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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL DEMANDE DE PROPOSITION

**Proposal To: Public Works and Government
Services Canada**

We hereby offer to sell to Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada, in accordance with the terms and conditions set out herein, referred to herein or attached hereto, the goods, services, and construction listed herein and on any attached sheets at the price(s) set out therefor.

**Proposition aux: Travaux Publics et Services
Gouvernementaux Canada**

Nous offrons par la présente de vendre à Sa Majesté la Reine du chef du Canada, aux conditions énoncées ou incluses par référence dans la présente et aux annexes ci-jointes, les biens, services et construction énumérés ici sur toute feuille ci-annexée, au(x) prix indiqué(s).

Comments - Commentaires

Title - Sujet Spare Parts/Pièces de Rechange		
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation W8486-149423/A	Date 2014-02-13	
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client W8486-149423		
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$\$HS-619-64664		
File No. - N° de dossier hs619.W8486-149423	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME	
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2014-03-26		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: Vlahos, Helen		Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur hs619
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (819) 956-1107 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX () -	
Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction: Specified Herein Précisé dans les présentes		

Instructions: See Herein

Instructions: Voir aux présentes

Vendor/Firm Name and Address
Raison sociale et adresse du
fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur

Issuing Office - Bureau de distribution
Industrial Vehicles & Machinery Products Division
11 Laurier St./11, rue Laurier
7B1, Place du Portage, Phase III
Gatineau
Québec
K1A 0S5

Delivery Required - Livraison exigée See Herein	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



Destination Code - Code destinataire	Destination Address - Adresse de la destination	Invoice Code - Code bur.-comptable	Invoice Address - Adresse de facturation
W248A	DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE BLDG 236 EAST END 195 AVE&82ND ST EDMONTON Alberta T5J4J5 Canada	W2481	DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE 7 CF SUPPLY DEPOT STN FORCES P.O.BOX 10500 EDMONTON Alberta T5J4J5 Canada
WB941	DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE CFSD MONTREAL 6363 RUE NOTRE DAME ST E. MONTREAL Quebec H1N3V9 Canada	W1941	DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE C.P. 4000 SUCC K MONTREAL Quebec H1N3R9 Canada



Item Article	Description	Dest. Code Dest.	Inv. Code Fact.	Qty Qté	U. of I. U. de D.	Unit Price/Prix unitaire FOB/FAM Destination Plant/Usine	Delivery Req. Livraison Req.	Del. Offered Liv. offerte
6	NSN - NNO: 2590-21-910-8582 SUPPORT RETRACTABLE TRAILER Part # / N/P offered / offert: • NSCM / COF offered / offert: NSCM/CAGE - COF/CAGE: 35907 Part No. - N° de la partie: 875032-1	W248A	W2481	75	Each	\$ XXXXXXXXXXXXXX	See Herein	
7	NSN - NNO: 4730-21-914-6274 UNION PIPE Part: 104-D Supplier: 36655 • Part: 9575601 Supplier: 35907 • Part # / N/P offered / offert: NSCM / COF offered / offert: •	W248A	W2481	100	Each	\$ XXXXXXXXXXXXXX	See Herein	
8	NSN - NNO: 9905-21-910-1319 REFLECTOR INDICATING CLEARANCE Part # / N/P offered / offert: • NSCM / COF offered / offert: NSCM/CAGE - COF/CAGE: D0392 Part No. - N° de la partie: 420 001	WB941	W1941	100	Each	\$ XXXXXXXXXXXXXX	See Herein	
9	NSN - NNO: 2590-21-910-8582 SUPPORT, RETRACTABLE, TRAILER Part # / N/P offered / offert: •	WB941	W1941	110	Each	\$ XXXXXXXXXXXXXX	See Herein	



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Buyer ID - Id de l'acheteur

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PART 1 - GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Security Requirement

There is no security requirement associated with this bid solicitation.

2. Requirement

The requirement is detailed under the “Line Item Detail” and in the Design Data List (DDL-8486-149423 dated 2013-09-17).

3. Debriefings

Bidders may request a debriefing on the results of the bid solicitation. Bidders should make the request to the Contracting Authority within **fifteen (15)** working days of receipt of notification that their bid was unsuccessful. The debriefing may be provided in writing, by telephone or in person.

