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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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Title - Sujet RR Stg 1 Construction Eng. Services	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation EQ754-141656/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 003
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client R.050927.001	Date 2014-01-29
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File No. - N° de dossier PWL-3-36066 (023)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2014-02-18	
F.O.B. - F.A.B. Plant-Usine: <input type="checkbox"/> Destination: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other-Autre: <input type="checkbox"/>	
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Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction: Randle Reef Hamilton Harbour Hamilton, ON	

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Amendment No. 003

This amendment is being raised to (1) incorporate an extension of time to the closing date for receipt of proposals, (2) incorporate revisions to the Project Brief section of the RFP, and (3) provide responses to Requests for Clarification.

(1) EXTENSION OF TIME

Notice is hereby given that the closing date for the reception of proposals previously due Tuesday, February 04, 2014 is extended to **14:00 hours, Tuesday, February 18, 2014.**

(2) PROJECT BRIEF REVISION

Description of Project (PD), PD 7 Consultant Services, 4. f & g

Reference: 4.f. Mechanical engineering,
4.g. Electrical engineering

Delete: In its entirety

(3) REQUESTS FOR CLARIFICATION

Q1. PD7 Consultant Services (pg 23 of 90): Please clarify the requirements for '4.f. Mechanical Engineering' and '4.g. Electrical Engineering'.

A1. PD7 - 4 The Consultant team is not required to be capable of providing following services: f. Mechanical Engineering and g. Electrical Engineering.

Q2. Will the successful firm for the Stage I construction management contract be prevented from bidding on future construction or construction management contracts for the Randle Reef project?

A2. Firms cannot be awarded a Construction Contract for a Stage if they have been awarded the Construction Engineering Services Contract for the same Stage. Firms may not be awarded the Construction Engineering Services Contract for a Stage if they have been awarded the Construction Contract for that Stage.

For example, the successful Construction Engineering Services Proponent will be precluded from bidding on the Stage 1 Construction Contract. However, the successful Construction Engineering Services Proponent for Stage 1 will not be precluded from submitting a proposal for the Stage 2 and 3 Construction Engineering Services Contract. Further, the successful Stage 1 Construction Engineering Services Proponent will not be precluded from bidding on the Stage 2 or Stage 3 Construction Contracts unless they are the successful Consultant on the Stage 2 and 3 Construction Engineering Services Contract.

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- Q3. PD 1 Section 2.1 - Should the Consultant be successfully awarded the Stage 1 Construction Engineering Services Contract, will it be eligible to submit a proposal for: (1) Stage 2 and 3 Construction Engineering Services Contract; (2) the Stage 2 Construction Contract, or (3) the Stage 3 Construction Contract?
- A3. Please refer to A2. above.**
- Q4. Page 18: Stages II and III: Since there will be two other tender calls, we need to know whether making a bid on Stage I could penalize us in any way for the other two stages (e.g. if contracts are to be distributed among more than one supplier). Would being selected for this contract exclude us from any future contract?
- A4. Please refer to A2. above.**
- Q5. RS2 2.3.15 Please confirm that testing services performed by testing firm are paid for directly by PWGSC (i.e. not included in our proposed fees).
- A5. Testing services performed by testing firm are paid for as Disbursements. Disbursements are included in the Appendix C Price Proposal Form.**
- Q6. A maximum upset price of \$200,000 has been allowed for disbursements. If more testing, rentals etc. is required than has been allowed for, will this maximum amount increase?
- A6. The maximum upset price of \$200,000 for Disbursements is a maximum upset limit which cannot be exceeded without prior approval from the Departmental Representative.**
- Q7. Staff with experience in working with GCMS units in the field caution that regularly achievable method detection limits may not be low enough to discriminate concentrations consistent with provincial standards. If this proves to be the case with the unit supplied for the project, would we be permitted to use a commercial laboratory service on a rapid turnaround basis as an alternative?
- A7. PWGSC will provide the GCMS unit for use by the Consultant. Alternative approaches, if required, would be considered provided they meet the required timelines.**
- Q8. It is not clear from RS Section 2.3.16.1 what the requirements are for Turbidity/TSS measurements. Are measurements to be made at surface, mid-column, above the harbour bed or up a profile between top and bottom?
- A8. For proposal submission purposes, assume measurements will be taken 1m from the surface, mid-depth and 1m from the harbour bottom.**

