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## SOLICITATION AMENDMENT 004

The purpose of this amendment is to answer questions pertaining to this RFSO, and to revise Annex B- Basis of Payment and Annex C- Technical and Financial Evaluation of this Request for Standing Offers (RFSO).

### QUESTION AND ANSWERS

#### Question 6:

When preparing the previous Standing Offer, the following question was asked and appeared in an amendment (referenced below).

#### **PW-\$\$\$CY-021-47798.U008.E.PDF (January 14, 2009)**

##### **Question 89**

*Regarding the rates for fieldwork and tabulation, in Table 1.2.1 we are to provide the cost per interview for conducting fieldwork and data tabulation for studies of varying duration and sample size. Section 1.2.1 identifies the breadth of activities that must be included in the cost per interview. Some of these costs are based strictly or primarily on the length of the study and have little or no relation to the sample size (i.e., programming, instructing/training interviewers, administering the sample, creation of frequencies and tabulation tables, providing SPSS file).*

*In each cell on the grid, we are to insert a single price per interview, but the sample sizes for each column stipulate a range of possible sample sizes. In most cases, the range has very little impact on the cost per interview. However, for the first column -- sample sizes of 1-499 -- the cost per interview varies dramatically depending on the assumption of how many interviews will be conducted. Because the fixed costs do not increase with sample size, the cost per interview drops with each marginal increase in sample size.*

*Taken to an unlikely extreme, a survey of  $n=1$  would have a remarkably high cost per interview compared to  $n=499$ . Surveys of  $n=200$  or more are more plausible but the cost-per-interview still differs significantly from surveys of  $n=499$ . This presents a problem for developing a single price for any cell in the grid, but it is most problematic for cells within this column.*

*Can you provide some clarification on what assumption bidders should make about how many interviews should be assumed for cells in this first column ( $n=1-499$ ) of table 1.2.1?*

**Note that the outcome was an amended Appendix with costing grids showing the following breaks instead of 1-499:  
50-199, 200-349, 350-499**

The same situation arises this year. Can you please revise the quantitative costing grids for Series A, B and D to show these more reasonable breaks, instead of 1-499?

#### **Answer 6:**

We had used larger sample ranges to reduce the effort on behalf of bidders, however we do see the value in including smaller increments. As such, we amended the tables in Series A, Series B and Series D to remove the  $n=1-499$  column and replaced it with the following additional columns:  $n=1-49$ ,  $n=50-199$ ;  $n=200-349$ ; and  $n=350-499$ .

**Question 7:**

For Series A and B, proponents have been asked to include provision of the methodology report in their cost per interview grids (see Table B2.1.2, Table B2.1.3, Table B3.1.2, Table B3.2.1, Table B3.2.2). Methodology report preparation is not dependent on the number or length of interviews, and therefore should not be included in the cost per interview (CPI), but rather be expressed in management hours. Please revise these series to remove references to methodology report preparation being included in the CPI grids.

**Answer 7:**

The Tables identified in your question are not limited to the cost involved in conducting solely interviews. Instead, we are looking for a firm lot price for a bundle of activities described for each Table. For example, elements listed in B2.1.2 *Online Panel Completions; inclusive of data tabulation and methodological report* describe the requirements for table B2.1.2. This includes the cost of preparation of the methodological report, as well as the provision and translation costs of the bilingual executive summary.

**Question 8:**

Can you please confirm that Table B5.2.2. Additional cost for incidence rates (page 73 and 74) will only be applied to *landline* telephone studies?

**Answer 8:**

Yes, this is correct. This applies to landline telephone studies only. An amendment to the following sentence of page 52 (Table B3.1.3) and page 72 will be applied in the next section of this solicitation amendment 004:

- Current text: This does not refer to the incidence rate for landline or cell phone-only households.
- Revised text: This does not refer to the incidence rate for **cell phone-only households**.

**Question 9:**

For Series B, Section B3.3.2 (page 62), proponents are asked to complete a costing table showing project management, data collection, and a third category: Translation of Executive Summary and Methodology Report. This last category is ambiguous. Please confirm that this means "**Preparation of Methodology Report and translation of methodology report's Executive Summary.**"

**Answer 9:**

This question is related to the section on Advertising Campaign Evaluation Tool (ACET) questionnaires. For Series B, section B.3.3.2, Costing Table B3.3.2.1, we are asking for:

1. on row 1, a cost for project management and;
2. on row 2, a cost for all other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection (1000 completed interviews / 7 minutes, and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)

The inclusion of row 3 was an error.

