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**Bid Receiving Public Works and Government
Services Canada/Réception des soumissions
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Canada**
**Room 100,
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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 Eureka Water and Sewage Systems	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation ET025-151029/A	Date 2014-12-18
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client PWGSC-ET025-151029	
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$PWZ-014-9316	
File No. - N° de dossier PWZ-4-37187 (014)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2015-02-03	
Time Zone Fuseau horaire Central Standard Time CST	
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: Fagan, Mike	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur pwz014
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (204) 983-6103 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX (204) 983-7796
Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND GOVERNMENT SERVICES CANADA 100-167 LOMBARD AVE WINNIPEG Manitoba R3B0T6 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 - Western
Region
Room 100,
167 Lombard Ave.
Winnipeg
Manitoba
R3B 0T6

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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SI1 INTRODUCTION

1. Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) intends to retain an individual consulting firm or joint venture to provide the professional services for the project as set out in this Request for Proposal (RFP).
2. Because of the considerable time and expense involved in the preparation, submission and evaluation of full proposals, proponents responding to this RFP are requested to submit a proposal in two phases. Phase One proposals cover only the qualifications, experience and organization of the proposed Consultant Team. Following evaluation and rating of these proposals, proponents are advised of their competitive standing and have the opportunity to decide whether or not to continue their participation by submitting a Phase Two proposal. Phase Two proposals cover the detailed approach to the work, and the pricing and terms offered. A combination of the Phase One and Phase Two submissions constitutes the final proposal.
3. Initially, firms are invited to submit a proposal in the first phase of the selection procedure outlined below. Only the Phase One information asked for in the RFP is to be included in the Phase One proposal, and evaluation and rating of Phase One proposals will be carried out only on the Phase One information requested. **IN PHASE ONE, NO MATERIAL IS TO BE SUBMITTED ON THE SUBJECT PROJECT ITSELF.**

SI2 PROPOSAL DOCUMENTS

1. All instructions, general terms, conditions and clauses identified in the RFP by number, date and title, are hereby incorporated by reference into and form part of this solicitation and any resultant contract.

All instructions, general terms, conditions and clauses identified in the RFP 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.

2. The following are the proposal documents:
 - (a) Supplementary Instructions to Proponents (SI);
R1110T (2014-09-25), General Instructions (GI) – Architectural and/or Engineering Services – Two Phase Request for Proposal;
Submission Requirements and Evaluation (SRE);
 - (b) the general terms, conditions and clauses, as amended, identified in the Agreement clause;
 - (c) Terms of Reference;
 - (d) the document entitled "General Procedures and Standards";
 - (e) the **Security Requirements Check List** (SRCL);
 - (f) any amendment to the solicitation document issued prior to the date set for receipt of Phase Two proposals;
 - (g) the proposal submitted at Phase One and Declaration/Certifications Form; and
 - (h) the proposal submitted at Phase Two and Price Proposal Form.

3. Submission of a proposal constitutes acknowledgment that the Proponent has read and agrees to be bound by these documents.

SI3 QUESTIONS OR REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION

Questions or requests for clarification during the solicitation period must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Authority named on the RFP - Page 1 as early as possible. Enquiries should be received no later than five (5) working days prior to the closing date identified on the front page of the Request for Proposal. Enquiries received after that date may not be answered prior to the closing date of the solicitation.

SI4 CANADA'S TRADE AGREEMENTS

This procurement is subject to the provisions of the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) and the World Trade Organization - Agreement on Government Procurement (WTO-AGP).

SI5 CERTIFICATIONS

1. Integrity Provisions - Associated Information

By submitting a proposal, the Proponent certifies that the Proponent and its Affiliates are in compliance with the provisions as stated in Section GI1 Integrity Provisions - Proposal of R1110T (2014-09-25) General Instructions (GI) – Architectural and/or Engineering Services – Two Phase Request for Proposal. The associated information required within the Integrity Provisions will assist Canada in confirming that the certifications are true.

2. Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Proposal Certification

By submitting a proposal, the Proponent certifies that the Proponent, and any of the Proponent's members if the Proponent 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 proposal non-responsive if the Proponent, or any member of the Proponent if the Proponent is a Joint Venture, appears on the "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list at the time of contract award.

Canada will also have the right to terminate the Agreement for default if a Consultant, or any member of the Consultant if the Consultant is a Joint Venture, appears on the "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list during the period of the Agreement.

The Proponent must provide the Contracting Authority with a completed Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Certification (see Appendix B - Declaration/Certifications Form), before contract award. If the Proponent is a Joint Venture, the Proponent must provide the Contracting Authority with a completed Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Certification, for each member of the Joint Venture.

SI6 SECURITY REQUIREMENT

1. Before award of a contract, the following conditions must be met:
 - (a) the Proponent must hold a valid organization security clearance as indicated in Supplementary Conditions SC1;
 - (b) the Proponent's proposed individuals requiring access to classified or protected information, assets or sensitive work site(s) must meet the security requirement as indicated in Supplementary Conditions SC1;
 - (c) the Proponent must provide the name of all individuals who will require access to classified or protected information, assets or sensitive work sites.;
2. Proponents are reminded to obtain the required security clearance promptly. Any delay in the award of a contract to allow the successful Proponent to obtain the required clearance will be at the entire discretion of the Contracting Authority.
3. For additional information on security requirements, proponents should refer to the Canadian Industrial Security Directorate (CISD), Industrial Security Program of Public Works and Government Services Canada (<http://ssi-iss.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/index-eng.html>) website.

SI7 Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (1993) (NLCA)

The requirements of the **Nunavut Land Claims Agreement**

(http://www.nucj.ca/library/bar_ads_mat/Nunavut_Land_Claims_Agreement.pdf)

will apply to the proposed procurement. Bidders are therefore requested to maximize Inuit employment, subcontracting and on-the-job training opportunities, and involve local, regional and Inuit citizens and businesses, in carrying out the work under this project. The benefits that apply to this procurement are contained in: Article 24 of The Agreement Between The Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada.