PART 2 - BIDDER INSTRUCTIONS

1. Standard Instructions, Clauses and Conditions

All instructions, clauses and conditions identified in the bid solicitation by number, date and title are set out in the Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC).

Bidders who submit a bid agree to be bound by the instructions, clauses and conditions of the bid solicitation and accept the terms and conditions of the resulting contract.

The 2003 (2013-06-01) Standard Instructions - Goods or Services - Competitive Requirements, are incorporated by reference into and form part of the bid solicitation.

Subsection 05.4 of 2003, Standard Instructions - Goods or Services - Competitive Requirements, is amended as follows:

Delete: Bids will remain open for acceptance for a period of not less than **sixty (60) days** from the closing date of the bid solicitation

Insert: Bids will remain open for acceptance for a period of not less than **ninety (90) calendar days** from the closing date of the bid solicitation

2. Submission of Bids

Bids must be submitted only to Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) Bid Receiving Unit by the date, time and place indicated on page 1 of the bid solicitation.

3. Enquiries - Bid Solicitation

All enquiries must be submitted to the Contracting Authority no later than **seven (7)** calendar days before the bid closing date. Enquiries received after that time may not be answered.

Bidders should reference as accurately as possible the numbered item of the bid solicitation to which the enquiry relates. Care should be taken by bidders to explain each question in sufficient detail in order to enable Canada to provide an accurate answer. Technical enquiries that are of a proprietary nature must be clearly marked "proprietary" at each relevant item. Items identified as "proprietary" will be treated as such except where Canada determines that the enquiry is not of a proprietary nature. Canada may edit the questions or may request that the Bidder do so, so that the proprietary nature of the question is eliminated, and the enquiry can be answered with copies to all bidders. Enquiries not submitted in a form that can be distributed to all bidders may not be answered by Canada.

4. Applicable Laws

Any resulting contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Ontario.

Bidders may, at their discretion, substitute the applicable laws of a Canadian province or territory of their choice without affecting the validity of their bid, by deleting the name of the Canadian

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province or territory specified and inserting the name of the Canadian province or territory of their choice. If no change is made, it acknowledges that the applicable laws specified are acceptable to the bidders.

5. Environmental Considerations

Canada is committed to greening its supply chain. In April 2006, Canada issued a policy directing federal departments and agencies to take the necessary steps to acquire products and services that have a lower impact on the environment than those traditionally acquired. Environmental performance considerations include, among other things: the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions and air contaminants; improved energy and water efficiency; reduced waste and support reuse and recycling; the use of renewable resources; reduced hazardous waste; and reduced toxic and hazardous substances. In accordance with the Policy on Green Procurement, for this solicitation:

The successful bidder will be requested, after contract award, to provide all correspondence including (but not limited to) documents, reports and invoices in electronic format unless otherwise specified by the Contracting Authority, the Technical Authority or the Procurement Authority, thereby reducing printed material.

Bidders should recycle (shred) unneeded copies of non-classified/secure documents (taking into consideration the Security Requirements).

Product components used in performing the services should be recyclable and/or reusable, whenever possible.

6. Design Data List (DDL) Request

To order a copy of the DDL, drawings, and specifications, bidders must contact the Contracting Authority by email and provide their full mailing address. If bidders have not received the documents at least ten (10) calendar days prior to bid closing date, bidders should communicate with the Contracting Authority.

PART 3 - BID PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

1. Bid Preparation Instructions

Canada requests that bidders provide their bid in separately bound sections as follows:

First page of the Request for Proposal signed by the bidder or an authorized representative of the Bidder (1 signed copy)

Section I: Technical Bid (1 hard copy)

Section II: Financial Bid (1 hard copy)

Section III: Certifications (1 hard copy)

Section IV: Additional Information (1 hard copy)

Canada requests that bidders follow the format instructions described below in the preparation of their bid:

- (a) use 8.5 x 11 inch (216 mm x 279 mm) paper;
- (b) use a numbering system that corresponds to the bid solicitation.