Note: we will be amending Table B3.3.2.1 and Table B3.3.3.1 to make these corrections as well as to add additional rows to account for the possibility of an ACET which is longer than 7 minutes in length.

**Question 10:**

The following is a supplementary question to Question 3.

We appreciate that there will be an incremental cost for each incidence rate assumption (or 18 possibilities in table B3.1.3). However this increment will differ for each base unit cost. Base costs are a function of questionnaire length (12 possibilities) and sample size (6 possibilities). Therefore to respond as suggested in your Answer 3 would imply estimating 1,296 incremental costs (18 x 12 x 6) for the initial year. Since you require information for initial and 3 option years (4 possibilities) would involve 5,184 incremental costs (1296 x 4).

Can we suggest instead requesting all proponents estimate incremental costs for the following base cases:

- For durations of 12 minutes.
- For sample sizes of 1000-1499.

This would result in 18 possibilities in the initial year.

**Answer 10:**

The Bidder is required to provide an incidence rate cost based on the number of calls and level of effort required to conduct a short screening interview to identify a qualified respondent for each of the incidence rates identified in Table B3.1.3 ranging between 5 and 90%. This cost assumes the target audience is within Canadian households with landline telephones.

The incidence costs in table B3.1.3 are to be independent of fieldwork costs in Table B3.1.2. The incidence rate cost for each interview would be added to the fixed unit price for the landline telephone interview completions with the adult general population (Table B3.1.2), only when the incidence rate is between 5-90%. For example, the additional screening cost is above and beyond the rate provided in Table B3.1.2 for each additional interview.

The bidder will be required to identify 18 separate unit costs for the initial standing offer period and 18 separate unit costs for each of the 3 option years. (i.e. a total of 72 unit costs)

This is the requirement for this RFSO, unfortunately we cannot proceed with your suggested alternate approach noted above.

**Please note: this explanation also applies to Table B5.2.2.**

**Question 11:**

Under series A and B, costing tables for a fixed unit price is presented (table B2.1.2 and table B3.1.2). The grid indicates that these prices must include a methodological report. In previous iterations of the standing offer, these were presented separately as they are generally prepared by the senior researcher on the project. Can you confirm that the data collection completion pricing grid should now also include a detailed methodological report. If so, are translation costs to be included or costed separately?

**Answer 11:**

We are looking for a firm lot price for a bundle of activities in the tables you have mentioned above. This includes the cost of preparing the methodological report, as well as the translation costs of the bilingual executive summary.

Additional translation costs, beyond the cost for the translation *costs for the executive summary* would be accounted for on page 64, in Table B3.4.1.

**Question 12:**

With the following two tables B3.2.1 and B3.2.2, the requirement asks cell-phone only interviews with youth and the general population. Is it meant to be cell exclusive households or is the intention to include general cell-phone sample? To be able to compare pricing across vendors, if it is cell-only households, do you want the pricing structure to use pre-identified cell-only sample households? Or methodologically, do you require the RDD equivalent of cell phone numbers, with the survey questions screening for cell-only status?

**Answer 12:**

We are looking for cell-phone only sample / cell phone exclusive sample.

**Question 13:**

MA.4 indicates that all subcontractors must be identified. In terms of online panels, there is not one that can fulfill every need (i.e. Aboriginals, health care workers, ethnocultural audiences). Are bidders to provide every possible subcontractor for various audiences if required, or does this apply only for a standard "gen pop" survey. Or, can a subcontractor be identified when required?

**Answer 13:**

Bidders must identify all possible subcontractors for the various possible audiences. This applies to MA.4, but also MB.4 and MD.5.

**Question 14:**

In all cases where researcher qualifications are being evaluated (RA.1, RB.1, RC.1, and RD.1), can PWGSC provide some clarity on how these will be evaluated. For instance, 70 points are awarded for years of experience. What is the minimum threshold of years required to obtain the maximum score?

**Answer 14:**

For each Field Survey Manager proposed under RA.1 or RB.1, the 70 points awarded for work experience will be evaluated as follows:

- Less than or equal to 2 years of experience in public opinion research will be awarded with 60% of the points (42 points);
- Greater than 2 years but less than or equal to 3 years of experience in public opinion research will be awarded with 70% of the points (49 points);
- Greater than 3 years but less than or equal to 5 years of experience in public opinion research will be awarded with 80% of the points (56 points);
- Greater than 5 years but less than or equal to 8 years of experience in public opinion research will be awarded with 90% of the points (63 points); and
- Greater than 8 years of experience in public opinion research will be awarded with 100% of the points (70 points).