In compliance with the requirements of Article 24 - Government Contracts, of the Agreement Between The Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada, the following conditions shall apply in the award of any Contract resulting from this solicitation:

Contractor Selection

Any contract resulting from this solicitation will be awarded to the responsive bidder whose total assessed bid price is the lowest. In order to be considered responsive, a bid must satisfy all mandatory terms, conditions, and specifications of this solicitation document. The total assessed bid price will be used for evaluation purposes only and will be calculated by reducing the total actual bid price by a percentage equal to the total number of points assigned through evaluation of the bid in accordance with the Nunavut Settlement Area Bid Criteria.

Aboriginal Opportunities and Considerations

Bids will be evaluated and allocated a range of points in accordance with the degree to which the Bidder's proposed method of carrying out the work meets the objectives of the following criteria:

In this requirement "Nunavut Representations" will allow for up to a maximum of 10% downward adjustment to a proponent's price, for evaluation purposes only, in accordance with the following Bid Criteria. This provides for socioeconomic benefits in the region.

BID CRITERIA	AVAILABLE POINTS
1. The existence of head offices, administrative offices or other facilities in the Nunavut Settlement Area	1 Point
2. The employment of Inuit labour, or use of suppliers that are Inuit or Inuit firms in carrying out the contract. The employment of Inuit labour. Points will be assigned based on the following (one point for each item): a) Details on the work to be carried out for each position proposed to be filled by an Inuit person. b) Strategies for recruitment of Inuit persons. c) Strategies for retention of Inuit persons.	3 Points
2 d) Use of suppliers and identification of goods / services to be provided by Inuit firms, together with an estimate of the value of goods / services	2 Points
3. The undertaking of commitments, under the contract, with respect to on- the-job training or skills development for Inuit. Points will be assigned based on the following (one point for each item): a) Details of Apprenticeship program(s). b) Strategies for involving the use of College program(s) (e.g., the Nunavut Arctic College). c) Details regarding on-the job training. d) Details of In-house training program(s).	4 Points
TOTAL POSSIBLE POINTS	10 Points

For purposes of interpretation:

"Inuit firm" shall be a firm, the name of which appears on the most current list of Inuit firms created in accordance with the requirements of Article 24.7.1 of the Agreement Between The Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada; and

"Inuit" shall be a person whose name appears on the most current Inuit Enrolment List created in accordance with the requirements of Article 35.2.1 of the Agreement Between The Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada.

"deliveries to" means "goods delivered to, and services performed in".

For more information on the contents of these lists, please contact:

Nunavut Tunngavik Incorporated

Telephone #: (867) 645-3199

P.O. Box 280

Facsimile #: (867) 645-3452

Rankin Inlet, N.W.T. X0C 0G0

Evaluation and Assessment - Submission Requirements

In order for a bid to be assigned points for representations made in respect of any criterion (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Nunavut Representations"), appropriately documented evidence of conformance with the stated objective of the criterion must be provided with the tender submission.

The Minister reserves the right to verify any information provided in the "Nunavut Representations" and that untrue statements may result in the tender being declared non-responsive.

Treatment of Representations and Warranties

The Bidder acknowledges that:

- a) the Minister relies upon the "Nunavut Representations" to evaluate bids; and
- b) the "Nunavut Representations" shall become covenants under any contract(s) resulting from this solicitation.

W0043T NLCA - Evaluation Criteria (2011-05-16)

The benefits that apply to this procurement are contained in Part 6 - Bid Criteria of Article 24 - Government Contracts of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA), section:

24.6.1 Whenever practicable, and consistent with sound procurement management, and subject to Canada's international obligations, all of the following criteria, or as many as may be appropriate with respect to any particular contract, shall be included in the bid criteria established by the Government of Canada for the awarding of its government contracts in the Nunavut Settlement Area:

- (a) the existence of head offices, administrative offices or Other facilities in the Nunavut Settlement Area;
- (b) the employment of Inuit labour, engagement of Inuit professional services, or use of suppliers that are Inuit or Inuit firms in carrying out the contracts; or
- (c) the undertaking of commitments, under the contract, with respect to on-the-job training or skills development for Inuit.

SI8 WEBSITES

The connection to some of the Web sites in the RFP is established by the use of hyperlinks. The following is a list of the addresses of the Web sites:

Employment Equity Act
<http://laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/E-5.401/index.html>

Federal Contractors Program (FCP)
http://www.labour.gc.ca/eng/standards_equity/eq/emp/fcp/index.shtml

Certificate of Commitment to Implement Employment Equity form LAB 1168
<http://www.servicecanada.gc.ca/cgi-bin/search/eforms/index.cgi?app=profile&form=lab1168&dept=sc&lang=e>

Code of Conduct for Procurement
<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/cndt-cndct/contexte-context-eng.html>

Consent to a Criminal Record Verification (PWGSC-TPSGC 229 form)
<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/formulaires-forms-eng.html>

Lobbying Act
<http://laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/L-12.4/?noCookie>

Contracts Canada
<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/>

Supplier Registration Information
<https://srisupplier.contractsCanada.gc.ca>

Consultant Performance Evaluation Report Form
<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/2913-1.pdf>

Canadian economic sanctions
<http://www.international.gc.ca/sanctions/index.aspx?lang=eng>

National Joint Council (NJC) Travel Directive
<http://www.njc-cnm.gc.ca/directive/travel-voyage/index-eng.php>

SI9 HEALTH AND SAFETY

Workers Compensation

1. The recommended Proponent shall provide to the Contracting Authority, prior to Contract award:
 - a) a Workers Compensation Board letter of good standing, also listing covered Directors, Principals, Proprietor(s) or Partners who will be or who are anticipated to be present on the work site(s).
2. The recommended Proponent shall deliver all of the above documents to the Contracting Authority on or before the date stated (usually 3-5 days after notification) by the Contracting Authority. Failure to comply with the request may result in the proposal being declared non-compliant.

