USM SSP 25 009 Notice of Proposed Sole Source Purchase of iPads with DVSports Software.

### http://www.ms.gov/dfa/contract bid search/Bid

RFx: 3150005959

Comments/objections will be received as required per Section 31-7-13 (C) of the Mississippi Code until 8:00 a.m. (Central Time) on November 21, 2024.

Any person or entity that objects and proposes that the commodity listed is not sole source and can be provided by another person or entity shall submit a written notice to:

Jacob Cochran

Interim Director of Procurement & Contracts 118 College Dr. Box 5003 Hattiesburg, MS 39406 bids@usm.edu

Phone: 601-266-4131

Subject Line must read "Sole Source Objection USM SSP 25\_009"

The notice shall contain a detailed explanation of why the commodity is not a sole source procurement. Appropriate documentation shall also be submitted if applicable.

If after a review of the submitted notice and documents, USM determines that the commodity in the proposed sole source request can be provided by another person or entity, then USM will withdraw the sole source request publication from the procurement portal website and submit the procurement of the commodity to an advertised competitive bid or selection process.

If USM determines after review that there is only one (1) source for the required commodity, then USM will appeal to the Public Procurement Review Board. USM will have the burden of proving that the commodity is only provided by one (1) source.

Run Dates: 11/3, 11/10

# The University of Southern Mississippi Notice of Proposed Sole Source Purchase SSP 25\_009

The University of Southern Mississippi anticipates purchasing the item(s) listed below as a sole source purchase. Anyone objecting to this purchase shall follow the procedures outlined below.

- Description of the commodity that USM is seeking to procure:
   DVSport Rewind is our in-game replay solution used by coaches.
- 2. Explanation of why the commodity is the only one that meets the needs of the agency:

  The Sun Belt Conference mandates all member institutions use DVSport Rewind.
- 3. Explanation of why the source is the only source is the only person or entity that can provide the required commodity:
  - The Sun Belt Conference decided to use DVSport for all Sun Belt schools, including the University of Southern Mississippi.
- 4. Explanation of why the amount to be expended for the commodity is reasonable:
  The price includes the industry leading software and iPads covered completely with service and support.
- **5.** Efforts that the agency went through to obtain the best possible price for the commodity: We took direction from the Sun Belt Conference.

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Advertisement Schedule	Date
1st scheduled	11/3/24
2 <sup>nd</sup> scheduled	11/10/24

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