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NOTICE TO THE TRADE – DeCA NOTICE 26-127

SUBJECT: Upcoming Opportunity – Sale of Government Property (Recyclable Commodities)

The Defense Commissary Agency (DeCA) wishes to announce an immediate, upcoming opportunity for the purchase and removal of bulk recyclable commodities generated by our commissary operations.

DeCA is soliciting its national recycling agreement to secure a successor contract prior to the expiration of our current agreement on May 31, 2026. Because of this tight operational timeline, **this will be an expedited Invitation for Bids (IFB).**

Commodities Available:

- **Old Corrugated Cardboard (OCC):** Baled, conforming to ISRI #11 specifications per the ISRI Scrap Specifications Circular (<https://www.isrispecs.org>).
- **Plastic Film:** Baled Shrink-wrap and LDPE Grade A.
- **Office Paper:** Mixed within the OCC bales.

Scope of Offering:

The requirement covers 159 commissary locations across the United States. To maximize industry participation, the solicitation will allow for two distinct scenarios:

- **Scenario 1:** A single, national agreement covering all 159 locations.
- **Scenario 2:** Five (5) distinct regional agreements. Vendors may bid on one or more regions.

Contract Term:

The anticipated Period of Performance is a five (5) year term: June 01, 2026 – May 31, 2031.

Pricing Structure:

This is a revenue-generating sale. Payments to the Government will be calculated using the vendor's proposed percentage rate multiplied by standard industry indexes (Fastmarkets RISI for paper/OCC and RecyclingMarkets.net for plastics).

How to Participate:

The official Invitation for Bids (IFB), including the Statement of Work, Bid Schedule (Table

One), and all required Standard Forms (SF 114 and SF 114B), will be published on **SAM.gov** under Solicitation Number HDEC05-26-S-X001

Key Anticipated Dates:

- **Solicitation Release:** May 18, 2026
- **Vendor Questions Due:** May 21, 2026 (3:00 PM EDT)
- **Bids Due: May 26,2026** (3:00 PM EDT)

We encourage all capable commercial waste management firms, paper mills, and recycling brokers to review the SAM.gov posting and submit competitive bids.

For contracting inquiries, please contact Rakeeb I. Craig Sr., Contracting Officer/Agreements Officer, at rakeeb.craig@deca.mil.

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