

**RETURN BIDS TO:**  
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**Bid Receiving / Réception des soumissions**  
**189 Prince William Street**  
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**Saint John**  
**New Brunswick**  
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## INVITATION TO TENDER APPEL D'OFFRES

**Tender To: Public Works and Government Services  
Canada**

We hereby offer to sell to Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada, in accordance with the terms and conditions set out herein, referred to herein or attached hereto, the goods, services, and construction listed herein and on any attached sheets at the price(s) set out therefor.

### **Soumission aux: Travaux Publics et Services Gouvernementaux Canada**

Nous offrons par la présente de vendre à Sa Majesté la Reine du chef du Canada, aux conditions énoncées ou incluses par référence dans la présente et aux annexes ci-jointes, les biens, services et construction énumérés ici et sur toute feuille ci-annexée, au(x) prix indiqué(s).

### **Comments - Commentaires**

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

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

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<b>Title - Sujet</b> Supply & Inst.Nat.Gas Eq.,Westmorla	
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> EC016-123010/A	<b>Date</b> 2012-02-24
<b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b> R.035147.003	<b>GETS Ref. No. - N° de réf. de SEAG</b> PW-\$PWB-020-3058
<b>File No. - N° de dossier</b> PWB-1-34208 (020)	<b>CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME</b>
<b>Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin</b> <b>at - à 02:00 PM</b> <b>on - le 2012-03-22</b>	
<b>Time Zone</b> <b>Fuseau horaire</b> Atlantic Standard Time AST	
<b>F.O.B. - F.A.B.</b> <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> Donovan, Janine PWB	<b>Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur</b> pwb020
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> (506) 636-5347 ( )	<b>FAX No. - N° de FAX</b> (506) 636-4376
<b>Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction:</b> <b>Destination - des biens, services et construction:</b> Supply & Installation of Natural Gas Eqpt Westmorland Institution Dorchester New Brunswick Canada	

**Instructions: See Herein**

**Instructions: Voir aux présentes**

<b>Delivery Required - Livraison exigée</b> See Herein	<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</b> <b>(type or print)</b> <b>Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/</b> <b>de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)</b>	
<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

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### IMPORTANT NOTICE TO BIDDERS

**CLAUSES REFERRED TO BY NUMBER (I.E. R2890D) CAN BE FOUND AT THE FOLLOWING WEB SITE** [Http://ccua-sacc.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/pub/acho-eng.jsp](http://ccua-sacc.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/pub/acho-eng.jsp) (to proceed with a search select "Search SACC" and insert clause reference number in ID box)

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### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS (GI) - R2710T (2011-05-16)

The following GI's are included by reference and are available at the following Web Site <http://ccua-sacc.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/pub/rese-eng.jsp> (to proceed with a "search" insert R2710T in the ID box)

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## SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS (SI)

### SI01 BID DOCUMENTS

- 1) The following are the bid documents:
  - (a) Invitation to Tender - Page 1;
  - (b) Special Instructions to Bidders;
  - (c) General Instructions to Bidders [R2710T] (2011-05-16);
  - (d) Clauses & Conditions identified in "Contract Documents";
  - (e) Drawings and Specifications;
  - (f) Bid and Acceptance Form and related Appendice(s); and
  - (g) Any amendment issued prior to solicitation closing.

Submission of a bid constitutes acknowledgement that the Bidder has read and agrees to be bound by these documents.

- 2) General Instructions to Bidders is incorporated by reference and is set out in the Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions (SACC) Manual, issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC). The SACC Manual is available on the PWGSC Web site:  
<http://ccua-sacc.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/pub/acho-eng.jsp>

### SI02 ENQUIRIES DURING THE SOLICITATION PERIOD

- 1) Enquiries regarding this bid must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Officer named on the Invitation to Tender - Page 1 as early as possible within the solicitation period. Except for the approval of alternative materials as described in GI16 of R2710T "General Instructions to Bidders", enquiries should be received no later than five (5) calendar days prior to the date set for solicitation closing to allow sufficient time to provide a response. Enquiries received after that time may not result in an answer being provided.
- 2) To ensure consistency and quality of the information provided to Bidders, the Contracting Officer shall examine the content of the enquiry and shall decide whether or not to issue an amendment.
- 3) All enquiries and other communications related to this bid sent throughout the solicitation period are to be directed ONLY to the Contracting Officer named on the Invitation to Tender - Page 1. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the bid being declared non-responsive.

### SI03 SITE VISIT

There will be an optional site visit on March 15th, 2012 at 10:00 am. Interested bidders are to meet at the main entrance of the Westmorland Institution (Building F-58, Main Administration Building), Dorchester, New Brunswick.

