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SOLICITATION AMENDMENT
MODIFICATION DE L'INVITATION

The referenced document is hereby revised; unless otherwise
indicated, all other terms and conditions of the Solicitation
remain the same.

Ce document est par la présente révisé; sauf indication contraire,
les modalités de l'invitation demeurent les mêmes.

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Title - Sujet Native Seed Drill	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation K4E21-140477/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 001
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client K4E21-140477	Date 2015-01-30
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$CAL-114-6297	
File No. - N° de dossier CAL-4-37057 (114)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2015-02-10	Time Zone Fuseau horaire Mountain Standard Time MST
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: Clarke, Deb	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur cal114
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Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction: Environment Canada Canadian Wildlife Services Last Mountain Lake National Wildlife Area and Migratory Bird Sanctuary P.O. Box 280 Simpson, SK S0G 4M0	

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See attached pdf document.

This amendment 001 is being raised to extend the closing date of Solicitation K4E21-140477/A from February 2, 2015 to February 10, 2015. This amendment is also being raised to incorporate the following information into Solicitation K4E21-140477/A:

A) Questions and Answers:

Question #1:

Item 8 refers to "*Road transport capability with a maximum transport width (sideways) of 11.5 feet. (chains, lights, appropriate tires).*" Is it correct to assume that the 11.5 foot dimension refers to the front to back width when the drill is loaded sideways on a transport trailer. This would result in a loaded trailer width not to exceed 11.5 feet.

Answer #1:

It is correct to assume that.

Question #2:

You specify that "*Road transport capability with a maximum transport width (sideways) of 11.5 feet, (chains, lights, appropriate tires).*" This is not available on either a 10 foot Drill (overall minimum width 14 feet) or a 15 foot Drill (overall minimum width 17 feet) . It would require the folding hitch option, and a custom-built separate drill carrier trailer. Do you want a folding hitch options and custom-built separate drill carrier trailers?

Answer #2:

The drill can go sideways. Folding hitch option would be required but a custom-built drill carrier trailer is not part of this Requirement. Do not include information/pricing for a custom-built drill carrier in bid documents.

Question #3:

You requested a Heavy-Duty Range Seed Drill with a minimum planting width of 13 to a maximum of 16 feet. Will you accept a heavy-duty drill with 10 foot planting width? Will you accept a lighter-duty grass drill that seeds a 15 foot planting width?

Answer #3:

We need to be able to plant in no-till or killed sod (or even interseeding in an existing stand) so a heavy-duty drill is necessary.

So no, a heavy duty 10-foot drill is not acceptable and a lighter-duty 15-foot drill is not acceptable.

B. Amendment:

1. Page 10 of 11, Annex "A" Requirement:

Delete: *in it's entirety.*

Replace with: Amended Annex "A" as follows.

AMENDED ANNEX "A"
(January 30, 2015)

REQUIREMENT

For the supply and delivery of one (1) new Heavy Duty "Range" Seed Drill for the Canadian Wildlife Services located at Last Mountain Lake National Wildlife Area and Migratory Bird Sanctuary, Simpson, Saskatchewan.

The seeder needs to be able to effectively seed native seed mixes, 25+ species. Seeds range from dust size to 7mm 'bean' seeds, including awned and fluffy seeds with low flowability. It must be able to seed effectively in rough and hilly fields (with some rocks and "mole" hills and not cultivated before planting), and seed into previously planted fields (interseeding into sod). This drill must be able to plant anywhere between 1" and 1/8" deep – some of our planting must be very shallow but not broadcast.

An offer should clearly indicate compliance or non-compliance with each article below by inserting Yes or No under the Comply Column.

To demonstrate compliance, Bidders must include and appropriately cross-reference published technical information that confirms compliance with each mandatory criterion specified herein.

To ensure compliance is clear, the Bidder should utilize a numbering system that corresponds to the numbering system below. An example of an acceptable system would be to indicate the specification reference number on a Tab stuck to the appropriate page of the technical documentation and/or by highlighting or underlining the appropriate technical reference.

If published technical documentation does not exist for a specific requirement, then a written narrative explaining how the product offered meets the specification should be included with the Proposal. Bids not meeting the mandatory technical requirements will be declared non-responsive.

Item	Minimum Mandatory Technical Criteria/Specifications	Comply Indicate Yes or No	Supporting Information (Bidder to indicate cross-reference)
1	One (1) new Heavy Duty "Range" Seed Drill able to effectively seed 25+ species of native seed mixes and equipped with three (3) metered seed boxes (fluffy, cool season and legume) with a minimum planting width of 13 feet and a maximum of 16 feet.		
2	Zero till capability.		
3	Hydraulics to raise and lower seeding level (tractor and manual) and to raise fully for transport.		
4	Three (3) separately metered seed boxes: Cool season grass seed (with dividers to prevent seed sliding to downhill side), Legume seed box and Fluffy seed box (with agitators).		
5	Depth bands on all disc blades.		
6	Seed delivery between double disc blades.		
7	Independent press wheels to make firm seed-to-soil contact in each row.		

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Item	Minimum Mandatory Technical Criteria/Specifications	Comply Indicate Yes or No	Supporting Information (Bidder to indicate cross-reference)
8	Road transport capability with a maximum transport width (sideways) of 11.5 feet, (chains, hitch, lights, appropriate tires).		
9	Rear walk board for ease of filling seed boxes.		
10	All drill operational manuals to be provided upon delivery.		

2. All other terms and conditions remain the same as indicated in the solicitation.