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| | <p>Destination - of Services / Destination des services Environment & Climate Change Canada Fort Nelson, BC</p> | | |
| | <p>Security / Sécurité The successful bidder must meet the security requirements prior to contract award</p> | | |
| <p>Vendor/Firm Name and Address - Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur</p> | | | |
| <p>Telephone No. – N° de téléphone</p> | <p>Fax No. – N° de Fax</p> | | |
| <p>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)</p> | | | |
| <p>Signature</p> | <p>Date</p> | | |

AMENDMENT ONE

Amendment number one has been raised in order to address questions being presented by potential bidders, as follows:

1. **DURATION OF CONTRACT/OPTION YEARS:**

On page 4, under Summary (2.1), it is stated that 'The period of the contract is from date of award for three (3) years plus three (3) additional one (1) year option periods'. Again, on page 17, under 'Evaluation of the Financial Bid', in the 4th paragraph, it states: 'The Financial bid will be the total combined costs of all columns listed in Annex B - Basis of Payment - Table 1.1, Table 1.2, Table 1.3, Table 1.4, Table 1.5 and Table 1.6'. However, Annex B (Basis of Payment/Financial Bid Evaluation Sheet), contains only 5 tables (Table 1.1 to Table 1.5).

Please clarify the discrepancy with respect to the number of years involved in the proposed contract.

RESPONSE:

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2.1 Environment and Climate Change Canada has a requirement for ongoing Weather Observation Services in Fort Nelson, BC, as detailed in the Statement of Work, Annex A to the bid solicitation. The period of the contract is from date of award for three (3) years plus three (3) additional one (1) year option periods. The Contractor's main responsibilities will be to prepare the instruments, release the balloons twice each day and ensure the prompt transmittal of the data. The work will also involve the management and provision of personnel to conduct the observing, recording, encoding and transmitting Aerological and Surface Weather and Supplementary programs.

INSERT: Page 4 – 2. Summary – 2.1

2.1 Environment and Climate Change Canada has a requirement for ongoing Weather Observation Services in Fort Nelson, BC, as detailed in the Statement of Work, Annex A to the bid solicitation. The period of the contract is from date of award for two (2) years plus three (3) additional one (1) year option periods. The Contractor's main responsibilities will be to prepare the instruments, release the balloons twice each day and ensure the prompt transmittal of the data. The work will also involve the management and provision of personnel to conduct the observing, recording, encoding and transmitting Aerological and Surface Weather and Supplementary programs.

2. **PROVISION OF TELEPHONE SERVICE:**

On page 34, paragraph 1.1.1, it is stated: 'The contractor must provide a land line telephone number with voice mail, fax number and an e-mail address'. However, leaving aside the e-mail part, this statement seems to be contradicted by the one on page 36, paragraph 1.2.2, which says 'ECCC is responsible for the provision and payment of a standard telephone service to the weather station'.

Please provide a clarification.

RESPONSE:

Point 1.1.1 is requesting the contractor provide a phone number with voice mail, fax number and e-mail address (essentially their business contract info) that is accessible outside of the weather station. ECCC is responsible for the provision and payment of a standard telephone service to the weather station.

3. MONTHLY WORK SITE INSPECTION:

On page 42, paragraph 5.1.12, it is stated that 'The contractor is required to complete the monthly work site inspection report (see Appendix A3 - Site Inspection Report). However, the said appendix seems to be missing from the document.

Please provide the missing page.

Both English and French version of Appendix A3 are attached

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