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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 Single Row Plot Seeder	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation 01633-180823/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 001
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client 01633-180823	Date 2017-10-17
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$WPG-006-10327	
File No. - N° de dossier WPG-7-40114 (006)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2017-11-14	Time Zone Fuseau horaire Central Standard Time CST
F.O.B. - F.A.B. Plant-Usine: <input type="checkbox"/> Destination: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other-Autre: <input type="checkbox"/>	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: Graham, Danielle	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur wpg006
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (204) 292-2872 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX (204) 983-7796
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This **amendment # 001** is raised to respond to bidder's questions and modify **solicitation # 01633-180823/A** as follows:

Question 1. Spec 2 3 point hitch mounting

- Is this to be a category I or II hitch mount? Should it be "quick-hitch" compatible?

Response 1. It just needs to be three point compatible whether Category 1 or 2 (which is more a reference to pin size and tractor HP) Seeding is done very slow, so if the manufacturer sells a certain category, that is fine. That has to do with the seeder weight and HP ratio. The seeder does not have to be quick hitch compatible.

Question 2. Spec 3 Double sided wheel drive

- Is this requesting that both ground wheels are to drive the metering hardware?

Response 2. Yes

Question 3. Spec 4 Stepless mechanical seed drive for exact plot placement

- Is this requesting that an infinitely variable (versus incrementally variable) transmission be used to control the plot length?

Response 3. It means that it is continuous – stepless.

Question 4. Spec 5 Manual seed trip mechanism

- This is requesting a manual trip for the seed cones? Should the magazine cartridge advance be manual as well?

Response 4. Manual trip is for seed placement only – the cartridge automatically advances the next group of seed rows as a part of the mechanism after the seed is tripped.

Question 5. Spec 8

- The opener requested should be a narrow hoe-type opener on a spring loaded shank? I don't see any reference to a press wheel. Are press wheels required? Shank mounted or gang mounted?

Response 5. Yes – hoe type opener is preferred – press wheels are required. (see changes to specification 8 below)

Question 6. Spec 11 Ground wheel position sensor

- I'm not certain what is being requested. Are you able to clarify?

Response 6. It's a sensor to clarify ground spacing between plots

Question 7. Spec 14 Adjustable row length settings

- What is the desired range of row length? Does this pertain to Spec 4 above?

Response 7. I want the row lengths adjustable - The desired lengths are variable and most seeders are adjustable with normal parameters.

No it does not refer to spec 4.

Question 8. Spec 15 Magazine or seed holder

- Is this specification requesting a holding shelf for filled magazines or for empty magazines (or both)?

Response 8. It requires the seeder to holds magazines, either hold full or empty.

Question 9. Spec 16 Adjustable seed row width - set to 1 ft spacing for delivery

- What is the maximum row width required?

Response 9. This statement is fine and does not need clarification.

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1. Reference **Annex A, Specification 8**, and modify as follows:

Delete:

Mandatory Spec 8:	Straight chisel openers are preferred over double disc coulters			
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Insert:

Desirable Spec 8:	Straight chisel openers are preferred over double disc coulters	n/a		
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2. Reference **Annex A, Compliance Matrix** and modify as follows:

Insert: Desirable Criteria – Desirable criteria are criteria that are considered ideal to have, but are not mandatory; nor are they considered as an evaluation criterion.

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN THE SAME