



Comptroller General  
of the United States  
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## Decision

**Matter of:** Imaging Equipment Services, Inc.--  
Reconsideration

**File:** B-247201.2

**Date:** February 21, 1992

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### DIGEST

Request for reconsideration of decision dismissing protest  
of allegedly restrictive solicitation requirements is denied  
where agency has canceled solicitation.

### DECISION

Imaging Equipment Services, Inc. (IES) requests  
reconsideration of our decision, Imaging Equip. Servs.,  
Inc., B-247201, Jan. 10, 1992, 92-1 CPD ¶ \_\_\_\_, in which we  
dismissed its protest of allegedly restrictive requirements  
in request for proposals (RFP) No. 691-38-92, issued by the  
Department of Veterans Affairs for maintenance of a Picker  
International computerized tomography scanner.

We deny the request.

IES challenges our conclusion that its protest failed to  
state a legally sufficient basis. However, the agency  
informs us that it has canceled the RFP and will resolicit  
the requirement using less restrictive specifications.  
Since the RFP on which IES' protest was based has been  
canceled, rendering the protest academic, it would serve no  
useful purpose for us to reconsider our dismissal of that  
protest. See Morey Mach., Inc.--Recon., B-233793;  
B-233793.2, Aug. 3, 1989, 89-2 CPD ¶ 102.

The request for reconsideration is denied.

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