
CITY OF COLUMBUS - SOLE SOURCE INFORMATION FORM

To accompany legislation which waives any provisions of
Columbus City Code Chapter 329.
(LIMIT YOUR RESPONSE TO THIS SHEET)

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

- Sole source manufacturer/ distributor.
- Sole distributor authorized for this territory.
- Patented product purchased for owner/developer.
- Sole company offering this unique service.
- Other:

2. Describe any effort to bid for alternate item (service or product) that is not provided by a sole source that would meet this need:

Applied Biosystems is the only source of this type of a realtime PCR system used for forensic DNA quantitation.

3. Describe efforts to determine/verify that the company is the sole source:

Research from literature, forensic meetings, and trade shows regarding DNA analysis confirmed that Applied Biosystems is the only source of the realtime PCR system validated for forensic DNA quantitation. Letter from Applied Biosystem supports this research.

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

As quoted by the sales representative from Applied Biosystems.

Approved:

Director Authorized to Contract on Behalf of The City

Date