For each Senior Researcher proposed under RC.1 or RD.1, the 70 points awarded for work experience will be evaluated as follows:

- Less than or equal to 2 years of experience in public opinion research will be awarded with 60% of the points (42 points);
- Greater than 2 years but less than or equal to 3 years of experience in public opinion research will be awarded with 70% of the points (49 points);
- Greater than 3 years but less than or equal to 5 years of experience in public opinion research will be awarded with 80% of the points (56 points);
- Greater than 5 years but less than or equal to 8 years of experience in public opinion research will be awarded with 90% of the points (63 points); and

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- Greater than 8 years of experience in public opinion research will be awarded with 100% of the points (70 points).

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**Question 15:**

In all streams under project experiences (RA.2, RB.3, RC.2, and RD.2) it specifies that experiences must provide the "fieldwork location by Canadian province/territory". Does this refer to the distribution of completes by province, where the call centres are located, or something else?

**Answer 15:**

This refers to the location of the actual fieldwork. The fieldwork must have been conducted in Canada. Hence, we would like bidders to describe where the fieldwork was conducted by province/territory.

**Question 16:**

MD.5 in Series D, it is stated that all subcontractors must be identified. In a situation where a Full Service Researcher is subcontracting to a separate data collection company, is the subcontracted data collection company expected to provide every possible panel subcontractor they may need to work with?

**Answer 16:**

Yes, please see our response to Question 13.

**Question 17:**

**Annex "B4"**

In Section B4.1.3, there are 3 categories of personnel listed for recruitment and participant confirmation -- field supervisor, field manager, interviewer/recruiter. While the first two categories apply to any qualitative project, there can be two different levels of expertise of interviewers/recruiters used on qualitative projects depending on the target group of interest. Typically an "executive" interviewer/recruiter is used for projects which include 'hard-to-find' populations, C-suite executives, organizations, etc. and by definition, the hourly rate for these individuals is higher than interviewers/recruiters who would be involved in a general population study recruit.

Given that there is no provision for these two different levels of interviewers/recruiters, how should this be handled in the various costing sections of the RFSO including possibly the sample project?

**Answer 17:**

The firm hourly rate you include for the category "interviewer/recruiter" will be used for all interviewer/recruiter requirements.

**Question 18:****RC.3 Sample Project: Requirements**

The following requirement is stated in the RFSO: *Prepare and deliver a bilingual PowerPoint presentation of key findings.*

For costing purposes, please clarify what assumptions should be made about the presentation:

- In-person in Ottawa, telephone, or web conference?
- Does bilingual mean that delivery of the presentation must be done in both languages simultaneously, or sequentially, or at the client's preference in either English or French?

**Answer 18:**

Please assume the maximum cost for a presentation requirement which could include any of the non-in-person options listed above (e.g., telephone, and/or web based). There is no in-person presentation requirement. This is to eliminate any related travel costs.

Reference to the fully bilingual presentation means the speaker(s) is to cover 50 % of the presentation in English and 50% in French.

The presentation must be fully translated; available electronically in both English and French.

**Question 19:**

For the sample projects in each stream (e.g. RA.3 Sample Project with the Canadian Health Unit and RB.4 Sample Project with the Government of Canada) does the offeror need to provide costing? There is no mention of this as a rated criteria.

**Answer 19:**

Yes, costing will need to be provided. The RFSO will be amended as follows:

Delete point 7 from page 97 and replace by:

A detailed timetable and breakdown of costs for the quantitative research consistent with the 6 week timeframe, budget, and proposed pricing grids submitted in accordance to Annex "B2" – Series A (Fieldwork and Data Tabulation for Online Surveys)

Delete point 6 from page 114 and replace by:

A detailed timetable and breakdown of costs for the quantitative research consistent with the 3 week timeframe, scope of the project, and proposed pricing grids submitted in accordance to Annex "B3" – Series B (Fieldwork and Data Tabulation for Telephone Surveys)

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**Question 20:**

For field manager project experience (e.g. Section RA.2), the RFSO states that if the offer only supplies the minimum number of projects (3) fully meeting the criteria, a maximum score of 80% is available. What is the maximum score if four (4) projects are provided, as the RFSO states that the offeror should identify and describe a minimum of 3, but no more than 5 projects.

