



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

Posting Date: March 30, 2015

**SUSPENDED INTENT TO AWARD**

This is a statement of intent to award a contract and becomes the official statement of award effective 8:00 AM March 31, 2015, unless otherwise suspended or canceled. Vendors are encouraged 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 any 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:

Chief Procurement Officer  
Materials Management Office  
1201 Main Street Suite 600  
Columbia, SC 29201\

**Solicitation Number:** USC-RFP-2751-CJ  
**Issue Date:** January 22, 2015  
**Opening Date:** February 12, 2015  
**Description:** Consulting Services for Palmetto College  
**Initial Contract Term:** March 31, 2015 through March 30, 2016  
**Maximum Contract Term:** March 31, 2015 through March 30, 2020  
**Estimated Potential Value of Contract:** \$105,072.00

**Evaluated Amount:** \$87,560.00

includes all expenses to complete all of services necessary to deliver a final report to Palmetto College:

- \* Preparation
- \* On-Campus and follow-up interviews
- \* Review of Materials
- \* Report writing and revisions
- \* Final report presentation

\* Conference call or in-person presentations of draft report

Performing additional tasks of a similar nature it is assigned to complete will be at an hourly rate of \$250.00.

Awarded To: E Consulting Inc. DBA EduServe  
ATTN: John Slack  
809 Bryon Trail  
PO Box 308  
New Lenox, IL 60451

**The above notification of Intent to Award is hereby suspended pending an administrative hearing in response to a protest filed.**

*Charles C. Johnson, III.*

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**Procurement Manager**