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Her Excellency, Governor Margaret Wood Hassan
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State House
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

REQUESTED ACTION

The Adjutant General's Department respectfully requests approval to execute the first of two contract renewals with Securitas Security Services USA, Inc., of Manchester, New Hampshire (vendor #175981) to provide armed security services at the Pease Air National Guard Facility in Newington, New Hampshire for the period of February 1, 2014 through January 31, 2015, in the amount of \$964,254.72. The original contract was approved by Governor & Council on March 7, 2012, item #12. **100% Federal Funds**

Funds are available in following appropriation as follows, with the authority to adjust encumbrances in each State Fiscal year through the Department of Administrative Services, as needed and justified:

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Fiscal Year 2014 (2/1/14-6/30/14)	Security Services 10-0120000-22370000-231-500766	\$401,772.80
Fiscal Year 2015 (7/1/15-1/31/15)	Security Services 10-0120000-22370000-231-500766	<u>\$562,481.92</u>
	TOTAL	\$964,254.72

EXPLANATION

Securitas Security Services USA, Inc. was awarded this contract and assumed post at the Pease Air National Guard location on April 1, 2012. Securitas has provided the State and Federal Government excellent quality of service and continuity of our mission through this contract, and we are extremely satisfied.

This is the first of two contract renewals to be exercised, and the need for an increased security presence was part of the contract extension negotiations. In addition, The National Guard Bureau is making additional funds available for this purpose on a National scale. It is also important to note that this State contract is being used a model for other States to follow as the Air National Guard seeks to shift towards contracting these security services at various Air National Guard installations across the country.

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National Guard Bureau regulations and procedures require that selected types of Army and Air National Guard facilities be provided security guard protection. These facilities include those that are likely terrorist targets and/or those which are used to store high cost or large amounts of Federal equipment. The Pease Air National Guard Facilities in Newington, New Hampshire meet the Federal criteria for such protection as Pease is the home of the 157th Air Refueling Wing, which includes housing nine (9) KC-135 Stratotanker military aircraft. The Pease Air National Guard Base includes 220 acres, 147 facilities, roads, ramps, taxiways and utility systems and runs a "24/7" operation.

Funds to support the required security guard services are provided by the Federal Government and administered under an existing Federal-State Agreement. Under the Agreement, the State of New Hampshire - Adjutant General's Department, is required to provide these services and the Federal Government is required to reimburse the State for the costs related to the services at the rate of 100%. In the event that Federal Funds are not available for this contract, General Funds will not be used.

This contract has been approved for form, substance and execution by the New Hampshire Department of Justice.

Respectfully submitted,



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