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**Request For a Standing Offer
Demande d'offre à commandes**

Regional Individual Standing Offer (RISO)
Offre à commandes individuelle régionale (OCIR)

Canada, as represented by the Minister of Public Works and
Government Services Canada, hereby requests a Standing Offer
on behalf of the Identified Users herein.

Le Canada, représenté par le ministre des Travaux Publics et
Services Gouvernementaux Canada, autorise par la présente,
une offre à commandes au nom des utilisateurs identifiés
énumérés ci-après.

Comments - Commentaires

**Vendor/Firm Name and Address
Raison sociale et adresse du
fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur**

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Title - Sujet Collection of MRI Data	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation W7719-185415/A	Date 2017-11-28
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client W7719-18-5415	GETS Ref. No. - N° de réf. de SEAG PW-\$KIN-510-7364
File No. - N° de dossier KIN-7-48148 (510)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2017-12-20	
Time Zone Fuseau horaire Eastern Standard Time EST	
Delivery Required - Livraison exigée See Herein	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: Barltrop, David	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur kin510
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (613)536-4994 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX (613)545-8067
Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction: DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE 1133 SHEPPARD AVE W. TORONTO Ontario M3K2C9 Canada	
Security - Sécurité This request for a Standing Offer does not include provisions for security. Cette Demande d'offre à commandes ne comprend pas des dispositions en matière de sécurité.	

Instructions: See Herein

Instructions: Voir aux présentes

Vendor/Firm Name and Address Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur	
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone	Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur
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

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PART 1 - GENERAL INFORMATION

1.1 Introduction

The Request for Standing Offers (RFSO) is divided into six parts plus attachments and annexes, as follows:

- Part 1 General Information: provides a general description of the requirement;
- Part 2 Offeror Instructions: provides the instructions applicable to the clauses and conditions of the RFSO;
- Part 3 Offer Preparation Instructions: provides offerors with instructions on how to prepare their offer to address the evaluation criteria specified;
- Part 4 Evaluation Procedures and Basis of Selection: indicates how the evaluation will be conducted, the evaluation criteria which must be addressed in the offer, and the basis of selection;
- Part 5 Certifications and Additional Information: includes the certifications and additional information to be provided; and
- Part 6 6A, Standing Offer, and 6B, Resulting Contract Clauses:
 - 6A, includes the Standing Offer containing the offer from the Offeror and the applicable clauses and conditions;
 - 6B, includes the clauses and conditions which will apply to any contract resulting from a call-up made pursuant to the Standing Offer.

The Annexes include the Statement of Work, the Basis of Payment and the Standing Offer Usage Reporting Form.

1.2 Summary

- 1.2.1 The Department of National Defence (DND), Defence Research and Development Canada (DRDC) Toronto, has a requirement for access to an off-site magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) facility for the acquisition of structural and functional brain scans. The Contractor must use a 3T MRI scanner to produce structural and functional MRI data in the form of DICOM or NIfTI files.

It is the intention of the Crown to issue one (1) Standing Offer.

The period for placing call-ups will be from date of issuance to four (4) years later. *[Canada will insert dates at time of issuance]*

1.3 Debriefings

Offerors may request a debriefing on the results of the request for standing offers process. Offerors should make the request to the Standing Offer Authority within 15 working days of receipt of the results of the request for standing offers process. The debriefing may be in writing, by telephone or in person.

PART 2 - OFFEROR INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 Standard Instructions, Clauses and Conditions

All instructions, clauses and conditions identified in the Request for Standing Offers (RFSO) by number, date and title are set out in the [Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual](https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual) (<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual>) issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

Offerors who submit an offer agree to be bound by the instructions, clauses and conditions of the RFSO and accept the clauses and conditions of the Standing Offer and resulting contract(s).

The [2006](#) (2017-04-27) Standard Instructions - Request for Standing Offers - Goods or Services - Competitive Requirements, are incorporated by reference into and form part of the RFSO.

