

**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)

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1. Verification of sole source:
(Why no other individual or business is capable of supplying the needed item)

sole manufacturer/distributor

sole company offering this unique service (manufacturer's warranty/product support)

other _____

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2. Describe efforts to determine that the company was a sole source:

The Division of Power SCADA system is using proprietary communication protocol (licensed) and other manufacturer's equipment would not work with various remote substation units.

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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:

Advanced Control Systems has proprietary communication protocol and no other competitor has a license to use this communication protocol. No alternate product would be able to communicate with existing equipment. Replacement of the entire system would be cost prohibitive.

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4. Indicate how the price or fee structure was determined:

Written quotation

ORDINANCE #:

APPROVED BY:

Authorized Approval on Corresponding Legislative File OR#2648-2013

DATE:
