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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 Kettle/Mixer	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation 01550-150306/A	Date 2014-11-28
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client 01550-150306	
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$XSB-005-7380	
File No. - N° de dossier XSB-4-37226 (005)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2015-01-12	
Time Zone Fuseau horaire Pacific Standard Time PST	
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: Armstrong, Wendy	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur xsb005
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (604) 775-7691 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX (604) 775-7526
Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction: DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND AGRI-FOOD PACIFIC AGRI-FOOD RESEARCH CENTRE - SUMMERLAND 4200 HIGHWAY 97, PO BOX 5000 SUMMERLAND British Columbia V0M 1Z0 Canada	

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

Public Works and Government Services Canada - Pacific
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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

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PART 1 - GENERAL INFORMATION

1.1 Requirement

Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada has a requirement for a new Kettle / Mixer Electric as per specifications in Annex A to be delivered to Pacific Agri-Food Research Centre, 4200 Highway 97; PO Box 5000, Summerland, BC V0H 1Z0.

1.2 Debriefings

Bidders may request a debriefing on the results of the bid solicitation process. Bidders should make the request to the Contracting Authority within 15 working days from receipt of the results of the bid solicitation process. The debriefing may be in writing, by telephone or in person.

1.3 Trade Agreements

The requirement is subject to the provisions of the World Trade Organization Agreement (WTO), North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA), and the Agreement on Internal Trade (AIT)."

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PART 2 - BIDDER INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 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* (<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual>) issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

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

The 2003 (2014-09-25) Standard Instructions - Goods or Services - Competitive Requirements, are incorporated by reference into and form part of the bid solicitation.

2.2 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.

2.3 Enquiries - Bid Solicitation

All enquiries must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Authority no later than ten (10) 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 question(s) or may request that the Bidder do so, so that the proprietary nature of the question(s) is eliminated, and the enquiry can be answered to all bidders. Enquiries not submitted in a form that can be distributed to all bidders may not be answered by Canada.

2.4 Applicable Laws

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

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 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.

PART 3 - BID PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Bid Preparation Instructions

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

Section I: Technical Bid (3 hard copies)

Section II: Financial Bid (1 hard copy)

Section III: Certification (1 hard copy)

Prices must appear in the financial bid only. No prices must be indicated in any other section of the bid.

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) (<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

a. Substantiation of Technical Compliance Form: The technical bid must substantiate the compliance of the Bidder and its proposed solution with the specific articles of Annex A (Requirement) identified in the Substantiation of Technical Compliance Form, which is the requested format for providing the substantiation. The Substantiation of Technical Compliance Form is not required to address any parts of this bid solicitation not referenced in the form.

Where Canada determines that the substantiation is not complete, the Bidder will be declared non-responsive and disqualified. The substantiation may refer to additional documentation submitted with the bid - this information can be referenced in the "Reference" column of the Substantiation of Technical Compliance Form, where bidders are requested to indicate where in the bid the reference material can be found, including the title of the document, and the page and paragraph numbers; where the reference is not sufficiently precise, Canada may request that the Bidder direct Canada to the appropriate location in the documentation.

Section II: Financial Bid

Bidders must submit their financial bid in accordance with the Basis of Payment. The total amount of Applicable Taxes must be shown separately.

Section III: Certifications

Bidders must submit the certifications required under Part 5.

PART 4 - EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION

4.1 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.

4.1.1 Technical Evaluation

4.1.1.1 Mandatory Technical Criteria

a. Each bid will be reviewed for compliance with the mandatory requirements of the bid solicitation. Any element of the bid solicitation that are identified specifically with the words "must" or "mandatory" is a mandatory requirement. Bids that do not comply with each and every mandatory requirement will be declared non-responsive and be disqualified.

b. The mandatory requirements are described in Technical Compliance Form Annex A.

4.1.2 Financial Evaluation

The price of the bid will be evaluated in Canadian dollars, Applicable Taxes excluded, FOB destination, Canadian customs duties and excise taxes included.

4.2. Basis of Selection

A bid must comply with the requirements of the bid solicitation and meet all mandatory technical evaluation criteria to be declared responsive. The responsive bid with the lowest evaluated price will be recommended for award of a contract.

PART 5 - CERTIFICATIONS

Bidders must provide the required certifications and associated information 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 in carrying out any of its obligations under the Contract, if any certification made by the Bidder is found to be untrue whether made knowingly or unknowingly, 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 and to cooperate with any request or requirement imposed by the Contracting Authority may render the bid non-responsive or constitute a default under the Contract.

5.1 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 inform the Bidder of a time frame within which to provide the information. Failure to comply with the request of the Contracting Authority and to provide the certifications within the time frame provided will render the bid non-responsive.

5.1.1 Integrity Provisions - Associated Information

By submitting a bid, the Bidder certifies that the Bidder and its Affiliates are in compliance with the provisions as stated in Section 01 Integrity Provisions - Bid of Standard Instructions 2003. The associated information required within the Integrity Provisions will assist Canada in confirming that the certifications are true.

5.1.2 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" list (http://www.labour.gc.ca/eng/standards_equity/eq/emp/fcp/list/inelig.shtml) available from Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC) - 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

The following clauses and conditions apply to and form part of any contract resulting from the bid solicitation.

6.1 Security Requirements

6.1.1 There is no security requirement applicable to this Contract.

6.2 Requirement

Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada has a requirement for a new Kettle / Mixer Electric as per specifications in Annex A to be delivered to Pacific Agri-Food Research Centre, 4200 Highway 97; PO Box 5000, Summerland, BC V0H 1Z0.

6.3 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](https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual) (https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual) issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

6.3.1 General Conditions

2010A (2014-09-25), General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity), apply to and form part of the Contract.