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- Q9. Page 34 of the PDF, section 2.3.16.3 Air Monitoring, Requirements paragraph 1) first sentence: please clarify the meaning of this sentence as it is unclear what the successful proponent will have to complete as part of the detailed plan for the comprehensive air monitoring program.
- A9. The successful Proponent will have to develop the detailed air monitoring plan using as a guide all of the requirements identified in the RFP section 2.3.16.3.**
- Q10. The RFP indicates that the Comprehensive Study Report is part of the existing documentation but this document has not been received to our knowledge.
- A10. See PD 4.1 and 4.2 of the Project Brief.**
- Q11. Are we reviewing just Stage 1 of the project or the entire project (i.e. Stage 1, 2 and 3) under RS 1?
- A11. The requirements of RS1 are for Stage 1.**
- Q12. Are you able to disclose the type of consultants/contractors that would bid this project? We are a consulting engineering company that would like to provide pricing for various items such as the environmental monitoring and geotechnical work. Any information would be of great assistance.
- A12. No, we are unable to disclose the type of consultants/contractors that would bid this project.**
- Q13. Can the length of time that projects have been undertaken in be increased to 10 years under Section 3.2.1?
- A13. No.**
- Q14. Can you please clarify if proponents CV's are included in the maximum 50 page count as requested under Section 3.2.2?
- A14. Please refer to EQ754-141656/A Amendment No. 002 dated 2014-01-13, A3.**
- Q15. It is noted that the proposal is to be a maximum of 50 pages in length, not including the list of items in SRE2. No mention is made of curricula vitae for team members. Are CVs included in the 50 page limit or are they not included in that total?
- A15. Please refer to EQ754-141656/A Amendment No. 002 dated 2014-01-13, A3.**
- Q16. Amendment 002, Answer A9 indicates that "Travel Time, accommodations and/or expenses shall be included in the Fees...". SI6 on page 8 suggests that National Joint Council (NJC) Travel Directive applies. Please clarify the PWGSC position regarding travel costs not itemized in the amendment, specifically for reimbursement of airfare,

mileage, rental vehicles and per diem for meals. In addition, should a site vehicle be required to support the Construction Supervision work, please advise on the cost reimbursement provisions for such expenditures.

A16. SI6 Websites, provides links to relevant websites that may be required/applicable. Travel time, accommodations, expenses as well site vehicle shall be included in the Fees required to deliver the Consultant Services and shall not be reimbursed separately. Refer to R1230D GC 5 - Terms of Payment.

Q17. Is there an escalation provision for hourly rates beyond the first year?

A17. No.

Q18. Please define if the word `project` refers to the Construction Engineering Services Project (EQ754-141656/A) or to the Randle Reef Project Phase 1 as a whole or to the Randle reef project phases 1-3?

Specifically in the INTENT paragraph the statement "this approved deliverable will become the Project Scope of Services and will be utilized throughout the project to guide the delivery" refers to the Construction Engineering Services Project?

A18. The statement "this approved deliverable will become the Project Scope of Services and will be utilized throughout the project to guide the delivery" is for the Construction Engineering Services Project.

Q19. In section 1.2 item 3. Analyze the project requirements/ program. Clarify if this refers to Construction Engineering Services - Phase 1 of Randle Reef - or All 3 phases of Randle Reef?

A19. The scope of services is for Stage 1.

Q20. It appears that the term "project " refers to RR Construction phases 1- 3 but we would like clarification for this entire page of the document.

A20. The scope of services is defined in PD 2 Project Identification 2.2 Scope of Services.

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