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STOCKPILE ISSUES ANTIMONY AMENDMENT # 014 AND ACCEPTS ANTIMONY OFFERS

Fort Belvoir, VA - The Defense National Stockpile Center (DNSC) on April 22, 2003, issued Amendment No. 014 to Solicitation for Offers DLA-ANTIMONY-002. The amendment solicits offers for the sale of approximately 3,533,144 pounds (LBS) of antimony for the remainder of fiscal year 2003. The amendment also identifies the next offering date, updates the listing of material available for sale, revises terms of the present solicitation, and identifies the certifications required with each offer.

The next offering for antimony will be held **May 22, 2003**. For this offering, the maximum quantity to be considered for award is approximately **1.5 million pounds** for one or more contracts with a contract period of up to 270 calendar days. Receipt of offers is due by 1:00 p.m., local time, at 8725 John J. Kingman Road, Suite 3229, Ft. Belvoir, and VA 22060-6223 or via facsimile at (703) 767-5541.

DNSC awarded approximately 1,000,000 pounds of antimony metal for its April 3, 2003, offering under Solicitation for Offers DLA-ANTIMONY-002. Awards were made for an approximate market value of \$1,000, 000 to the following:

Aaron Ferer & Sons Co.
Omaha, NE

East Penn Manufacturing Co. Inc.
Lyon Station, PA

DNSC will continue to offer the remainder of the antimony for sale as stated in Amendment #014 above.

Additional solicitation information can be obtained from our web site <https://www.dnsc.dla.mil> or by contacting Rossell Beckett at (703) 767-5402.

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