INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ENTERPRISE SOLUTIONS– 3 SERVICES (ITES-3S)

Period of Performance: 9.25.18 – 9.24.27	Contract Vehicle Type: IDIQ Multiple-Award Contract	Task Order Types: Fixed Price, Cost Reimbursement, Time and Materials, and Labor Hour

About the ITES-3S IDIQ

The U.S. Army Computer Hardware Enterprise Software and Solutions (CHESS) is the Army's designated Primary Source for commercial IT. CHESS provides a no-fee flexible procurement strategy through which an end user may procure commercial off-the-shelf (COTS) IT hardware, software, and services. CHESS offers simple, straightforward contract vehicles, including ITES-3S, through its on-line Army system, the IT e-mart.

The ITES-3S contracts, accessed through the IT e-mart are the Army's preferred source for the purchase of a full range of services and solutions within CONUS and OCONUS. The IT services solutions include but are not limited to the following task areas: Business Process Reengineering (BPR), Information Systems Security, Information Assurance, Information Technology Services, Computer Aided Design/Engineering/ Manufacturing, Software/Middleware Development, Development, Enterprise Design Integration and Consolidation, Education/Training, Program/Project Management, Systems Operation and Maintenance, and Network Support. The services acquired on this contract apply to the full range of security domains, from Unclassified through Top Secret/Sensitive Compartmented Information (SCI).

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Features of the ITES-3S IDIQ	Benefits of the ITES-3S IDIQ
The ITES-3S IDIQ has a $12.1 billion ceiling and a POP of 5 base years and 4 individual option years, for a total of 9 years.	Long-term planning for large-scale program requirements
ITES' services scope encompasses nearly all areas of Enterprise IT, including cybersecurity, integration, consolidation, telecommunications, supply chain management, operation and maintenance, business process engineering, and education/training.	Complete flexibility on the part of the ordering activity when it comes to acquiring enterprise IT solutions, i.e., "one-stop shop"
The Army and all other DoD and federal agencies and activities—located CONUS, OCONUS and warzone areas—are eligible users.	User flexibility; open to any DoD or federal agency or activity, ITES-3S provides contracting services across the federal market place
The ITES-3S IDIQ vehicle is decentralized. All federal Contracting Officers (CO) are delegated procurement authorites who can place task orders against this contract vehicle, with "zero program fee" charged to the ordering activity.	Speed of use; with no training/certification requirements, any CO and the respective ordering activity can quickly access the ITES-3S contract through the CHESS IT e-mart, with no limitations and no program fees, regardless of the size or complexity of the required acquisition
ITES-3S provides for a readily available sole-source award contracting option, with no CHESS/ITES-3S restrictions.	Upon completion of an approved Justification & Approval (J&A) document by the CO/ordering activity, sole-source awards may be initiated directly through the CHESS/ITES-3S website without further approval

Sole Source Under ITES-3S

- If you do not have an account with the CHESS IT e-mart you must first register in order to gain access to the RFP Manager. https://chess.army.mil (Click on "cancel Certification request")
- Click on the Registration button in the upper right-hand corner of the front page
- Fill out the account information form with your email address and select "Register"
- You will need to login to access the RFP process via the home page. After log in, you will see your name and last login in the top-right corner of the IT e-mart.
- Hover over "RFx" on the Main Menu then click "Request for Proposal" from the drop down
- To create an RFP from any RFx page, hover over the "RFP -Services" button and select "Create".
- Select ITES-3S from the Programs drop down menu.
- For an American Systems "sole source" selection, (needs to meet the exceptions as defined in FAR 16.505 (b) or DFARS 216.505-70) scroll down to "W52P1J-18-D-A091: American Systems" and highlight this selection only. To select all vendors, click the "Select All" option.

Follow the remaining prompts to enter the RFP information as well as attach your supporting documentation. Questions regarding these guidelines and procedures for placing orders against the contracts should be directed to CHESS. Questions of a contractual nature should be directed to the PCO, Army Contracting Command - Rock Island (ACC-RI).