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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.

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SOLICITATION AMENDMENT 005

This amendment is raised to:

1. Provide answers to Bidders questions in relation to the above solicitation, and
2. Amend the Request for Proposal (RFP) as detailed in Appendix A-5 below.

Question 12:

Due to the recent Ontario college strike, proposed resources may have difficulty in obtaining a copy of their degree/diploma. For diplomas gained from Ontario colleges, would the Crown please accept an official transcript or other proof of achievement? A precedent has been set in a recent amendment released by the Department of National Defence for their solicitation W6369-16DE18/A:

Amendment No. 007, published November 11, 2017

QUESTION 67

Due to the recent Ontario college strike, consultants are finding it difficult to get in contact with their graduating colleges to obtain “copies of degrees/diplomas”. Would the crown accept removing “the copy of degree/diploma” clause under the present circumstance? Or would the Crown also consider that a copy of transcripts to be sufficient proof?

ANSWER 67

Canada agrees to make the following change on an exceptional basis only: For a Degree or Diploma obtained by the resource from a recognised Ontario public college, Canada will accept a copy of an official transcript in lieu of a copy of a Diploma or Degree provided that the transcript, and supporting documentation (e.g. program curriculum, etc.), clearly demonstrates successful completion of all the educational requirements necessary to obtain the referenced Degree or Diploma. A copy of the official transcript and all supporting documentation necessary to demonstrate this requirement must be submitted with the bidders bid.

Answer 12:

See Amendment 3, no we will not accept a transcript but exceptionally Canada will accept a letter from the College’s Registrar certifying that a degree/diploma was obtained.

Question 13:

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With regards to MTC1, “The proposed resource must clearly demonstrate the completion of a post-secondary educational program in computer science, information technology or information management.” would the Crown accept a diploma in Network Administration?

Answer 13:

Canada will accept a diploma in Network Administration.

Question 14:

As per MTC6 – Help Desk Specialist lv 3 criteria, would the client accept a certified letter from Algonquin college stating that the resource has successfully completed a 2 year Information System program? This is what they receive and if they want to pay for the diploma they can.

Answer 14:

Canada will accept a letter from the College’s Registrar certifying that a degree/diploma was obtained.

APPENDIX A-5

The bid closing date has been amended as follows:

DELETE: November 30, 2017 at 2:00 pm EST

INSERT: December 5, 2017 at 2:00 pm EST