

**RETURN BIDS TO:
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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

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

Issuing Office - Bureau de distribution
Public Works and Government Services Canada
Ontario Region
33 City Centre Drive
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Title - Sujet Liquid Chromatograph	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation KW405-120905/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 006
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client KW405-120905	Date 2013-01-24
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$TOR-002-6112	
File No. - N° de dossier TOR-2-35193 (002)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2013-02-05	
F.O.B. - F.A.B. Plant-Usine: <input type="checkbox"/> Destination: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other-Autre: <input type="checkbox"/>	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: Callahan, Kaye	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur tor002
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (905) 615-2071 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX (905) 615-2060
Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction:	

Instructions: See Herein

Instructions: Voir aux présentes

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

Amendment 005 is being issued to address the following:

At Page 1 - Solicitation Closes

Delete: at 02:00 pm EST, on 2013-01-31

Insert: at 02:00 p.m. EST, on 2013-02-05

At Annex C, 1.1.8

Delete: 7 February 2013

Insert: 12 February 2013

At Annex C, 2.0 Technical Point Rated Criteria.

Due to time constraints Canada reserves the right to begin Step 2, Reference Evaluation prior to completing Step 1, Benchmark Evaluation

Questions:

Q.1 At Annex "A" / Section 5.0 Requirements Upon Award/ Item 5, the system noted is a GC-EI/ECNIMSMS, should this read a LCMS system?

A.1 Yes, the system noted should be a LC/MSMS.

Q.2 At Annex "C" /Section 2.1.2 Site Visit Evaluation of Control Software/ Item a) Method Development/ Sub-section a. iii., there is a request for "Column switching features" when there was no requirement in Appendix "A" for this capability with the system. Can we please obtain clarification as to whether the system requires column switching or not and if this is a required feature of the proposed system?

A.2 There is no requirement for column switching.

Q.3 At Annex "C" /Section 2.1.2 Site Visit Evaluation of Control Software/ Item a) Method Development/ Sub-section b., the wavelength range for the PDA requested is from 200 - 850 nm. The UV/Visible range is 190 - 800 nm.

A.3 The wavelength range for the PDA requested is from 200 - 800 nm.

Q.4 At Part 5 - CERTIFICATIONS/Section 2.2 OEM Certification, is an OEM Certification required for minor items provided such as printers and monitors?

A.4 No.

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- Q.5 We have received an Agenda for the site visit which is required in fulfillment of this RFP (Annex "C", Section 2.1.2). The Agenda requires the illustration of features for which there is no defined scoring parameters (Morning, Item B) Tuning in APPI).
- A.5 Item B) Tuning in APPI is not a point rated criteria, it is a mandatory criteria.
- Q.6 Although a site visit is stipulated, there is a choice of these parameters being illustrated via WebEx which is outside the defined parameters of the RFP. We are concerned how equitably the again has been administered and do not wish to stray outside the parameters of the RFP.
- A.6 The three members of the evaluation team from Environment Canada will be visiting ALL participating bidders' sites to conduct the on-site evaluation of Control Software. In addition to the evaluators, 1 to 3 other EC representatives may attend the site visits that are located in the local area, for information and observation purposes, only. These individuals will not be part of the evaluation process. Bidders located outside of the local area are invited to provide WebEx access to EC for demonstration of their Control Software to these representatives, who will not attend site visits outside the local area.