TERMS, CONDITIONS AND CLAUSES

AGREEMENT

1. The Consultant understands and agrees that upon acceptance of the offer by Canada, a binding Agreement shall be formed between Canada and the Consultant and the documents forming the Agreement shall be the following:

- (a) the Front Page and this Agreement clause;
- (b) the General Terms, Conditions and Clauses, as amended, identified as:
 - R1210D (2014-09-25), General Condition (GC) 1 - General Provisions – Architectural and/or Engineering Services
 - R1215D (2014-06-26), General Condition (GC) 2 - Administration of the Contract
 - R1220D (2011-05-16), General Condition (GC) 3 - Consultant Services
 - R1225D (2012-07-16), General Condition (GC) 4 - Intellectual Property
 - R1230D (2012-07-16), General Condition (GC) 5 - Terms of Payment
 - R1235D (2011-05-16), General Condition (GC) 6 - Changes
 - R1240D (2011-05-16), General Condition (GC) 7 - Taking the Services Out of the Consultant's Hands, Suspension or Termination
 - R1245D (2012-07-16), General Condition (GC) 8 - Dispute Resolution
 - R1250D (2012-07-16) General Condition (GC) 9 - Indemnification and Insurance
- Supplementary Conditions
- Agreement Particulars
- (c) Terms of Reference;
- (d) the document entitled "General Procedures and Standards";
- (e) the Security Requirements Check List (SRCL);**
- (f) any amendment to the solicitation document incorporated in the Agreement before the date of the Agreement;
- (g) the Phase One proposal and Declaration/Certifications Form;
- (h) the Phase Two proposal and Price Proposal Form.

2. The documents identified above by title, number and date are hereby incorporated by reference into and form part of this Agreement, as though expressly set out herein, subject to any other express terms and conditions herein contained.

The documents identified above by title, number and date are set out in the Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions (SACC) Manual, issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC). The SACC Manual is available on the PWGSC Web site:

<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual>

3. If there is a discrepancy between the wording of any documents that appear on the following 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) any amendment or variation in the Agreement that is made in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Agreement;
- (b) any amendment to the solicitation document incorporated in the Agreement before the date of the Agreement;
- (c) this Agreement clause;
- (d) Supplementary Conditions;
- (e) General Terms, Conditions and Clauses;
- (f) Agreement Particulars;
- (g) Project Brief / Terms of Reference;
- (h) the document entitled "General Procedures and Standards";
- (i) the document entitled "Security Requirement Check List";**

(j) the proposal.

SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS (SC)

SC1 SECURITY REQUIREMENT

The following security requirement (SRCL and related clauses) applies and form part of the Agreement.

1. The Contractor/Offeror must, at all times during the performance of the Contract/Standing Offer, hold a valid Designated Organization Screening (DOS), issued by the Canadian Industrial Security Directorate (CISD), Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC).
2. The Contractor/Offeror personnel requiring access to sensitive work site(s) must **EACH** hold a valid **RELIABILITY STATUS**, granted or approved by CISD/PWGSC.
3. Subcontracts, which contain security requirements, are **NOT** to be awarded without the prior written permission of CISD / PWGSC.
4. The Contractor/Offeror must comply with the provisions of the:
 - a) *Security Requirements Check List* and Security Guide (if applicable), attached at Annex E;
 - b) *Industrial Security Manual* (Latest Edition).

SC2 NLCA Liquidated Damages

1. The contractor acknowledges that:
 - 1.1 the Invitation to Tender (ITT) or Request for Proposal (RFP) and this Contract fall within the ambit of the Agreement Between the Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada (the "Agreement"); and
 - 1.2 pursuant to Article 24.6.1 of the "Agreement", the bid criteria included in the RFP or ITT and this contract included a request for commitments to carry out the work in a manner that meets the objectives of the following criteria:
 - 1.2.1 The existence of head offices, administrative offices or other facilities in the Nunavut Settlement Area;
 - 1.2.2 The employment of Inuit labour, engagement of Inuit professional services, or use of suppliers that are Inuit or Inuit firms in carrying out the contract.
 - 1.2.3 The undertaking of commitments, under the contract, with respect to on-the-job training or skills development for Inuit.
2. The contractor acknowledges and confirms that it made the following commitments (collectively the "Nunavut Representations") as contemplated in paragraph 1 above in its bid for this contract (To be completed at time of contract award):

COMMITMENT	ASSIGNED POINT
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.2 a)

b)

c)

.2 d)

.3 a)

b)

c)

d)

3. The contractor acknowledges that the "Nunavut Representations":

3.1 are covenants under this contract; and

3.2 each represents a percentage of the initial total contract value equal to the number of points assigned to the commitment/representation at the time of evaluation and stated in paragraph 2. above in the "ASSIGNED POINTS" column.

4. Without prejudice to any other legal or equitable rights Her Majesty may have, if at any time during the contract, the Contractor breaches any or all of the "Nunavut Representations", Her Majesty shall be entitled to set-off, from any contract monies owing to the Contractor, the applicable sum or sums identified per each "Nunavut Representation" in paragraph 3.2.

5. The Contractor further acknowledges that:

5.1 The sums in paragraph 3.2 are a genuine pre-estimate of damages arrived at through negotiation with Her Majesty. Those negotiations considered the financial, administrative and other costs, including consequential costs, of any such breach; and

5.2 The Contractor acknowledges that it has had legal advice to the full extent deemed necessary by itself.

Furthermore the Contractor acknowledges that it did not act under any duress.

SC3 FEDERAL CONTRACTORS PROGRAM FOR EMPLOYMENT EQUITY - DEFAULT BY THE CONSULTANT

The Consultant understands and agrees that, when an Agreement to Implement Employment Equity (AIEE) exists between the Consultant and Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC)-Labour, the AIEE must remain valid during the entire period of the contract. If the AIEE becomes invalid, the name of the Consultant will be added to the "[FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid](#)" list. The imposition of such a sanction by ESDC will constitute the Consultant in default as per the terms of the contract.

