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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 W8486-149629/A | Amendment No. - N° modif. 001 |
| Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client W8486-149629 | Date 2013-08-14 |
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| File No. - N° de dossier pv903.W8486-149629 | CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME |
| Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2013-09-09 | Time Zone Fuseau horaire Eastern Daylight Saving Time EDT |
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This amendment is raised:

1. To extend the deliver date to September 30, 2013.
2. To circulate answers to the following questions from bidders:

Q1: Point 3. Would 50mm be OK? Or it must be exactly 2" (50,8mm)?

A1: The pucks produced by our mounting presses are 2.0 inches. The polisher must be able to accommodate these pucks without inference and without excess clearance in the fit that would affect the quality of the polish.

Q2: Point 4. Unconventional specimen: please give more details to offer the most appropriate sample holder. Size and type?

A2: The specimen holder should accommodate at least three irregular shapes that could have a maximum cross-sectional area of at least 2.8 x 1.3 inches.

Q3: Point 5. Does the term "Specimen loading fixture" mean a sample holder?

A3: Some polishers require an additional loading fixture to aid in securing the specimens into the fixture that will be used in the polisher.

Q4: Point 9. To evaluate the type and quantities of consumables, we need more information about the materials to be polished. Polishing process are different for each material. Do we have to consider 200 pieces of each material? Or if 200 specimen in total then how many of those are respectively ferrous, aluminium, titanium, etc.

A4: DND wants enough consumables to be able to use the system the day it arrives in order to evaluate its performance. They choose at least 200 as a round number so that bidders could easily use this in referring to their published literature on how long consumables last. Different materials require some different consumables but they also overlap. Since there are six types materials listed, bidders can divide that number by five. So... 34 samples of each type would satisfy this requirement.

Q5: Point 12. Fluid dispensing system. Are we are talking about the slurries dispenser (diamond suspensions, etc..)?

A5: Yes, they are talking about the fluid dispensing system.

All other terms and conditions of the original solicitation remain unchanged, including the closing date and time.