In April 2006, Canada issued a policy directing federal departments and agencies to take the necessary steps to incorporate environmental considerations into the procurement process Policy on Green Procurement (<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ecologisation-greening/achats-procurement/politique-policy-eng.html>). To assist Canada in reaching its objectives, bidders should:

- 1) use 8.5 x 11 inch (216 mm x 279 mm) paper containing fibre certified as originating from a sustainably-managed forest and containing minimum 30% recycled content; and
- 2) use an environmentally-preferable format including black and white printing instead of colour printing, printing double sided/duplex, using staples or clips instead of cerlox, duotangs or binders.

Section I: Technical Bid

In their technical bid, bidders should explain and demonstrate how they propose to meet the requirements and how they will carry out the Work.

1. Equivalent Products

1. Products that are equivalent in form, fit, function, quality and performance to the item(s) specified in the bid solicitation will be considered where the bidder provides the following information upon request of the Contracting Authority:

- (a) designates the brand name, model and/or part number of the substitute product;

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- (b) states that the substitute product is fully interchangeable with the item specified;
- (c) provides complete specifications and descriptive literature for each substitute product;
- (d) provides compliance statements that include technical specifics showing the substitute product meets all mandatory performance criteria that are specified in the bid solicitation; and
- (e) clearly identifies those areas in the specifications and descriptive literature that support the substitute product's compliance with any mandatory performance criteria.

2. Products offered as equivalent in form, fit, function, quality and performance will not be considered if:

- (a) the bid fails to provide all the information requested to allow the Contracting Authority to fully evaluate the equivalency of each substitute product; or
- (b) the substitute product fails to meet or exceed the mandatory performance criteria specified in the bid solicitation for that item.

3. In conducting its evaluation of the bids, Canada may, but will have no obligation to, request bidders offering an substitute product to demonstrate, at the sole cost of bidders, that the substitute product is equivalent to the item specified in the bid solicitation.

4. Bidders are encouraged to offer or suggest green products whenever possible.

1.2 Substitute Products - Replaced Part Numbers from the OEM

1. Products that are replaced part number (superseded or obsolete) from the OEM must be equivalent in form, fit, function, quality and performance to the original item(s) specified in the bid solicitation and will be considered where the bidder provides upon request of the Contracting Authority:

- a. proof by submitting a copy of a Certificate of Conformity from the Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) providing justification/explanation that the part numbers are a replacement of the OEM parts specified herein and are equivalent in form, fit, function, quality and performance to the OEM's parts specified herein; or
- b. all required technical information (as detailed in Part 3, Section I, 1.1 Equivalent Product) to demonstrate their technical compliance and to confirm form, fit, function, quality and performance of these replaced part numbers.

2. In conducting its evaluation of the bids, Canada may, but will have no obligation to, request bidders offering a substitute product to demonstrate, at the sole cost of bidders, that the substitute product is equivalent to the item specified in the bid solicitation.

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2. Samples

The Bidder must, upon request from the Contracting Authority, provide a sample to the Technical Authority, transportation charges prepaid, and without charge to Canada, within **fourteen (14)** calendar days from the date of request. The sample submitted by the Bidder will remain the property of Canada and will not be considered as part of the deliverables in any resulting contract. If the sample does not meet the requirements of the bid solicitation or the Bidder fails to comply with the request of the Contracting Authority, the bid will be declared non-responsive.

Section II: Financial Bid

1. Pricing

Bidders must submit their bid in accordance with the Basis of Payment specified in Part 6.

Prices should appear in the “Line Item Detail” only.


Bidders must submit firm prices, in Canadian dollars, Delivered Duty Paid at destination, Incoterms 2000, Canadian Custom Duties and Excise Taxes included where applicable and Applicable Taxes must be shown separately.

2. Pricing - Multi-Item Bid Solicitation

Bidders do not have to quote a price for all items identified in the bid solicitation. However, Bidders must quote a price for all items with identical Nato Stock Numbers in order to be evaluated. Bidders may withdraw one or more items from their bid, after bid closing but prior to contract award, by advising in writing the Contracting Authority.

