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Solicitation No. / Numéro de l'invitation 2BWD10342 /A	Date November 13, 2015
Client Reference No. / No de référence du W8474-156932	client
Requisition No. / Numéro de la demande 15-30342	
Solicitation closes - L'invitation prend fin	1
on – le November 23, 2015 at – à 2:00 PM (EDT)	
Address Inquiries to   Adresser toutes questions à: Hamid Mohammad	Buyer Id   Id de l'acheteur CAE
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Vendor/firm Name and address Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/	/de l'entrepreneur
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Name and title of person authorized to sig (type or print)	gn on behalf of Vendor/firm
Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à si fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur (taper ou é	
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## THIS SOLICITATION AMENDMENT 001 IS ISSUED TO:

1. Publish Canada's Responses to Bidders' questions;

- 2. Modify page 1; and
- Extend the Solicitation closing date to Monday November 23rd, 2015 at 14:00 (Eastern Standard Time).

NOTE: Bidders' clarification questions are numerically sequenced upon arrival at SSC. Bidders are hereby advised that questions and answers for this solicitation may be issued out of sequence.

Bidder Question 1	Pricing – Reference Pages Annex B – There are no quantities listed in this RFP but there is a weighting factor. The weighting factor seems to perform the calculations like quantity – is the weighting factor the quantities?
Canada's Response to Question 1	The weighting factor listed in Annex B1 and B2 can be considered as projected quantities, however, Canada's obligation under the Contract is limited to Minimum Work Guarantee stated in Part 7 – Resulting Contract Clauses. Weighting factor is provided for evaluation purposes only, in order to assist the bidders in preparing their bids.
Bidder Question 2	Pricing long term. How do we approach the subject of the fluctuating exchange rate over the 3 years + contract period? Will a clause for currency fluctuations be considered?
Canada's Response to Question 2	The requirement does not offer exchange rate fluctuation risk mitigation. Requests for exchange rate fluctuation risk mitigation will not be considered. All bids that include such provision will render the bid non- responsive.
Bidder Question 3	What is the required delivery date for the product? (relative to question 1)
Canada's Response to Question 3	Canada's intent is to issue a small order (up to 12 items) using a Requisition on Contract (ROC) on an "as-and-when-requested basis", soon after contract award in order ensure the products meet the contract specifications. The delivery will be required within a 2-week period from issuance of the ROC. A subsequent order for a larger quantity may be issued in January-February 2016, assuming the contract is awarded, and delivery will be in mid-March 2016. Order details including schedule will be agreed as per the ROC.

## 2. MODIFICATIONS

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# ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS SOLICITATION REMAIN UNCHANGED.

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Following is a summary of Attachments/Amendments issued to date to this solicitation:

Document Tracking	Date	Description
RFP	30-15-2015	RFP Package
Amendment No. 001	10-11-2015	<ol> <li>Canada's Response to Question 1 to 3; and</li> <li>Extend the Solicitation closing date</li> </ol>