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TO: Ms. PAULA HALL  
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DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY



Re: Bid # BID394560  
RED HAT LINUX LICENSES, MAINTENANCE & SUPPORT  
Due 5/25/2017 at 1:00 PM



Ms. Hall,

Thank you for giving Computer Intelligence Association (CIA) the opportunity to bid on Solicitation # 100.7-16-053. CIA was established in 1991 (a spin-off of Micro Engineering founded in 1976) and has been a direct, as well as indirect, supplier of information technology sales, support and services to federal, state, and local government agencies via established government systems integrators. CIA clients are comprised of both CONUS [Continental U.S.] and OCONUS [Outside Continental U.S.] government organizations.



During the information technology expansion of the 1990's, CIA assisted the established software publishers of the time adopt a series of standards better suited to enterprise clients. Consequently, our experience with Software Intellectual Property Management and Distribution is exceptionally refined to suit client needs as well as the respective software publishers.



It is our hope this proposal adequately demonstrates our ability to perform. If you should have any questions or concerns regarding any portion of the enclosed response, please contact us by any means you deem appropriate. Thank You for your time and consideration.



Respectfully,

*Michael Carpenter*

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