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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.

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Solicitation Amendment No. 4

Questions and Answers Set No. 4

Question No. 1: Section 3.3, Financial Bid, Part C states that “The financial bid must include all the costs for requirement described in the bid solicitation for the entire Contract Period, including and option years. The identification of all necessary equipment, software, peripherals, cabling, and components required to meet the requirements of the bid solicitation and “. Should these costs include software applications to support the generation of AS-IS and TO-Be architectures or will these tools be provided to the bidder by DND upon contract award?

Answer No. 1: DND will provide tools required to support the generation of AS-IS and TO-Be architectures.

Question No. 2: Regarding Mandatory Criteria M2, the bidder must demonstrate experience “conducting successful migration of IM/IT architectures”. Is the expectation that the bidder has experience with the identification of gaps related to IM/IT architectures or with the identification of gaps and implementation of solutions related to the migration of IM/IT environments?

Answer No. 2: DND will accept the identification of gaps and development of migration strategies or roadmaps for IM/IT architectures as experience in conducting successful migration of IM/IT architectures.

Question No. 3: Due to the large number of RFPs recently issued and other client commitment, would the Crown consider extending the due date by one week to June 21?

Answer No. 3: The Crown will not consider extending the due date.

Question No. 4: Article 7 states that the majority of work will be performed from the Contractor's own facilities within the National Capital Region (NCR). We intend to propose and use independent sub-contractors to meet this requirement. Can these sub-contractors work from their home or independent office, or must they work from our company's facilities?

Answer No. 4: Resources will not be restricted to work from the Contractor's own facilities.

Question No. 5: Sub-article (a) states: “By submitting a bid, the Bidder certifies that, should it be awarded a contract as a result of the bid solicitation, every individual proposed in its bid will be available to perform the Work as required by Canada's representatives and at the time specified in the bid solicitation or agreed to with Canada's representatives.”

We do not see any “Replacement Clause” whereby a Bidder may replace bid Resources should a Resource become unavailable due to unforeseen circumstances. Could you please clarify if a Bidder will be able to replace bid Resources after the award of a Contract?

We do note on page 31 of 49 under Professional Services - General it states that:

“All resources provided by the Contractor must meet the qualifications described in the Contract (including those relating to previous experience, professional designation, education, and language proficiency) and must be competent to provide the required services by any delivery dates described in the Contract. The resource must be approved by Canada prior to the replacement at the Work site.”

“Prior to the replacement at the Work site” seems to imply that the original proposed Resource must be available and have started to work?

Please clarify.

Answer No. 5: The replacement of specific individuals during contract performance will be in accordance with General Conditions 2035, Article 8.

The original proposed resources must be available and have started to work following contract award.