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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

Vendor/Firm Name and Address
Raison sociale et adresse du
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Issuing Office - Bureau de distribution
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Title - Sujet Concrete Floats	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation W0103-16JJ03/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 001
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client W0103-16JJ03	Date 2015-12-29
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$XLV-242-6868	
File No. - N° de dossier XLV-5-38125 (242)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2016-01-08	
F.O.B. - F.A.B. Plant-Usine: <input type="checkbox"/> Destination: <input type="checkbox"/> Other-Autre: <input type="checkbox"/>	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: Szczesniak, Michal	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur xlv242
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (250) 363-8312 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX () -
Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction: Port Operations and Emergency Services Branch CFB Esquimalt, Dockyard	

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 TO SOLICITATION W0103-16JJ03/A

The following amendment incorporates questions received from vendors. This amendment includes revisions to the original content and therefore must be considered by vendors in their response.

Revision 001:

On Page 1,

Remove:

"Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin
at - à 02:00 PM
on - le 2016-01-06"
and
"Time Zone
Fuseau horaire
Pacific Standard Time PST"; and

Insert:

"Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin
at - à 02:00 PM
on - le 2016-01-08"
and
"Time Zone
Fuseau horaire
Pacific Standard Time PST".

Revision 002:

Remove:

"5.2.8 Preliminary Project Schedule

- 5.2.8.1 As part of their technical bid, the Bidder must submit their preliminary project schedule, in MS Project, MS Excel format, or equivalent. The project schedule must include the Bidder's work breakdown structure, the scheduling of main activities and milestone events, and any potential problem areas involved in completing the Work.
- 5.2.8.2 For the bidders scheduling purposes only, assume the contract will be awarded on January 16, 2016."; and

Insert:

"5.2.8 Preliminary Project Schedule

- 5.2.8.1 As part of their technical bid, the Bidder must submit their preliminary project schedule, in MS Project, MS Excel format, or equivalent. The project schedule must include the Bidder's work breakdown structure, the scheduling of main activities and milestone events, and any potential problem areas involved in completing the Work.
- 5.2.8.2 For the bidders scheduling purposes only, assume the contract will be awarded on January 22, 2016.".

Revision 003:

Remove:

Article 7.6.3 (Schedule of Milestones) in its entirety; and

Insert:

"7.6.3 Schedule of Milestones

The schedule of milestones for which payments will be made in accordance with the Contract is as follows:

Milestone	Milestone Description	Portion of the Firm Total Contract Price (Applicable Taxes are extra)	Projected Date
1	Plans and specifications stamped and certified by the Professional Engineer of the Contractor and accepted by the Technical Authority	2%	
2	Bulk Materials received at Contractor's Facility, and inspected by the Technical Authority	12.5% per unit	
3	Concrete formwork and falsework completed and inspected by the Contractor	5% per unit	
4	Concrete reinforcement work completed and inspected by the Contractor	5% per unit	
5	Cast-in-place concrete work completed and inspected by the Contractor	10% per unit	
6	Delivery of unit and all work completed and acceptance on site	15% per unit	
7	90 calendar days after Milestone 6 is achieved for all units	3%	

Payment for any and all design change or additional work will be made in accordance with the Contract after Milestone 6 is achieved for all units.”.

Revision 004:

Insert:

“7.26 Foreign Nationals (Canadian Contractor)

The Contractor must comply with Canadian immigration requirements applicable to foreign nationals entering Canada to work temporarily in fulfillment of the Contract. If the Contractor wishes to hire a foreign national to work in Canada to fulfill the Contract, the Contractor should immediately contact the nearest Service Canada regional office to enquire about Citizenship and Immigration Canada's requirements to issue a temporary work permit to a foreign national. The Contractor is responsible for all costs incurred as a result of non-compliance with immigration requirements.

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7.26 Foreign Nationals (Foreign Contractor)

The Contractor must comply with Canadian immigration legislation applicable to foreign nationals entering Canada to work temporarily in fulfillment of the Contract. If the Contractor wishes to hire a foreign national to work in Canada to fulfill the Contract, the Contractor should immediately contact the nearest Canadian Embassy, Consulate or High Commission in the Contractor's country to obtain instructions, information on Citizenship and Immigration Canada's requirements and any required documents. The Contractor is responsible to ensure that foreign nationals have the required information, documents and authorizations before performing any work under the Contract in Canada. The Contractor is responsible for all costs incurred as a result of non-compliance with immigration requirements.”.

Question 001:

Will a proposal in steel construction, which could have a concrete deck added if that working surface is preferable, be considered responsive for this requirement?

Answer to Question 001:

A proposal in steel construction, which could have a concrete deck added if that working surface is preferable, will not be considered responsive for this requirement. The Department of National Defence has floats in service with concrete construction which may be combined or used in conjunction with the new concrete floats. It is imperative that the dynamic performance match the existing so that the system works in unison. Steel construction is a viable option if routine maintenance is conducted however the Department of National Defence does not have the capacity to maintain the current inventory of steel structures. The absence of suitable docking facilities is under review, the intent is to reduce the inventory to allow a smaller docking platform.

Question 002:

Can the float be cast in multiple segments?

Answer to Question 002:

No. It must be a monolithic, singular pour.

Question 003:

Can the float be assembled from modular components?

Answer to Question 003:

No.

Question 004:

Will a bid containing a different float design concept be considered responsive?

Answer to Question 004:

No. The purpose of this requirement is to solicit bids for the Department of National Defence's requirement for a Contractor to retain the services of a Professional Engineer to perform a thorough design review of the concept plans and specifications that form part of the Solicitation in order to verify that the design meets current codes and to update them accordingly. The requirement is not for a different design concept as it is imperative that the dynamic performance match the existing float so that the system works in unison. The Contractor must provide to Canada the plans and specifications approved and stamped by the Professional Engineer. The requirement subsequently entails the Contractor to construct and deliver two concrete floats based on the updated plans and specifications for the new Orca class patrol and training vessels at CFB Esquimalt, Victoria, BC. In Appendix 1 to Annex D (Pricing Data Sheet), Part 1, Line Item 2, the bid must provide firm pricing for the fabrication of two concrete float as per the plans and specifications provided with the Solicitation.

Question 005:

Can I receive a copy of the minutes from the Bidders' Conference?

Answer to Question 005:

Yes, a copy of the minutes is available upon request from the Contracting Authority.

Question 006:

Is installation part of the requirement?

Answer to Question 006:

Installation is not part of the requirement.

All the other instructions, terms and conditions remain the same.