Subsection 5.4 of [2006](#), Standard Instructions - Request for Standing Offers - Goods or Services - Competitive Requirements, is amended as follows:

Delete: 60 days

Insert: 90 days

2.2 Submission of Offers

Offers must be submitted only to Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) Bid Receiving Unit by the date, time and place indicated on page 1 of the Request for Standing Offers.

2.3 Former Public Servant

Contracts awarded to former public servants (FPS) in receipt of a pension or of a lump sum payment must bear the closest public scrutiny, and reflect fairness in the spending of public funds. In order to comply with Treasury Board policies and directives on contracts awarded to FPS, offerors must provide the information required below before the issuance of a standing offer. If the answer to the questions and, as applicable the information required have not been received by the time the evaluation of offers is completed, Canada will inform the Offeror of a time frame within which to provide the information. Failure to comply with Canada's request and meet the requirement within the prescribed time frame will render the offer non-responsive.

Definitions

For the purposes of this clause,

"former public servant" is any former member of a department as defined in the [Financial Administration Act](#) R.S., 1985, c. F-11, a former member of the Canadian Armed Forces or a former member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. A former public servant may be:

- a. an individual;
- b. an individual who has incorporated;
- c. a partnership made of former public servants; or
- d. a sole proprietorship or entity where the affected individual has a controlling or major interest in the entity.

"lump sum payment period" means the period measured in weeks of salary, for which payment has been made to facilitate the transition to retirement or to other employment as a result of the implementation of various programs to reduce the size of the Public Service. The lump sum payment period does not include the period of severance pay, which is measured in a like manner.

"pension" means a pension or annual allowance paid under the [Public Service Superannuation Act](#) (PSSA), R.S., 1985, c. P-36, and any increases paid pursuant to the [Supplementary Retirement Benefits Act](#), R.S., 1985, c. S-24 as it affects the PSSA. It does not include pensions payable pursuant to the [Canadian Forces Superannuation Act](#), R.S., 1985, c. C-17, the [Defence Services Pension Continuation Act](#), 1970, c. D-3, the [Royal Canadian Mounted Police Pension Continuation Act](#), 1970, c. R-10, and the [Royal Canadian Mounted Police Superannuation Act](#), R.S., 1985, c. R-11, the [Members of Parliament Retiring Allowances Act](#), R.S. 1985, c. M-5, and that portion of pension payable to the [Canada Pension Plan Act](#), R.S., 1985, c. C-8.

Former Public Servant in Receipt of a Pension

As per the above definitions, is the Offeror a FPS in receipt of a pension? **YES** () **NO** ()

If so, the Offeror must provide the following information, for all FPS in receipt of a pension, as applicable:

- a. name of former public servant;
- b. date of termination of employment or retirement from the Public Service.

By providing this information, Offerors agree that the successful Offeror's status, with respect to being a former public servant in receipt of a pension, will be reported on departmental websites as part of the published proactive disclosure reports in accordance with [Contracting Policy Notice: 2012-2](#) and the [Guidelines on the Proactive Disclosure of Contracts](#).

Work Force Adjustment Directive

Is the Offeror a FPS who received a lump sum payment pursuant to the terms of the Work Force Adjustment Directive? **YES** () **NO** ()

If so, the Offeror must provide the following information:

- a. name of former public servant;
- b. conditions of the lump sum payment incentive;
- c. date of termination of employment;
- d. amount of lump sum payment;
- e. rate of pay on which lump sum payment is based;
- f. period of lump sum payment including start date, end date and number of weeks;
- g. number and amount (professional fees) of other contracts subject to the restrictions of a work force adjustment program.

For all contracts awarded during the lump sum payment period, the total amount of fees that may be paid to a FPS who received a lump sum payment is \$5,000, including Applicable Taxes.

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2.4 Enquiries - Request for Standing Offers

All enquiries must be submitted in writing to the Standing Offer Authority no later than seven (7) calendar days before the Request for Standing Offers (RFSO) closing date. Enquiries received after that time may not be answered.

