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SOLICITATION AMENDMENT MODIFICATION DE L'INVITATION

The referenced document is hereby revised; unless otherwise indicated, all other terms and conditions of the Solicitation remain the same.

Ce document est par la présente révisé; sauf indication contraire, les modalités de l'invitation demeurent les mêmes.

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Title - Sujet Liner, Parka/Trousers/Jacket		
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation M0077-16J111/A		Amendment No. - N° modif. 001
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client M0077-16J111		Date 2017-02-23
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File No. - N° de dossier pr723.M0077-16J111	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME	
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2017-03-14		Time Zone Fuseau horaire Eastern Standard Time EST
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Signature	Date

AMENDMENT 001

The purpose of this solicitation amendment is to extend the bid closing date from February 28, 2017 to March 14, 2017 and provide answers to questions received from bidders as follows:

Question 1: We have reviewed the viewing sample and found some construction discrepancy to the spec, would you please clarify.

Q1a. Spec: G.S. 1045-299 Liner, Patrol, Unisex, para. 4.3.2 - 4.3.2.2 Body insulation

It requires one layer of insulation shall be sandwiched between the outer shell material layers, however, we found the viewing sample, there are two layers of insulation, each layer has been serged to the calendered side of the shell materials. Please clarify the body should have one layer of insulation which is the same as construction for sleeve.

A1a: There is only one layer of insulation. The specification shall govern.

Q1b: Grosgrain Ribbon for Slide Fastener Ribbon Pulls, we found the pre-made zipper pull, please advise is it acceptable to use for Parka, Trousers and Jacket.

A1b: Pre-made ribbon pulls are acceptable.

Question 2: G.S. 1045-299

Q2a: Dwg 2 says the front slide fastener is reversible with ribbon pulls and this is not mentioned in para 4.1.12.1. Is the Vislon YKK 5V2, 26590 VSO56 9/16 reversible?

A2a: The slide fastener is not reversible. Paragraph 4.1.12.1 of the specification is correct.

Q2b: Should the front slide fastener have large hole sliders as per para 4.1.12.2 to accommodate the ribbon pulls?

A2b: Yes

Q2c: 4.3.2 Which side of the insulation is to be against the calendered side of the shell material?

A2c: Either side is acceptable.

Q2d: 4.3.5 Is the sleeve constructed of only one layer of shell and one layer of insulation? (i.e., not like the front & back which are two layers of shell with the insulation sandwiched in between therefore the insulation would be exposed.)

A2d: The sleeve is constructed with two layers of shell material and one layer of insulation.

Q2e: 6.2 Bottom Circumference: Is it measured with the drawcord completely relaxed?

A2e: Yes

Question 3: G.S. 1045-315

Q3a: Dwg 4 shows the sliders of the front slide fastener with ribbon pulls and this is not mentioned in para 4.1.11.1. Should the front slide fastener have large hole sliders as per para 4.1.11.2 to accommodate the ribbon pulls?

A3a: Yes

Q3b: Dwg 3 shows front closure with inner storm flap and this is not described in para 4.3.2.2 or on Dwg 4. Please provide the construction details for the storm flap.

A3b: Drawing # 3 is a side view. There is no storm flap in this garment.

Q3c: 4.3.2 When using one layer of insulation, which side of the insulation is to be against the calendered side of the shell material?

A3c: Either side is acceptable.

Q3d: 4.3.2.1 and 4.3.2.2: "if two layers of insulation is used, each layer shall be serged to the calendered side of the shell material", meaning one layer of insulation on each of the shell layers?

A3d: Yes

Q3e: 4.3.4 Sleeve construction: Is the sleeve constructed of only one layer of shell and one layer of insulation? (i.e., not like the front & back which are two layers of shell with the insulation sandwiched in between therefore one side of the insulation would be exposed.)

A3e: The sleeve is constructed with two layers of shell material and one layer of insulation.

Q3f: Is there an option to use two layers of insulation as per paras 4.3.2.1 and 4.3.2.2?

A3f: No.

Question 4: G.S. 1045-356

Q4a: 4.3.2 Are the trousers constructed of only one layer of shell material and one layer of insulation?

A4a: The trousers are constructed with two layers of shell material and one layer of insulation.

Q4b: Which side of the insulation is to be against the calendered side of the shell material?

A4b: Either side is acceptable.

Question 5

We are not able to obtain pricing for the insulation as there are no weights specified in the specifications or tables. Please advise what the weight of the insulation should be so we can obtain correct pricing from insulation manufacturer/supplier.

Answer 5

The insulation manufacturer/supplier may supply pricing based on required thickness and CLO value.

Question 6

Would you be able to tell us what the pattern yield is? In addition, are you able to provide an example of the pattern in an electronic version?

Answer 6

We do not provide yield as we are not responsible for each manufacturer's production efficiencies. The electronic pattern is not available until request for pre-contract award samples.

Question 7

G.S. 1045-315 para 4.1.9 specifies two sizes of eyelet, however there is no instruction or drawing that specifies which size eyelet to use in which location. Please provide location details for the two sizes of eyelet.

Answer 7

Only one size of eyelet (5-6 mm diameter) is required. Details of placement are described in paragraph 4.3.2.3 Waist channel.

All other terms and conditions remain the same.

A bid already submitted may be amended prior to RFP closing time by sending the amended correspondence to Bid Receiving Unit, the envelope/message bearing the PWGSC file number and the most current closing date.