



**Q&A #1**

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**Project:** 01B46-14-0056- LIGHTING RETROFIT T12 TO T8 FLUORESCENT FIXTURES CONVERSION. Normandin, Quebec

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Bidders must make sure that their bids are based on the latest version of the tender documents published and take into consideration the following amendments and information, including any information provided on amendments or Q&As previously published for this project.

Bidders that do not comply with this requirement will be discarded.

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**Questions and answers:**

Q1. I would recommend we look at LED – will save money and labor costs in the future as well as generate better lighting.

A1. The LED tubes don't meet the requirements described at section 4.1 of the Specifications. More specifically, regarding the lumen output which is lower (2200 lm vs 2900 lm required). In addition, LED tubes are much more expensive to purchase. For these reasons, these tubes are not considered an approved equivalent.

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