

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION  
WASHINGTON, DC

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**ORDER**

**FAA Order  
Number:** Odra-03-254

**Matter:** Protest of Communication Technologies, Inc.  
Under Solicitation DTFA01-03-R-00007

**Docket:** 03-ODRA-00257

**Date Served:** April 22, 2003

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**ORDER**

On January 28, 2003, Communication Technologies, Inc. ("COMTek") filed the above bid protest challenging corrective action taken by an FAA Headquarters Product Team ("Product Team") pursuant to an Alternative Dispute Resolution ("ADR") process undertaken in conjunction with an earlier protest filed with the FAA Office of Dispute Resolution for Acquisition ("ODRA") by the intervenor herein, Computer Data Source, Inc. ("CDS") under Request for Quote No. DTFA01-03-R-00007 (the "RFQ"), a protest docketed under Docket No. 02-ODRA-00253 (the "CDS Protest"). The CDS Protest had challenged a previous contract award to COMTek on the basis that COMTek had not been eligible for award under the RFQ's small business set-aside provisions. The contract involved the maintenance and support of the FAA's Tandem K-2000 Maintenance Processor Subsystem (MPS) equipment located at thirty (30) FAA Air Route Traffic Control Centers (ARTCCs) and other FAA facilities across the United States.

In accordance with the terms of an ADR Settlement Agreement executed between CDS and the Product Team, the Product Team Contracting Officer terminated the COMTek

