

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION  
WASHINGTON, DC

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**ORDER**

**FAA Order  
Number:**

**ODRA-19-847**

**Matter:**

**Protest of Aquila Fitness Consulting Systems, Ltd.  
Under Solicitation No. 693KA9-18-R-00001**

**Docket:**

**18-ODRA-00844**

**Date Served:**

**February 13, 2019**

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**ORDER**

Aquila Fitness Consulting Systems, Ltd. (“Aquila”) filed protests (“Protests”) challenging the award of a contract to Strive Well-Being, Inc. (“Strive”) under Solicitation 693KA9-18-R-00001 (“Solicitation” or “SIR”). The Solicitation sought fitness training services and management of the overall operations of the FAA Headquarters Fitness Center. The Protests generally challenge the evaluation of the proposals and the best value determination. Strive has intervened.

Pursuant to a delegation of final decisional authority from the FAA Administrator,\* I adopt and incorporate by reference the attached Findings and Recommendations of the Office of Dispute Resolution for Acquisition. For the reasons set forth therein, I sustain the Protests in part as to the evaluation under Factor 1, as stated in more detail in the Findings and Recommendations. I deny the remaining grounds of the Protests. I hereby

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\* Final decisional authority over bid protests involving acquisitions valued at not more than twenty million dollars has been delegated to the ODRA Director. *Delegation of Authority of October 12, 2011, as revised March 19, 2014; see also 79 FR 21832 (Apr. 17, 2014).*

direct the Product Team implement the remedy found in the Findings and Recommendations within sixty (60) business days of the Service Date of this Order.

This is the final Agency Order in this matter. To the extent that this decision is subject to review, such review shall be sought in accordance with 49 U.S.C. § 46110 and the ODRA Procedural Rule, 14 C.F.R. § 17.43 (2018), within sixty (60) days of issuance of this Order.

Issued for the FAA Acting Administrator  
this 13th day of February, 2019,

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Anthony N. Palladino  
Director and Administrative Judge  
FAA Office of Dispute Resolution  
For Acquisition