	<p align="center">Piedmont Technical College</p>	<p>Sole Source # Date Issued Procurement Officer Phone E-Mail Address</p>	<p>SS-19004 11/08/2019 Brian K. McKenna (864) 941-8314 mckenna.b@ptc.edu</p>
<p align="center">Notice of Intent to Sole Source</p>			

Notice of Intent to Sole Source

Solicitation #: SS-19004

Posting Date: November 08, 2019

Based on the following determination, it is the intent of Piedmont Technical College (PTC) to proceed with the proposed procurement action described below pursuant to the authority of §11-35-1560 (A) of the SC Consolidated Procurement Code, in accordance with Regulation 19-445.2105 (B)(5).

PTC intends to negotiate and procure a Sole Source Procurement of a **Hamilton – G5 Model Ventilator** from:

Hamilton Medical, Inc.
PO Box 30008
Reno, NV 89520-3008
(770) 722-1251
Jeff Dail

The Hamilton – G5 is a Sole Source Product, manufactured, sold, and distributed exclusively by Hamilton Medical, Inc. There is no other like item(s) or product(s) available for purchase that would service the same purpose of function. No other company makes a similar or competing product. Hamilton Medical has exclusive distribution and marketing rights to this product.

Estimated Value: \$ 32,000.00

Questions: Shall be addressed to the e-mail address of the Procurement Officer indicated above no later than **5:00 PM on November 15, 2019**.

This notice will be posted in the South Carolina Business Opportunities (SCBO) for five business days as required by §11-35-1560 of the SC Consolidated Procurement Code.

PROTESTS (MAY 2019) If you are aggrieved in connection with the intended award of this contract, you may be entitled to protest, but only as provided in §11-35-4210. To protest an intended award of a contract pursuant to §11-35-1560, you shall (i) notify the chief procurement officer in writing of your intent to protest within five (5) business days of the date this intent to award is posted, and (ii) if the appropriate chief procurement officer has been timely notified of your intent to protest, you may submit your actual protest within fifteen days of the date this notice of intent to award is posted. Days are calculated as provided in §11-35-310(13). Both protests and notices of intent to protest must be in writing and must be received by the appropriate Chief Procurement Officer within the time provided. The grounds of the protest and the relief requested must be set forth with enough particularity to give notice of the issues to be decided.

Any protest or notice of intent to protest must be addressed to the Chief Procurement Officer, Information Technology Management Office, and submitted in writing (a) by email to: protest-itmo@itmo.sc.gov or (b) by post or delivery to: 1201 Main Street, Suite 600, Columbia, SC 29201.

Unless otherwise suspended or cancelled, PTC will purchase these items. Contractor should not perform any work on or incur any costs associated with this notice prior to the receipt of a purchase order. PTC assumes no liability for any expenses incurred prior to issuance of a purchase order.

PIEDMONT TECHNICAL COLLEGE
Greenwood, SC

NOTICE OF INTENT TO SOLE SOURCE

JUSTIFICATION FOR
SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT

Based upon the following determination, the proposed procurement action described below is being procured pursuant to the authority of Section 11-35-1560 of the South Carolina Procurement Code and 19-445.2105 of the Rules and Regulations, 1976 South Carolina Code of Laws.

Piedmont Technical College proposes to negotiate and procure:

A Hamilton 65 Ventilator Package. This package will include the ventilator unit with all required accessories for student instruction in adult + neonatal ventilation and patient care.

As a Sole Source procurement from:

Hamilton Medical, Inc.

On the basis of: *The Hamilton 65 ventilator is manufactured, sold + distributed exclusively by Hamilton Medical, Inc. See attached letter.*

Piedmont Technical College believes this is the only vendor capable of providing these products/services. This notice of Intent to Sole Source is to determine the availability of alternate vendors capable of providing the products/services outlined herein. Alternate vendors capable of providing these products/services must respond by email to Brian K. McKenna, Procurement Officer, at mckenna.b@ptc.edu

Ann Piggott
REQUESTOR

A. Piggott
SIGNATURE

8/23/19
DATE

Tara B. Gonce
SUPERVISOR/DEAN

Tara B Gonce
SIGNATURE

8/27/19
DATE

K. Paige Chiles
V.P. BUSINESS/FINANCE OR PRESIDENT

K. Paige Chiles
SIGNATURE

9/16/19
DATE

- NOTES:
- (1) Enter description of goods or services to be procured.
 - (2) Enter name of sole source contractor.
 - (3) Enter the determination and basis for sole source procurement.

The Drug-free Work Place certification must be obtained for sole source procurements greater than \$50,000.

August 21st, 2019

Ms. Ann Piggott
Piedmont Technical College
620 Emerald Road North
Greenwood, SC 29646

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to confirm that the Hamilton Medical, HAMILTON- G5 model ventilator is a sole source product, manufactured, sold and distributed exclusively by Hamilton Medical, Inc. No division of Hamilton Medical, nor any other company, makes a similar or competing product. This product must be purchased directly by institutions from Hamilton Medical, Inc. at the address listed above. There are no agents or dealers authorized to represent this product.

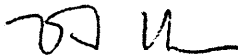
Additionally, competition is precluded by the existence of an agreement with the manufacturer, who has given us an exclusive right to market this product (or patent, copyright, secret process of monopoly):

There is no other like item(s) or products(s) available for purchase that would service the same purpose or function and there is only one price for the above named item(s) or product(s) because of exclusive distribution and marketing rights.

If you desire additional information, don't hesitate to contact Jeff Dail at (770)722-1251 or visit our website, www.hamilton-medical.com

Thank you for your interest in our products.

Best regards,



Robert Hamilton
CEO
Hamilton Medical, Inc.