



## SHARED SERVICES CANADA

### **Amendment No. 003 to the Invitation to Qualify for the Procurement Process for Government Cellular Services (GCS)**

Invitation to Qualify No.	10047830	Date	March 16, 2016
GCDocs File No.	C68-RAS15-28652	GETS Reference No.	PW-15-00702074

**This amendment is raised to answer Industry questions, extend the closing date to March 24, 2016, and make changes to the Invitation to Qualify (ITQ) documents(s) posted on Buy and Sell.**

**Canada requires that all respondents use the revised WORD format submission documents which are provided as separate documents with Amendment 003:**

- **Annex A,**
- **Annex B, and;**
- **Bid Submission Form.**

This Amendment revises the ITQ originally released by SSC on February 17, 2016. Except as expressly amended by this document, all the terms and conditions of the ITQ remain unchanged.

This amendment is raised to answer the following questions.

Q 5: Many of the cities listed in Annex B – Section 1 of 3: Mandatory Coverage Location in Canada have a small population. Can Canada please confirm that it requires a local exchange number in the locations identified.

R 5: Canada has revised its requirements as noted below:

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Annex B, 1 of 3:

The Respondent certifies that, on the date it submits its response to the Government Cellular Services ITQ No. 10047830:

- (1) it is providing cellular coverage in the locations identified below; and
- (2) it has, at a minimum, one local exchange number in the locations identified below.

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Annex B, 1 of 3:

The Respondent certifies that, on the date it submits its response to the Government Cellular Services ITQ No. 10047830:

- (1) it is providing cellular coverage in the locations identified below; and
- (2) it has, at a minimum, one local exchange number in each city indicated as mandatory (**city name** followed with **(M)**), and one local exchange number in at least 80% of the locations identified below.

## **Extend the ITQ closing date to 24 March, 2016**

The Crown is extending the ITQ closing date to March 24, 2016. Although the ITQ closing is being extended, the date for submitting questions is only being extended to Thursday, March 17, 2016. Canada does not commit to answer questions received after March 17, 2016.