

Template Type: "Notice of Proposed Procurement (NPP)"

1. This NPP is issued pursuant to PWGSC Supply Arrangement (SA) # E60PQ-140003/A and covers a requirement from the following Product Category(ies) of the SA:

- Product Category 1 - Interconnecting Panels and Freestanding Systems;
- Product Category 2 - Freestanding Height Adjustable Desk/Table Products;

2. Industry Canada has a requirement of category 1 and 2 for the purchase, delivery and installation of office furniture to Ottawa, Ontario by March 6, 2016.

3. This NPP covers a requirement to be solicited amongst the PSAB stream of Suppliers (SA holders).

This procurement is set aside under the federal government's Procurement Strategy for Aboriginal Business. This procurement is set aside from the international trade agreements under the provision each has for set-asides for small and minority businesses. Further to Article 1802 of the Agreement on Internal Trade (AIT), AIT does not apply to this procurement.

5. The bid solicitation is also open to suppliers who are not Supply Arrangement (SA) holders. In order for new suppliers to bid on this solicitation, the new supplier must first qualify for a SA. The process to qualify for a SA is detailed in RFSA # E60PQ-140003/B and can be found on the Government Electronic Tendering Service (GETS - <https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual>). Canada is not required to delay the award of a resulting contract pending the evaluation of an arrangement and issuance of a SA by the PWGSC Supply Arrangement Authority.

6. There is a security requirement associated with the requirement. For additional information, consult the bid solicitation document.

7. Following are the basic features and attributes required by Canada:

Qty	GoC product number	Description
74	ACPSPMM	Accessories, Paper Sorter, Panel mounted, Metal vertical organiser legal size, 2 per workstations,
74	SPPDFSMxxxx2Fxxxxxx22	Box, Box, File Metal Freestanding Pedestal, 22" deep.
72	WSxxPMLHRxxxxxxxxx2424	Work surfaces, panel mounted, high pressure laminate
2	WSxxPMLHRxxxxxxxxx4224	Work surfaces, panel mounted, high pressure laminate

70	WSxxPMLHRxxxxxxxx4824	Work surfaces, panel mounted, high pressure laminate
2	WSxxPMLHRxxxxxxxx6024	Work surfaces, panel mounted, high pressure laminate
3	FSCAEA4224	Electrically assisted Sit/Stand Range Height Adjustable Work Surface
69	FSCAEA4824	Electrically assisted Sit/Stand Range Height Adjustable Work Surface

8. A copy of the Request for Bid (RFB) is attached to this NPP.