



## **AMENDMENT 009**

This Amendment is raised to:

- 1) provide answers to questions submitted by bidders;
- 2) change the RFSO to reflect the answers where applicable; and
- 3) Provide Revision 003 to Annex E – Financial Bid.

### **QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS:**

#### **Question 41:**

We note that CLIN 11-10 in the Financial Bid Submission requires a price for the enclosure for the power supply and desk-top radio. If an amendment is issued such that the Technical Authority allows the use of a split package (such that the desk top radio is separate from the power supply), CLIN 11-10 will need to be removed from the pricing spreadsheet or made optional so that vendors who do not have such enclosures are not deemed non-compliant by leaving CLIN 11-10 blank.

#### **Answer 41:**

The Desktop Radio Cabinet will be made optional as applicable.

In the case where the Desktop Radio Cabinet is not applicable, instructions in Revision 003 of Annex E instruct the Offeror to enter the MSRP as \$0.0001 (1/100<sup>th</sup> of a penny) to avoid triggering the table's incomplete MSRP input error.

#### **Question 42:**

##### **Reference: Requirement M-149, Paragraph 4.9.5**

Extensive customer feedback over many years has requested that desktop radios used in an office environment create the least amount of noise with a smallest footprint. To meet this user demand, fans and "over enclosures" have been removed to allow the mobile radio with a convection cooled chassis to consume minimal space while sitting on desktop tray. Bulky power supplies are designed to sit on the floor with convection cooling to minimize dust from being drawn into the power supply casing. To allow manufacturers that have designed desktop radios with separate power supplies to bid, we respectfully request that 4.9.5 be changed to optional from mandatory.

#### **Answer 42:**

The requirement will be changed to be optionally mounted with the power supply inside a black cabinet such that the two components are solidly attached to each other.

#### **Question 43:**

Is it acceptable to provide Certification Records from test labs other than CSA or UL to show radios are IS certified to CSA or UL standards?

#### **Answer 43:**

CBSA will accept CSA or UL certification only; no other certifications will be accepted from other standard labs.

The CSA or UL must be either marked on each terminal OR by providing the certification at the same time vendors submit their bids.

**Question 44:**

**Reference: Amendment 6 Answer 38**

The P-25 Authentication process is only for P-25 Trunking application, and does not exist in P-25 conventional. Consequently, would you consider removing the option of Authentication for all CLIN requiring a P-25 conventional radio?

**Answer 44:**

All trunking radios must have the authentication option. Other conventional radios do not require the authentication option, as reflected in Revision 003 to Annex E.

**Question 45:**

Further to Amendment #6 and the Financial Bid Submission Table Rev 2, P25 Radio Authentication was added to CLIN items that are specified as Conventional (non-trunked). As the P25 Radio Authentication Standard is currently ratified only for P25 trunking applications, we respectfully request the removal of Radio Authentication line items for CLIN 1, 2, 4, 5, 8, and 9.

**Answer 45:**

Revision 003 to Annex E will reflect the removal of the Radio Authentication requirement from CLINs 1, 2, 4, 5, 8 and 9.

**MODIFICATIONS TO THE REQUEST FOR STANDING OFFER:**

**14) At Annex A**

**Delete:** 4.9.5 be mounted with the power supply inside a black cabinet such that the two components are solidly attached to each other.

**Insert:** 4.9.5 be optionally mounted with the power supply inside a black cabinet such that the two components are solidly attached to each other.

**15) At Annex D**

**Delete:** M-149 in its entirety

**All other terms and conditions shall remain unchanged.**