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## **SOLICITATION AMENDMENT**

## **MODIFICATION DE L'INVITATION**

The referenced document is hereby revised; unless otherwise indicated, all other terms and conditions of the Solicitation remain the same.

Ce document est par la présente révisé; sauf indication contraire, les modalités de l'invitation demeurent les mêmes.

### **Comments - Commentaires**

There is a security requirement with this solicitation  
Ce besoin comporte des exigences relatives à la sécurité.

**Vendor/Firm Name and Address**  
**Raison sociale et adresse du**  
**fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur**

### **Issuing Office - Bureau de distribution**

Alternative Service Delivery/Autres modes de prestation  
des services  
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Gatineau  
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| <b>Title - Sujet</b><br>JOINT INFORMATION AND INTELLIGENCE   |  |
| <b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b><br>W8474-13BN05/B   | <b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b><br>003  |
| <b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b><br>W8474-13BN05  | <b>Date</b><br>2013-04-25  |
| <b>GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG</b><br>PW-\$PSD-006-23621  |  |
| <b>File No. - N° de dossier</b><br>006psd.W8474-13BN05   | <b>CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME</b>   |
| <b>Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin</b><br><b>at - à 02:00 PM</b><br><b>on - le 2013-05-06</b>   | <b>Time Zone</b><br><b>Fuseau horaire</b><br>Eastern Daylight Saving<br>Time EDT |
| <b>F.O.B. - F.A.B.</b><br><b>Plant-Usine:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Destination:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other-Autre:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> |  |
| <b>Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à:</b><br>Potter, David   | <b>Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur</b><br>006psd                                     |
| <b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b><br>(613) 944-5687 ( )   | <b>FAX No. - N° de FAX</b><br>(613) 947-6262                                     |
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| <b>Delivery Required - Livraison exigée</b>  | <b>Delivery Offered - Livraison proposée</b> |
| <b>Vendor/Firm Name and Address</b><br><b>Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur</b>   |  |
| <b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b><br><b>Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur</b>   |  |
| <b>Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm</b><br><b>(type or print)</b><br><b>Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/</b><br><b>de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)</b> |  |
| <b>Signature</b>   | <b>Date</b>                                  |

This Amendment 003 is hereby raised to amend the solicitation and to answer questions received from Bidders as follows:

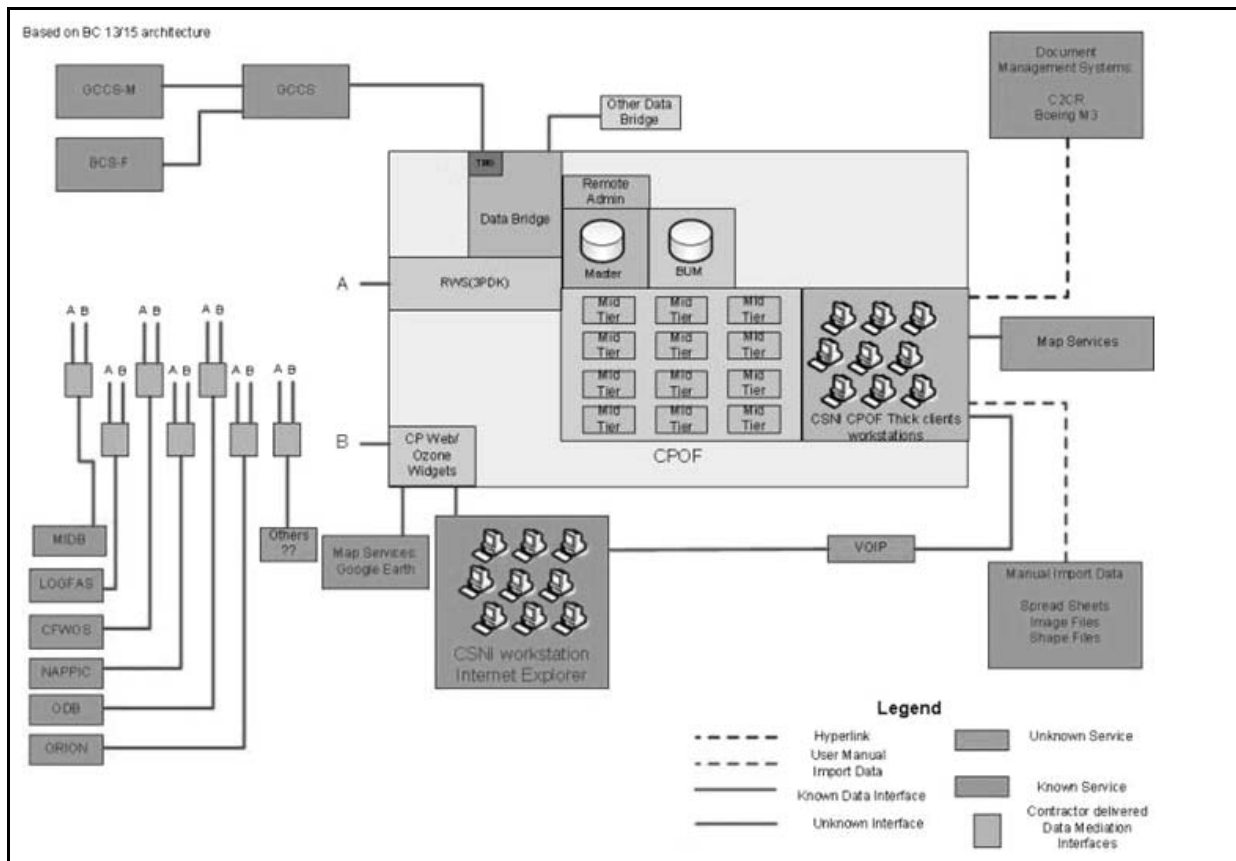
**A. THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS OF THE SOLICITATION ARE HEREBY MODIFIED:**