SC4 EMPLOYER/PRIME CONSULTANT

1. During the Design Stage

- a) The Consultant shall, where the Consultant is working on Federal property and is in control of the work site (no Federal presence or construction contractor), for the purposes of the applicable provincial or territorial Occupational Health & Safety Acts and Regulations, and for the duration of the Work of the Contract:
 - i) act as the Employer, where the Consultant is the only employer on the work site, in accordance with the Authority Having Jurisdiction;
 - ii) assume the role of Prime Consultant, where there are two or more employers (including sub-consultants) involved in work at the same time and space at the work site, in accordance with the Authority Having Jurisdiction; and

2. During the Construction Stage

- a) The Consultant shall, for the purposes of the Occupational Health & Safety Acts and Regulations, and for the duration of the Work of the Contract, agree to accept that the Construction Contractor is the Principal/Prime Contractor, and to conform to that Contractor's Site Specific Health and Safety Plan.

AGREEMENT PARTICULARS

The Agreement Particulars will be issued at time of award of contract and will identify the fee to be paid to the Consultant for the services determined in the Price Proposal Form.

APPENDIX A - TEAM IDENTIFICATION FORMAT

For details on this format, please see SRE in the Request For Proposal.

The prime consultant and other members of the Consultant Team shall be, or eligible to be, licensed, certified or otherwise authorized to provide the necessary professional services to the full extent that may be required by provincial or territorial law.

I. **Prime Consultant (Proponent - Civil Municipal Engineer - With expertise in drinking water and wastewater treatment processes):**

Firm or Joint Venture Name:

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Key Individuals and provincial professional licensing status and/or professional accreditation:

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II. **Key Sub Consultants / Specialists:**

Civil Geotechnical Engineer - With expertise in permafrost

Firm Name:

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Key Individuals and provincial professional licensing status and/or professional accreditation:

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Resident (On-site) Engineer - Minimum 5 years professional experience

Firm Name:

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Key Individuals and provincial professional licensing status and/or professional accreditation:

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Mechanical Engineer

Firm Name:
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Key Individuals and provincial professional licensing status and/or professional accreditation:

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Electrical Engineer

Firm Name:
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Key Individuals and provincial professional licensing status and/or professional accreditation:

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Environmental specialist - With expertise in soil remediation in the arctic

Firm Name:
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Key Individuals and provincial professional licensing status and/or professional accreditation:

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Commissioning Specialist - Minimum 5 years professional experience

Firm Name:
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Key Individuals and provincial professional licensing status and/or professional accreditation:

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APPENDIX B - DECLARATION/CERTIFICATIONS FORM

Project Title: _____

Name of Proponent: _____

Street Address:

Mailing Address:

Telephone Number: () _____

Fax Number: () _____

E-Mail: _____

Procurement Business Number: _____

Type of Organization: ____ Sole Proprietorship ____ Partnership ____ Corporation ____ Joint Venture	Size of Organization: Number of Employees _____ Graduate Architects / Professional Engineers _____ Other Professionals _____ Technical Support _____ Other _____
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APPENDIX B - DECLARATION/CERTIFICATIONS FORM (CONT'D)

Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Certification

I, the Proponent, by submitting the present information to the Contracting Authority, certify that the information provided is true as of the date indicated below. The certifications provided to Canada are subject to verification at all times. I understand that Canada will declare a proposal non-responsive, or will declare a consultant in default, if a certification is found to be untrue, whether during the proposal evaluation period or during the contract period. Canada will have the right to ask for additional information to verify the Proponent's certifications. Failure to comply with any request or requirement imposed by Canada may render the proposal non-responsive or constitute a default under the contract.

For further information on the Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity visit Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC)-Labour's website.

Date: _____ (YY/MM/DD) (If left blank, the date will be deemed to be the bid closing date.)

Complete both A and B.

A. Check only one of the following:

- ☐ A1. The Proponent certifies having no work force in Canada.
- ☐ A2. The Proponent certifies being a public sector employer.
- ☐ A3. The Proponent certifies being a federally regulated employer being subject to the Employment Equity Act.
- ☐ A4. The Proponent certifies having a combined work force in Canada of less than 100 employees (combined work force includes: permanent full-time, permanent part-time and temporary employees [temporary employees only includes those who have worked 12 weeks or more during a calendar year and who are not full-time students]).

A5. The Proponent has a combined work force in Canada of 100 or more employees; and

- ☐ A5.1. The Proponent certifies already having a valid and current Agreement to Implement Employment Equity (AIEE) in place with ESDC-Labour.

OR

- ☐ A5.2. The Proponent certifies having submitted the Agreement to Implement Employment Equity (LAB1168) to ESDC-Labour. As this is a condition to contract award, proceed to completing the form Agreement to Implement Employment Equity (LAB1168), duly signing it, and transmit it to ESDC-Labour.

B. Check only one of the following:

- ☐ B1. The Proponent is not a Joint Venture.

OR

- ☐ B2. The Proponent is a Joint Venture and each member of the Joint Venture must provide the Contracting Authority with a completed Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Certification. (Refer to the Joint Venture section of the General Instructions)

APPENDIX B - DECLARATION/CERTIFICATIONS FORM (CONT'D)

Former Public Servant (FPS) - Certification

Contracts awarded to former public servants (FPS) in receipt of a pension or of a lump sum payment must bear the closest public scrutiny, and reflect fairness in the spending of public funds. In order to comply with Treasury Board policies and directives on contracts awarded to FPS, proponents must provide the information required below before contract award. If the answer to the questions and, as applicable the information required have not been received by the time the evaluation of proposals is completed, Canada will inform the Proponent of a time frame within which to provide the information. Failure to comply with Canada's request and meet the requirement within the prescribed time frame will render the proposal non-responsive.

Definitions

For the purposes of this clause,

"former public servant" is any former member of a department as defined in the *Financial Administration Act*, R.S., 1985, c. F-11, a former member of the Canadian Armed Forces or a former member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. A former public servant may be:

- (a) an individual;
- (b) an individual who has incorporated;
- (c) a partnership made of former public servants; or
- (d) a sole proprietorship or entity where the affected individual has a controlling or major interest in the entity.

"lump sum payment period" means the period measured in weeks of salary, for which payment has been made to facilitate the transition to retirement or to other employment as a result of the implementation of various programs to reduce the size of the Public Service. The lump sum payment period does not include the period of severance pay, which is measured in a like manner.