3. SACC Manual Clauses

3.1 Exchange Rate Fluctuation Risk Mitigation

1. The Bidder may request Canada to assume the risks and benefits of exchange rate fluctuations. If the Bidder claims for an exchange rate adjustment, this request must be clearly indicated in the bid at time of bidding. The Bidder must submit form [PWGSC-TPSGC 450](#) , Claim for Exchange Rate Adjustments with its bid, indicating the Foreign Currency Component (FCC) in Canadian dollars for each line item for which an exchange rate adjustment is required.
2. The FCC is defined as the portion of the price or rate that will be directly affected by exchange rate fluctuations. The FCC should include all related taxes, duties and other costs paid by the Bidder and which are to be included in the adjustment amount.
3. The total price paid by Canada on each invoice will be adjusted at the time of payment, based on the FCC and the exchange rate fluctuation provision in the contract. The exchange rate adjustment will only be applied where the exchange rate fluctuation is greater than 2% (increase or decrease).

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4. At time of bidding, the Bidder must complete columns (1) to (4) on form [PWGSC-TPSGC 450](#), for each line item where they want to invoke the exchange rate fluctuation provision. Where bids are evaluated in Canadian dollars, the dollar values provided in column (3) should also be in Canadian dollars, so that the adjustment amount is in the same currency as the payment.

5. Alternate rates or calculations proposed by the Bidder will not be accepted for the purposes of this exchange rate fluctuation provision.

Section III: Certifications

1. Certifications

Bidders must submit the certifications required under Part 5.

Section IV: Additional Information

1. Additional Information

Canada requests that bidders submit the following information:

1.1 Delivery

While delivery is requested by July 2014, Bidders should indicate the best delivery that could be offered in the "Line Item Detail".

1.1.1 Mandatory Delivery

Bidder must propose delivery dates that meet the mandatory delivery date found in paragraph 1.1. If the delivery date proposed does not meet the requirements of the bid solicitation, the bid will be declared non-responsive.

1.2 Supplier's Representatives

Canada requests that Bidders provide information for the contact person responsible for:

General enquiries

Name:

Telephone No:

Facsimile No:

E-mail address:

Delivery follow-up

Name:

Telephone No:

Facsimile No:

E-mail address:

PART 4 - EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION

1. Evaluation Procedures

- (a) Bids will be assessed in accordance with the entire requirement of the bid solicitation including the technical and financial evaluation criteria.
- (b) An evaluation team composed of representatives of Canada will evaluate the bids.

1.2 Financial Evaluation

1.2.1 Mandatory Financial Evaluation Criteria

The price of the bid must be in Canadian dollars, Delivered Duty Paid at destination, Incoterms 2000, Canadian Custom Duties and Excise Taxes included where applicable and Applicable Taxes extra.

Bidders must quote a price for all destinations with the same Nato Stock Number.

2. Basis of Selection

A bid must comply with all requirements of the bid solicitation to be declared responsive. The responsive bid with the lowest evaluated price per Nato Stock Number will be recommended for award of a contract.

PART 5 - CERTIFICATIONS

Bidders must provide the required certifications and documentation to be awarded a contract.

The certifications provided by bidders to Canada are subject to verification by Canada at all times. Canada will declare a bid non-responsive, or will declare a contractor in default, if any certification made by the Bidder is found to be untrue whether during the bid evaluation period or during the contract period.

The Contracting Authority will have the right to ask for additional information to verify the Bidder's certifications. Failure to comply with this request will also render the bid non-responsive or will constitute a default under the Contract.

1. Mandatory Certifications Required Precedent to Contract Award

1.1 Code of Conduct and Certifications - Related documentation

By submitting a bid, the Bidder certifies that the Bidder and its affiliates are in compliance with the provisions as stated in Section 01 Code of Conduct and Certifications - Bid of Standard Instructions 2003. The related documentation there in required will assist Canada in confirming that the certifications are true.

2. Additional Certifications Precedent to Contract

Bidders must submit the certifications as provided below:

2.1 Additional Certifications Precedent to Contract Award

The certifications listed below should be completed and submitted with the bid, but may be submitted afterwards. If any of these required certifications is not completed and submitted as requested, the Contracting Authority will so inform the Bidder and provide the Bidder with a time frame within which to meet the requirement. Failure to comply with the request of the Contracting Authority and meet the requirement within that time period will render the bid non-responsive.