**Modification No. 8: at Annex A- SOW, Appendix 3-3 subpara b. ii:**

**Delete:** in its entirety

**Modification No 9: at Annex A - SOW Section 1 Figure 1:**

**Delete:** existing Figure 1 and insert the following revised Figure 1



**Modification No 10: Delete** all mention of Data Dissemination/Distribution System (DDS) within the solicitation document

**Modification No 11: At Annex B- Basis of Payment**

**a. Article B.3 - Phase 2**

**Insert:** Phase 2 will be subject to CPI adjustment calculated from the previous year.

## **b. Article B.5 - Additional Work Requests**

**Delete:** "The per diem rates shall remain in effect from Contract Award to the end of Phase 2"

**Insert:** The per diem rates shall remain in effect from Contract Award to the end of Phase 1. Phase 2 will be subject to a CPI adjustment calculated from the previous year"

**Modification 12:** At the front page of the solicitation in the "Solicitation Closes" block, the closing date of the solicitation will be amended as follows:

**Delete:** 2013-04-29

**Insert:** 2013-05-06

## **B. QUESTIONS AND CORRESPONDING ANSWERS:**

**Q14:** In the diagram (page A2 in SOW), the Contractor delivered data mediation interfaces required are denoted by blue boxes and these are linked to 6 systems. GCCS is not one of these (note: there are 2 systems on the diagram, GCCS-M or GCCS-J, but these do not have a requirement for contractor delivered data mediation interface). In narrative (page A37 of SOW) GCCS is however listed as one of the operational info systems that required a data linkage/interface. Could you please confirm that GCCS is one of the operational information systems for which a data linkage/interface to CPOF is required, even though this is not reflected in Figure 1 on page A2 of the SOW.

**A14:** Based on a JIIFC Project update on 4 April 2013, it is uncertain if GCCS-J will be available within the timeframe for DMI development. As a result, the GCCS system and Data Dissemination System (DDS) will no longer form part of the DMI requirement. The 3PDK interface tool will be sufficient to meet the DMI requirements. An updated SV-1 diagram is contained at Modification 9 above.

GCCS experience will remain as a Rated Evaluation Criteria within the DMI solicitation as familiarity with GCCS will be beneficial to understand how data will be used in the CPOF environment.

**Q15:** The most recent amendment regarding the Engineer Interface Plan has caused a significant change to our proposal response strategy and we respectfully request an extension of one week (to May 6) to permit us to adapt to the changes and complete a compliant response to the bid.

**A15:** Refer to Modification No 12 above.

**Q16:** The RFP states that escalation during the ISS phase including AWRs is subject to a CPI adjustment. Please confirm that this adjustment is retroactive to the 2013 labour

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**category rates submitted with the proposal. Q17: Also, since profit is specified and audited, please confirm that the CPI adjustment will also be applied to Phase 1 and Phase 2 labour category rates for 2014 and 2015. Without this clarity, industry cannot manage to their declared profit in their proposals.**

**A16:** EPA will not apply to Phase 1 because of the short length of the work. For Phase 2, the firm per diem rates will be adjusted to include CPI calculated from the previous year as per Annex B - *Basis of Payment* Article B.6.

**ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED.**