

labor employees of a previous contractor.

As the contractor noted, the designated nonprofit agency does not have experience in contracts of this type. However, this is not an unusual situation in the Committee's program, which is intended to create jobs for people with severe disabilities by encouraging the nonprofit agencies which employ these people to engage in new businesses. The central nonprofit agency which is providing technical support to the producing nonprofit agency has extensive experience in assisting similar nonprofit agencies perform such services, and it has demonstrated to the Committee that this addition to the Procurement List has very close parallels with other successful additions. The nonprofit agency intends to employ the contractor's project supervisor to provide knowledge of the work site's requirements, including the hospital grade/aseptic cleaning requirements noted by the commenting contractor, and how to fulfill them.

The Committee does not agree with the contractor's contention that the length of time spent developing the project after its announcement in the Federal Register is an indication the nonprofit agency is incapable of performing the service. The changes in the Statement of Work for the service in July 1995 required a reassessment of the labor needed to perform the service, and revision of the pricing proposal which is the basis of the Committee's establishment of a fair market price. These tasks required more time and negotiations with the contracting officer than was contemplated when the proposed addition was published in the Federal Register.

In contending that addition of this service to the Procurement List would have a severe economic impact on the company, the contractor noted that losing the ability to provide this service to the Government would cause the contractor to abandon two commercial contracts in the same area which its Government contract supports. However, the contractor did not provide information on the value of these contracts. The contractor also noted that its sales have declined substantially in the past year, and it is in a Chapter 11 bankruptcy.

The Committee's information on the contractor's current sales, based on an August 1995 projection by the company, shows that the contract for this service is less than five percent of its total sales. It should also be noted that a Chapter 11 bankruptcy is a reorganization with the intent of continuing the company in

business, and in this case appears to have been initiated for technical reasons. Accordingly, the Committee does not agree with the contractor that the proposed addition of the service to the Procurement List threatens the contractor's viability and, thus, does not believe that the addition will have a severe adverse impact on the contractor.

After consideration of the material presented to it concerning capability of qualified nonprofit agencies to provide the service, fair market price, and impact of the addition on the current or most recent contractors, the Committee has determined that the service listed below is suitable for procurement by the Federal Government under 41 U.S.C. 46-48c and 41 CFR 51-2.4.

I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. The action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the service to the Government.

2. The action will not have a severe economic impact on the current contractor for the service.

3. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the service to the Government.

4. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the service proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

Accordingly, the following service is hereby added to the Procurement List:
Janitorial/Custodial Shaw Air Force Base,
South Carolina

This action does not affect current contracts awarded prior to the effective date of this addition or options exercised under those contracts.

Beverly L. Milkman,
Executive Director.
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Procurement List; Additions

AGENCY: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

ACTION: Additions to the Procurement List.

SUMMARY: This action adds to the Procurement List commodities and services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 27, 1995.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Crystal Square 3, Suite 403, 1735 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3461.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Beverly Milkman (703) 603-7740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On February 10, June 16, August 18, September 22, 29 and October 6, 1995, the Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled published notices (60 FR 7945, 31706, 43125, 49263, 50559 and 52388) of proposed additions to the Procurement List.

After consideration of the material presented to it concerning capability of qualified nonprofit agencies to provide the commodities and services, fair market price, and impact of the additions on the current or most recent contractors, the Committee has determined that the commodities and services listed below are suitable for procurement by the Federal Government under 41 U.S.C. 46-48c and 41 CFR 51-2.4.

I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. The action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the commodities and services to the Government.

2. The action will not have a severe economic impact on current contractors for the commodities and services.

3. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the commodities and services to the Government.

4. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the commodities and services proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

Accordingly, the following commodities and services are hereby added to the Procurement List:

Commodities

Pallet, Runner
3990-01-415-6951

Folder, File
7530-00-663-0031

(Requirements for the Stockton, CA depot only)

Paprika, Ground
8950-01-079-6942

Services

Janitorial/Custodial, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, Georgia
 Janitorial/Custodial, Buildings 595 and 472, Kirtland Air Force Base, New Mexico
 Janitorial/Custodial, Naval and Marine Corps Reserve Center, Training Building, Portland, Oregon
 Janitorial/Custodial, Clarksburg Memorial U.S. Army Reserve Center, Route 19 South, Clarksburg, West Virginia
 Janitorial/Custodial, Clarksburg AMSA, 6 Armory Road, Clarksburg, West Virginia
 Mailroom Operation, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Administrative Center and Western Operations Region, Laguna Niguel, California
 Switchboard Operation, Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Palo Alto, California

This action does not affect current contracts awarded prior to the effective date of this addition or options exercised under those contracts.

Beverly L. Milkman,
Executive Director.

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Procurement List; Proposed Additions

AGENCY: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

ACTION: Proposed Additions to Procurement List.

SUMMARY: The Committee has received proposals to add to the Procurement List commodities and services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

COMMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE: December 27, 1995.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Crystal Square 3, Suite 403, 1735 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3461.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Beverly Milkman (703) 603-7740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 47(a) (2) and 41 CFR 51-2.3. Its purpose is to provide interested persons an opportunity to submit comments on the possible impact of the proposed actions.

If the Committee approves the proposed additions, all entities of the Federal Government (except as otherwise indicated) will be required to procure the commodities and services listed below from nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a

substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. The action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the commodities and services to the Government.

2. The action does not appear to have a severe economic impact on current contractors for the commodities and services.

3. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the commodities and services to the Government.

4. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the commodities and services proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

Comments on this certification are invited. Commenters should identify the statement(s) underlying the certification on which they are providing additional information.

The following commodities and services have been proposed for addition to Procurement List for production by the nonprofit agencies listed:

Commodities

Riser, Assembly

1670-01-375-2098

NPA: Cottonwood Incorporated, Lawrence, Kansas

Napkin, Junior Dispenser

8540-01-350-6419

NPA: Royal Maid Association for the Blind, Inc. Hazlehurst, Mississippi

Services

Janitorial/Custodial for the following

Anniston, Alabama locations:

Federal Building and U.S. Courthouse,
 1129 Noble Street

Social Security Administration, 301 East
 13th Street

NPA: Alabama Goodwill Industries, Inc., Birmingham, Alabama

Janitorial/Custodial, James A. Haley Veterans Hospital, 13000 Bruce B. Downs Boulevard, Tampa, Florida

NPA: The Harbor Behavioral Health Care Institute New Port Richey, Florida

Operation of Postal Service Center Andrews Air Force Base, Maryland

NPA: Lt. Joseph P. Kennedy Institute Washington, DC

Beverly L. Milkman,
Executive Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Department of the Army****Proposed Information Collection Available for Public Comment (Shipping Rates)**

AGENCY: Director of Information Systems for Command, Control, Communications, and Computers (DISC4), U.S. Army.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with Section 3506(e)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Department of the Army announces a proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

The movement of military members results in over 600,000 shipments of personal property each year. Section 10721 of the Interstate Commerce Act exempts such shipments from ICC rate requirements and allows competitive bidding by carriers. The large volume of shipping contracts has caused the DOD Military Traffic Management Command (MTMC) to process contractor information systematically. By following specific procedures contractors are solicited, bids evaluated, and contractors selected. The legal authority for collection of this information in 37 USC, Section 406.

Title, Applicable Forms, and OMB Control Number: Tender of Service and Letter of Intent for Personal Property, Household Goods and Unaccompanied Baggage Shipments, DD Form 619, OMB Control Number 0702-0022.

Needs and Uses: Since household goods (HHG) move at Government expense, data is needed to choose the best service at least cost and to know when accessorial services are chargeable to the Government. Information serves as a bid for contract to transport HHG. Best-service-for-least-cost carrier receives the contract.

Affected Public: Business or other for profit.