2.1.1 Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Bid Certification

By submitting a bid, the Bidder certifies that the Bidder, and any of the Bidder's members if the Bidder is a Joint Venture, is not named on the Federal Contractors Program (FCP) for employment equity "[FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid](http://www.labour.gc.ca/eng/standards_equity/eq/emp/fcp/list/inelig.shtml)" list (http://www.labour.gc.ca/eng/standards_equity/eq/emp/fcp/list/inelig.shtml) available from [Human Resources and Skills Development Canada \(HRSDC\)](#) - [Labour's](#) website

Canada will have the right to declare a bid non-responsive if the Bidder, or any member of the Bidder if the Bidder is a Joint Venture, appears on the "[FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid](#)" list at the time of contract award.

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PART 6 - RESULTING CONTRACT CLAUSES

1. Security Requirement

There is no security requirement applicable to this Contract.

2. Requirement

The Contractor must provide the items detailed under the "Line Item Detail" and in accordance with the Design Data List (DDL-8486-149423 dated 2013-09-17).

2.1 Technical Changes, Substitutes and Alternatives

Any technical changes, equivalent products and alternatives proposed by the Contractor must be evaluated for acceptance by the Technical Authority. Any equivalent products and alternatives must be equivalent in form, fit, function and performance. Equivalent products and alternatives that are offered as equivalent will only be acceptable once they are approved by the Technical Authority as an equivalent. A contract amendment or a completed Design Change/Deviation form will be issued.

Should the Technical Authority not accept the equivalent product or the alternative and the Contractor is unable to meet the technical requirement, Canada may terminate the contract for default in accordance with the general conditions stated in the contract.

3. Standard Clauses and Conditions

All clauses and conditions identified in the Contract by number, date and title are set out in the [Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual](#), issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC).

3.1 General Conditions

2010A (2013-04-25) General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity) apply to and form part of the Contract.

4. Term of Contract

4.1 Complete Delivery

The Contractor must make the delivery as detailed under the "Line Item Detail".

5. Authorities

5.1 Contracting Authority

The Contracting Authority for the Contract is:

Helen Vlahos

Supply Specialist

Public Works and Government Services Canada

Acquisitions Branch

Logistics, Electrical, Fuel and Transportation Directorate

"HS" Division

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Place du Portage, Phase III, 7B1
11 Laurier Street
Gatineau, QC K1A 0S5
Telephone : 819-956-1107
Facsimile: 819-956-5227
E-mail address: helen.vlahos@pwgsc-tpsgc.gc.ca

The Contracting Authority is responsible for the management of the Contract and any changes to the Contract must be authorized in writing by the Contracting Authority. The Contractor must not perform work in excess of or outside the scope of the Contract based on verbal or written requests or instructions from anybody other than the Contracting Authority.

5.2 Procurement Authority

The Procurement Authority for the contract is:

Name: **to be inserted by PWGSC**

DLP:

National Defence Headquarters
Mgen. George R. Pearkes Building
101 Colonel By Drive
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0K2
Telephone:
Facsimile:
E-mail address:

The Procurement Authority is the representative of the department or agency for whom the Work is being carried out under the Contract. The Procurement Authority is responsible for the implementation of tools and processes required for the administration of the Contract. The Contractor may discuss administrative matters identified in the Contract with the Procurement Authority however the Procurement Authority has no authority to authorize changes to the scope of the Work. Changes to the scope of Work can only be made through a contract amendment issued by the Contracting Authority.

5.3 Contractor's Representatives

General enquiries

Name: **to be inserted by PWGSC**

Telephone No:

Facsimile No:

E-mail address:

Delivery follow-up

Name: **to be inserted by PWGSC**

Telephone No:

Facsimile No:

E-mail address:

6. Payment

6.1 Basis of Payment - Firm Price

In consideration of the Contractor satisfactorily completing all of its obligations under the Contract, the Contractor will be paid firm prices, in Canadian dollars, Delivered Duty Paid at destination, Incoterms 2000, Canadian Custom Duties, Excise Taxes included where applicable and Applicable Taxes extra.

