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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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Title - Sujet ULTRA-LOW TEMPERATURE FREEZERS	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation 6D024-151235/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 001
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client 6D024-151235	Date 2015-12-09
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$\$PV-941-68345	
File No. - N° de dossier pv941.6D024-151235	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2015-12-22	Time Zone Fuseau horaire Eastern Standard Time EST
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: Martins, Christina	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur pv941
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (613) 355-1973 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX (819) 956-3814
Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction:	

Instructions: See Herein

Instructions: Voir aux présentes

Delivery Required - Livraison exigée	Delivery Offered - Livraison proposée
Vendor/Firm Name and Address Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur	
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur	
Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm (type or print) Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/ de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)	
Signature	Date

Amendment 001 has been raised to answer the following questions:

Q1. Will you accept 2 doors for the outer door?

A1. 1 (One) outer door is requested.

Q2. Can you please provide clarification on which reports are required?

A2. Reports must be compatible using Microsoft Office type software - Reports in Numerical Excel or eg. line graph styles that clearly show the continuous temperatures recordings over pre-determined time periods.

Q3. Would the customer accept -65 to -86 versus -50 to -86 degrees?

A3. Our requirement is for a unit that can have a temperature between -50 and -86°C, for the commodity that we need to store, we need the freezer temperature to be operating at -80°C

No - we need a range of -50 to -86 degrees - some products we may be purchasing need higher temperatures.

Q4.

2.6.1 (e)	I am not sure I understand exactly what the requirement is? The cooling system is monitored
	through the settings on the controller. Should the temperature deviate by more than 2°C
	from the set temperature, the alarm will sound. This is direct monitoring while the freezer is running. In case of a power failure, alarm will sound & the back up system will kick in
	(if fitted). The back up battery will provide around 8 hours of power to the controller, but does not run the compressors.

Question: Can the customer provide some clarity on this requirement or alternatively state whether the above is acceptable?

A4. Yes - we will set our alarm range at +/- 5°C

Q5. When you are referring to IQOQ – are you just requiring the documentation or are you looking for the service to be included as well (Section 3.1.1)

A5. I am asking for valid IQ, OQ, PQ documents for each unit - if the supplier can't provide this, they will need to provide the service to obtain these documents.

Q6. Will the IQOQ be required for each unit – as you are asking for the purchase price to include this I want to make sure only because this will impact the price considerably if not broken out as an option

A6. Each unit must have valid IQ, OQ, PQ documents - this must be included in the pricing.

Q7. With regards to the freezer capacity requirements are you looking for a unit that has the capability of doing both or for one unit to do one and another unit to be required to do the other capacity?

A7. Each freezer unit must be capable of achieving 1 of the 2 options provided.

Q8. Is it the supplier's responsibility to: Decrate and bring to installation room or will this be done by your people?

A8. Supplier is responsible to decrate and install.

Q9. If VWR needs to decrate, and bring to final local....then we need to know the following:
Are all freezers going in same room ?

A9. All units will be in the same room.

Q10. Is the installation room on ground Floor ? or other..? ... through tight corridors/corners, stairs / elevators?
Are the door frames wide enough ?

A10. All units will be located on a ground floor, with easy hall, door frame accessibility. Units will be unloaded from the delivery truck at a fully operational loading dock.

Q11.Also if the units come with a standard 5-Year warranty....
and

Your Annexe "B" states 5-year extended warranty.... with 1st option year (commences one from contract award...

up to 5th option year...(commences 5-year from contract award) for a total of 6 years...

Should suppliers not offer the 5th option year (or 6th year warranty) will we be disqualified ?

A11. Each unit must come with - 1. Minimum of 5 year parts and labour warranty per unit.

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS WITHIN THE RFP REMAIN UNCHANGED.