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**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
AMENDMENT**

The referenced document is hereby revised;
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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)	
Signature	Date

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL AMENDMENT NO. 001

Request for Proposal Amendment no. 001 is raised for the following reasons: Questions and answers.

Question 1:

Is this requirement in the National Capital Region?

Answer 1:

No – this requirement is for Kingston.

Question 2:

In regards to Annex A pg.24-25 1.7and A 2.7- Scanner: Scan Native 1200 DPI Resolution: Would SSC/ DND accept a minimum resolution of 600 DPI?

Answer 2:

Yes, minimum resolution of 600 DPI is acceptable.

Question 3:

In regard to Annex A pg.24 1.13- Print Speed: Minimum print speed of 130 pages per minute (8.5 X 11): Would SSC/ DND accept a unit of 125 pages per minute?

Answer 3:

Minimum print speed of 130 ppm +/- 5 ppm is acceptable.

Question 4:

A1.2 Media: Handle media up to 13x19 paper and capability to run 300gsm. Would the Crown accept media up to 12.6 x19.2?

Answer 4:

12.6x19.2 is acceptable

Question 5:

In regards to Annex A pg.26 2.15- Print Controller EFI ES-1000: This has been replaced by EFI ES2000, Does SSC/ DND accept this as this is the latest technology available?

Answer 5:

Yes, newer EFI technology is acceptable.

Question 6:

A2.14 - Registration Tolerances: Not to exceed 0.5 mm accuracy front-to-back, with the ability by a trained user to adjust registration for a given media and retain settings for repeated use. Can the Crown change this spec to +/- 1mm from +/- 0.5mm?

Answer 6:

Tolerance of +/- 1mm is acceptable

Question 7:

In regard to Annex A pg.26 2.16- Additional Requirements: Integrated fifth colour toner (that is, in addition to CMYK) with a minimum availability of clear toner for enhanced security features on printed materials: Would SSC/ DND accept the possibility of a "near-line" finishing unit that would apply a clear UV coating finish for secure documents.

Answer 7:

Clear coating is required as a spot finish to protect an authorized signature on a certificate, for example. There may be occasions where certificates pre-printed with a protected signature will need to be produced by this print shop then run through a laser printer a second time at a remote location to add the student's specifics, so coating the entire sheet is not acceptable. Similarly, coating strips of the sheet will not work as there are typically other entry fields on the same plane as the protected signature. If the vendor can provide a near-line machine that can apply a spot varnish that can be customized to the product, this would be acceptable. Productivity issues and application of varnish to other materials are not a factor here.

Question 8:

A2.16 - Additional Requirements: Integrated fifth colour toner (that is, in addition to CMYK) with a minimum availability of clear toner for enhanced security features on printed materials. Can the Crown remove this requirement?

Answer 8:

Ability to apply clear spot varnish or toner is required for the production of tamper-proof prints. Vendor must be able to provide this feature either in the printer using a fifth toner, or as a separate process using another machine included in their proposal.

Question 9:

A2.2 - Media: Handle media up to 13" x 19"; and Handle media up to 300 gsm/100 lb cover. Can the Crown confirm if they require 300gsm or 100lb cover?

Answer 9:

300 gsm is the requirement

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) REMAIN UNCHANGED.