



THE CITY OF KEY WEST

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To: Jim Scholl, City Manager
From: Sue Snider, Purchasing Agent
Date: 12/13/2016


Reference: Thermo Packeye

Pursuant to purchasing Code 2-844 relating to Brand Name Specifications, "Since use of a brand name specification is restrictive of product competition, it may be used only when the purchasing agent makes a written determination that only the identified brand name item will satisfy the City's needs."

The Thermo Packeye is manufactured by Thermo Scientific and is the only radiological detection system of its kind that can be integrated into a water-resistant hard sided case. This product is consistent with the State of Florida's Preventative Radiological and Nuclear Detection Architecture and is consistent with similar systems purchased by other agencies involved with the hazardous materials mission (Florida Highway Patrol, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation, US Coast Guard, etc.).

The Key West Police Department plans to work closely with these agencies as we continue to build our detection program so having consistent equipment will benefit us during training, troubleshooting, best practices, and during detection missions.

The system is available through GSA pricing.

Approved By 

12.13.16
Date

Approved by Sue Snider,
Purchasing Agent

12-15-16
Date

MEMORANDUM