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January 15, 2026

Her Excellency, Governor Kelly A. Ayotte
and the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, NH 03301

REQUESTED ACTION

Authorize the Department of Safety, Division of State Police, to amend an existing **Sole Source** contract with Computer Projects of Illinois, Inc., (VC#168812-B001), Bolingbrook, IL, to provide a Bail Notification database Hotfile, update the State's Interstate Identification Index (III) and National Instant Criminal Background Check (NICS) interface to National Information Exchange Model (NIEM) compliant XML standards, and increase annual maintenance and support costs, by increasing the price limitation by \$503,079 from \$5,903,686.63 to \$6,406,765.63, with no change in the contract completion date of June 30, 2028, effective upon Governor and Council approval. The original contract was approved by Governor and Council on June 14, 2023, Item #150 and amended on February 5, 2025, Item #114.

DOS Source of Funds: 74% Transfer from Other Agency, 26% General Funds

DoIT Source of Funds: 19.0% General, 1.3% Federal, 23.9% Highway Funds and 55.8% Other

Funds are available in the following accounts for Fiscal Years 2026 and 2027, and are anticipated to be available in Fiscal Year 2028, upon the continued appropriation of funds in the future operating budget with the authority to adjust encumbrances between fiscal years within the price limitation through the Budget Office, if needed and justified.

	<u>Activity Code</u>	<u>SFY 26</u>	<u>SFY 27</u>	<u>SFY 28</u>	<u>Amount</u>
<u>NH DOT & DOJ Grants</u>					
02-23-23-234010-33450000		\$350,000	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$350,000
103-502664 - Contracts for Operational Services					
<u>IT for Safety</u>					
01-03-03-00310-76230000	03230040	\$2,400	\$6,580	\$19,099	\$28,079
038-509038-Agency Application Software					
<u>Bail Status E-Share CH317 L23</u>					
02-23-23-2340010-42010000		\$125,000	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$125,000
103-502664- Contracts for Operational Service					
	Total	\$477,400	\$6,580	\$19,099	\$503,079

EXPLANATION

The Department of Safety respectfully requests approval to amend the existing **Sole Source** agreement with Computer Projects of Illinois, Inc. (CPI) to incorporate maintenance and support for the State Police On-Line Telecommunications System (SPOTS), as well as to include enhancements that ensure continued operational reliability and compliance with federal standards. This amendment will cover ongoing system maintenance and support for the current and future fiscal years, with the option to renew, allowing the State to maintain uninterrupted access to critical updates, security enhancements, and technical assistance required for the effective operation of SPOTS.

This request is submitted as a **Sole Source** amendment in accordance with MOP 150, which requires any amendment to a previously approved sole source agreement to retain its sole source designation. CPI is the sole developer and authorized provider of SPOTS, the State's primary criminal justice information system used by more than 300 federal, state, county, and local partner agencies. CPI is uniquely positioned and authorized to transmit criminal justice information securely through the State Message Platform, connecting local and state agencies with federal criminal justice data. The contractor currently supports secure operations in 28 other states and remains the only qualified vendor capable of performing these specialized services within the required security and reliability standards.

The purpose of this amendment is to enhance SPOTS by establishing a statewide Bail Notification database within the system. This new functionality will enable real-time electronic sharing of bail conditions with law enforcement personnel in the field, reducing delays that currently require officers to contact issuing agencies or the courts directly. Improving access to this information will support more informed decision-making and contribute to improved public and officer safety.

The amendment also supports the transition of the State's interfaces with the National Instant Criminal Background Check System (NICS) and the Interstate Identification Index (III) databases to an XML-based structure. This update, in response to recent FBI requirements, will improve data accuracy and interpretation, enhancing the reliability of criminal justice information shared across agencies statewide.

Additionally, the amendment will also support the SPOTS application interface to employ end-to-end security services that support FIPS-140 compliant encryption standards using TLS 1.2 or higher for application interfaces not already covered by equivalent protection.

