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Space & Naval Warfare Systems Center Awards Contract

CHARLESTON -- Texcom, Inc., of Portsmouth, VA is being awarded an indefinite delivery, indefinite quantity, cost-plus-fixed fee type contract in the estimated amount of \$24,672,350 to provide engineering services in support of Navy Communications Programs. Programs include shipboard switching systems, UHF/VHF/HF radio equipment support, Link 2, commercial wideband SatCom, LHD Communications, microwave and integrated communications and battlegroup cellular and related systems. This contract contains three one-year options, which, if exercised, will bring the total cumulative value of the contract to \$99,194,587. Funding is from multiple sources. Contract funds will not expire at the end of the fiscal year. Work is expected to be completed by August 2002. Work will be performed at the SPAWAR Systems Center Charleston Detachment in Norfolk, Norfolk Naval Shipyard, various locales in Tidewater Virginia, contractor facilities and locations in the USA and around the world as required by individual task orders. This contract was procured on a competitive basis with 100 firms solicited and nine offers received. The Space and Naval Warfare Systems Center Charleston, SC is the contracting activity (N65236-98-D-5822).

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