6.4 Term of Contract

6.4.1 Delivery Date

All the deliverables must be received on or before March 31, 2015.

6.5 Authorities

6.5.1 Contracting Authority

The Contracting Authority for the Contract is:

Wendy Armstrong
Supply Specialist
Public Works and Government Services Canada
219 - 800 Burrard St.
Vancouver, B.C. V6Z 0B9
Tel: (604) 775-7691
Fax: (604) 775-7526
E-Mail: wendy.armstrong@pwgsc.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.

6.5.2 Project Authority

The Project Authority for the Contract is:

Name: _____ to be inserted at time of award
Telephone : _____
Facsimile: _____
E-mail address: _____

The Project Authority is the representative of the department or agency for whom the Work is being carried out under the Contract and is responsible for all matters concerning the technical content of the Work under the Contract. Technical matters may be discussed with the Project Authority, however the

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Project Authority has no authority to authorize changes to the scope of the Work. Changes to the scope of the Work can only be made through a contract amendment issued by the Contracting Authority.

6.5.3 Contractor's Representative

Name: _____
Telephone : _____
Facsimile: _____
E-mail address: _____

6.6 Payment

6.6.1 Basis of Payment

Item	Description	Qty	Unit of Issue	Extended Price (\$ CDN)
1	New Kettle/Mixer Electric (As detailed herein) Type: Model #: Lot Price Includes: All Freight, delivery, and offloading charges in accordance with Annex A - Requirement.	1	lot	\$
TOTAL				\$

6.6.2 Single Payment

SACC *Manual* clause [H1000C](#) (2007-11-30) Single Payment

6.7. Invoicing Instructions

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 in the invoice is completed.

Invoices must be distributed as follows:

The original and one (1) copy must be forwarded to the address shown on page 1 of the Contract for certification and payment.

6.8 Certifications

6.8.1 Compliance

The continuous compliance with the certifications provided by the Contractor in its bid and the ongoing cooperation in providing associated information are conditions of the Contract. Certifications are subject to verification by Canada during the entire period of the Contract. If the Contractor does not comply with any certification, fails to provide the associated information, 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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6.9 Applicable Laws

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

6.10 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) the general conditions – Goods Medium Complexity 2010A (2014-09-25);
- (c) Annex A, Technical Compliance Form;
- (d) the Contractor's bid dated _____

Annex A Technical Compliance Form

1. MANDATORY TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Item No.	Description	Met	Specify Page Number in your proposal. <i>(Note to Bidders: this information is for evaluation purposes only and will be removed at the time of contract award)</i>
1	General description - Kettle/Mixer, electric, floor type, minimum 20 gallons to a maximum 25 gallons capacity, 2/3 steam jacket, variable speed scraper and agitator, tilt type with hand crank, cover, and stainless steel construction.	Yes ___ No ___	
2	System must fit within a space that is 45" wide x 45" deep x 48" high (1150mm x 1150mm x 1220mm).	Yes ___ No ___	
3	Kettle size minimum 20 gallons to a maximum 25 gallons (80-100 liters), with volume (liters preferred) markings on scraper shaft or kettle.	Yes ___ No ___	
4	Solid state temperature control ($\pm 1^{\circ}\text{C}$) and solid state low water safety control.	Yes ___ No ___	
5	Steam jacket permanently filled with treated water, venting and/or refilling not required.	Yes ___ No ___	
6	50 psi jacket rating and safety valve mounted under kettle to avoid tampering.	Yes ___ No ___	
7	Water gauge not required.	Yes ___ No ___	
8	Rear mounted pressure/vacuum gauge and pressure relief valve protected by stainless steel bracket.	Yes ___ No ___	
9	Infinitely variable speed for all conditions; scraper from range 0-70 rpm, agitator range from 0-210 rpm.	Yes ___ No ___	
10	Removable (without tools) nylon blades that scrape entire jacketed surface	Yes ___ No ___	
11	Agitator and scraper bayonet mounted for easy removal	Yes ___ No ___	
12	Appropriately powered timing belt drive.	Yes ___	

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		No ___	
13	Totally enclosed, balanced, minimum 10 gauge stainless steel mixer bridge.	Yes ___ No ___	
14	Safety features: 1) Safety device to prevent high speed starts 2) Mixer stop when bridge is lifted.	Yes ___ No ___	
15	Kettle and all exterior surfaces are stainless steel.	Yes ___ No ___	
16	Double pantry faucet.	Yes ___ No ___	
17	Level adjustable feet that are flanged for bolting to floor.	Yes ___ No ___	
18	Large pouring lip	Yes ___ No ___	
19	Two-piece cover	Yes ___ No ___	
20	Hand crank tilt, self-locking, for easy pouring.	Yes ___ No ___	
21	Electrical: 208V, 60Hz, 3 phase, 3 wires.	Yes ___ No ___	
22	All equipment, parts and GR materials must be certified to CSA Standards.	Yes ___ No ___	
23	Qualified service representatives, support and parts available on-site within a minimum of 2 days and a maximum of 3 days after service call is place with supplier.	Yes ___ No ___	
24	Provide two copies in hardcopy English of the operating and maintenance manuals, wiring diagrams, etc.	Yes ___ No ___	

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AVIS AUX FOURNISSEURS: Pour le retour par la poste ou par messenger, veuillez utiliser UNE des étiquettes d'envoi ci-dessous et apposez-la à l'extérieur de votre enveloppe ou du colis contenant votre offre. Pour les offres soumises par télécopieur (n° du télécopieur pour la réception des offres: (604) 775-7526), utilisez cette page comme bordereau de télécopie. Assurez-vous que le nom de votre compagnie, l'adresse de retour, le numéro de l'invitation ouverte à soumissionner et la date de clôture soient lisibles à l'extérieur de votre offre.

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