



**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
Department of Corrections
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Notice of Intent to Award

May 12, 2026

Procurement Type and Number	Request for Quotes RFx NO. 3140004533
Procurement Title	Fire Protection Inspection, Testing, and Maintenance at Marshall County Correctional Facility
Opening Date and Time	March 27, 2026, at 2 PM CST

The Mississippi Department of Corrections received quotes from the following Bidders in response to the above solicitation:

- State Systems, Inc., Memphis, TN; and
- Security Fire Protection Co., Memphis, TN;

One Bidder, Security Fire Protection Co., was qualified as being responsive and responsible based on the criteria contained in the Request For Quotes and One Bidder, State Systems, Inc., was deemed non-responsive.

The Mississippi Department of Corrections is announcing its intent to award a contract to the following Successful Bidder:

- Security Fire Protection Co., Memphis, TN;

We would like to thank each Bidder for your time and efforts in preparing a response to this solicitation.

The successful Bidder is instructed not to begin work, purchase materials, or enter into subcontracts relating to the project or services until execution of the contract by both parties.

We appreciate your interest in doing business with the State of Mississippi.

Sincerely,

Victoria James, Esq.
Chief Procurement Officer