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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**

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<b>Title - Sujet</b> AC & Refrigeration Leak Testing	
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> W0114-11P037/A	<b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b> 001
<b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b> W0114-11-P037	<b>Date</b> 2012-12-21
<b>GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG</b> PW-\$KIN-655-5989	
<b>File No. - N° de dossier</b> KIN-2-38073 (655)	<b>CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME</b>
<b>Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2013-01-21</b>	<b>Time Zone</b> <b>Fuseau horaire</b> Eastern Standard Time EST
<b>F.O.B. - F.A.B.</b> <b>Plant-Usine:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Destination:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Other-Autre:</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à:</b> Semple, Patrick	<b>Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur</b> kin655
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> (613) 530-3117 ( )	<b>FAX No. - N° de FAX</b> (613) 545-8067
<b>Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction:</b> <b>Destination - des biens, services et construction:</b>	

**Instructions: See Herein**

**Instructions: Voir aux présentes**

<b>Delivery Required - Livraison exigée</b>	<b>Delivery Offered - Livraison proposée</b>
<b>Vendor/Firm Name and Address</b> <b>Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur</b>	
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> <b>Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur</b>	
<b>Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm (type or print)</b> <b>Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/ de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)</b>	
<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

Amendment 001 is raised to ::

(1) change the Closing Date as follows

Refer: Closing Date and Time

Delete: In its entirety

Insert: Closing Date and Time

Solicitation Closes at 02:00pm on 21 January, 2013, Eastern Standard Time

(2) To answer the following questions from bidders:

**Question 1.** The contract is for leak testing only however there is a requirement in the RFP for factory qualified mechanics for work on Smardt and York equipment. Of the 135 pieces of equipment there are 4 Smardt chillers and 3 York chillers. The Statement of Work only calls for removal of the gas if there is a leak of equipment with more than 99kg of refrigerant. This could be done by a competent HVAC Mechanic with large chiller experience.

The inclusion of this requirement will severely restrict the number of companies quoting for this project and lead to a less competitive tender process.

**Answer:** Factory training is required as the leak testing requires the contractor to shut down the unit, recover all refrigerant left, weigh the amount recovered and report the amount lost. The Smardt and York chillers have shut down procedures that must be followed.

However, the Mandatory Criteria #2 will be changed to read : MT Mechanics who work on the YORK and SMARDT systems must be factory qualified.

**Question 2.** Will there be an opportunity to visit the site to see the accessibility of the equipment to be tested and geography of the base?

**Question 3.** I'm just wondering if there will be a job showing to view the locations of the various equipment to be leak checked?

**Answer 2 & 3.** There is no planned site visit. All units are accessible. Maps of the base showing the buildings, their address and bldg # will be available on Merx shortly.

(3) To amend the Mandatory Criteria #2 to read:

Reference: PART 4 - EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION

1.1.1 Mandatory Technical Criteria

Delete: **M2** in its entirety

Insert: **M2** Mechanics who work on the YORK and SMARDT must be factory qualified.

Proof must be provided in the form of:

(1) a copy of the mechanic's certificates of training issued by YORK and SMARDT.

**ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE SOLICITATION REMAIN UNCHANGED**