Offerors should reference as accurately as possible the numbered item of the RFSO to which the enquiry relates. Care should be taken by offerors to explain each question in sufficient detail in order to enable Canada to provide an accurate answer. Technical enquiries that are of a proprietary nature must be clearly marked "proprietary" at each relevant item. Items identified as "proprietary" will be treated as such except where Canada determines that the enquiry is not of a proprietary nature. Canada may edit the question(s) or may request that offerors do so, so that the proprietary nature of the question(s) is eliminated, and the enquiry can be answered to all offerors. Enquiries not submitted in a form that can be distributed to all offerors may not be answered by Canada.

2.5 Applicable Laws

The Standing Offer and any contract resulting from the Standing Offer must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Ontario.

Offerors may, at their discretion, substitute the applicable laws of a Canadian province or territory of their choice without affecting the validity of their offer, by deleting the name of the Canadian province or territory specified and inserting the name of the Canadian province or territory of their choice. If no change is made, it acknowledges that the applicable laws specified are acceptable to the offerors.

PART 3 - OFFER PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Offer Preparation Instructions

Canada requests that offerors provide their offer in separately bound sections as follows:

Section I: Financial Offer (1 hard copy)

Section II: Certifications (1 hard copy)

Prices must appear in the financial offer only. No prices must be indicated in any other section of the offer.

Canada requests that offerors follow the format instructions described below in the preparation of their offer.

- (a) use 8.5 x 11 inch (216 mm x 279 mm) paper;
- (b) use a numbering system that corresponds to that of the Request for Standing Offers.

In April 2006, Canada issued a policy directing federal departments and agencies to take the necessary steps to incorporate environmental considerations into the procurement process [Policy on Green Procurement](http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ecologisation-greening/achats-procurement/politique-policy-eng.html) (<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ecologisation-greening/achats-procurement/politique-policy-eng.html>). To assist Canada in reaching its objectives, offerors should:

- 1) use 8.5 x 11 inch (216 mm x 279 mm) paper containing fibre certified as originating from a sustainably-managed forest and containing minimum 30% recycled content; and
- 2) use an environmentally-preferable format including black and white printing instead of colour printing, printing double sided/duplex, using staples or clips instead of cerlox, duotangs or binders.

Section I: Financial Offer

Offerors must submit their financial offer in accordance with the Annex B, Basis of Payment.

3.1.1 Exchange Rate Fluctuation

[C3011T](#) (2013-11-06), Exchange Rate Fluctuation

Section II: Certifications

Offerors must submit the certifications and additional information required under Part 5.

PART 4 - EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION

4.1 Evaluation Procedures

- (a) Offers will be assessed in accordance with the entire requirement of the Request for Standing Offers including the financial evaluation criteria.
- (b) An evaluation team composed of representatives of Canada will evaluate the offers.

4.1.1 Financial Evaluation

4.1.1.1 Mandatory Financial Criteria

Any offer which fails to meet the following mandatory financial criteria will be deemed non-responsive and will receive no further consideration:

- a) Offers must not contain any alteration to Annex "B" - Basis of Payment, other than the addition of the Offeror's firm pricing for Item 1. Pricing must be provided for all pricing periods for Item 1.
- b) Offers must not contain any condition or qualification placed upon the offer.
- c) Pricing must be firm in Canadian currency, excluding applicable taxes, and must not be indexed or tied to an escalation factor.

4.1.1.2 Evaluation of Price

The sum of the hourly pricing for all pricing periods will be multiplied by the Annual Estimated Usage and the resulting sum will be the Evaluated Price.

The price of the offer will be evaluated in Canadian dollars, Applicable Taxes excluded, FOB destination, Canadian customs duties and excise taxes included.

4.2 Basis of Selection

- 4.2.1** An offer must comply with the requirements of the Request for Standing Offers and meet all mandatory evaluation criteria to be declared responsive. The responsive offer with the lowest Evaluated Price will be recommended for issuance of a standing offer.

PART 5 – CERTIFICATIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Offerors must provide the required certifications and additional information to be issued a standing offer.

The certifications provided by offerors to Canada are subject to verification by Canada at all times. Unless specified otherwise, Canada will declare an offer non-responsive, will have the right to set-aside a standing offer, or will declare a contractor in default if any certification made by the Offeror is found to be untrue whether made knowingly or unknowingly during the offer evaluation period, during the Standing Offer period, or during the contract period.