There is a security clearance required to attend this site visit. **ALL** interested bidders, regardless of current clearance level, must submit the Institutional Access CPIC Clearance request form located in Appendix A of this solicitation document and submit to Janine Donovan by fax at (506) 636-4376 or

e-mail janine.donovan@pwgsc-tpsgc.gc.ca. These must be received by 12:00 pm, March 6, 2012. If you plan to bring a camera to the visit, you must also provide, make, model, and serial number of camera by this date. Separate clearance checks are required for each facility.

#### **SI04 REVISION OF BID**

A bid may be revised by letter or facsimile in accordance with GI11 of R2710T "General Instructions to Bidders". The facsimile number for receipt of revisions is (506) 636-4376.

#### **SI05 BID RESULTS**

- 1) A public bid opening will be held in the office designated on the Front Page "Invitation to Tender" for the receipt of bids shortly after the time set for solicitation closing.
- 2) Following solicitation closing, bid results may be obtained by calling the bid receiving office at Telephone No. (506) 636-4358.

#### **SI06 INSUFFICIENT FUNDING**

In the event that the lowest compliant bid exceeds the amount of funding allocated for the Work, Canada in its sole discretion may

- a) cancel the solicitation; or
- b) obtain additional funding and award the Contract to the Bidder submitting the lowest compliant bid; and/or
- c) negotiate a reduction in the bid price and/or scope of work of not more than 15% with the Bidder submitting the lowest compliant bid. Should an agreement satisfactory to Canada not be reached, Canada shall exercise option (a) or (b).

#### **SI07 BID VALIDITY PERIOD**

- 1) Canada reserves the right to seek an extension to the bid validity period prescribed in BA04 of the Bid and Acceptance Form. Upon notification in writing from Canada, Bidders shall have the option to either accept or reject the proposed extension.
- 2) If the extension referred to in paragraph 1) of SI07 is accepted, in writing, by all those who submitted bids, then Canada shall continue immediately with the evaluation of the bids and its approvals processes.
- 3) If the extension referred to in paragraph 1) of SI07 is not accepted in writing by all those who submitted bids then Canada shall, at its sole discretion, either

(a) continue to evaluate the bids of those who have accepted the proposed extension and seek the necessary approvals; or

(b) cancel the invitation to tender.

- 4) The provisions expressed herein do not in any manner limit Canada's rights in law or under GI12 of R2710T "General Instructions to Bidders ".

## SI08 CONSTRUCTION DOCUMENTS

The successful contractor will be provided with one paper copy of the sealed and signed drawings, the specifications and the amendments upon acceptance of the offer. Additional copies, up to a maximum of one (1), will be provided free of charge upon request by the contractor. Obtaining more copies shall be the responsibility of the contractor including costs.

## SI09 WEB SITES

The connection to some of the Web sites in the solicitation documents is established by the use of hyperlinks. The following is a list of the addresses of the Web sites:

Treasury Board Appendix L, Acceptable Bonding Companies

<http://www.tbs-sct.gc.ca/pol/doc-eng.aspx?id=14494&section=text#appl>

Contracts Canada (Buy and Sell) <https://www.achatsetventes-buyandsell.gc.ca/eng/welcome>

Canadian economic sanctions <http://www.international.gc.ca/sanctions/index.aspx?lang=eng>

Contractor Performance Evaluation Report (Form PWGSC-TPSGC 2913)

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/2913.pdf>

Bid Bond (form PWGSC-TPSGC 504) <http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/504.pdf>

Performance Bond (form PWGSC-TPSGC 505)

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/505.pdf>

Labour and Material Payment Bond (form PWGSC-TPSGC 506)

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/506.pdf>

Certificate of Insurance (form PWGSC-TPSGC 357)

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/357.pdf>

SACC Manual <http://ccua-sacc.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/pub/acho-eng.jsp>

Schedules of Wage Rates for Federal Construction Contracts

[http://www.rhdcc-hrsdc.gc.ca/eng/labour/employment\\_standards/contracts/schedule/index.shtml](http://www.rhdcc-hrsdc.gc.ca/eng/labour/employment_standards/contracts/schedule/index.shtml)

PWGSC, Industrial Security Services <Http://ssi-iss.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/index-eng.html>

## CONTRACT DOCUMENTS (CD)

1) The following are the contract documents:

- (a) Contract Page when signed by Canada;
- (b) Duly completed Bid and Acceptance Form and any Appendices attached thereto;
- (c) Drawings and Specifications;
- (d) General Conditions and clauses
 

