

<b>Contract No.</b>	<b>Vendor</b>	<b>Term</b>	<b>Contract Amount</b>
S000404	Joseph M. Bress	4/1/15 - 3/31/16	\$187,500.00
<b>Scope</b>	Consultant services to assist the State in the negotiation of public employee contracts that have recently expired or are due to expire within the next few years		
<b>Reason for Single Source</b>	On May 22, 2015, the State Comptroller's office granted the Division of the Budget an exemption for competitively advertising, thus approving its single source exemption request to enter into a contract with the individual listed above. The Division had previously engaged the individual for the depth and range of his expertise in the field of labor relations. As the State approaches this next round of contract negotiations, the services of the individual will again be needed to ensure fair and reasonable collective bargaining agreements are achieved.		