"pension" means a pension or annual allowance paid under the *Public Service Superannuation Act* (PSSA), R.S., 1985, c.P-36, and any increases paid pursuant to the *Supplementary Retirement Benefits Act*, R.S., 1985, c.S-24 as it affects the PSSA. It does not include pensions payable pursuant to the *Canadian Forces Superannuation Act*, R.S., 1985, c.C-17, the *Defence Services Pension Continuation Act*, 1970, c.D-3, the *Royal Canadian Mounted Police Pension Continuation Act*, 1970, c.R-10, and the *Royal Canadian Mounted Police Superannuation Act*, R.S., 1985, c.R-11, the *Members of Parliament Retiring Allowances Act*, R.S., 1985, c.M-5, and that portion of pension payable to the *Canada Pension Plan Act*, R.S., 1985, c.C-8.

APPENDIX B - DECLARATION/CERTIFICATIONS FORM (CONT'D)

Former Public Servant in Receipt of a Pension

As per the above definitions, is the Proponent a FPS in receipt of a pension?

YES () NO ()

If so, the Proponent must provide the following information, for all FPS in receipt of a pension, as applicable:

- (a) name of former public servant;
- (b) date of termination of employment or retirement from the Public Service.

By providing this information, proponents agree that the successful Proponent's status, with respect to being a former public servant in receipt of a pension, will be reported on departmental websites as part of the published proactive disclosure reports in accordance with Contracting Policy Notice: 2012-2 and the Guidelines on the Proactive Disclosure of Contracts.

Work Force Adjustment Directive

Is the Proponent a FPS who received a lump sum payment pursuant to the terms of a work force reduction program? YES () NO ()

If so, the Proponent must provide the following information:

- (a) name of former public servant;
- (b) conditions of the lump sum payment incentive;
- (c) date of termination of employment;
- (d) amount of lump sum payment;
- (e) rate of pay on which lump sum payment is based;
- (f) period of lump sum payment including start date, end date and number of weeks;
- (g) number and amount (professional fees) of other contracts subject to the restrictions of a work force adjustment program.

For all contracts awarded during the lump sum payment period, the total amount of fees that may be paid to a FPS who received a lump sum payment is \$5,000, including Applicable Taxes.

APPENDIX B - DECLARATION/CERTIFICATIONS FORM (CONT'D)

Name of Proponent:

DECLARATION:

I, the undersigned, being a principal of the proponent, hereby certify that the information given on this form and in the attached proposal is accurate to the best of my knowledge. If any proposal is submitted by a partnership or joint venture, then the following is required from each component entity.

..... name signature
..... title	
I have authority to bind the Corporation / Partnership / Sole Proprietorship / Joint Venture	
..... name signature
..... title	
I have authority to bind the Corporation / Partnership / Sole Proprietorship / Joint Venture	
..... name signature
..... title	
I have authority to bind the Corporation / Partnership / Sole Proprietorship / Joint Venture	

During proposal evaluation period, PWGSC contact will be with the following person: _____.

Telephone Number: () _____ Fax Number: () _____

E-mail: _____

This Appendix "B" should be completed and submitted with the Phase One proposal, but may be submitted afterwards as follows: if Appendix "B" is not completed and submitted with the proposal, the Contracting Authority will inform the Proponent 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 proposal non-responsive.

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APPENDIX C - PRICE PROPOSAL FORM

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete this Price Proposal Form and submit in a **separate sealed envelope** with the Name of Proponent, Name of Project, PWGSC Solicitation Number, and the words "PRICE PROPOSAL FORM" typed on the outside of the envelope. Price Proposals are not to include Applicable Taxes.

PROPOSERS SHALL NOT ALTER THIS FORM

Project Title: Architectural & Engineering Services, Water and Sewage Systems, Eureka, Nunavut

Name of Proponent: _____

The following will form part of the evaluation process:

REQUIRED SERVICES

Fixed Fee (R1230D (2012-07-16), GC 5 - Terms of Payment)

A. WATER TREATMENT INFRASTRUCTURE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT

SERVICES	FIXED FEE
1. Preliminary Design Services	\$.....
2. Schematic Design Review	\$.....
3. Design Development	\$.....
4. Construction Documents	\$.....
5. Tender Call, Bid Evaluation	\$.....
6. Construction Administration	\$.....
7. Commissioning	\$.....
8. Post Construction Service	\$.....
MAXIMUM FIXED FEE (A)	\$.....

Note: Maximum Fixed Fee for "A" includes all travel related expenses as per Article 3.3 of the Terms of Reference.

B. SEWAGE TREATMENT INFRASTRUCTURE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT

SERVICES	FIXED FEE
1. Preliminary Design Services	\$.....
2. Schematic Design Review	\$.....
3. Design Development	\$.....
4. Construction Documents	\$.....
5. Tender Call, Bid Evaluation	\$.....
6. Construction Administration	\$.....
7. Commissioning	\$.....
8. Post Construction Service	\$.....
MAXIMUM FIXED FEE (B)	\$.....

Note: Maximum Fixed Fee for "B" includes all travel related expenses as per Article 3.3 of the Terms of Reference.

C. RESIDENT SERVICES DURING CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDES BOTH PROJECTS)

1. Time Based (300hrs)	\$.....
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TOTAL FEE FOR REQUIRED SERVICES (Total Evaluated Fee) (Maximum Fee "A" + Maximum Fee "B" + Resident Services "C")	\$.....
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The following will NOT form part of the evaluation process

Canada may accept or reject any of the following fees, disbursements and/or hourly rates. Canada reserves the right to negotiate on these fees, disbursements and/or hourly rates.