6.2 SACC Manual Clauses

SACC Reference	Title	Date
C2000C	Taxes - Foreign-based Contractor	2007-11-30
C6000C	Limitation of Price	2011-05-16
H1001C	Multiple Payments	2008-05-12

6.3 Exchange Rate Fluctuation Adjustment

1. The foreign currency component (FCC) is defined as the portion of the price or rate that will be directly affected by exchange rate fluctuation. The FCC should include all related taxes, duties and other costs paid by the Bidder and which are to be included in the adjustment amount.

2. For each line item where a FCC is identified, Canada assumes the risks and benefits for exchange rate fluctuation, as shown in the Basis of Payment. For such items, the exchange rate fluctuation amount is determined in accordance with the provision of this clause.

3. The total price paid by Canada on each invoice will be adjusted at the time of payment, based on the FCC and the exchange rate fluctuation provisions in the contract. The exchange rate adjustment amount will be calculated in accordance with the following formula:

$$\text{Adjustment} = \text{FCC} \times \text{Qty} \times (i_1 - i_0) / i_0$$

where formula variables correspond to:

FCC

Foreign Currency Component (per unit)

i_0

Initial exchange rate (CAN\$ per unit of foreign currency [e.g. US\$1])

i_1

exchange rate for adjustments (CAN\$ per unit of foreign currency [e.g. US\$1])


Qty


quantity of units

4. The initial exchange rate is typically set as the noon rate as published by the Bank of Canada on the solicitation closing date.

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5. For goods, the exchange rate for adjustment will be the noon rate as published by the Bank of Canada on the date the goods were delivered. For services, the exchange rate for adjustment will be the noon rate on the last business day of the month for which the services were performed. For advance payments, the exchange rate for adjustment will be the noon rate on the date the payment was due. The most recent noon rate will be used for non-business days.

6. The Contractor must indicate the total exchange rate adjustment amount (either upward, downward or no change) as a separate item on each invoice or claim for payment submitted under the Contract. Where an adjustment applies, the Contractor must submit with their invoice form [PWGSC-TPSGC 450](#) , Claim for Exchange Rate Adjustments.

7. The exchange rate adjustment will only be applied where the exchange rate fluctuation is greater than 2% (increase or decrease), calculated in accordance with column 8 of form [PWGSC-TPSGC 450](#)  (i.e. $[i_1 - i_0] / i_0$).

8. Canada reserves the right to audit any revision to costs and prices under this clause.

7. Invoicing Instructions

1. The Contractor must submit invoices in accordance with the section entitled “Invoice Submission” of the general conditions. Invoices cannot be submitted until all work identified on the invoice is completed.

2. The contractor is requested to provide invoices in electronic format to the Contracting Authority and Procurement Authority unless otherwise specified by the Contracting Authority or Procurement Authority, thereby reducing printed material.

3. Invoices must be distributed as follows:

(a) The original and one (1) copy must be forwarded to the consignee for acceptance and payment.

(b) One (1) copy must be forwarded or e-mail to the Contracting Authority identified under the section entitled “Authorities” of the Contract.

(c) One (1) copy must be forwarded or e-mail to the Procurement Authority identified under the section entitled “Authorities” of the Contract.

8. Certifications

8.1 Compliance

Compliance with the certifications and related documentation provided by the Contractor in its bid is a condition of the Contract and subject to verification by Canada during the term of the Contract. If the Contractor does not comply with any certification, provide the related documentation or if it is determined that any certification made by the Contractor in its bid is untrue, whether made knowingly or unknowingly, Canada has the right, pursuant to the default provision of the Contract, to terminate the Contract for default.

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9. Applicable Laws

The Contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Ontario.

10. Priority of Documents

If there is a discrepancy between the wording of any documents that appear on the list, the wording of the document that first appears on the list has priority over the wording of any document that subsequently appears on the list:

- (a) the Articles of Agreement;
- (b) 2010A (2013-04-25) General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity);
- (c) the Contractor's bid dated **to be inserted by PWGSC**, as amended **to be inserted by PWGSC**.

