Amendment #1 is to address the following DIRP Questions and Answers

1. Q: When and where is the Stakeholder Day taking place?

A: When: Stakeholder Day is taking place January 13, 2016 at 9:00am

Where: Public Works and Government Services Canada

C1, Phase III, Place du Portage,

11 rue Laurier, Gatineau, Quebec K1A 0S5

Room: 1D-514

One-on one meetings will be taking place from 1:00-4:00pm

2. Q: Do suppliers and Academia need to register for the Stakeholder Day?

A: Yes, suppliers and academia need to register by January 8^{th,} 2016 if they are planning on attending the Stakeholder day and if they are interested in attending the one-on-one meetings. PWGSC must provide a list of attendees to the security office.

Please register by email or telephone to the contact below:

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3. Q: Why is the closing date of the RFI changed?

A: Do to the many requests from industry for a time extension it was decided to extend the closing period and amending the Stakeholder Day to a future date,

4. Q: On page 4 of 57 in Section 7, Paragraph 3 there is a reference to a Stakeholder Day. Will industry be allowed to attend this event?

A: Yes, Industry and Academia are invited to attend the industry day and one-on-one meetings. For registration please see Question and Answer #2.

5. Q: It was noticed that the scope of this DIRP is very focussed. Do you know if there will be a subsequent DIRP with a broader set of strategies?

A: The intention is to have more frequent and focused DIRP Calls for Innovation in areas of specific priority to DRDC/DND.