DISBURSEMENTS (includes both construction projects)

At cost without allowance for mark-up or profit, supported by invoices/receipts - see clause R1230D (2012-07-16), GC 5 - Terms of Payment, section GC5.12 Disbursements:

Printing/Courier	<u>\$ 5,000</u>
MAXIMUM AMOUNT FOR DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 5,000

Note: All other disbursements are included in the fixed fees. (travel, accommodations, meals, etc)

APPENDIX C - PRICE PROPOSAL FORM (CONT'D)

THE FOLLOWING HOURLY RATES MAY BE USED FOR FUTURE CONTRACT AMENDMENTS

Principals

Name	\$ per hour
.....	\$
.....	\$
.....	\$
.....	\$
.....	\$
.....	\$
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APPENDIX C - PRICE PROPOSAL FORM (CONT'D)

Staff

Name / Position	\$ per hour
.....	\$.....
.....	\$.....
.....	\$.....
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END OF PRICE PROPOSAL FORM

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SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND EVALUATION

SRE 1 GENERAL INFORMATION

1.1 Reference to the Selection Procedure

An 'Overview of the Selection Procedure' can be found in R1110T General Instructions to Proponents (G13).

1.2 Calculation of Total Score

For this project the Total Score will be established as follows:

Phase One Rating x 30%	=	Phase One Score (Points)
Phase Two Technical Rating x 60%	=	Technical Score (Points)
<u>Phase Two Price Rating x 10%</u>	=	<u>Price Score (Points)</u>
Total Score	=	Max. 100 Points

SRE 2 PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS

2.1 Requirement for Proposal Format (for phases one and two)

The following proposal format information should be implemented when preparing the Phase One and Phase Two proposals.

- Phase One - Submit one (1) bound original plus five (5) bound copies of the proposal
- Phase Two - Submit one (1) bound original plus five (5) bound copies of the proposal
- Paper size should be - 216mm x 279mm (8.5" x 11")
- Minimum font size - 11 point Times or equal
- Minimum margins - 12 mm left, right, top, and bottom
- Double-sided submissions are preferred
- One (1) 'page' means one side of a 216mm x 279mm (8.5" x 11") sheet of paper
- 279mm x 432 mm (11" x 17") fold-out sheets for spreadsheets, organization charts etc. will be counted as two pages.
- The order of the proposals should follow the order established in the Request for Proposal SRE section

2.2 Phase One Specific Requirements for Proposal Format

The maximum number of pages (including text and graphics) to be submitted for the Rated Requirements under SRE 3.2 is twenty (20) pages.

The following are not part of the page limitation mentioned above;

- Covering letter
- Consultant Team Identification (Appendix A)
- Declaration/Certifications Form (Appendix B)
- Code of Conduct Certifications

Consequence of non-compliance: any pages which extend beyond the above page limitation and any other attachments will be extracted from the proposal and will not be forwarded to the PWGSC Evaluation Board members for evaluation.

2.3 Phase Two Specific Requirements for Proposal Format

The maximum number of pages (including text and graphics) to be submitted for the Rated Requirements under SRE 4.2 is thirty (30) pages.

The following are not part of the page limitation mentioned above;

- Covering letter
- Consultant Team Verification
- Front page of the RFP
- Front page of revision(s) to the RFP
- Price Proposal Form (Appendix C)

Consequence of non-compliance: any pages which extend beyond the above page limitation and any other attachments will be extracted from the proposal and will not be forwarded to the PWGSC Evaluation Board members for evaluation.

SRE 3 PHASE ONE SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND EVALUATION

Intent: The intent of Phase One evaluation activities is to verify that the submissions meet the mandatory screening requirements and to evaluate and rate the proposed teams.

3.1 MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

Failure to meet the mandatory requirements will render the proposal as non-responsive and no further evaluation will be carried out.

3.1.1 Licensing, Certification or Authorization

The proponent shall be an engineering firm, licensed, or eligible to be licensed, certified or otherwise authorized to provide the necessary professional services to the full extent that may be required by law in the territory of Nunavut.

3.1.2 Consultant Team Identification

During Phase One only the prime consultant and key sub-consultants and specialists are identified. During Phase Two other sub-consultants or specialists may be identified. Those sub-consultants identified at Phase Two are those considered to play a lesser role in the entire project context.

The consultant team to be identified at this time must include the following:

Proponent (prime consultant):

Civil Municipal Engineer	With expertise in drinking water and wastewater treatment processes
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Key Sub-consultants / Specialists:

Civil Geotechnical Engineer	With expertise in permafrost
Resident (On-site) Engineer	Minimum 5 years professional experience
Mechanical Engineer	
Electrical Engineer	
Environmental specialist	With expertise in soil remediation in the arctic
Commissioning Specialist	Minimum 5 years professional experience

Information required - name of firm, key personnel to be assigned to the project. For the prime consultant indicate current license and/or how you intend to meet the provincial or territorial licensing requirements. In the case of a joint venture identify the existing or proposed legal form of the joint venture (refer to R1110T General Instructions to Proponents, GI9 Limitation of Submissions).

Proponents will be required to carry over the consultant team identified in Phase One to Phase Two.

An example of an acceptable format (typical) for submission of the team identification information is provided in Appendix A.

3.1.3 Declaration/Certifications Form

Proponents must complete, sign and submit the following:

- Appendix B, Declaration/Certifications Form as required

3.1.4 Integrity Provisions - Associated Information

Proponents who are incorporated, including those submitting proposals as a joint venture, must provide a complete list of names of all individuals who are currently directors of the Proponent. Proponents submitting proposals as sole proprietorship, including those submitting proposals as a joint venture, must provide the name of the owner. Proponents submitting proposals as societies, firms, or partnerships do not need to provide lists of names. If the required names have not been received by the time the evaluation of proposals is completed, Canada will inform the Proponent of a time frame within which to provide the information. Failure to provide the names within the time frame specified will render the bid non-responsive. Providing the required names is a mandatory requirement for contract award.

3.2 RATED REQUIREMENTS

The evaluation criteria for the Phase One proposal addresses only the previous achievements and experiences of the proposed Consultant Team. No material is to be prepared or presented on the subject project itself. The Phase One proposal provides the opportunity for proponents to present their past work in the context of the proposed project. It is at this time that interested firms submit to PWGSC a history of their accomplishments in order to establish the capabilities of their teams and lead designers as well as other key team members.

3.2.1 Achievements of Proponent on Projects

Describe the Proponent's accomplishments, achievements and experience as prime consultant on projects.