The Standing Offer Authority will have the right to ask for additional information to verify the Offeror's certifications. Failure to comply and to cooperate with any request or requirement imposed by the Standing Offer Authority will render the offer non-responsive, result in the setting aside of the Standing Offer or constitute a default under the Contract.

5.1 Certifications Required with the Offer

Offerors must submit the following duly completed certifications as part of their offer.

5.1.1 Integrity Provisions - Declaration of Convicted Offences

In accordance with the Integrity Provisions of the Standard Instructions, all offerors must provide with their offer, **if applicable**, the declaration form available on the [Forms for the Integrity Regime](http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/declaration-eng.html) website (<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/declaration-eng.html>), to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

5.1.2 Additional Certifications Required with the Offer

5.2 Certifications Precedent to the Issuance of a Standing Offer and Additional Information

The certifications and additional information listed below should be submitted with the offer, but may be submitted afterwards. If any of these required certifications or additional information is not completed and submitted as requested, the Standing Offer Authority will inform the Offeror of a time frame within which to provide the information. Failure to provide the certifications or the additional information listed below within the time frame provided will render the offer non-responsive.

5.2.1 Integrity Provisions – Required Documentation

In accordance with the section titled Information to be provided when bidding, contracting or entering into a real procurement agreement of the [Ineligibility and Suspension Policy](http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/politique-policy-eng.html) (<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/politique-policy-eng.html>), the Offeror must provide the required documentation, as applicable, to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

5.2.2 Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Standing Offer Certification

By submitting an offer, the Offeror certifies that the Offeror, and any of the Offeror's members if the Offeror is a Joint Venture, is not named on the Federal Contractors Program (FCP) for employment equity "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list) available at the bottom of the page of the [Employment and Social Development Canada-Labour's](https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/programs/employment-equity/federal-contractor-program.html#s4) website (<https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/programs/employment-equity/federal-contractor-program.html#s4>).

Canada will have the right to declare an offer non-responsive, or to set-aside a Standing Offer, if the Offeror, or any member of the Offeror if the Offeror is a Joint Venture, appears on the "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list at the time of issuing of a Standing Offer or during the period of the Standing Offer.

PART 6 - STANDING OFFER AND RESULTING CONTRACT CLAUSES

A. STANDING OFFER

6.1 Offer

6.1.1 The Offeror offers to perform the Work in accordance with the Statement of Work at Annex "A".

6.2 Security Requirements

6.2.1 There is no security requirement applicable to the Standing Offer.

6.3 Standard Clauses and Conditions

All clauses and conditions identified in the Standing Offer and resulting contract(s) by number, date and title are set out in the [Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual](https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual) (<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual>) issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

6.3.1 General Conditions

[2005](#) (2017-06-21) General Conditions - Standing Offers - Goods or Services, apply to and form part of the Standing Offer.

6.3.2 Standing Offers Reporting

The Offeror must compile and maintain records on its provision of goods and services to Canada under contracts resulting from the Standing Offer. This data must include all purchases done by Canada, including those acquired and paid for by Canada acquisition cards.

The Offeror must provide this data in accordance with the reporting requirements detailed in annex entitled Annex C Standing Offer Usage Reporting Form. If some data is not available, the reason must be indicated in the report. If no goods or services is provided during a given period, the Offeror must provide a "nil" report.

The data must be submitted on a quarterly basis to the Standing Offer Authority.

The quarterly reporting periods are defined as follows:

- first quarter: April 1 to June 30
- second quarter: July 1 to September 30
- third quarter: October 1 to December 31
- fourth quarter: January 1 to March 31

The data must be submitted to the Standing Offer Authority no later than 30 calendar days after the end of the reporting period.

