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September 06, 2016

Subject: Invitation to Tender: FP802-160191

Title: Restoration of the Cape Bauld Light Tower

Work site location: Cape Bauld, Newfound and Labrador

ADDENDUM: No. 1

Further to the above mentioned Invitation to Tender documentation previously posted on the Government Electronic Tendering Site (GETS), BuyandSell.gc.ca, Addendum (#1) is hereby issued.

Department of Fisheries and Oceans

Bid Closing Date:	Tuesday, September 20th, 2016
Time:	14:00 Hours (2:00 pm) Eastern Daylight Time (EDT)
RFP File No:	FP802-160191

** THE FOLLOWING QUESTION WAS SUBMITTED TO THE CONTRACTING AUTHORITY IN RELATION TO THE SUBJECT ITT**

Q.1 If an alternative method of accessing the area of work was proposed would that be approved before the closing date? Our company utilizes Rope Access for many projects. I have experience in previous lead abatement projects for Fisheries and Oceans where getting scaffolding to the required area was half the cost of the project. The work area around the lighthouse would still be contained with tarps and protected from the elements. If we could propose a preliminary proposal to gain approval to bid the project this way, we would consider bidding the project.



A.1 The Specification states that the tower exterior is to be scaffolded and hoarded. This is necessary to ensure proper temperature and surface conditions at this location in late September. The use of a rope system would not provide this protection. There is also the concern regarding the anchoring system- the rope system would need to anchor itself to the catwalk and/or dome. Given the age and condition of this structure we do not think this is a feasible approach.

All other Terms and Conditions for this requirement remain unchanged.

<u>Tenderers are to acknowledge this Addendum by signing in the space provided below and enclosing a copy of this document with their tender submission.</u>

Regards

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