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**Revision to a Request for a Standing Offer**

**Révision à une demande d'offre à commandes**

National Master Standing Offer (NMSO)

Offre à commandes principale et nationale (OCPN)

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

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

**Comments - Commentaires**

**Vendor/Firm Name and Address**

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<b>Title - Sujet</b> Ductless Fume Hood SOA		
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> M7594-177606/A		<b>Date</b> 2017-07-18
<b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b> M7594-177606		<b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b> 005
<b>File No. - N° de dossier</b> pv955.M7594-177606	<b>CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME</b>	
<b>GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG</b> PW-\$\$PV-955-72883		
<b>Date of Original Request for Standing Offer</b> Date de la demande de l'offre à commandes originale		2017-05-16
<b>Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2017-07-20</b>		<b>Time Zone</b> <b>Fuseau horaire</b> Eastern Daylight Saving Time EDT
<b>Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à:</b> Paradis, Lise		<b>Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur</b> pv955
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> (873) 469-4464 ( )		<b>FAX No. - N° de FAX</b> (819) 956-3814
<b>Delivery Required - Livraison exigée</b>		
<b>Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction:</b> <b>Destination - des biens, services et construction:</b>		
<b>Security - Sécurité</b> This revision does not change the security requirements of the Offer. Cette révision ne change pas les besoins en matière de sécurité de la présente offre.		

**Instructions: See Herein**

**Instructions: Voir aux présentes**

<b>Acknowledgement copy required</b> <b>Accusé de réception requis</b>	<b>Yes - Oui</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>No - Non</b> <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>The Offeror hereby acknowledges this revision to its Offer.</b> <b>Le proposant constate, par la présente, cette révision à son offre.</b>		
<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>	
Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of offeror. (type or print) Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du proposant. (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)		
<b>For the Minister - Pour le Ministre</b>		

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### Amendment 005

The amendment 005 is raised to do the following change and to answer questions from the Industry:

**DELETE** ANNEX "1" TO PART 3 of the request for standing Offers in its entirety and replaced it by the following ANNEX "1" TO PART 3 of the request for standing Offers.

#### ANNEX "1" to PART 3 OF THE REQUEST FOR STANDING OFFERS

##### Form 1

##### COMPLETE LIST OF DIRECTORS

Name

Position

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##### Form 2

##### ELECTRONIC PAYMENT INSTRUMENTS

The Offeror accepts to be paid by any of the following Electronic Payment Instrument(s):

- ☐ VISA Acquisition Card;
- ☐ MasterCard Acquisition Card;
- ☐ Direct Deposit (Domestic and International);
- ☐ Electronic Data Interchange (EDI);
- ☐ Wire Transfer (International Only);
- ☐ Large Value Transfer System (LVTS) (Over \$25M)

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**Questions and answers:**

- Q 74.** This is referencing current question 50,  
Would it be required for the HEPA filter to be sprayed with an adhesive to ensure particles remain in the absorbent media during filter changes? In addition to this practice, would an independent filtering system would not only provide negative pressure within the hood during filter changes, but also increase the level of safety, as the replacement process will not be interrupted by air flow, therefore containing any possible contaminants within the hood and secondary independent filter systems?
- A 74.** There is no requirement for the HEPA filter to be sprayed, but this feature can be evaluated. A redundant filtering system is required to provide negative pressure within the hood during filter changes.
- Q 75.** This is referencing current answer 51: Yes, pre-filters are required.  
Rebuttal: SEFA 9 2010 does not require pre-filters within any section. Why are pre-filters required and for what purpose, as they are only designed to capture larger particles within the ambient atmosphere. Collection of hazardous particles are not intended to be trapped by any pre-filter and is not recommended as this compromises the HEPA filter's ability to capture these particles.
- A 75.** Although SEFA-9 2010 does not require pre-filters, RCMP requires pre-filters.
- Q 76.** This is referencing current question 64,  
Can you please definite clearly "Hardware maintenance services?" We know what warranty is, but need clearer details on Hardware maintenance services. Will this require any type of onsite effort after the unit has been delivered?
- A 76.** RCMP defines hardware maintenance service as service required for any issues during the warranty period.
- Q 77.** This is referencing current answer 70,  
Yes, the warranty includes the cost of the filter replacements. Are the filters expected to be part of the full warranty with no charge associated during the warranty period?
- A 77.** Yes, filters must be part of the full warranty with no charge associated during the warranty period.

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**Q 78.** Would a DH III be considered, as the increase level of safety is far superior to a DHII? A DHIII adds a back-up filter, providing a secondary level of containment and must be of the same filtration media as the primary filter. DHIII hoods are the safest hoods in the industry and comply and exceed any SEFA 9 or ASHREA recommendation.

**A 78.** Yes a DHIII would be considered as our minimum requirement is a DHII.

**Q 79.** Does the product need to be commercially available at the current time? Are existing customer references for this product and this specific application/intended use a requirement?

**A 79.** The product should be a commercially available at the time of bid closing.

**Q 80.** With regards to negative pressure – changing the pre filters out can be done under the negative pressure requirement; however when you are doing your filter changes annually for the HEPA and Carbon filters the units will need to shut down the unit to remove filters from the head assembly and negative pressure cannot be applied at that time and SEFA and ASHRAE compliance do not require you to have negative pressure for these filter change outs – can you please amend the negative pressure requirement to read for prefilter change out only, this would be when the safe work procedures would come into place by wearing the PPE suit.

**A 80.** The ability to safely allow for prefilter and HEPA Filter change out during system operation is a requirement. We will not amend the requirement.

**Q 81.** For the test protocol at time of delivery since we are not doing the installation can you please verify or explain more about this requirement?

**A81.** As per SEFA-9 2010, suppliers are to supply a testing kit to the clients.

**All other terms and conditions remain the same.**