



The Office of the Superintendent of Financial Institutions Canada (OSFI) has a requirement for the provision of Bloomberg Finance L.P. subscription and user licences services for the Ottawa & Toronto office. The purpose of this Advance Contract Award Notice (ACAN) is to signal the government's intention to award a contract for these services to Bloomberg Finance L.P. Before awarding a contract, however, the government would like to provide other suppliers with the opportunity to demonstrate that they are capable of satisfying the requirements set out in this Notice, by submitting a statement of capabilities during the 15 calendar day posting period.

If other potential suppliers submit a statement of capabilities during the 15 calendar day posting period that meet the requirements set out in the ACAN, the government will proceed to a full tendering process on either the government's electronic tendering service or through traditional means, in order to award the contract.

If no other supplier submits, on or before the closing date, a statement of capabilities meeting the requirements set out in the ACAN, a contract will be awarded to the pre-selected supplier.

Background

The Office of the Superintendent of Financial Institutions Canada has a requirement for Bloomberg Finance L.P. subscription for individual and multiple user licenses.

The proposed contract is for a period of one (1) year, from April 9, 2015 to April 08, 2016 with two (2) options to extend the contract for up to a period of one (1) year each.

The estimated value of the contract, including the option period, is \$223,197 USD (HST extra).

Minimum Essential Requirements

Any interested supplier must demonstrate by way of a statement of capabilities that it meets the following requirements:

- Ability to deliver Bloomberg Finance L.P., research products, subscription and user licences, on a monthly basis, to the Ottawa & Toronto office of the Office of the Superintendent of Financial Institutions.

Justification for the Pre-Selected Supplier

These research and analytic services are proprietary to Bloomberg Finance L.P..

Ownership of any Foreground Intellectual Property arising out of the proposed contract will vest in the Contractor.

Suppliers who consider themselves fully qualified and available to meet the specified requirements may submit a statement of capabilities in writing to the Contracting Authority identified in this Notice on or before the closing date of this Notice. The statement of capabilities must clearly demonstrate how the supplier meets the advertised requirements.

The closing date and time for accepting statements of capabilities is: March 20, 2015, 2:00 EDT.

Inquiries and statements of capabilities are to be directed to:



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