6.4 Term of Standing Offer

6.4.1 Period of the Standing Offer

The period for making call-ups against the Standing Offer is from date of issuance to four (4) years later. *[Canada will insert dates at time of issuance]*

6.5 Authorities

6.5.1 Standing Offer Authority

The Standing Offer Authority is:

Name: David Barltrop
Title: Supply Officer
Public Works and Government Services Canada
Acquisitions Branch
Directorate: Ontario Region
Address: 86 Clarence St., 2nd Floor

Telephone: 613 536 4994
Facsimile: 613 545 8067
E-mail address: David.Barltrop@tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca

The Standing Offer Authority is responsible for the establishment of the Standing Offer, its administration and its revision, if applicable. Upon the making of a call-up, as Contracting Authority, he is responsible for any contractual issues relating to individual call-ups made against the Standing Offer by any Identified User.

6.5.2 Project Authority

The Project Authority for the Standing Offer is: **(To be completed at contract award)**

Name: _____
Title: _____
Organization: _____
Address: _____

Telephone: ____ - ____ - _____
Facsimile: ____ - ____ - _____
E-mail address: _____

The Project Authority is the representative of the department or agency for whom the Work will be carried out pursuant to a call-up under the Standing Offer and is responsible for all the technical content of the Work under the resulting Contract.

6.5.3 Offeror's Representative (To be completed by the offeror)

Name: _____
Title: _____
Organization: _____
Address: _____
Telephone: ____ - ____ - _____
Facsimile: ____ - ____ - _____
E-mail: _____

6.6 Proactive Disclosure of Contracts with Former Public Servants

By providing information on its status, with respect to being a former public servant in receipt of a [Public Service Superannuation Act](#) (PSSA) pension, the Contractor has agreed that this information will be

reported on departmental websites as part of the published proactive disclosure reports, in accordance with [Contracting Policy Notice: 2012-2](#) of the Treasury Board Secretariat of Canada.

6.7 Identified Users

The Identified User authorized to make call-ups against the Standing Offer is: Defence Research and Development Canada.

6.8 Call-up Instrument

The Work will be authorized or confirmed by the Identified User(s) using the duly completed forms or their equivalents as identified in paragraphs 1 and 2 below, or by using Canada acquisition cards (Visa or MasterCard) for low dollar value requirements.

1. Call-ups must be made by Identified Users' authorized representatives under the Standing Offer and must be for goods or services or combination of goods and services included in the Standing Offer at the prices and in accordance with the terms and conditions specified in the Standing Offer.
2. Any of the following forms could be used which are available through [PWGSC Forms Catalogue](#) website:
 - PWGSC-TPSGC 942 Call-up Against a Standing Offer
 - PWGSC-TPGSC 942-2 Call-up Against a Standing Offer - Multiple Delivery
 - PWGSC-TPSGC 944 Call-up Against Multiple Standing Offers (English version)
 - PWGSC-TPSGC 945 Commande subséquente à plusieurs offres à commandes (French version)

or

3. An equivalent form or electronic call-up document which contains at a minimum the following information:
 - standing offer number;
 - statement that incorporates the terms and conditions of the Standing Offer;
 - description and unit price for each line item;
 - total value of the call-up;
 - point of delivery;
 - confirmation that funds are available under section 32 of the Financial Administration Act;
 - confirmation that the user is an Identified User under the Standing Offer with authority to enter into a contract.

6.9 Limitation of Call-ups

Individual call-ups against the Standing Offer must not exceed \$17,500.00 (Applicable Taxes excluded).

6.10 Priority of Documents

If there is a discrepancy between the wording of any documents that appear on the list, the wording of the document that first appears on the list has priority over the wording of any document that subsequently appears on the list.

- a) the call up against the Standing Offer, including any annexes;
- b) the articles of the Standing Offer;
- c) the general conditions [2005](#) (2017-06-21), General Conditions - Standing Offers - Goods or Services

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- d) the general conditions 2010B (2016-04-04), General Conditions - Professional Services (Medium Complexity);
- e) Annex A, Statement of Work;
- f) Annex B, Basis of Payment;
- g) the Offeror's offer dated _____ (*insert date of offer*).

6.11 Certifications and Additional Information

6.11.1 Compliance

Unless specified otherwise, the continuous compliance with the certifications provided by the Offeror with its offer or precedent to issuance of the Standing Offer (SO), and the ongoing cooperation in providing additional information are conditions of issuance of the SO and failure to comply will constitute the Offeror in default. Certifications are subject to verification by Canada during the entire period of the SO and of any resulting contract that would continue beyond the period of the SO.