GC1 General Provisions	R2810D	(2011-05-16);
GC2 Administration of the Contract	R2820D	(2011-05-16);
GC3 Execution and Control of the Work	R2830D	(2010-01-11);
GC4 Protective Measures	R2840D	(2008-05-12);
GC5 Terms of Payment	R2850D	(2010-01-11);
GC6 Delays and Changes in the Work	R2860D	(2008-05-12);
GC7 Default, Suspension or Termination of Contract	R2870D	(2008-05-12);
GC8 Dispute Resolution	R2880D	(2008-12-12);
GC9 Contract Security	R2890D	(2011-05-16);
GC10 Insurance	R2900D	(2008-05-12);
Supplementary Conditions		
Insurance Terms	R2910D	(2008-12-12);
Fair Wages and Hours of Labour - Labour Conditions	R2940D	(2010-01-11);
Allowable Costs for Contract Changes Under GC6.4.1	R2950D	(2007-05-25);
Schedules of Wage Rates for Federal Construction Contracts;		
- (e) Any amendment issued or any allowable bid revision received before the date and time set for solicitation closing;
- (f) Any amendment incorporated by mutual agreement between Canada and the Contractor before acceptance of the bid; and
- (g) Any amendment or variation of the contract documents that is made in accordance with the General Conditions.

2) The documents identified by title, number and date above are incorporated by reference and are set out in the Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions (SACC) Manual, issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC). The SACC Manual is available on the PWGSC Web site: <http://ccua-sacc.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/pub/acho-eng.jsp>

3) Schedules of Wage Rates for Federal Construction Contracts is included by reference and may be accessed from the Web site:  
[http://www.rhdcc-hrsdc.gc.ca/eng/labour/employment\\_standards/contracts/schedule/index.shtml](http://www.rhdcc-hrsdc.gc.ca/eng/labour/employment_standards/contracts/schedule/index.shtml).

4) The language of the contract documents is the language of the Bid and Acceptance Form submitted.

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## **BID AND ACCEPTANCE FORM (BA)**

### **BA01 IDENTIFICATION**

**Natural Gas Conversion  
Westmorland Institution  
Dorchester, New Brunswick**

### **BA02 BUSINESS NAME AND ADDRESS OF BIDDER**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ PBN: \_\_\_\_\_

### **BA03 THE OFFER**

The Bidder offers to Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada to perform and complete the Work for the above named project in accordance with the Bid Documents for the Total Bid Amount of

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ excluding GST/HST.  
(amount in numbers)

### **BA04 BID VALIDITY PERIOD**

The bid shall not be withdrawn for a period of 30 days following the date of solicitation closing.

### **BA05 ACCEPTANCE AND CONTRACT**

Upon acceptance of the Contractor's offer by Canada, a binding Contract shall be formed between Canada and the Contractor. The documents forming the Contract shall be the contract documents identified in Contract Documents (CD).

### **BA06 CONSTRUCTION TIME**

The Contractor shall perform and complete the Work within fourteen (14) weeks from the date of notification of acceptance of the offer.

### **BA07 BID SECURITY**

The Bidder is enclosing bid security with its bid in accordance with GI09 - Bid Security Requirements of R2710T - General Instructions to Bidders.

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**BA08 SIGNATURE**

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Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Bidder (Type or print)

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Signature

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Date

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## **APPENDIX “A”**

### **Institutional Access CPIC Clearance Request Form**



**INSTITUTIONAL ACCESS  
CPIC CLEARANCE REQUEST**

**ACCÈS À UN ÉTABLISSEMENT  
DEMANDE DE VÉRIFICATION DU DOSSIER AU CIPC**

PLEASE PRINT INFORMATION CLEARLY - VEUILLEZ ÉCRIRE EN LETTRES MOULÉES

<b>Institution - Établissement</b>	<b>Request received Demande reçue le</b> Date (YYYY/MM/DD) - (AAAA/MM/DD)	<b>PUT AWAY ON FILE CLASSER AU DOSSIER</b> 3170-12
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**A. PERSONAL INFORMATION - RENSEIGNEMENTS PERSONNELS**

Surname Nom de famille		Full name (no nicknames or initials) Nom au complet (pas de surnoms ou d'initiales)		Maiden name (if applicable) Nom de jeune fille (s'il y a lieu)	
Date of birth (YYYY/MM/DD) Date de naissance (AAAA/MM/JJ)	Place of birth - Lieu de naissance City/Town - Ville ou municipalité	Province/State - Province ou état		Country - Pays	