Select a **maximum** of 3 projects undertaken within the last 6 years. Joint venture submissions are not to exceed the maximum number of projects. Only the first 3 projects listed in sequence will receive consideration and any others will receive none as though not included.

Information that should be supplied:

- clearly indicate how this project is comparable/relevant to the requested project.
- brief project description and intent. Narratives should include a discussion of design approach to meet the intent, design challenges and resolutions.
- budget control and management - i.e. contract price & final construction cost - explain variation
- project schedule control and management - i.e. initial schedule and revised schedule - explain variation
- client references - name, address, phone and fax of client contact at working level - references may be checked
- names of key personnel responsible for project delivery

- awards received

The Proponent (as defined in R1110T General Instructions to Proponents, GI2 Definitions) must possess the knowledge on the above projects. Past project experience from entities other than the Proponent will not be considered in the evaluation unless these entities form part of a joint venture Proponent.

Please indicate those projects which were carried out in joint venture and the responsibilities of each of the involved entities in each project.

3.2.2 Achievements of Key Sub-consultants and Specialists on Projects

Describe the accomplishments, achievements and experience either as prime consultant or in a sub-consultant capacity on projects. If the Proponent proposes to provide multi-disciplinary services which might otherwise be performed by a sub-consultant, this should be reflected here.

Select a **maximum** of 2 projects undertaken within the last 6 years per key sub consultant or specialist. Only the first 2 projects listed in sequence (per key subconsultant or specialist) will receive consideration and any others will receive none as though not included.

Information that should be supplied:

- clearly indicate how this project is comparable/relevant to the requested project.
- brief project description and intent. Narratives should include a discussion of design approach to meet the intent, design challenges and resolutions.
- budget control and management
- project schedule control and management
- client references - name, address, phone and fax of client contact at working level - references may be checked
- names of key personnel responsible for project delivery
- awards received

3.2.3 Achievements of Key Personnel on Projects

Describe the experience and performance of key personnel to be assigned to this project regardless of their past association with the current proponent firm. This is the opportunity to emphasize the strengths of the individuals on the team, to recognize their past responsibilities, commitments and achievements.

Information that should be supplied for each key personnel:

- professional accreditation
- accomplishments/achievements/awards
- relevant experience, expertise, number of years experience
- role, responsibility and degree of involvement of individual in past projects

3.3 EVALUATION AND RATING

Past experience of the Proponent and the consultant team will be evaluated at the Phase One submission stage and the scores for this evaluation will be carried over to the Phase Two submission.

Phase One proposals which are responsive will be reviewed, evaluated and rated by a PWGSC Evaluation Board in accordance with the following:

Criterion	Weight Factor	Rating	Weighted Rating
Achievements of Proponent	4.0	0 - 10	0 - 40
Achievements of Key Sub-consultants / Specialists	3.0	0 - 10	0 - 30
Achievements of Key Personnel on Projects	3.0	0 - 10	0 - 30
Phase One Rating	10.0		0 - 100

The Phase One rating which is assigned to each responsive proposal in accordance with the procedure outlined in the General Instructions to Proponents is the total weighted rating assigned to the Phase One proposal in accordance with the above table. The Phase One rating is recorded for subsequent inclusion as a percentage of the total score to be established following the evaluation and rating of Phase Two proposals.

Generic Evaluation Table

PWGSC Evaluation Board members will evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of the Proponent's response to the evaluation criteria and will rate each criterion with even numbers (0, 2, 4, 6, 8 or 10) using the generic evaluation table below:

	INADEQUATE	WEAK	ADEQUATE	FULLY SATISFACTORY	STRONG
0 point	2 points	4 points	6 points	8 points	10 points
Did not submit information which could be evaluated	Lacks complete or almost complete understanding of the requirements.	Has some understanding of the requirements but lacks adequate understanding in some areas of the requirements.	Demonstrates a good understanding of the requirements.	Demonstrates a very good understanding of the requirements.	Demonstrates an excellent understanding of the requirements.
	Weaknesses cannot be corrected	Generally doubtful that weaknesses can be corrected	Weaknesses can be corrected	No significant weaknesses	No apparent weaknesses

	Proponent do not possess qualifications and experience	Proponent lacks qualifications and experience	Proponent has an acceptable level of qualifications and experience	Proponent is qualified and experienced	Proponent is highly qualified and experienced
	Team proposed is not likely able to meet requirements	Team does not cover all components or overall experience is weak	Team covers most components and will likely meet requirements	Team covers all components - some members have worked successfully together	Strong team - has worked successfully together on comparable projects
	Sample projects not related to this requirement	Sample projects generally not related to this requirement	Sample projects generally related to this requirement	Sample projects directly related to this requirement	Leads in sample projects directly related to this requirement
	Extremely poor, insufficient to meet performance requirements	Little capability to meet performance requirements	Acceptable capability, should ensure adequate results	Satisfactory capability, should ensure effective results	Superior capability, should ensure very effective results

SRE 4 PHASE TWO SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND EVALUATION

Intent: The intent of Phase Two evaluation activity is to verify that the submissions meet the mandatory screening requirements, to evaluate and rate the proposals and to recommend contract award to the Proponent with the highest total score.

4.1 MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

Only those submissions from proponents that have met the following requirements will be evaluated and rated by a PWGSC Evaluation Board:

4.1.1 Having submitted a responsive Phase One proposal

4.1.2 Consultant Team Verification submittal of a statement indicating the Consultant Team identified in Phase One is being carried over to Phase Two.

4.2 RATED REQUIREMENTS

Intent: The evaluation criteria for the Phase Two proposal addresses the Consultant Team's "understanding of the project" i.e. technical, schedule and estimate requirements, "scope of services" "management of services" and "design philosophy/approach" based on the requirements described in the Project Brief. Past achievements and experience of the Proponent and Key Sub-Consultants are evaluated in Phase One and will not be re-evaluated in Phase Two. The Phase Two Proposal gives the proponents the opportunity to describe what they intend to offer PWGSC in terms of their understanding of the project, scope of services and management of the project.