6.12 Applicable Laws

The Standing Offer and any contract resulting from the Standing Offer must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Ontario.

B. RESULTING CONTRACT CLAUSES

The following clauses and conditions apply to and form part of any contract resulting from a call-up against the Standing Offer.

6.1 Statement of Work

The Contractor must perform the Work described in the call-up against the Standing Offer.

6.2 Standard Clauses and Conditions

6.2.1 General Conditions

[2010B](#) (2016-04-04), General Conditions - Professional Services (Medium Complexity) apply to and form part of the Contract.

6.3 Term of Contract

6.3.1 Period of the Contract

The Work must be completed in accordance with the call-up against the Standing Offer.

6.4 Proactive Disclosure of Contracts with Former Public Servants

By providing information on its status, with respect to being a former public servant in receipt of a [Public Service Superannuation Act](#) (PSSA) pension, the Contractor has agreed that this information will be reported on departmental websites as part of the published proactive disclosure reports, in accordance with [Contracting Policy Notice: 2012-2](#) of the Treasury Board Secretariat of Canada.

6.5 Payment

6.5.1 Basis of Payment

In consideration of the Contractor satisfactorily completing all of its obligations under the call-up, the Contractor will be paid the firm unit price(s) as stipulated in the call-up, calculated in accordance with Annex "B" – Basis of Payment. Customs duties are included and Applicable Taxes are extra.

6.5.2 Limitation of Price

SACC Manual clause [C6000C](#) (2017-08-17) Limitation of Price

6.5.3 Single Payment

SACC Manual clause [H1000C](#) (2008-05-12), Single Payment

6.5.4 SACC Manual Clauses

SACC Manual clause [A9117C](#) (2007-11-30), T1204 – Direct Request by Customer Department
SACC Manual clause [C0711C](#) (2008-05-12), Time Verification

6.6 Invoicing Instructions

1. The Contractor must submit invoices in accordance with the section entitled "Invoice Submission" of the general conditions. Invoices cannot be submitted until all work identified in the invoice is completed.
2. Invoices must be distributed as follows:
 - a. The original and one (1) copy must be forwarded to the address shown on page 1 of the Contract for certification and payment.
 - b. One (1) copy must be forwarded to the Contracting Authority identified under the section entitled "Authorities" of the Contract.

6.7 Insurance

SACC Manual clause [G1005C](#) (2016-01-28) Insurance

ANNEX "A"

STATEMENT OF WORK

1. TITLE

1.1. COLLECTION OF MRI (MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING) DATA

2. BACKGROUND

2.1. Sustained operations in adverse environments can give rise to a wide range of stressors that can impair the cognitive effectiveness of Canadian Armed Forces (CF) personnel. To improve performance and to develop countermeasures against the deleterious effects of stressors on cognitive function, it is necessary to develop a scientifically valid framework that can quantify the effects of stressors and their countermeasures on brain structure and function. To address that need, the objective behind this contracting effort is to enable DRDC scientists and technical personnel access to an off-site magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) facility for the acquisition of structural and functional brain scans.

3. ACRONYMS

3T	3 Tesla
DICOM	Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine
DRDC	Defence Research and Development Canada
IT	Information Technology
MR	Magnetic Resonance
MRI	Magnetic Resonance Imaging
NifTI	Neuroimaging Informatics Technology Initiative
SOW	Statement of Work
TA	Technical Authority

4. TASKS

4.1. Participants

The Contractor will have no involvement in the recruitment of participants for any study conducted at the MRI facility. DRDC researchers will ensure that all study protocols will have received approval from DRDC's Human Research Ethics Committee (HREC) in advance of recruitment, and will be responsible for participant recruitment, the transportation of participants from their points of departure to and from the MRI facility, and the supervision of participants at the MRI facility.

4.2. Laptop

For each study on the Contractor's site, the Technical Authority and / or approved staff will bring a laptop with the necessary software to present the tasks to participants (via the visual and/or auditory channel) in the MRI scanner.

