

CITY OF COLUMBUS-SOLE SOURCE INFORMATION FORM

**To accompany legislation which waives any provisions of
Columbus City Code Chapter 329**

1. Verification of Sole Source: (why no other individual or business entity is capable of supplying the needed items /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: Black and Veatch developed the PIMS software and has established a partnership agreement with Inflection Point Solutions LLC to provide the support and maintenance of the software.

3. Describe efforts to determine/verify that the company is the sole source: It is not feasible to bid for alternate service providers due to the partnership agreement between Black and Veatch and Inflection Point Solutions LLC to provide the license, support and maintenance of the PIMS Software.

4. Indicate how the price or fee structure was determined: Quotation received by the Department of Public Utilities dated January 7, 2010