at the end of the contract period, whichever is earlier.

- (6) The following office(s) is hereby authorized to place orders under this BPA:

OFFICE	POINT OF CONTACT
_____	_____
_____	_____

- (7) Orders will be placed against this BPA via Electronic Data Interchange (EDI), FAX, or paper.



- (8) Unless otherwise agreed to, all deliveries under this BPA must be accompanied by delivery tickets or sales slips that must contain the following information as a minimum:
 - (a) Name of Contractor;
 - (b) Contract Number;
 - (c) BPA Number;
 - (d) Model Number or National Stock Number (NSN);
 - (e) Purchase Order Number;
 - (f) Date of Purchase;
 - (g) Quantity, Unit Price, and Extension of Each Item (unit prices and extensions need not be shown when incompatible with the use of automated systems; provided, that the invoice is itemized to show the information); and
 - (h) Date of Shipment.
- (9) The requirements of a proper invoice are specified in the Federal Supply Schedule contract. Invoices will be submitted to the address specified within the purchase order transmission issued against this BPA.
- (10) The terms and conditions included in this BPA apply to all purchases made pursuant to it. In the event of an inconsistency between the provisions of this BPA and the Contractor's invoice, the provisions of this BPA will take precedence.



BASIC GUIDELINES FOR USING “CONTRACTOR TEAM ARRANGEMENTS”

Federal Supply Schedule Contractors may use “Contractor Team Arrangements” (see FAR 9.6) to provide solutions when responding to an ordering activity requirements.

These Team Arrangements can be included under a Blanket Purchase Agreement (BPA). BPAs are permitted under all Federal Supply Schedule contracts.

Orders under a Team Arrangement are subject to terms and conditions of the Federal Supply Schedule Contract.

Participation in a Team Arrangement is limited to Federal Supply Schedule Contractors.

Customers should refer to FAR 9.6 for specific details on Team Arrangements.

Here is a general outline on how it works:

- The customer identifies their requirements.
- Federal Supply Schedule Contractors may individually meet the customers’ needs, or -
- Federal Supply Schedule Contractors may individually submit a Schedules “Team Solution” to meet the customer’s requirement.
- Customers make a best value selection.