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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 No. - N° de l'invitation EC016-123090/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 020
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client R.043958.001	Date 2012-05-29
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$PWB-007-3063	
File No. - N° de dossier PWB-1-34209 (007)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2012-06-05	Time Zone Fuseau horaire Atlantic Daylight Saving Time ADT
F.O.B. - F.A.B. Plant-Usine: <input type="checkbox"/> Destination: <input type="checkbox"/> Other-Autre: <input type="checkbox"/>	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: Ellis-Herring , Alison PWB	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur pwb007
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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

This Solicitation Amendment Number twenty (20) is raised to include the following addendum.

The following Addendum to the tender documents is effective immediately. This Addendum shall form part of the contract documents.

All other terms and conditions remain the same.

Addendum No. 20

1. QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q1

Domestic hot water: Section 5.6.5.1.g (page 174 of 188) of the RFP indicates that the domestic hot water heater shall be gas-fired. It appears from Addendum 5 that no natural gas is available and propane is available at Renous. Please clarify what type of water heater is acceptable.

A1

This was addressed in previous Addendum

Q2

Springhill - please provide more detail on the fence and gate that connect the GI building to the covered walkway

A2

- Fence shall be the same height as walls of covered walkway and shall be topped with barbed wire.
- Tunneling barriers are not required.
- All chain link fencing shall be installed in accordance with the National Master Specification (NMS) 32 31 13 and CAN/CGSB-138.3-96 standard . Where there is a conflict between the NMS and this criterion, the TCD shall prevail.
- Chain link fence fabric shall conform to the following specifications :
 - Wire Size: 4.8 mm (min) (6 Gauge)
 - Size of mesh: 50.8 mm
 - Height of fence fabric: 3600 mm
 - Barbed edges top and bottom
 - Average mass of zinc coating to be not less than 610 g/m2 of uncoated wire
 - Breaking tensile strength to be 10,000 N·min.
- Wire mesh shall be continuous from top to bottom and shall be applied on the institutional compound side of the posts.
- Fence fabric shall be pulled taut before fixing in place. Tautness, when fixed in place, is to be established by pull tests. The application of a 12 kg perpendicular pull at the midpoint of the

mesh panel (midpoint of posts/rails) shall show a displacement of no more than 30 mm from the fence at rest plane.

Q3

Renous - provide inverts for tie in service

A3

To be determined by proponent

Q4

Amendment 002 – Geotechnical Investigation Report for Springhill Institution. The report indicates that traces of coal were found at all borehole locations. There is no mention if there is a special requirement to dispose of this material. Is the excavated material to be considered contaminated material due to the coal content? Will it have to be properly disposed? Is the groundwater considered to be contaminated (due to coal content in the soil) and therefore properly handled / treated before pumping it into the storm system?

A4

This material is not considered contaminated. No special requirements for disposal.

Q5

There is a new door shown on the site plan for Springhill at the covered breezeway. It has a note that says "Lock control of gate by control post". Can you please clarify if this door, frame and hardware is part of the design-build contract? If so, can you please provide some outline specs as to what may be the minimum requirements?

A5

This is part of the design-build contract.

Q6

Regarding the same door, is there any detail that can be issued for the construction of the covered breezeway so that we know what has to be demolished in order to provide the door opening?

A6

Please see attached As built scanned drawings for information.