MEPNN Supplier Scouting Opportunity Synopsis

Section 1: General Information

Scouting Number	2026-042
Item to be Scouted	BABA Compliant Furnishings Accessories (Vertical Window Blinds)
Days to be scouted	30
Response Due By	02/21/2026
Description	BABA Compliant: Vertical Window Blinds

Section 2: Technical Information

Type of supplier being sought	Other
Details	Distributor / Manufacturer
Reason	BABA
Describe the manufacturing processes (elaborate to provide as much detail as possible)	May involve but is not limited to Die-casting or extrusion for aluminum parts or injection molding for plastic parts, CNC machining, powder coating or anodizing, painting or polishing, soldering, electrical assembly and/or mechanical assembly. Domestic components in each of the BABAA compliant manufactured products must exceed 55% of the total component cost and be assembled in the United States.
Provide dimensions / size / tolerances / performance specifications for the item	Vertical Blinds: Blinds shall have 3-1/2” wide vertical vinyl slats supported at the head with manufacturer’s standard head track and valance. 1. Texture: Smooth. 2. Operation: Cord and Wand; single wand that can traverse and rotate vanes. 3. Slat Width: 3-1/2". 4. Mount: Face-mounted overlapping jamb edge minimum 3” each side at sliding doors; inside of drywall jamb returns at windows. 5. Color: Alabaster. 6. Approved Manufacturer: a. Vertical Solutions by Hunter Douglas, as basis of design. b. Royal Pro Vertical Blinds by Royal Textile Products, represented locally by Commercial Window Treatments, 1865 West 12th Street, Denver, CO 80204. c. Other manufacturers as approved prior to bidding. Cabinet Hardware E. Bolts, Nuts and Washers: Medium carbon steel, sized to suit application, plain finish for interior locations. F. Fasteners: Wood screw or toggle bolt type of anchorage to wood frame construction. G. Hardware: 108 degree, 6-way adjustable concealed hinges, standard closing. Drawer guides with captive roller, 75 lb. epoxy-coated stay-closed side guides. H. Toe Kicks: 4-1/2” high with 3-1/2” inset on all standard base cabinets. I. Pulls: Provide5 -1 /16” pulls in black finish – Amerock BP36571 or equal. J. Adjustable Shelving: ¾” thick, 12” deep, powder-coated over MDF core; attached with locking shelf clips.
List required materials needed to make the product, including materials of product components	See attached specs and mechanical schedule for more information.

Are there applicable certification requirements?	Yes
Details	Must be able to submit BABAA manufactured product self-certification manufactured product letter that details a compliant product.
Are there applicable regulations?	No
Are there any other stndards, requirements, etc.?	No
Additional Technical Comments	See attached specs and mechanical schedule for more information.

Section 4: Business Information

Estimated potential business volume	TBD post selection. Quantity not determined at this time.
Estimated target price / unit cost information (if unavailable explain)	TBD post selection. Cost should be the best available, and cannot increase the project cost by 25%.
When is it needed by?	Q3 - 4 2026
Describe packaging requirements	Best available. Must arrive undamaged. Specifics discussed in negotiation.
Where will this item be shipped?	Colorado

Additional Comments

Is there other information you would like to include?	Agency providing funds - HUD Name/POC for BABA related questions - Sullivan Staires Email address of contact - Sullivan.Staires@okalliance.com Nationwide Search Provide written documentation in response to the Supplier Scouting request of being a current Build America Buy America Act compliant Furnishings Accessories manufacturer with experience in manufacturing the system components, meeting the product performance requirements. Information on BABAA compliance requirements can be found at the Made in America Office link https://www.madeinamerica.gov/. Windtrail Apartments