

FINANCE DEPARTMENT  
Certificate of Exemption Form

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Date: 02/26/2018

Originating Department: Police

The City is authorized under limited conditions to make procurements outside of the competitive solicitation process. Chapter 252 of the Local Government Code provides guidance regarding sixteen general exemptions from the competitive solicitation. Please select one exemption.

- a procurement made because of a public calamity that requires funds to relieve the needs of the residents or to preserve city property
- a procurement to preserve or protect the public health or safety of the city's residents
- a procurement necessary because of unforeseen damage to machinery, equipment or other property
- a procurement for personal, professional or planning services
- a procurement for work that is performed and paid for by the day as the work progresses
- a purchase of land or right-of-way
- a procurement of items available from only one source
- a purchase of rare books, papers and other materials for a public library
- paving, drainage, street widening and other public improvements or related matter where at least one-third of the costs are paid by special assessments
- a public improvement project which has been authorized but for which there is deficiency of funds to complete in accordance with the plans as authorized
- a payment under a contract by which a developer participates in the construction of a public improvement as provided by subchap. c, ch 212.
- personal property sold
- services performed by blind or severely disabled persons
- goods purchased by a municipality for subsequent retail sale by the municipality
- electricity
- advertising, other than legal notices

This Certificate of Exemption is executed and filed with the Finance Department as follows:

1. The undersigned is authorized to approve an exemption.
2. An exemption according to Section 252.022 of the Local Government Code exists. More specifically, the following event has occurred:

The San Antonio Police Department would like to purchase the IBIS TRAX-HD3D Solution Brassrux Acquisition Station. The department is implementing a National Integrated Ballistic Information Network (NIBIN) office which will be an integral part of the department's move to work more efficiently to combat, address, and respond to the precipitous rise in violent gun crime (specifically in homicide, aggravated assault, family violence, robbery and deadly conduct) that has occurred over the last two years. The system will be utilized for the deployment of technology related to and the participation in the NIBIN. The system will allow for the collection and analysis of firearm shell casings recuperated as evidence at crime scenes and log them into the NIBIN database. The data resulting from this system should provide actionable intelligence to assist in addressing gun crime. Ultra Electronics Forensic Technology is the only company that can provide their proprietary products, hardware and software, maintenance and service, upgrades and service, including data migration, moving and training services. Other technologies are not compatible with the NIBIN Network.

3. Because the exemption stated above exists, the City of San Antonio intends to contract with Ultra Electronics Forensic Technology which will cost approximately \$ 181,753.00.

Volmar Castney  
Originator

[Signature]  
Department Director Approval

[Signature] 2/26/18  
Procurement Administrator Approval

City Manager  
(approval required only for ratification by City Council)

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*Further Action Required*

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