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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
Munitions Division (BK) / Division des munitions (BK)
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Title - Sujet TACTICAL LIGHTWEIGHT BOMBSUITS	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation W8476-123451/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 001
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client W8476-123451	Date 2013-09-23
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$\$BK-372-23980	
File No. - N° de dossier 372bk.W8476-123451	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2013-10-08	
Time Zone Fuseau horaire Eastern Daylight Saving Time EDT	
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: Razeau, Ida-Marie	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur 372bk
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (819) 956-0578 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX (819) 956-5650
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

Solicitation Amendment One (1) is issued to publish Questions and Answers:

Question 1:

Can PWGSC provide the approved suppliers for the CADPAT material to begin the process for quoting purposes and lead-times.

Answer 1:

Canada cannot provide a list of the approved suppliers, as each time the fabric is needed, it is procured through a competitive process and not a standing-offer arrangement.

Some previous suppliers are the following:

<http://www.lincolnfabrics.com/>
Textiles Monterey (1996) Inc. (no website)
<http://www.stedfast.com/>

Question 2:

Can the Crown please confirm that the CADPAT material will not be required to be integrated into the test samples for the Evaluation Trial as per Appendix 2 due to the timeline in evaluation?

Answer 2:

Canada can confirm that the CADPAT material will not be required for the test samples.

Question 3:

- 3 a). In what format would the Crown wish the pricing to be provided?
- 3 b). Would it be acceptable to extend the rows for each of the List of Deliverables within Annex B, page 2/3 Section 1.2?
- 3 c). Does the Crown want Options included in this pricing or a separate table.

Answer 3:

- 3 a). See answer 3 b).

3 b). Yes, this is acceptable.

3 c). Included.

Question 4:

Can PWGSC please advise what weapons will be used for testing as per Appendix C "ToET" Test of Elementary Training (Weapons Proficiency)? And what tests will be completed.

Answer 4:

The Canadian C7 Rifle will be used for the testing. The ToET tests will include operating the weapon in three positions: prone, kneeling and standing, including loading/unloading the weapon.

Question 5:

"not for publication, Proprietary information"

Question 6:

Reference Annex A Para 3.4.1.3.1.8. As the chest area is critical to fragmentation injury due to the concentration of vital organs, we suggest that the performance characteristics for the chest and abdomen protection should be greater than the 1500 m/s articulated in the RFP. Instead, we recommend that they should be closer to the same level as the requirement for the Integrated Heavy Bomb Suit. At the same time, in order to afford maximum mobility in the tactical lightweight bomb suit, a reduced requirement for protection in the groin area is suggested.

Would the Crown consider amending the V50 protection requirements for the chest, abdomen and groin to separate the chest and abdomen from the groin? We suggest the chest and abdomen requirement should be "V50 1700 m/s" and the groin protection level should be "V50 1400 m/s".

Answer 6:

Canada will agree to change the chest protection level to V50 1600m/s, and groin protection level to V50 1400m/s. Annex A SOW paragraph 3.4.1.3.1.8 will be changed to read: The Chest

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and Groin Protection shall meet or exceed protection of chest: V50 1600 m/s, and groin: V50 1400m/s.

Annex C Technical Bid Evaluation, page 10/15, will be amended accordingly as well.

All other Terms and Conditions remain unchanged.