Subject: Purchase of equipment VC-6 six-channel pinch valve system with, RC-29 very large bath chamber with heating chamber and magnetic clamp for the department of Neurosurgery at AIIMS, New Delhi-29 on proprietary basis- inviting comments thereon.

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The request received from Dr. P. Sarat Chandra, Deptt. of Neurosurgery, AIIMS by M/s. Harward Apparatus, USA on proprietary basis. The proposal is submitted by M/s M/s. Harward Apparatus, USA and PAC certifications are attached.

The above documents are being uploaded for open information and to submit objections, comments, if any, from any manufacturer regarding proprietary nature of the equipment/item within issue of 15 days giving reference No.13/Stores/Neurosurgery/PSC/Proprietary/2012-13/RS. The comments should be received by office of Stores Officer (RS), Research Section at AIIMS on or before 18.02.2013 upto 12.30 p.m., failing which it will be presumed that any other vendor is having no comment to offer and case will be decided on merits.

Yours faithfully,

STORES OFFICER (RS)

Encl: Related documents enclosed.

PAC Certificate enclosed.

Specification of equipment.

SPECIFICATIONS :
VC-6 six-channel pinch valve system with, RC-29 very large bath chamber with heating chamber and magnetic clamp.

Unique features of six-channels pinch valve system:

- A multi-valve perfusion system designed to automate and control the delivery of solutions to imaging and recording chambers.

- Each valve is individually manipulated by a manual switch or an external digital (TTL) signal. An event marker pulse, generated each time a valve is switched on, is provided for tape or chart recordings.

- Use of Pinch valves: They are the simplest to maintain as the solution never comes in contact with the valve and tubings are easily replaced. Valves are dual acting (3-way) with both normally open and closed sides.
January 8, 2013

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This letter is to state that Harvard Apparatus, Inc. (which also owns the Warner Instruments Company) is the manufacturer and sole source of Warner Instrument 6 channel perfusion pinch valve system part number 64-0135, PLI 100A injector, Solution Heater/Cooler Two Line Part No. 64-0353, CL-100 Bipolar Temp Controller Part No. 64-0352 and accessories. These are our proprietary models and to the best of our knowledge no other manufacturer makes the same models.

Sincerely,

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