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	<p>EC Bid Solicitation No. /SAP No. – N° de la demande de soumissions EC / N° SAP 5000024934 – Amendment/Modification 002</p>	
	<p>Date of Bid solicitation (YYYY-MM-DD) – Date de la demande de soumissions (AAAA-MM-JJ) 2016-10-13</p>	
	<p>Bid Solicitation Closes (YEAR-MM-DD) - La demande de soumissions prend fin le (AAAA-MM-JJ)</p> <p>at – à 2:00 P.M/14 h on – le 2016-10-21</p>	<p>Time Zone – Fuseau horaire Atlantic Daylight Savings Time/ Heure avancée de l'Atlantique</p>
	<p>F.O.B – F.A.B See herein./ Voir ci-jointe</p>	
	<p>Address Enquiries to - Adresser toutes questions à Jennifer Legere</p>	
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	<p>Delivery Required (YEAR-MM-DD) – Livraison exigée (AAAA-MM-JJ) See herein./Voir ci-joint</p>	
	<p>Destination - of Services / Destination des services See herein./Voir ci-joint</p>	
	<p>Security / Sécurité There is no security requirement associated with this requirement. La présente demande de soumissions ne comporte aucune exigence relative à la sécurité.</p>	
	<p>Vendor/Firm Name and Address - Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur</p>	
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	<p>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)</p>	
	<p>Signature</p>	<p>Date</p>



This Amendment 002 to Request for Proposal 5000025934 dated 2016-09-09 and closing on 2016-10-21 is raised to address supplier inquiries as follows:

Q1. Are you able to provide us with a copy of the Hopkinson (2005) reference (pg 17), which is an internal Environment Canada report?

A1. Not at this time, but please refer to:

Hutchinson, M., McKenney, D.W., Lawrence, K., Pedlar, J.H., Hopkinson, R.F., Milewska, E. and P. Papadopol (2009). Development and testing of Canada-wide interpolated spatial models of daily minimum/maximum temperature and precipitation for 1961-2003, *J. App. Met. and Climatology*, 48: 725-741, doi: 10.1175/2008JAMC1979.1 in **Section 2. Data preparation on pages 727-729.**

Q2. As per Annex C-1, Paragraph 2.2.1, can you clarify whether the proposal should include three reference projects and four publications for the team as a whole or for each team member?

A2. For the team as a whole.

Q3. Are there specific datasets that ECCC would like included in the analysis (specifically, which regional and national networks from the United States and Mexico and which private networks from BC)? Or is this left to the discretion of the consultant in communication with ECCC?

A3. The U. S. data is available from <http://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/oa/climate/ghcn-daily/>. The source of Mexican data will need to be located. The data from the networks in BC is available from <http://www.pacificclimate.org/data/bc-station-data>.

Q4. What observations data, if any, will be provided by ECCC? Will there be a cost associated with this?

A4. In addition to the data specified in point 3 above, the data for Canada will be provided from the ECCC's National Climate Archives. There is no cost associated with this.

Q5. Is the consultant allowed to use any or all of the project outputs (e.g. the gridded North American datasets) for future commercial use?

A5. The datasets will be made available for download either through the Open Data portal or another ftp server and their use is govern by the terms and conditions specified in the Open Government License – Canada: <http://open.canada.ca/en/open-government-licence-canada>

All other terms and conditions remain the same.

The closing date remains unchanged.