

Birdville Independent School District Sole Source Affidavit

To comply with the State of Texas definition of a sole source provider, the vendor must satisfy one of the following requirements as defined in the Texas Education Code, Subchapter B., Sec. 44.031.

(j) Without complying with Subsection (a), a school district may purchase an item that is available from **only one source**, including:

- (1) an item for which **competition is precluded** because of the existence of a patent, copyright, secret process, or monopoly;
- (2) a film, manuscript, or book;
- (3) a utility service, including electricity, gas, or water, and
- (4) a captive replacement part or component for equipment.

(k) The exceptions provided by Subsection (j) do not apply to mainframe data-processing equipment and peripheral attachments with a single-item purchase price in excess of \$15,000.

We have carefully reviewed the Texas Education Code, Subchapter B., Sec. 44.031 and hereby certify that we meet and comply with Section (j) and (k) of the aforementioned code for the sale of (attach separate sheet if necessary)

In addition, we certify that no suspension or debarment is in place for the below listed company, which would preclude them from receiving a federally funded contract.

Company _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip Code _____

Telephone No. _____ Fax No. _____

Email Address _____

Authorized Signature _____

Title _____

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me on this _____ day of _____, 20_____

Notary Public, State of _____

Printed Name

(Seal)

Date Commission Expires