



U N I V E R S I T Y O F
SOUTH CAROLINA


December 16, 2009

INTENT TO AWARD

This is a statement of intent to award a contract and becomes the official statement of award effective 8:00 A.M., December 30, 2009, unless otherwise suspended or canceled. Vendors are cautioned not to begin work on the contract or incur any costs associated with the contract prior to the effective date of the contract. The University of South Carolina assumes no liability for the expenses incurred by vendors prior to the effective date of the contract.

Bidder's right to protest as listed in section 11-35-4210 in the South Carolina Consolidated Procurement Code applies to this award. Protest to be filed with the appropriate Chief Procurement Officer within the time provided.

Referenced Solicitation Number:	USC-RFP-1591-MS
For Furnishing:	Federal Government Consulting Services
Issue Date:	October 29, 2009
Opening Date:	November 30, 2009 at 2:30 p.m.
Awarded to:	Podesta Group 1001 G. Street, NW, Suite 900 East Washington, DC 20001
Award Amount:	\$180,000.00 Annually (Includes \$15,000 monthly retainer)
Total Potential Amount:	\$900,000.00
Date of Award:	December 16, 2009
Initial Contract Period:	December 30, 2009 to December 30, 2010
Maximum Contract Period:	December 30, 2014


Buyer: Mary L. Sims
Title: Procurement Manager