

13 January 1953

APPROVAL OF AWARD

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1. I hereby find:

a. There is a requirement for the following:

To determine the effect of cross transfusion between normal animals and animals exposed to lethal doses of irradiation.

b. That the estimated cost of the proposed procurement is \$ 9,700 chargeable to Fiscal Year 1953 funds.

c. That procurement of the above-described service by formal advertising is not feasible because:

Check One.

 (1) Negotiation will better enable the Government to obtain a contractor with specialized facilities and personnel outstanding in the field to be covered by the procurement.

 X (2) This is a continuing study and much of the work is only partially completed.

2. Upon the basis of the foregoing findings I hereby determine that the proposed procurement is for experimental research work within the meaning of Section 2(c)(11) of the Armed Services Procurement Act of 1947, and procurement may therefore be effected by negotiation under the authority contained in ASPR 3-201.

3. Pursuant to authority vested in me and by virtue of directive of the Under Secretary of the Army contained in APP 1-604.5, I hereby approve award of a contract negotiated under Section 2(c)(1) of the Armed Services Procurement Act of 1947, as amended (41 U. S. C. 151, et seq) and Presidential Proclamation 2914 to: **Institute for Medical Research, Cedars of Lebanon Hospital, Los Angeles 29, California.**

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