

Comptroller General of the United States

Washington, D.C. 20548

Decision

Matter of: EnviroMed, Inc.

File:

B-270070

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DECISION

EnviroMed, Inc. protests the Department of Veterans Affairs' alleged failure to consider a bid submitted by the protester under request for quotations No. 535-96-1-034-0019.

We dismiss the protest because the agency has canceled the underlying solicitation.

The cancellation of a solicitation renders a protest academic. Morey Mach., Inc.—Request for Recon., B-233793.2, Aug. 3, 1989, 89-2 CPD ¶ 102. We do not consider academic protests because to do so would serve no useful public policy purpose. We only consider protests against specific procurement actions and will not render to a protester what would be, in effect, an advisory decision. See East West Research, Inc.—Recon., B-233623.2, Apr. 14, 1989, 89-1 CPD ¶ 379.

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