

## **NOTICE OF INTENT TO SOLE-SOURCE**

**REQUISITION NO:** 6674879

**INTENDED SOURCE:** Agilent Technologies Inc.

**PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE:** 08/18/2023 – 08/17/2024

**PLACE OF PERFORMANCE:** Research Triangle Park, North Carolina

**POSTING DATE:** 5/26/2023

### **DESCRIPTION OF REQUIREMENT**

This contract action is for the acquisition of services for which the Government intends to solicit and negotiate with only one source under the authority of Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Subpart 13.106-1(b) – Soliciting from a Single Source. The National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS), Office of Acquisitions (OA) intends to award a Firm Fixed Price, sole source purchase order to Agilent Technologies Inc. located at 2850 Centerville Road, Wilmington DE 19808-1610 for service, repair and preventative maintenance of Government-owned Seahorse XFe96 Analyzer.

The applicable North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code for this acquisition is 811210 [Electronic and Precision Equipment Repair and Maintenance] with an associated size standard of \$30M.

NIEHS will solicit and negotiate directly with the Agilent Technologies Inc. for a one-year period of performance. No solicitation will be issued. This notice of intent is not a request for competitive proposals or quotations; however, if an interested party believes they can meet the above requirement, all responsible sources may submit a quotation which shall be considered by the agency. Quotations must be submitted in writing and must contain material in sufficient detail to allow the Government to determine if the party can perform the requirement. Offerors must have an active registration in the System for Award Management (SAM) [www.sam.gov](http://www.sam.gov).

A determination by the Government not to compete this proposed requirement based on responses to this notice is solely within the discretion of the Government. All interested parties must express their interest or quotation in writing via email to [odessa.mcglown@nih.gov](mailto:odessa.mcglown@nih.gov) within ten (10) days after the date of publication of this notice. No faxed documents will be accepted. If no responsive statements or quotations are received within ten (10) days, an award will be made to Agilent Technologies Inc., LLC.