In the event that the Other Funds become no longer available, additional General Funds will not be requested to support this program.

Respectfully submitted,



Robert L. Quinn
Commissioner of Safety



Denis C. Goulet
Commissioner, Department
of Information Technology

New Hampshire

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

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Denis Goulet, *Commissioner*

November 25, 2025

Robert L. Quinn, Commissioner
Department of Safety
State of New Hampshire
33 Hazen Drive
Concord, NH 03305

Dear Commissioner Quinn:

This letter represents formal notification that the Department of Information Technology (DoIT) has approved your agency's request to enter into a contract amendment with Computer Projects of Illinois, Inc., as described below and referenced as DoIT No. 2023-067B.

The purpose of this request is to provide a Bail Notification database Hotfile, update the State's Interstate Identification Index (III) and National Instant Criminal Background Check (NICS) interface to National Information Exchange Model (NIEM) compliant XML standards.

The Total Price Limitation shall increase by \$503,079 for a New Total Price Limitation of \$ 6,406,765.63, effective upon Governor and Council approval with no change to the end date of June 30, 2028.

A copy of this letter must accompany the Department of Safety's submission to the Governor and Executive Council for approval.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Denis Goulet".

Denis Goulet

DG/jd
DoIT #2023-067B
RID#98835
cc: Spencer Batchelder, IT Manager



STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Department of Safety

DoIT # 2023-067 Hosted State Message Platform System

AMENDMENT B (2)

AMENDMENT TO HOSTED STATE MESSAGE PLATFORM

DOIT 2023-067 – AMENDMENT B (2)

This Amendment (the “Amendment”) is entered into by and between the State of New Hampshire, acting through its Department of Safety (the “Department”) and Computer Projects of Illinois, Inc., (VC#168812-B001), Bolingbrook, IL (“Contractor”). The Department and Contractor are sometimes referred to herein singularly as a “Party” and collectively as the “Parties.”

WHEREAS, the Parties entered into that certain Agreement approved by Governor and Council, on June 14, 2023 Item #150, and as amended on February 5, 2025 Item #114 (the “Agreement”) wherein Contractor agreed to provide, and the Department agreed to purchase a Hosted State Message Platform in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth therein; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Paragraph 17 of the Agreement, the Parties wish to amend the Agreement as further specified herein;

WHEREAS, the Vendor and the Department have agreed to amend the Agreement in certain respects;

WHEREAS, the Department wishes to:

1. Convert the Hosted State Message Platform Interstate Identification Index (III) interface to a National Information Exchange Model (NIEM) compliant XML interface at a cost of \$175,000
2. Convert the Hosted State Message Platform National Instant Criminal Background Check (NICS) interface to a National Information Exchange Model (NIEM) compliant XML interface at a cost of \$175,000
3. Develop a Bail Notification Hotfile on the Hosted State Message Platform at a cost of \$125,000
4. Deploy additional end-to-end security services with New Hampshire State Judicial Branch Odyssey application interface to support FIPS-140 compliant encryption using TLS 1.2., at a cost of \$2,400.
5. Increase maintenance and support annual cost allocation for State Fiscal Year 2027 and 2028 totaling the amount of \$25,679 due to the inclusion of the following projects or enhancements:
 - a. Marine Patrol Citation
 - b. Bail Notifications
 - c. Contact Person Notification
 - d. CANDLE

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6. Increase Optional Renewal Maintenance/SaaS Fee for SFY 2029 and 2030 in the amount of \$41,110.62.

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WHEREAS, The Vendor agrees to convert the existing III and NICS interfaces to the National Information Exchange Model (NIEM) compliant XML interface standard, to a develop a Bail Notification Hotfile, and increase the overall maintenance and support costs;

WHEREAS, the Department and the Vendor wish to increase the Contract price by \$503,079.00 to bring the total contract price to \$6,406,765.63;

WHEREAS, the Department and the Vendor seek to clarify the Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration exchanged, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby conclusively acknowledged, the Parties hereby agree to amend the Agreement as follows:

1. Amend Section 1.8 of the State of New Hampshire P-37 General Provisions by increasing the Price Limitation by \$503,079.00 from \$5,903,686.63 to \$6,406,765.63.
2. The Agreement is further amended as described in Table 1.

