

NOTICE OF INTENT

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CLASSIFICATION CODE AND TITLE: U – Subscription services

SUBJECT: Subscription to Leadership Directories

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RESPONSE DATE: 11 Feb 2014

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DESCRIPTION:

The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) intends to negotiate on a sole source basis with Dun and Bradstreet Credibility Corp., under Other Than Full and Open Competition by the authority of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Subpart 6.302-1, Only One Responsible Source and No Other Supplies or Services Will Satisfy Agency Requirements, for the purpose of acquiring 1 year subscription for Credit Evaluator Plus to begin February 16, 2015 through February 15, 2016. This is a sole source requirement due to Dun and Bradstreet Credibility Corporations industry leading solutions in tracking the credit and creditworthiness of companies within the United States and Canada. A standing purchase order to acquire access will be negotiated and issued on or about February 13, 2015 for a 12-month performance period. No solicitation package will be issued. This notice is not a request for competitive quotations; however, interested parties may identify their interest and capability to respond to the requirement. Inquiries will only be accepted via e-mail to janice.moten@nist.gov. The government will consider responses received by 12:00PM, EST, 11 Feb 2015. Written responses to this synopsis shall contain sufficient documentation to establish a bona fide capability to fulfill the requirement. A determination by the Government not to compete this proposed requirement based upon responses to this notice is solely within the discretion of the Government. Information received will normally be considered solely for the purpose of determining whether to conduct a competitive procurement in the future. This Notice of Intent is not a Request for Quotation (RFQ) nor is it a request for competition. No telephone requests will be honored.

The North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) code for this acquisition is 519130 and the size standard is 500 employees.

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