



**BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY  
KA 'OIHANA WAI  
Notice and Request for Sole Source**

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PROC	Puanani Miura Digitally signed by Puanani Miura Date: 2026.05.20 16:15:16 -10'00'
FIN	Daniel Huang Digitally signed by Daniel Huang Date: 2026.05.21 11:33:41 -10'00'
FIN	<i>Kelly Nakano</i> Digitally signed by Kelly Nakano Date: 2026.05.21 11:37:31 -10'00'
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DATE: 5/20/26

TO: ERNEST Y. W. LAU, P.E.  
MANAGER AND CHIEF ENGINEER  
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FROM: Henderson Nuuhiwa  
Name of Requesting Division Head/ Division

*Henderson Nuuhiwa*  
Digitally signed by Henderson Nuuhiwa  
Date: 2026.05.20 15:37:33 -10'00'

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR SOLE SOURCE AWARD

Pursuant §103D-306, Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS), and Subchapter 9, Chapter 3-122 of the Hawaii Administrative Rules (HAR), I am requesting sole source approval to purchase the following:

1. Vendor Name & Address Ponton Industries 22901 Savi Ranch Pkwy, Suite B, Yorba Linda, CA 92887		2. Amount of the contract. <b>\$16,879.25</b>	
3. Term of the contract. One-Time Purchase		4. Prior sole source contract numbers and dates. PO 229189 1/30/2024 PO 230406 6/3/2025	
5. Description of the goods to be purchased. (Attach additional sheets if needed.) Five Telog hydrant pressure recorders (HPRs) with security covers			
6. Explanation how the unique features, characteristics or capabilities are essential for the BWS to accomplish its work. (Attach additional sheets if needed.) Allows for the collection of accurate pressure data at fire hydrants and pump facilities. It can record instantaneous and for extended period of time without the need for supervision. The data collected is used to verify hydraulic models to ensure it is accurate and realistic. It is also used to verify the accuracy of the Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) system.			
7. Describe the efforts and results in determining that this is the only vendor who can provide the goods, services, or construction. (Attach additional sheets if needed.) Badger Meter acquired the management and sale of these HPRs from Trimble, the manufacturer. Ponton Industries is the sole distributor of their product within our region as stated in the attached letter.			

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8. Other possible sources for the goods, services or construction that were investigated but do not meet the BWS's needs. (Attach additional sheets if needed.)  
We reviewed other pressure recorders, but none met BWS's operational and technical needs. Our staff are already fully trained and experienced with Telog HPR units, which saves time and ensures reliable field performance

I certify that the information provided is to the best of my knowledge, true and correct and that the goods described above are available through only one (1) source.

Name / Title: Janelle Sagsagat Requestor Phone: 808-748-5448

Date of Public Notice posting: 5/22/26 to \_\_\_\_\_

The Manager and Chief Engineer as the Chief Procurement Officer for the BWS is in the process of reviewing this request for Sole Source pursuant to HRS §103D-306. Submit written objections to this notice within seven (7) calendar days or as otherwise allowed from the above posted date to:

Manager and Chief Engineer  
Board of Water Supply  
630 South Beretania Street, Room 201  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96843  
Email: Procurement@hbws.org

**REVIEWED AS TO PROCUREMENT FORM**

Puanani Miura Digitally signed by Puanani Miura  
Date: 2026.05.20 16:13:03 -10'00'

**PROCUREMENT OFFICE**

**CERTIFIED AS TO AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS**

Leanne Matsumoto Digitally signed by Leanne Matsumoto  
Date: 2026.05.21 11:48:03 -10'00'

**FINANCE**

**METHOD OF FUNDING**  
(Select one of the following):

**Purchase Order** (Certification of Funds will be completed as part of the Purchase Requisition Review and Approval process.)

**Price Schedule Contract** \_\_\_\_\_  
Funding / Contract No.

Encumbered      Not Encumbered

**Standard Contract** \_\_\_\_\_  
Funding / Contract No.

**MANAGER AND CHIEF ENGINEER COMMENTS**

APPROVED  NOT APPROVED

**ERNEST Y. W. LAU, P.E.**  
**MANAGER AND CHIEF ENGINEER**  
**MANAKIA A ME KAHU WILIKĪ**

1. Scan and attach all supporting documents to this Form.
2. Division Head & Requester digitally signs the Form.
3. Email the signed Form to Procurement
4. Email Subject heading format: SS\_PRO – Project Title/Description  
Example: SS\_PRO – Sensus Meters

DIVISION ROUTING	



STATE OF HAWAII  
STATE PROCUREMENT OFFICE

**CERTIFICATE OF VENDOR COMPLIANCE**

This document presents the compliance status of the vendor identified below on the issue date with respect to certificates required from the Hawaii Department of Taxation (DOTAX), the Internal Revenue Service, the Hawaii Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (DLIR), and the Hawaii Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs (DCCA).

**Vendor Name:** PONTON INDUSTRIES, INC.

**Issue Date:** 05/20/2026

**Status:** **Compliant**

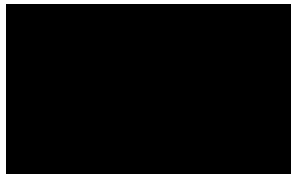
Hawaii Tax#:

New Hawaii Tax#:

FEIN/SSN#:

UI#:

DCCA FILE#:



Status of Compliance for this Vendor on issue date:

Form	Department(s)	Status
A-6	Hawaii Department of Taxation	Compliant
8821	Internal Revenue Service	Compliant
COGS	Hawaii Department of Commerce & Consumer Affairs	Exempt
LIR27	Hawaii Department of Labor & Industrial Relations	Compliant

**Status Legend:**

Status	Description
Exempt	The entity is exempt from this requirement
Compliant	The entity is compliant with this requirement or the entity is in agreement with agency and actively working towards compliance
Pending	A status determination has not yet been made
Submitted	The entity has applied for the certificate but it is awaiting approval
Not Compliant	The entity is not in compliance with the requirement and should contact the issuing agency for more information



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April 14, 2026

Mr. Anton Loof  
Ponton Industries  
22901 Savi Ranch Pkwy  
Ste. B  
Yorba Linda, CA 92887

**RE: Sole Source Letter**

Dear Mr. Loof:

This correspondence confirms that Ponton Industries is the sole authorized distributor of Telog<sup>®</sup> Enterprise/Remote Monitoring for Enterprise Software, Telog RTUs, Remote Monitoring Cloud Software and Telogers for Windows<sup>®</sup> for the West.

In the event you have any questions regarding this correspondence, we can be reached by telephone at 800-876-3837 or by email at [proposals@badgermeter.com](mailto:proposals@badgermeter.com).

Sincerely,

BADGER METER, INC.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Matthew B. Gieseke', written over a light blue horizontal line.

Matthew B. Gieseke  
Assistant Secretary and Proposal Lead