**Answer 20:**

Offers that supply the minimum number of projects requested, with all project descriptions fully meeting the criteria listed, will be able to achieve a maximum of 80% of the available points. Projects that do not meet all these criteria will result in a lower total score. Offers that supply the maximum number of projects, with all descriptions fully meeting these criteria, will be able to achieve a maximum of 100% of the available points. If four projects are submitted, fully meeting all criteria, available points will be between 80-100%.

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**THE FOLLOWING CHANGE FORMS PART OF THIS RFSO.**

**In Annex "B2"- Series A, Fieldwork and Data Tabulation for Online Surveys-**

Delete all tables in Table B2.1.2 Fixed unit price for individual online panel completions, inclusive of data tabulations and methodological report under the header "Initial Period of the Standing Offer", "First Option Period of the Standing Offer", "Second Option Period of the Standing Offer", and "Third Option Period of the Standing Offer", and replace each with the following:

<b>Questionnaire duration in minutes</b>	<b>1-49</b>	<b>50-199</b>	<b>200-349</b>	<b>350-499</b>	<b>500 - 999</b>	<b>1000 - 1499</b>	<b>1500 - 1999</b>	<b>2000 - 2499</b>	<b>2500 - 3000</b>
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Delete all tables in Table B2.1.3 Fixed unit price for other individual online panel completions, inclusive of data tabulations and methodological report under the header "Initial Period of the Standing Offer", "First Option Period of the Standing Offer", "Second Option Period of the Standing Offer", and "Third Option Period of the Standing Offer", and replace each with the following:

<b>Questionnaire duration in minutes</b>	<b>1-49</b>	<b>50-199</b>	<b>200-349</b>	<b>350-499</b>	<b>500 - 999</b>	<b>1000 - 1499</b>	<b>1500 - 1999</b>	<b>2000 - 2499</b>	<b>2500 - 3000</b>
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### In Annex "B3"- Series B, Fieldwork and Data Tabulation for Telephone Surveys-

Delete all tables in Table B3.1.2 Fixed unit price for landline telephone individual interview completions with the adult general public, inclusive of data tabulations and methodological report under the header "Initial Period of the Standing Offer", "First Option Period of the Standing Offer", "Second Option Period of the Standing Offer", and "Third Option Period of the Standing Offer", and replace each with the following:

Questionnaire duration in minutes	1-49	50-199	200-349	350-499	500 - 999	1000 - 1499	1500 - 1999	2000 - 2499	2500 - 3000
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At B3.1.3 Incidence Rate: Additional Cost Based on an Incidence Rate of 90% or Less-

Delete:

This does not refer to the incidence rate for landline or cell phone-only households.

And replace with the following:

This does not refer to the incidence rate for cell phone-only households.

Delete Table B3.3.2.1 Fixed unit price for 1000 telephone interview completions using the ACET questionnaire, inclusive of data tabulation and methodological report, and replace with the following:

**TABLE B3.3.2.1 Fixed unit price for 1000 telephone interview completions using the ACET questionnaire, inclusive of data tabulation and methodological report**

Key Task	Name of Resource	# of Hours	Hourly/fixed Unit Rate	Cost
Project Management				
All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(1000 completed interviews / 7 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		
All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(1000 completed interviews / 8 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		
All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(1000 completed interviews / 9 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		
All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(1000 completed interviews / 10 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		
All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(1000 completed interviews / 11 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		
All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(1000 completed interviews / 12 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		

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All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(1000 completed interviews / 13 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		
All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(1000 completed interviews / 14 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		
All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(1000 completed interviews / 15 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		
<b>Fixed Unit Price</b>				

Delete Table B3.3.3.1 Fixed unit price for 2000 telephone interview completions using the ACET questionnaire, inclusive of data tabulation and methodological report, and replace with the following:

**TABLE B3.3.3.1 Fixed unit price for 2000 telephone interview completions using the ACET questionnaire, inclusive of data tabulation and methodological report**

