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UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I NOTICE OF SOLE SOURCE

Item(s) to be purchased: Cable Landing Station Access and Collocation Services

Description and quantity of item(s):

<u>Qty.</u>	<u>Description</u>
	Direct access to the Southern Cross Cable Network (SCCN) submarine cable landing station, including collocation space, and required power, in order to directly connect to capacity to support international research and education partners (specifically Australia Advanced Research Network, or AARNet.) This will allow the University to have Charter construct INET facilities in the SCCN space, provide for collocation space to locate and operate University optical networking equipment within the SCCN. Locating the University's equipment in the space will allow the University to connect to the aforementioned international partners. The space within the SCCN cable system landing station is only available from Verizon Hawaii International, Inc. In addition, the minimum term commitment required by the service provider is for a period of five years. This extended term would result in a significant cost savings to the University.

Party to be awarded: Verizon Hawaii International Inc.

Address: 1177 Bishop Street

City: Honolulu State: Hawaii Zip Code: 96813

Date Contract to be issued: September 27, 2019

Procurement Specialist: Karlee Hisashima
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