Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure Direct Award Contracts For the Month of April 2014			
Contractor Name	Description	Amount	Reason
High Desert Traffic, LLC	Provide Maintenance and Support to the Ministry's TRADAS Application and the Public Database (PDB) Extract	\$ 45,500	This direct award meets Core Policy 6.3.3a(1), only one contractor is qualified or is available to provide the services. TRADAS is a commercial-off-the-shelf (COTS) product developed by Chaparral Systems, Inc. In 2013 Chaparral Systems ceased to exist. The key personnel in the company formed a new company, High Desert Traffic, LLC in order to provide users of their TRADAS software with continued support for the product. The ministry owns a TRADAS licence and relies on TRADAS to manage and share its traffic data both internally and externally.