

**CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE**  
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO  
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

AUGUST 15, 2007

**TO:** JOHN J. VIGIL, PURCHASING MANAGER

**FROM:** JOE RAEI, SENIOR BUYER

**SUBJECT:** RECOMMENDATION OF AWARD ON REQUEST FOR OFFER RFB2007-144-JR

**BID OPENING DATE:** 6/20/2007

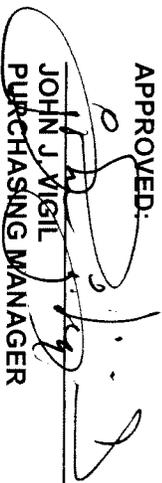
**TITLE:** TACTICAL ELECTRONIC EARPLUGS

I RECOMMEND AWARDDING THE FOLLOWING AS THE LOWEST RESPONSIVE BID OFFER AFTER MEETING SPECIFICATIONS, LOCAL AND IN-STATE PREFERENCES, IF APPLICABLE, HAVE BEEN TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION. THIS CONTRACT WILL BE USED BY: **POLICE**

ITEM NO.	QUANTITY:	ITEM DESCRIPTION:	VENDOR RECOMMENDED FOR AWARD:	UNIT AMOUNT:	TOTAL AMOUNT:	PAYMENT TERMS:
01	36 PR	ELECTRONIC EARPLUGS	E.A.R. INC.	\$1,161.42	\$41,811.19	NET 30

**THIS IS A RECOMMENDATION OF AWARD, NOT AN ACTUAL AWARD. ACTUAL AWARDS MADE BY THE PURCHASING DIVISION BY ISSUING A PURCHASE ORDER AFTER THE PROTEST PERIOD ENDS ON: 8/28/07. DATE OF RECOMMENDATION: 15 AUG. 2007.**

**APPROVED:**

  
JOHN J. VIGIL  
PURCHASING MANAGER  
8/15/2007  
(DATE)

**APPROVED:**

  
RAY SCHULTZ, CHIEF  
POLICE  
8/17/2007  
(DATE)

AUTOMATED PURCHASING SYSTEM II  
ABSTRACT DETAIL REPORT

Response Number	Vendor Name	Preference Type	Delivery Notes
1	EAR INC.		21 DAYS ARO
2	GT DISTRIBUTORS INC.		30 DAYS ARO

REQUEST FOR BID NUMBER: RFB2007-144-JR  
 BID TITLE: ELECTRONIC EARPLUGS  
 BID OPENING DATE: 6/20/2007  
 JOE RAEI, SENIOR BUYER, PHONE NO.: (505) 768-3344

GROUP ITEM QTY  
 1 36

TACTICAL ELECTRONIC EARPLUGS

RESPONSE NO BID?	1	EA	\$1,161,4200
SKU		EA	\$119,7600
UNIT		EA	\$4,311.36
EXT. PRICE			\$41,811.19

AUTOMATED PURCHASING SYSTEM II  
OFFERS FOR PROCUREMENT

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Item	From Item No:	To Item:	Bid Amount	Discounted Bid	Vendor Name/Comments
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	1	1			
			\$4,311.36	\$4,311.36	GT DISTRIBUTORS INC.
			\$41,811.19	\$41,811.19	EAR INC.
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ITEM OFFERED DOES NOT MEET EAR PROTECTION SPECIFICATIONS. INSTEAD OF BRINGING LOUDER SOUNDS TO A SAFE LEVEL AND ENHANCING SOFTER SOUNDS AS STATED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS, THIS PRODUCT ALLOWS AMBIENT SOUND TO BE HEARD AS WELL AS THE RADIO. DOES NOT INCLUDE CUSTOM EARMOLDS AS REQUESTED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS.

BID IS BASED ON 36 PAIRS OF EARPLUGS. BID AS REQUESTED FOR ANALOGUE TELECOIL, BUT OFFERS THE SAME PRICE FOR A DIGITAL PRODUCT.

Total Offers 2 \* Denotes that at least one Item in the Group was 'No