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MEMO

To: Barbara Casamento

From: Lindsey J. Haldiman, D.O., Chief Medical Examiner

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The Jackson County Medical Examiner's Office implemented a VertiQ CME (Coroners and Medical Examiners) software database system beginning 2010 which provides our office with case management, death investigation workflow, task management, digital imaging, chain-of-custody, statistics and report development.

VertiQ Software L.L.C. has recently made available an upgrade of our current database system to include expanding storage options, easier end user configurations, and overall ease of use. After consulting the Jackson County Information Technology Department, the Office of the Jackson County Medical Examiner is requesting VertiQ Software L.L.C. as sole source provider and support of these upgrades.

The proposed purchase is a software upgrade of an existing product, designed to be an alternative to our current customized CME application. VertiQ has a strong track record of customizing their product to fit our needs. VertiQ has stated we won't lose any existing functionality by moving to the new version of their product. VertiQ has also indicated it is willing to fully customize the product to satisfy the medical examiner needs and user requirements. VertiQ's technical support has proven to be excellent over the years.

Thank you for your consideration.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lindsey Haldiman".

Lindsey J. Haldiman, D.O.
Chief Medical Examiner