

State Of North Dakota
Department of Human Services
600 East Boulevard Ave., Dept 325
Bismarck, ND 58505

Notice Of Intent To Award

April 10, 2006

Solicitation Number And Title: [RFP # 325-05-10-016 - Medicaid Systems Project – Decision Support System/Data Warehouse \(DSS/DW\) Service Component](#)

Opening Date And Time: [September 1, 2005, 9AM](#)

In alphabetical order, the following vendors submitted responses to the above solicitation:

ACS Government Healthcare Solutions
9040 Roswell Road, Suite 700
Atlanta, Georgia 30350

Thomson Medstat
777 East Eisenhower Parkway
Ann Arbor, MI 48108

Responses were evaluated according to the criteria stated in the solicitation. Today we announce our intent to award a contract to ***Thomson Medstat***.

Thomson Medstat is hereby instructed not to begin work, purchase materials, or enter into subcontracts relating to the Project until the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Systems (CMS) has approved the contract, and both Thomson Medstat and the Department of Human Services have signed the contract.

The summary evaluation score sheets are available to all vendors who submitted proposals upon written request to me by email, mail or fax. In addition, I am available to discuss with you any questions you may have regarding the procurement, your firm's performance during this procurement, or any other procurement questions you may have.

Should you wish to protest this Notice of Intent to Award formally, you may do so by submitting a written protest to me within seven calendar days from the date of this notice, *i.e.*, by close of business on April 17, 2006

Thank you for your efforts in preparing a response to this solicitation. We appreciate your interest in doing business with the State of North Dakota, and your company will remain on the bidders list for any future solicitations of a similar nature.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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