Key Task	Name of Resource	# of Hours	Hourly/fixed Unit Rate	Cost
Project Management				
All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(2000 completed interviews / 7 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		
All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(2000 completed interviews / 8 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		
All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(2000 completed interviews / 9 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		
All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(2000 completed interviews / 10 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		
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All other activities described in this project (e.g: data collection <b>(2000 completed interviews / 12 minutes)</b> , and preparation and translation of executive summary and methodological report)	N/A	N/A		

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<b>Fixed Unit Price</b>				

#### In Annex "B5"- Series D, Quantitative Research-

Delete all tables in Table B5.2.1 Fixed unit price for individual landline telephone completions with the adult general public, inclusive of data tabulation under the header "Initial Period of the Standing Offer", "First Option Period of the Standing Offer", "Second Option Period of the Standing Offer", and "Third Option Period of the Standing Offer", and replace each with the following:

Questionnaire duration in minutes	1-49	50-199	200-349	350-499	500 - 999	1000 - 1499	1500 - 1999	2000 - 2499	2500 - 3000
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At B5.2.2 Incidence Rate: Additional Cost Based on an Incidence Rate of 90% or Less-Delete:

This does not refer to the incidence rate for landline or cell phone-only households.

And replace with the following:

This does not refer to the incidence rate for cell phone-only households.

Delete all tables in Table B5.3.1 Fixed unit price for individual online panel completions, inclusive of data tabulations under the header "Initial Period of the Standing Offer", "First Option Period of the Standing Offer", "Second Option Period of the Standing Offer", and "Third Option Period of the Standing Offer", and replace each with the following:

<b>Questionnaire duration in minutes</b>	<b>1-49</b>	<b>50-199</b>	<b>200-349</b>	<b>350-499</b>	<b>500 - 999</b>	<b>1000 - 1499</b>	<b>1500 - 1999</b>	<b>2000 - 2499</b>	<b>2500 - 3000</b>
<b>5 minutes</b>									
<b>6 minutes</b>									
<b>7 minutes</b>									
<b>8 minutes</b>									
<b>9 minutes</b>									
<b>10 minutes</b>									
<b>11 minutes</b>									
<b>12 minutes</b>									
<b>13 minutes</b>									
<b>14 minutes</b>									
<b>15 minutes</b>									
<b>20 minutes</b>									
<b>Average of All Cells</b>									

Delete all tables in Table B5.3.2 Fixed unit price for other individual online panel completions, inclusive of data tabulations under the header "Initial Period of the Standing Offer", "First Option Period of the Standing Offer", "Second Option Period of the Standing Offer", and "Third Option Period of the Standing Offer", and replace each with the following:

Questionnaire duration in minutes	1-49	50-199	200-349	350-499	500 - 999	1000 - 1499	1500 - 1999	2000 - 2499	2500 - 3000
5 minutes									
6 minutes									
7 minutes									
8 minutes									
9 minutes									
10 minutes									
11 minutes									
12 minutes									
13 minutes									
14 minutes									
15 minutes									
20 minutes									
Average of All Cells									

In Annex "C"- Technical and Financial Evaluation, 1. Technical Evaluation - Series A (Fieldwork and Data Tabulation for Online Surveys), RA.3 Sample Project, page 97-

Delete:

7. A detailed timetable for the quantitative research consistent with the 6 week timeframe. **(5 points)**

And replace with:

7. A detailed timetable and breakdown of costs for the quantitative research consistent with the 6 week timeframe, budget, and proposed pricing grids submitted in accordance to Annex "B2" – Series A (Fieldwork and Data Tabulation for Online Surveys) **(5 points)**

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**In Annex "C"- Technical and Financial Evaluation, 2. Technical Evaluation - Series B (Fieldwork and Data Tabulation for Telephone Surveys), RB.4 Sample Project, page 114-**

Delete:

6. A detailed timetable for the quantitative research consistent with the 3 week timeframe. **(5 points)**

And replace with:

6. A detailed timetable and breakdown of costs for the quantitative research consistent with the 3 week timeframe, scope of the project, and proposed pricing grids submitted in accordance to Annex "B3" – Series B (Fieldwork and Data Tabulation for Telephone Surveys) **(5 points)**

**ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE REQUEST FOR STANDING OFFERS REMAIN UNCHANGED.**

If your offer has already been submitted it can be modified by sending an amendment identified with file no EP363-140002/B to the attention of the Bid Receiving Unit, Public Works and Government Services Canada, Place du Portage, Phase III, Main Lobby, Core **0B2**, 11 Laurier St., Gatineau, Quebec, K1A 1C9.