



DECISION

**THE COMPTROLLER GENERAL
OF THE UNITED STATES
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20548**

FILE: B-193177.1

DATE: January 3, 1980

MATTER OF: Sperry Univac Federal Systems
Division of Sperry Rand Corporation

DIGEST:

[Protest of agency's rejection of proposal] for lateness under solicitation which has since been canceled is dismissed as moot.

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Sperry Univac Federal Systems Division of Sperry Rand Corporation (Sperry) protests the rejection of its proposal responding to request for proposals (RFP) No. L/A-78-8, issued by the Department of Labor (DOL). DOL determined that Sperry's proposal was submitted late.

After Sperry filed its protest, DOL canceled the RFP. In Honeywell Information Systems, Inc., B-193177.2, December 6, 1979, 79-2 CPD, we upheld the validity of the cancellation of this solicitation. Therefore, since the RFP was properly canceled, we consider Sperry's protest moot. See International Computaprint Corporation; A&E Blueprinters, Inc. of Maryland, B-189016, January 11, 1978, 78-1 CPD 21.

The protest is dismissed.

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