11. SACC Manual Clauses

SACC Reference	Title	Date
A9006C	Defence Contract	2012-07-16
B7500C	Excess Goods	2006-06-16
C2800C	Priority Rating	2013-01-28
C2801C	Priority Rating - Canadian-based Contractors	2011-05-16
D2025C	Wood Packaging Materials	2013-11-06
D5510C	Quality Assurance Authority (DND) - Canadian-based Contractor	2012-07-16
D5515C	Quality Assurance Authority (DND) - Foreign-based and United States Contractor	2010-01-11
D5540C	ISO 9001:2008 Quality Management Systems - Requirements (QAC Q) Items # 6 & 9	2010-08-16
D5545C	ISO 9001:2008 - Quality Management Systems - Requirements (QAC C) Items 7, 8, 10	2010-08-16
D5604C	Release Documents (DND) - Foreign-based Contractor Items # 6 & 9	2008-12-12
D5605C	Release Documents (DND) - United States-based Contractor Items # 6 & 9	2010-01-11
D5606C	Release Documents (DND) - Canadian-based Contractor Items # 6 & 9	2012-07-16
D6010C	Palletization	2007-11-30
D9002C	Incomplete Assemblies	2007-11-30
G1005C	Insurance	2008-05-12

12. Preparation for Delivery

The Contractor must prepare all items for delivery in accordance with the latest issue of the Canadian Forces Packaging Specification D-LM-008-036/SF-000, DND Minimum Requirements for Manufacturer's Standard Pack.

The Contractor must package all items in quantities of up to a maximum of one hundred (100) by package.

13. Shipping Instructions - Delivery and Destination

1. The Contractor must ship the goods prepaid DDP - Delivered Duty Paid (... named place of destination). Unless otherwise directed, delivery must be made by the most economical means. Shipping charges must be shown as a separate item on the Contractor's invoice. The Contractor is responsible for all delivery charges, administration, costs and risks of transport and customs clearance, including the payment of customs duties and Applicable Taxes.

2. The Contractor must deliver the goods to Canadian Forces (CF) Supply Depots by appointment only. The Contractor or its carrier must arrange delivery appointments by contacting the Depot Traffic Section at the appropriate location shown below. The consignee may refuse shipments when prior arrangements have not been made.

- (a) 7 CF Supply Depot Lancaster Park
Edmonton, Alberta
Telephone: 780-973-4011, ext. 4524
- (b) 25 CF Supply Depot Montreal
Montreal, Qué.
Telephone: 1-866-935-8673 (toll free), or
514-252-2777, ext. 2363 / 4673 / 4282

14. Release Documents - Distribution - Items # 6 & 9

The Contractor must prepare the release documents in a current electronic format and distribute them as follows:

- (a) One (1) copy mailed to consignee marked: "Attention: Receipts Officer";
- (b) Two (2) copies with shipment (in a waterproof envelope) to the consignee;
- (c) One (1) copy to the Contracting Authority;
- (d) One (1) copy to:

National Defence Headquarters
Mgen George R. Pearkes Building
101 Colonel By Drive
Ottawa, ON K1A 0K2
Attention: **to be inserted by PWGSC**

- (e) One (1) copy: to the Quality Assurance Representative;
- (f) One (1) copy: to the Contractor;

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(g) One (1) copy: all non-Canadian contractors to:

DQA/Contract Administration
National Defence Headquarters
Mgen George R. Pearkes Building
101 Colonel By Drive
Ottawa, ON K1A 0K2
E-mail: ContractAdmin.DQA@forces.gc.ca.

15. Environmental Considerations

Canada is committed to greening its supply chain. In April 2006, Canada issued a policy directing federal departments and agencies to take the necessary steps to acquire products and services that have a lower impact on the environment than those traditionally acquired. Environmental performance considerations include, among other things: the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions and air contaminants; improved energy and water efficiency; reduced waste and support reuse and recycling; the use of renewable resources; reduced hazardous waste; and reduced toxic and hazardous substances. In accordance with the Policy on Green Procurement:

The Contractor is requested to provide all correspondence including (but not limited to) documents and reports in electronic format unless otherwise specified by the Contracting Authority, thereby reducing printed material.

The Contractor should recycle (shred) unneeded copies of non-classified/secure documents (taking into consideration the Security Requirements).

Product components used in performing the services should be recyclable and/or reusable, whenever possible.