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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.

### Comments - Commentaires

### Vendor/Firm Name and Address

Raison sociale et adresse du  
fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur

### Issuing Office - Bureau de distribution

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<b>Title - Sujet</b> Professional Services Resources	
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> W8474-187474/A	<b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b> 006
<b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b> W8474-187474	<b>Date</b> 2017-12-07
<b>GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG</b> PW-\$IPS-011-31974	
<b>File No. - N° de dossier</b> 011ips.W8474-187474	<b>CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME</b>
<b>Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin</b> <b>at - à 02:00 PM</b> <b>on - le 2017-12-14</b>	<b>Time Zone</b> <b>Fuseau horaire</b> Eastern Standard Time EST
<b>F.O.B. - F.A.B.</b> <b>Plant-Usine:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Destination:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Other-Autre:</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à:</b> Tardif, Jean-Francois	<b>Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur</b> 011ips
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> (819) 420-6351 ( )	<b>FAX No. - N° de FAX</b> ( ) -
<b>Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction:</b> <b>Destination - des biens, services et construction:</b> To be inserted upon award	

Instructions: See Herein

Instructions: Voir aux présentes

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<b>Vendor/Firm Name and Address</b> <b>Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur</b>	
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> <b>Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur</b>	
<b>Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm</b> <b>(type or print)</b> <b>Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/</b> <b>de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)</b>	
<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

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## Amendment to the Solicitation 006

This amendment to the solicitation is raised to:

1. Provide answers to Bidders questions in relation to this Request for Proposal (RFP);  
and

### 1. Answers to Questions 20:

#### Question #20:

The Pricing Schedule in Attachment 4.3 encourages Bidders to propose low rates in several categories by evaluating the Total Price after the Firm Per Diem Rates (column E), are multiplied by the Number of Resources (column C) by 220 days per year. The Estimated Number of Resources for A.2 ERP Function Analyst – Level 3 and A.3 ERP Programmer Analyst – Level 3 categories are considerably higher than many of the remaining categories. By including differences in the Number of Resources between all the categories, it encourages vendors to “underprice” rates for the categories with higher Number of Resources in order to keep their Total Price down for financial evaluation.

To ensure the winning bid includes fair market rates which are available to contract qualified professionals over the next three years, would the Crown consider removing the weighting factor (Number of Resource) or adjust it to be the same number for each resource category?

#### Answer #20:

For clarity, Bidders are reminded that in Attachment 4.3 Column F (Total Price) is calculated by multiplying Columns D (Per diem rate) and E (Estimated number of days). Column C (number of resources) is included in the spreadsheet simply to provide Bidders with an overview of the estimated total number of resources and is not factored in this calculation.

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