The following requirements will be evaluated and rated by a PWGSC Evaluation Board. The price proposal of each Proponent may or may not be opened.

4.2.1 Understanding of the Project:

The proponent should demonstrate understanding of the goals of the project, the functional/technical requirements, the constraints and the issues that will shape the end product.

Information supplied should reflect an understanding of:

- The functional and technical requirements of the project
- The importance / relevance of existing reference documents.
- Significant issues, challenges and constraints
- Project schedule and cost.
- Items which constitute risk to project schedule and cost.
- Environment Canada's values
- Broader federal government goals (sustainable design, life-cycle costing, etc)

4.2.2 Scope of Services:

The proponent should demonstrate an understanding of the professional services required and provide a plan of action.

Information supplied should include:

- Scope of Services - detailed list of services
- Work Plan - detailed breakdown of work tasks and deliverables
- Project schedule - proposed major milestone schedule
- Risk management strategy

4.2.3 Management of Services:

The Proponent should describe how he /she proposes to perform the services and meet the constraints; how the services will be managed to ensure continuing and consistent control as well as production and communication efficiency; how the team will be organized and how it will fit in the existing structure of the firms; to describe how the team will be managed. The proponent is also to identify sub-consultant disciplines and specialists required to complete the consultant team.

Remaining consultant team members to be identified at this time must include the following:

Key Sub-consultants / Specialists: Cost Estimator
Architectural technologist

If the Proponent proposes to provide multi-disciplinary services which might otherwise be performed by a sub-consultant, this should be reflected here.

Information supplied should include:

- Makeup of the full project team including the names of the prime consultant, sub-consultants and specialists and their roles and responsibilities on the project.
- Organization chart showing names and position titles of Consultant team and federal stakeholders, reporting relationships.
- Personnel back-up (in the event a team member is away)
- Communication strategies
- Response time (both standard requests and emergencies)

4.2.4 Design Approach / Methodology

This is an opportunity for the Proponent to state the overall design approach of the Consultant team as well as their approach to resolving design issues and in particular to focus on the unique aspects and challenges of the project.

Information supplied should include:

- A description of the Proponent's Design Approach / Methodology
- A description of the major project challenges and how the Proponent's design approach will be applied to those particular challenges.

4.3 EVALUATION AND RATING

4.3.1 Technical Rating

Phase Two proposals that are responsive (i.e. which meet all the mandatory requirements set out in the RFP) will be reviewed, evaluated and rated by a PWGSC Evaluation Board. In the first instance, price envelopes will remain sealed and only the technical components of the Phase Two proposal will be evaluated in accordance with the following to establish Technical Ratings:

Criterion	Weight Factor	Rating	Weighted Rating
Understanding of the Project - schedule & cost & technical requirements	3.0	0 - 10	0 - 30
Scope of Services	2.0	0 - 10	0 - 20
Management of Services	3.0	0 - 10	0 - 30
Design Approach/Methodology	2.0	0 - 10	0 - 20
Phase Two Technical Rating	10.0		0 - 100

Generic Evaluation Table

PWGSC Evaluation Board members will evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of the Proponent's response to the evaluation criteria and will rate each criterion with even numbers (0, 2, 4, 6, 8 or 10) using the generic evaluation table found in the above section 3.3 Evaluation and Rating.

4.3.2 Combined Technical Rating

The Phase One Rating and Phase Two Technical Rating will be combined to establish a Combined Technical Score:

Combined Rating	Possible Range	% of Total Score	Score (Points)
Phase One Rating	0 - 100	30	0 - 30
Phase Two Technical Rating	0 - 100	60	0 - 60
Combined Technical Score		90	0 - 90

To be considered further, proponents **must** achieve a minimum Combined Technical Score of fifty-four (54) points out of the ninety (90) points available as specified above.

No further consideration will be given to proponents not achieving the pass mark of fifty-four (45) points.

SRE 5 PRICE OF SERVICES

All price proposal envelopes corresponding to responsive proposals which have achieved the pass mark of fifty-four (54) points will be opened upon completion of the technical evaluation. An average price is determined by adding all the price proposals together and dividing the total by the number of price proposals being opened.

All price proposals which are greater than twenty-five percent (25%) above the average price will be set aside and receive no further consideration.

The remaining price proposals are rated as follows:

- A. The lowest price proposal receives a Price Rating of 100
- B. The second, third, fourth and fifth lowest prices receive Price Ratings of 80, 60, 40, and 20 respectively. All other price proposals receive a Price Rating of 0.
- C. On the rare occasions where two (or more) price proposals are identical, the matching price proposals receive the same rating and the corresponding number of following ratings are skipped.

The Price Rating is multiplied by the applicable percentage to establish the Price Score.

SRE 6 TOTAL SCORE

Total Scores will be established in accordance with the following:

Rating	Possible Range	% of Total Score	Score (Points)
Phase One Rating	0 - 100	30	0 - 30
Phase Two Technical Rating	0 - 100	60	0 - 60
Price Rating	0 - 100	10	0 - 10
Total Score		100	0 - 100

The Proponent receiving the highest Total Score is the first entity that the Evaluation Board will recommend for the provision of the required services. In the case of a tie, the proponent submitting the lower price for the services will be selected.

SRE 7 SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS - CHECKLIST

The following list of documents and forms is provided with the intention of assisting the Proponent in ensuring a complete submission. The Proponent is responsible for meeting all submission requirements.

Please follow detailed instructions in R1110T General Instructions to Proponents, GI16 Submission of Proposal. Proponents may choose to introduce their submissions with a cover letter.

PHASE ONE:

- Team Identification - see typical format in Appendix A
- Declaration/Certifications Form - completed and signed - form provided in Appendix B
- Proposal - one (1) original plus five (5) copies
- Integrity Provisions - Associated Information - list of directors / owners

PHASE TWO:

- Verification of Team - confirmed Phase One team identification information
- Proposal - one (1) original plus five (5) copies
- Front page of RFP
- Front page(s) of any solicitation amendment

In a separate envelope:

- Price Proposal Form - one (1) completed and submitted in a separate envelope