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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
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Title - Sujet PMPS - Two years	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation M7594-142677/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 007
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client M7594-142677	Date 2013-11-26
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$SEL-602-26517	
File No. - N° de dossier 602el.M7594-142677	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2013-12-11	Time Zone Fuseau horaire Eastern Standard Time EST
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: Ouellet, Monique	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur 602el
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (819) 956-1775 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX (819) 956-5925
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

This amendment is issued to amend the RFP.

QUESTION 35:

Answer 19 indicates that the request has been considered and is not accepted.

We would like to bring to your attention that there is no prescribed standard for invoicing as it varies by client and project. Some invoices are based on services provided based on a fixed price and are deliverable based, some are based on time and material with named resources being included in the invoice, and some have special invoicing instructions.

Because there are no prescribed standards, the requirement for providing an invoice that shows the bidder has invoiced the customer the stated number of billable days for the associated category is unrealistic and does not provide for a fair and equitable procurement process. This requirement appears to be favouring the incumbents, and potentially precludes qualified vendors from responding. We request that the RCMP reconsider their previous decision and revise the requirement to allow for invoices (without category names) accompanied by a letter from the client for Attachment 3.2 - Corporate Technical Requirements and Bidders Response Templates for all Work Streams.

ANSWER 35:

Canada has reviewed the request, however the requirement must remain unchanged. In order to be fair to all bidders, Canada must maintain a uniform standard that is objectively capable of verification for each bidder. Canada cannot accept a letter from the client as has been requested.

QUESTION 36:

With respect to the referenced solicitation, we have the following requests for clarification concerning the M2 transition-in experience requirement:

1. Please confirm that the Bidder must submit one (1) description of an experience in transitioning—in on one contract for each Workstream being bid.
2. Please confirm that if the Bidder is responding to three (3) Workstreams, they are allowed to use the same transitioning—in experience to address requirement M2, for all three (3) of the Workstreams being bid.

ANSWER 36:

1. Confirmed.
2. Confirmed.

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE RFP REMAIN UNCHANGED.