CITY OF COLUMBUS SOLE SOURCE INFORMATION FORM

TO ACCOMPANY LEGISLATION WHICH WAIVES ANY PROVISIONS OF COLUMBUS CITY CODES CHAPTER 329 (PLEASE LIMIT YOUR RESPONSE TO THIS SHEET)

1.	Verification of sole source: (Why no other individual or business is capable of supplying the needed item)
	sole manufacturer/distributor
	X sole company offering this unique service (manufacturer's warranty/product support)
	other
2.	Describe efforts to determine that the company was a sole source:
	Per Black and Veatch (software developer), Inflection Point Solutions, LLC is the sole provider of maintenance services for this software. Black & Veatch initially intended to provide maintenance services for the software, but they never implemented the service. They recently worked out an agreement with Inflection Point Solutions, LLC for this service.
3.	Describe any effort to bid for alternate item (service or product) that is not provided by a sole source that would meet this need:
	It is not feasible to bid for an alternate service since Black and Veatch customized the software for us. Only recently was maintenance and support offered, however, only through another vendor they contracted with.
4.	Indicate how the price or fee structure was determined:
	The Division of Operational Support received quotes from Inflection Point Solutions, LLC. The prices are based on the quotes provided from the initial contract with Black and Veatch from 1999.
APP	PROVED BY: DATE:
	(Procurement Manager)