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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

Incoterms 2000, Delivered Duty Paid, "DDP",
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Vendor/Firm Name and Address

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Title - Sujet Robotic Telescope Mounts	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation W0114-165249/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 001
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client W0114-16-5249	Date 2016-01-25
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$KIN-535-6766	
File No. - N° de dossier KIN-5-44150 (535)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2016-02-03	
Time Zone Fuseau horaire Eastern Standard Time EST	
F.O.B. - F.A.B. Specified Herein - Précisé dans les présentes	
Plant-Usine: <input type="checkbox"/> Destination: <input type="checkbox"/> Other-Autre: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: Carriere, Nancy	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur kin535
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (613) 545-8764 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX (613) 545-8067
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

N° de l'invitation - Solicitation No.
W3474-162453/A
N° de réf. du client - Client Ref. No.
W3474-16-24503

N° de la modif - Amd. No.
001
File No. - N° du dossier
KIN-5-44101

Id de l'acheteur - Buyer ID
KIN535
N° CCC / CCC No./ N° VME - FMS

Amendment 001 is raised for the following:

A. To amend the closing date of the solicitation

1. **REFER:** Closing Date, 26 January 2016
DELETE: In it's entirety
INSERT: Closing Date, 03 February 2016

B. Answer questions proposed to Canada from a potential bidder

Reference: Annex A, Requirement, 3.0 Minimum Mandatory Technical Specifications, A.

Question: "There is an internal contradiction in the specs you have sent me. Please try to sort it out with your partner.

Robotic Telescope Mounts must be of a German equatorial design

This kind of mount stops near the meridian and has to flip in order to track on to the west. This fact contradicts the following criterion:

Robotic Telescope Mounts must be capable of tracking Earth orbiting objects (example: satellites and space debris objects) using TheSkyX

Flipping means that the telescope must make auxiliary motions (something like forwarding a shopping bag from your right hand to the left) which make it loose the object for about 30-60 sec. All professional mounts are of equatorial fork or alt/az fork design. German equatorial is used by amateur astronomers only."

Answer: The loss of a satellite for a 30 to 60 second period as it crosses the meridian is a known and accepted fact. Even if this situation arises, there is no contradiction in the statement of requirement. More precisely, there is a requirement for a robotic mount that must be able to track satellite using TheSkyX software.

All other Instructions, Terms and Conditions remain the same