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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.

**Comments - Commentaires**

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<b>Title - Sujet</b> Parks Canada Industry Day	
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> EQ754-161554/A	<b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b> 004
<b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b> R.076951.001	<b>Date</b> 2015-12-04
<b>GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG</b> PW-\$PWL-041-2059	
<b>File No. - N° de dossier</b> PWL-5-38134 (041)	<b>CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME</b>
<b>Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin</b> <b>at - à 02:00 PM</b> <b>on - le 2015-12-31</b>	
<b>Time Zone</b> Fuseau horaire Eastern Standard Time EST	
<b>F.O.B. - F.A.B.</b> <b>Plant-Usine:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Destination:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Other-Autre:</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à:</b> Chan, Ricky	<b>Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur</b> pwl041
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> (416) 512-5276 ( )	<b>FAX No. - N° de FAX</b> (416) 512-5862
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**Instructions: See Herein**

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<b>Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm</b> <b>(type or print)</b> <b>Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/</b> <b>de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)</b>	
<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

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Amendment 004 is raised to provide responses to Questions and Comments related to this Letter of Interest.

#	Question/Comment	Response
1	We have a current Standing Offer Agreement to provide Geotechnical Engineering and Materials Testing Services in Ontario Region, which were to be provided in support of various PWGSC projects on behalf of Parks Canada. While this SOA is nearly 2 years old with only one year remaining, we have had only one call-up to date, which we now understand may have been due to delays as Parks Canada and PWGSC was getting approval and funding for the delivery is new very large and ambitious undertaking to rehabilitate the Ontario Waterways infrastructure. The amount of work we have completed to date is well below that which we anticipated under this SOA, and we have the capacity and experience to do much more than this. We remain ready and willing to carry out more geotechnical engineering and materials engineering assignments to support design under your current program; we would also be prepared to discuss extending our SOA for additional years so that you don't need to go through another RFP process for our type of services during the critical period between now and April 2017 when the construction work proceeds in earnest.	Standing Offers call-ups are issued on a fair and transparent computer-controlled rotational basis as the need for service arises. Subject to the terms and conditions of the Standing Offer, PWGSC will evaluate its options to extend the Standing Offer end date or opt to issue a new Request for Proposal.
2	Since the Parks Canada project is using federal money I assume that Transport Canada's Floating Plant Clause will be included in the specified requirements. Please see PWGSC form 2843.	Form 2843 or the Floating Plant Clause will be considered for inclusion as appropriate based on specific project requirements.
3	You mentioned that your intention was to go out with tenders in design and construction management. Our question is: If some parts of the works could be execute by the Construction Management or not.	This is under review and the CM may be able to price some of the work to perform by its own forces for PWGSC's consideration.
4	Have you any idea at this time the value of each Construction Management bundle?	The all-inclusive budgets range from \$20 M to \$160 M including construction cost, various consulting services, as well as internal costs.
5	As gates, stoplogs and hydro-mechanical equipment in general require specialized designers and manufacturers we suggest you include pass or fail criteria in all the packages (especially those to be	Thank you for your suggestion. We have noted this for further consideration.

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	handled through the Construction Management firms) to make sure only qualified companies can participate in this scope. For example, past experience criteria can be added. Otherwise Parks Canada and Public Works may get into the situation of having to award to the lowest bidder scope that they have no specialization or past experience in.	
6	Also we strongly suggest that for these hydro-mechanical equipment that the design be part of the manufacturer's scope. This type of equipment when designed by consultants does not always benefit from the latest technologies and ideas that the specialized firms such as us can bring to the table.	Thank you for your suggestion. We have noted this for further consideration.