4.3. File Transfer

The MRI data will be transferred from the scanning facility to DRDC via electronic means and/or external media (e.g., hard drives). In both cases the transfer will be overseen by IT Services. Specifically, if the transfer were to occur via external media, then IT Services would supply the hard

drives and scan their contents prior to connection to DRDC's network. In turn, if the transfer were to occur by electronic means, IT Services would oversee the data transfer procedures (e.g., portals).

5. DELIVERABLES

5.1. 3T MRI Scanner

The Contractor must use a 3T MRI scanner to produce structural and functional MRI data in the form of DICOM or NiftI files.

5.2. Technical Support Staff

The technical support staff (e.g., MR technicians) must include at least one member who has (a) current certification from Canadian Association of Medical Radiation Technologists in Magnetic Resonance, or (b) current registration with the College of Medical Radiation Technologists of Ontario in Magnetic Resonance.

5.3. Scan Storage

The structural and functional MRI scans from each participant must be stored on the Contractor's system for six months.

6. Language of Work

English

7. Location of Work

The work must be performed on the Contractor's site.

8. Travel

The Contractor is not required to travel.

9. MEETINGS

Not required.

ANNEX "B"

BASIS OF PAYMENT

Note to Offerors:

All text in italics in this Annex will be removed from the resulting Standing Offer.

Estimated Usages:

The estimated usages provided are for the sole purpose of establishing an evaluation tool and are based only on best estimate and in no way reflect the actual usages expected or any commitment on the part of the Crown. The quantities as stated herein reflect the expected usage for one year and are an estimate of the requirement made in good faith. The Standing Offer will be limited to the actual items ordered.

Blank Prices

Offerors are requested to insert "\$0.00" for any item for which it does not intend to charge or for items that are already included in other prices set out in the tables. If the Offeror leaves any price blank, Canada will treat the price as "\$0.00" for evaluation purposes and may request that the Offeror confirm that the price is, in fact, \$0.00. No Offeror will be permitted to add or change a price as part of this confirmation. Any Offeror who does not confirm that the price for a blank item is \$0.00 will be declared non-responsive.

Applicable Taxes

HST must not be included in the unit prices (but will be added as a separate item to any invoice issued).

Pricing:

All prices are firm, all-inclusive, hourly prices in Canadian dollars, FOB Destination, Canadian customs duties and excise taxes included, HST excluded. HST is not included in the unit prices but will be added as a separate item to any invoice issued.

Pricing Periods:

Year 1 - Issuance of Standing Offer to One Year later [Canada will insert dates at time of issuance]

Year 2 – [Full Calendar Year following end of Year 1 - Canada will insert dates at time of issuance]

Year 3 – [Full Calendar Year following end of Year 2 - Canada will insert dates at time of issuance]

Year 4 – [Full Calendar Year following end of Year 3 - Canada will insert dates at time of issuance]

Item #	Description of Work	Annual Estimated Usage	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
1	MRI Services, in accordance with Annex A, Statement of Work	50 Hours (Per Year)	\$_____/hr	\$_____/hr	\$_____/hr	\$_____/hr

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File No. - N° du dossier
KIN-7-48148

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ANNEX "C"

STANDING OFFER USAGE REPORTING FORM

Send to the Standing Offer authority named herein.

Use the Standing Offer number in the Subject line and clearly indicate:

- The standing offer number for which the data is submitted;
- The period for which the data has been accumulated (start date to end date);
- The Department with whom the standing offer was arranged;
- The start date and end date for the standing offer; and
- The total spend to date, by government department.

Standing Offer Title		Standing Offer #	Start Date of SO (DD/MM/YYYY)	End Date of SO (DD/MM/YYYY)	
Total Value to Date (\$)		Total Value for Reporting Period (\$)	Start Reporting Period (DD/MM/YYYY)	End Reporting Period (DD/MM/YYYY)	
Department Requesting	Order Number	Work Description (Item # ,Quantity)	Date of Order	Date of Delivery	Value of Order (not including HST)