TABLE 1: AMENDMENT DETAILS

Exhibit/Section Number	AMENDED TEXT
<p>B-3 Hosted State Message Platform – Phase II</p>	<p>Replace Section B-3 with the following language:</p> <p>Post conversion of the System to the SaaS Environment, the deliverables outlined below shall be initiated solely upon request of the State, and subject to the approval of the Governor and Executive Council. These deliverables shall be provided at the cost rate indicated in Exhibit C, Section C-10 Table 10. Accordingly, the Contractor shall develop, configure, test, deploy, and maintain the following new products, systems, and functionality:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • External System interfaces <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Criminal Information Center (NCIC) XML Interface: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The Contractor shall convert the existing State Message Platform NCIC interface to a NIEM compliant interface for all SMP instances (System Integration Test (SIT), User Acceptance Test (UAT) and Production (PROD)). During the associated conversion to NIEM XML, the contractor shall ensure the existing NCIC 2000 interface remains fully functional maintaining application feature parity to the completion of the NIEM XML conversion process for all SMP instances.

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- Interstate Identification Index (III) XML Interface:
 - The Contractor shall convert the existing State Message Platform III interface to a NIEM compliant interface for all SMP instances (System Integration Test (SIT), User Acceptance Test (UAT) and Production (PROD)). During the associated conversion to NIEM XML, the contractor shall ensure the existing III interface remains fully functional maintaining application feature parity to the completion of the NIEM XML conversion process for all SMP instances.
- National Instant Criminal Background Check (NICS) XML Interface:
 - The Contractor shall convert the existing State Message Platform NICS interface to a NIEM compliant interface for all SMP instances (System Integration Test (SIT), User Acceptance Test (UAT) and Production (PROD)). During the associated conversion to NIEM XML, the contractor shall ensure the existing NICS interface remains fully functional maintaining application feature parity to the completion of the NIEM XML conversion process for all SMP instances.
- Disaster Recovery System project located at the Nlets facility.
- Query Criminal History Log (QCHL) Reports project
- Contact Person Notification Program project:
 - The Contractor shall create a new State Message Platform (SMP) Hotfile and configure the SMP instances (SIT, UAT, PROD) to support the end user ability to add, modify, query, and cancel Contact Person Notification (CPN) program records. The scope of work for the project includes the following:
 - Create a new CPN state-only Hotfile table
 - Configure new CPN Message Keys (MKEs) with supporting Messenger forms and style sheets to support the end user ability to add (ECPN), modify (MCPN), query (QCPN), and cancel CPN (XCPN) records contained in the CPN Hotfile
 - Modify existing “DQ” MKE to spawn a “QCPN” transaction for Name (“NAM”) and Date of Birth (“DOB”) only
- TLS Encryption
 - The Contractor shall deploy end-to-end security services with the New Hampshire State Judicial Branch Odyssey application interface to support FIPS-140 compliant encryption using TLS 1.2.
- Bail Notification project:
 - The Contractor shall create a new State Message Platform (SMP) Hotfile and configure the SMP instances (SIT, UAT, PROD) to support the end user ability to query Bail Notification (BN) records. The scope of work for the project includes the following:
 - Create a new BN state-only Hotfile table.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Configure new BN Message Keys (MKEs) with supporting Messenger forms and style sheets to support the end user ability to query (QBN), records contained in the BN Hotfile.○ Configure a new Records Management System Bail Notification (“RMSBN”) MKE to create, update and delete Bail Notification records.
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	Contact Person Notification Program Hotfile	4	Test, Prod and Failover
	Bail Notification	4	Test, Prod and Failover

