

Questions 2-5 to CMHC RFSO Actuarial Services and Financial Risk Modelling Consulting Services

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Question 2

Can CMHC confirm that the travel costs are separate from the hourly rates and will be reimbursed in accordance with CMHC travel rates and policies?

Answer 2

Yes, pre-approved travel costs are separate from the hourly rates and will be reimbursed in accordance with CMHC travel rates and policies.

Question 3

In section 4.5 of the RFSO, it is stated that offeror must provide detailed information relative to the specifications listed in Section 3. As specific project deliverables will be covered by a separate call-up, what level of details do you expect to be presented in the proposal for the Response to Statement of Goods and/or Services?

Answer 3

Proponent should use this section to identify their approach for providing these services, their experience, understanding and expertise in the areas described in Section 3 and outline the deliverables or methodologies that would increase their likelihood of success in delivering these services.

Question 4

What is your timeline for various work streams? Do you expect any seasonally high demand for consulting work?

Answer 4

This RFSO covers a long term horizon. However, we do know that there are some activities currently in the planning stage that will take advantage of this RFSO almost immediately. Proponents should assume some work streams will start immediately. There is no seasonality to the demand overall.

Question 5

Do you prefer to have the consulting team work onsite during the project engagement?

Answer 5

This will vary by engagement. Particularly early in any engagement, there is a high likelihood for a need for some on-site presence.