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Justification for sole source purchases: Hexafluoroglutaryl fluoride, 360 kg

We need to purchase 360 kgs of hexafluoroglutaryl fluoride for a client project.

Our client agreement approved by the MS-SMART Business Act Program requires MPI to purchase 360 kg of hexafluoroglutaryl fluoride over the course of a year. It is the only chemical that can be used for our client's purposes, and Exfluor is the only company that manufactures and sells it in the required quantity. Exfluor is the sole source for this chemical. No other manufacturer produces this product. These needs are further outlined in the attached proposed sole source purchase forms.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Monica Tisack Kathmann".

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