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**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

FROM: DISTRICT ATTORNEY

SUBMITTAL DATE:
April 15, 2008

SUBJECT: PROPOSED PURCHASE OF TWO (2) COMPUTER SYSTEMS FROM DYNAMIC TECHNOLOGIES, DBA OCEAN SYSTEMS AND MAINTENANCE/REPAIR WITHOUT OBTAINING COMPETITIVE BIDS.

RECOMMENDED MOTION: Move that the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve the proposed procurement with Ocean Systems in the amount of \$49,000 without securing competitive bids, in accordance with Ordinance 459.4;
2. Receive and file notice of the purchase for personal services to provide maintenance / repair services \$12,000 annually;
3. Authorize the Purchasing Agent to approve administrative amendments and annual renewals of the maintenance, for five (5) years renewable in one (1) year increments and allow for increases not to exceed the annual CPI rates.

BACKGROUND: Purchasing and Fleet Services released the Request for Quote on January 28, 2008, mailed to five (5) vendors, and advertised on the Purchasing website.

Previously the District Attorney's Office had purchased a computer system from Ocean Systems in 2005 and it has been instrumental as a forensic video analysis system for scientific examination comparison and/or evaluation of video evidence.

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KELLY P. KEENAN, Assistant District Attorney for
ROD PACHECO, District Attorney

FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ 49,000	In Current Year Budget:	Yes
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 49,000	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ 12,000	For Fiscal Year:	FY 07/08

SOURCE OF FUNDS: Department Budget	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

BY: *Steve P. Schubert*
Steve P. Schubert

County Executive Office Signature

Policy
 Consent
 Dept't Recomm.:
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 Per Exec. Ofc.:

Prev. Agn. Ref.: | **District:** | **Agenda Number:**

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

**FORM 11: APPROVAL PROPOSED PURCHASE OF TWO (2) COMPUTER SYSTEMS
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BACKGROUND (CONTINUED)

With the growth at the District Attorney's Office, there is a need for additional computers to support the growing needs. The new systems will provide the D. A.'s office with the ability to accurately capture, process, and enhance video evidence from the field level and even from proprietary digital video formats. The plug and play, versatility, and system are a standard among law enforcement agencies which makes this unit an industry standard amongst District Attorney's Offices. No other manufacturer provides these features or compatibility with the software required. The evidence is an instrumental tool in helping the District Attorney's Office prosecute criminals.

PRICE REASONABLENESS

Of the vendors solicited and website advertisement, Ocean Systems was the only respondent to the bid process. Ocean systems originally proposed \$66,000, however, Purchasing was able to negotiate the cost down to \$49,000.

REVIEW/APPROVAL: Purchasing concurs with this request.

Date: April 15, 2008
From: Rod Pacheco Department/Agency: District Attorney
To: Board of Supervisors
Via: Purchasing Agent
Subject: Sole Source Procurement; Request for the PURCHASE OF TWO (2) COMPUTER SYSTEMS FROM DYNAMIC TECHNOLOGIES, DBA OCEAN SYSTEMS

The below information is provided in support of my Department requesting approval for a sole source. Outside of a duly declared emergency, the time to develop a statement of work or specifications is not in itself justification for sole source.

Supply/Service being requested: TWO (2) OCEAN COMPUTER SYSTEMS INCLUDING SUPPORT AND MAINTENANCE.

Supplier being requested: DYNAMIC TECHNOLOGIES, DBA OCEAN SYSTEMS

Alternative suppliers that can or might be able to provide supply/service: NONE. THIS IS A PROPRIETARY SYSTEM UNIQUE TO LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES.

Extent of market search conducted: LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES (SANTA ANA POLICE DEPARTMENT, CORONA POLICE DEPARTMENT, AND SAN BERNARDINO SHERIFF DEPARTMENT ALL CONCUR OCEAN SYSTEMS HAS SUPERIOR SOFTWARE AND HARDWARE.

Unique features of the supply/service being requested from this supplier, which no alternative supplier can provide: OCEAN SYSTEMS IS A STANDARD AMONG LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES.

Reasons why my department requires these unique features and what benefit will accrue to the county: COMPUTER SYSTEM WILL PROVIDE THE DA'S OFFICE WITH THE ABILITY TO ACCURATELY CAPTURE, PROCESS AND ENHANCE VIDEO EVIDENCE FROM THE FIELD LEVEL. VIDEO EVIDENCE IS INSTRUMENTAL IN PROSECUTION OF CRIMINALS.

Price Reasonableness: Oceans Systems originally quoted \$66,000 but lowered their costs down to \$49,000.

Does moving forward on this product or service further obligate the county to future similar contractual arrangements? NO

Thy P. Kern 5/6/08
Department Head Signature **Date**

Purchasing Department Comments:

Approve Approve with Condition/s Disapprove
Mahesh 4-28-08
Purchasing Agent **Date**