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## Decision

**Matter of:** Keci Corporation--Second Reconsideration

**File:** B-255193.3

**Date:** June 23, 1994

### DECISION

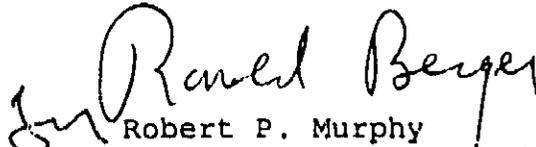
Keci Corporation requests that we reconsider our decision in Keci Corp.--Recon., B-255193.2, May 25, 1994, 94-1 CPD \_\_\_\_, in which we denied its request that we reconsider our prior decision dismissing its protest of the award of a subcontract to Reedy Associates, Inc. under request for quotations (RFQ) No. S-4203, issued by Kaiser Engineers Hanford Co. Kaiser awarded the subcontract in its capacity as architect-engineer/construction manager for the Department of Energy at the agency's Hanford, Washington site. In its initial protest, Keci contended that the agency had improperly awarded to a firm that did not meet the license and certification requirements in the statement of work. Keci also argued that the solicitation should not have been issued because Kaiser could have obtained the required services through a purchase order previously issued to Keci. In its comments on the agency report, Keci supplemented its protest arguing that Reedy's quotation did not conform to the terms of the RFQ.

As explained in detail in our earlier decision, we dismissed Keci's protest because the requirement that a contractor obtain an appropriate state license is generally a contract performance obligation and not a precondition to award reviewed by our Office. We also found that Keci's allegations that the RFQ should not have been issued and its supplemental protest that Reedy's quotation did not conform to the RFQ were untimely.

In this, its second request for reconsideration, the protester repeats arguments it made previously and expresses disagreement with our decision. Under our Bid Protest Regulations, to obtain reconsideration the requesting party must show that our prior decision may contain either errors of fact or law or present information not previously considered that warrants reversal or modification of our decision. 4 C.F.R. § 21.12(a) (1994). The repetition of arguments made during our consideration of the original

protest and during Keci's request for reconsideration and mere disagreement with our decisions do not meet this standard. R.E. Scherrer, Inc.--Recon., B-231101.3, Sept. 21, 1988, 88-2 CPD ¶ 274.

The request for reconsideration is denied.

  
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