**B. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION - DESCRIPTION PHYSIQUE**

<input type="checkbox"/> Male Homme	<input type="checkbox"/> Female Femme	Height - Grandeur	Weight - Poids	Eye color - Couleur des yeux	Hair color - Couleur des cheveux
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**C. ADDRESS - ADRESSE**

Street - Rue	City/Town - Ville ou municipalité	Province	Postal Code - Code postal	Telephone number - Numéro de téléphone Home - Domicile Work - Bureau
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Representing (name of company/organization) - Représente (nom de la compagnie ou de l'organisation)

**D. GENERAL INFORMATION - RENSEIGNEMENTS GÉNÉRAUX**

Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offence for which you have not been granted a pardon, or an offence for which you have been granted a pardon and such a pardon has been revoked? Avez-vous déjà été reconnu coupable d'une infraction criminelle pour laquelle on ne vous a pas octroyé un pardon ou d'une infraction pour laquelle on vous a octroyé un pardon qui a été révoqué?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes Oui	<input type="checkbox"/> No Non
Do you personally know of any person incarcerated in a correctional facility? Connaissez-vous personnellement une personne qui est incarcérée dans un établissement correctionnel?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes Oui	<input type="checkbox"/> No Non
Do you have any reason to believe coming into contact with this person could pose a risk to your or their personal safety? Avez-vous des raisons de croire que le fait d'entrer en contact avec cette personne pourrait présenter un risque pour votre sécurité personnelle ou la sienne?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes Oui	<input type="checkbox"/> No Non
Are you related/associated to an inmate or on an inmate's visiting list? Êtes-vous apparenté ou associé à un détenu ou inscrit sur la liste des visiteurs d'un détenu?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes Oui	<input type="checkbox"/> No Non

If you have answered YES to any of the above, please explain below. - Si vous avez répondu OUI à une des questions ci-dessus, veuillez fournir une explication ci-après.

**E. SIGNATURE (When sections A to E are filled out completely, please return the completed form to the institution for approval.)**

(Une fois que les sections A à E ont été remplies, veuillez retourner le formulaire dûment rempli à l'établissement aux fins d'approbation.)

In making this application, I hereby give the Correctional Service of Canada my consent to use the information provided on this form to conduct such inquiries with police authorities as may be necessary to ascertain my suitability. Finally, I acknowledge that the Correctional Service of Canada has no responsibility for any harm that may come to me in the course of my activities, except where such harm is a direct result of negligence on the part of an employee(s) of the Service.  
NOTE: Access may be denied for submitting false information. Passes may be issued for those receiving clearance and approval.

En soumettant la présente demande, j'autorise le Service correctionnel du Canada à se servir des renseignements fournis dans le formulaire afin de mener, auprès des services de police, toute enquête jugée nécessaire pour vérifier mon admissibilité. Par ailleurs, je conviens que le Service correctionnel du Canada ne peut être tenu responsable d'un préjudice subi dans le cadre de mes activités sauf si ce préjudice est directement attribuable à la négligence d'un ou de plusieurs employés du Service.  
NOTA : Tout demandeur qui fournit de faux renseignements peut se voir refuser l'accès à l'établissement. Un laissez-passer peut être émis aux demandeurs dont la demande d'accès est approuvée.

Applicant's signature - Signature du demandeur	Date (YYYY/MM/DD) - (AAAA/MM/JJ)
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**F. FOR OFFICE USE ONLY - RÉSERVÉ AU SCC**

Reason for clearance - Motif justifiant la demande d'accès

Department making the request (please print) Unité qui soumet la demande (en lettres moulées s.v.p.)	Signature of Division Head Signature du chef de la division	Date (YYYY/MM/DD) - (AAAA/MM/JJ)
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<input type="checkbox"/> No criminal record Aucun casier	<input type="checkbox"/> A possible criminal record #: Numéro du casier judiciaire	Last entry: Dernière entrée :
<input type="checkbox"/> An outstanding warrant/charge held by: Auteur du mandat non exécuté/accusation en instance :		

**SIGNATURES**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approved Approuvée	<input type="checkbox"/> Not approved Non approuvée	The individual has been advised. - Le demandeur a été informé de la décision.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes Oui	<input type="checkbox"/> No Non	By: Par :	
Security Intelligence Officer Agent de renseignements de sécurité	Date (YY/MM/DD) (AA/MM/JJ)	Institutional Head Directeur de l'établissement	Date (YY/MM/DD) (AA/MM/JJ)
		Visit Review Board Comité des visites	Date (YY/MM/DD) (AA/MM/JJ)