DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA LIBRARY
DETERMINATION & FINDINGS FOR MANDATORY SET-ASIDE OF
CONTRACTS $250,000.00 OR LESS

1. AUTHORIZATION

DC Official Code Section § 2-218.44 and 2-218.45

2. MINIMUM NEED

The District of Columbia Public Library (DCPL) has a need to purchase summer reading radio advertising for its STAR Books from Birth Program.

3. CONTRACTOR

CBS Radio

4. ESTIMATED REASONABLE PRICE

$13,060.00

5. FACTS WHICH JUSTIFY AWARD TO OTHER THAN A CERTIFIED SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (SBE) OR CERTIFIED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (CBE) CONTRACTOR

This service is competition exempt in accordance with D.C. Code § 2-354.13(12): “Purchase of advertising in all media, including electronic, print, radio, and television; provided that they are purchased directly from the media outlet.”

6. CERTIFICATION BY THE CONTRACT SPECIALIST

I have reviewed the above findings and certify that they are sufficient to justify the procurement of goods and services from other than a SBE or CBE contractor in accordance with DC Official Code Section 2-218.44 and 2-218.45 and recommend that the Chief Procurement Officer approve this proposed action.

[Signature]
Darryn A. Martin
Contract Specialist

Date: 5/24/2018
DETERMINATION

Based on the above findings and in accordance with the DCPL Procurement Regulations, DC Official Code Section 2-218.44 and 2-218.45, I hereby determine that the award of this procurement action for the goods or services described herein is in the best interest of the District of Columbia Public Library.

5/24/18
Date

Diane Wooden
Chief Procurement Officer