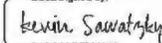
TABLE 2: CONTRACT HISTORY

CONTRACT AND AMENDMENT NUMBER	AMENDMENT TYPE	G&C APPROVAL DATE	COMPLETION DATE	CONTRACT AMOUNT
DoIT # 2023-067	Original Contract	June 14, 2023, Item #150	June 30, 2028	\$5,526,186.63
DoIT#2023-067 Amendment A(1)	1st Amendment	February 5, 2025 Item #114	June 30, 2028	\$377,500.00
DoIT#2023-067 Amendment B(2)	2 nd Amendment	TBD	June 30, 2028	\$503,079.00
CONTRACT TOTAL				\$6,406,765.63

Except as provided herein, all provisions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect. This amendment shall take effect upon the approval date from the Governor and the Executive Council.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have hereunto set their hands as of the day and year first above written.

CONTRACTOR

DocuSigned by:

 _____ Date: 1/6/2026

Keven Sawatzky, CEO

Computer Projects of Illinois, Inc.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE



Date: 1/22/26

Denis Goulet, CIO/DoIT Commissioner

State of New Hampshire

Department of Information Technology



Date: 1/22/26

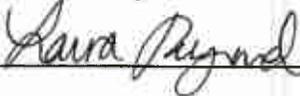
Robert L. Quinn Commissioner

State of New Hampshire

Department of Safety

The preceding Amendment, having been reviewed by this office, is approved as to form, substance, and execution.

Approved by the Attorney General



Date: 1/27/25

State of New Hampshire, Department of Justice

I hereby certify that the foregoing amendment was approved by the Governor and Executive Council of the State of New Hampshire at the Meeting on: _____ (date of meeting)

Office of the Secretary of State

_____ Date: _____

State of New Hampshire, Department of Administration

State of New Hampshire

Department of State

CERTIFICATE

I, David M. Scanlan, Secretary of State of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby certify that COMPUTER PROJECTS OF ILLINOIS, INC. is a Illinois Profit Corporation registered to transact business in New Hampshire on January 26, 1998. I further certify that all fees and documents required by the Secretary of State's office have been received and is in good standing as far as this office is concerned.

Business ID: **286338**

Certificate Number: **0007348923**



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,
I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed
the Seal of the State of New Hampshire,
this 19th day of December A.D. 2025.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Scanlan", is written over a faint circular stamp.

David M. Scanlan
Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

I, Steve Sawatzky, hereby certify that:
(Name of the elected Officer of the Corporation/LLC; cannot be contract signatory)

1. I am a duly elected Clerk/Secretary/Officer of Computer Projects of Illinois, Inc.
(Corporation/LLC Name)

2. The following is a true copy of a vote taken at a meeting of the Board of Directors/shareholders, duly called and held on January 7, 2026, at which a quorum of the Directors/shareholders were present and voting.
(Date).

VOTED: That Kevin Sawatzky CEO (may list more than one person)
(Name and Title of Contract Signatory)

is duly authorized on behalf of Computer Projects of Illinois, Inc. to enter into contracts or agreements with the State
(Name of Corporation/ LLC)

of New Hampshire and any of its agencies or departments and further is authorized to execute any and all documents, agreements and other instruments, and any amendments, revisions, or modifications thereto, which may in his/her judgment be desirable or necessary to effect the purpose of this vote.

3. I hereby certify that said vote has not been amended or repealed and remains in full force and effect as of the date of the contract/contract amendment to which this certificate is attached. This authority **remains valid for thirty (30) days** from the date of this Certificate of Authority. I further certify that it is understood that the State of New Hampshire will rely on this certificate as evidence that the person(s) listed above currently occupy the position(s) indicated and that they have full authority to bind the corporation. To the extent that there are any limits on the authority of any listed individual to bind the corporation in contracts with the State of New Hampshire, all such limitations are expressly stated herein.

Dated: 1/7/2026

Signed by:
Steve Sawatzky
Signature of Elected Officer
Name:
Title:

