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Revision to a Request for a Standing Offer

Révision à une demande d'offre à commandes

National Individual Standing Offer (NISO)

Offre à commandes individuelle nationale (OCIN)

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

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

Comments - Commentaires

This requirement contains a security requirement -
See Part 6A and Part 7A.

Ce besoin comprend des exigences relatives à la
sécurité - Voir la Partie 6A et la partie 7A.

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Title - Sujet Fairness Monitoring Services		
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation EP737-150967/A		Date 2015-06-02
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client 20150967		Amendment No. - N° modif. 002
File No. - N° de dossier 113zh.EP737-150967	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME	
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$ZH-113-28873		
Date of Original Request for Standing Offer Date de la demande de l'offre à commandes originale		2015-04-28
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2015-06-08		Time Zone Fuseau horaire Eastern Daylight Saving Time EDT
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: Reynolds(zh), Diane		Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur 113zh
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (819) 956-1141 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX (819) 956-9235	
Delivery Required - Livraison exigée		
Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction: See Herein Voir aux présentes		
Security - Sécurité This revision does not change the security requirements of the Offer. Cette révision ne change pas les besoins en matière de sécurité de la présente offre.		

Instructions: See Herein

Instructions: Voir aux présentes

Acknowledgement copy required Accusé de réception requis	Yes - Oui <input type="checkbox"/>	No - Non <input type="checkbox"/>
The Offeror hereby acknowledges this revision to its Offer. Le proposant constate, par la présente, cette révision à son offre.		
Signature	Date	
Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of offeror. (type or print) Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du proposant. (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)		
For the Minister - Pour le Ministre		

Amendment no. 002 is raised to provide a response to questions raised to date, as follows:

- Q10 Would Canada please confirm if there is a maximum number of Standing Offers or Supply Arrangements that will be issued for this bid solicitation?
- A10 No, there is no maximum number of instruments that will be issued for this bid solicitation. Each technically and financially responsive offer will be recommended for issuance of a Standing Offer on the terms stated in Component II. Each technically responsive arrangement will be recommended for the issuance of a Supply Arrangement on the terms stated in Component III.
- Q11 Mandatory technical criterion MT5 requires that the FM Specialist must have completed a minimum of three projects within the last five years prior to the bid solicitation publication date with each project having a minimum level of effort of 20 days. This criterion does not recognize the validity of the experience, for example a resource that has been providing opinion services within the last 5 years on a single major complex project with a value of perhaps several billion dollars and may or may not yet be completed. Such experience, with a minimum level of effort of several hundred days, is at least as relevant to the role of the FM Specialist with a total of 60 days on three projects. The current wording of mandatory technical criterion MT5 impedes the Offeror's ability to recruit qualified FM Specialists. Would Canada consider amending mandatory technical criterion MT5 to allow for resources that have substantial experience providing opinion services on a project that is still active, but not necessarily completed within the last five years?
- A11 No, Canada requires that the referenced projects put forward in support of a proposed FM Specialist be complete so that its evaluation can encompass all project stages and the project outcome. Canada requires three referenced projects be provided so that evidence of successful completion of projects in a range of venues can be provided in support of proposed FM Specialists. In addition, the three referenced project requirement potentially offers Canada a range of references to contact in order to validate the information submitted in support of proposed resources.