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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL DEMANDE DE PROPOSITION

RETURN BIDS TO: RETOURNER LES SOUMISSIONS À :

Bid Receiving – PWGSC / Réception des soumissions - TPSGC 11 Laurier St. / 11 rue Laurier Place du Portage, Phase III Core 0B2 / Noyau 0B2 Gatineau Québec K1A 0S5

Proposal To: National Defence Canada

We hereby offer to sell to Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada, in accordance with the terms and conditions set out herein, referred to herein or attached hereto, the goods and services listed herein and on any attached sheets at the price(s) set out therefore.

Proposition à : Défense nationale Canada

Nous offrons par la présente de vendre à Sa Majesté la Reine du chef du Canada, aux conditions énoncées ou incluses par référence dans la présente et aux annexes ci-jointes, les biens et services énumérés ici et sur toute feuille ci-annexée, au(x) prix indique(s).

Solicitation Closes – L'invitation prend fin		
At – à : 02 :00:00 PM EDT	*	
On - le : 2018-01-17		

Title/Titre	Solicitation No - No de l'invitation		
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Date of Solicitation - Date de l'invitati	ion		
January 2 2018			
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Instructions:

Municipal taxes are not applicable. Unless otherwise specified herein all prices quoted must include all applicable Canadian customs duties, GST/HST, excise taxes and are to be delivered Delivery Duty Paid including all delivery charges to destination(s) as indicated. The amount of the Goods and Services Tax/Harmonized Sales Tax is to be shown as a separate item.

Instructions: Les taxes municipales ne s'appliquent pas. Sauf indication contraire, les prix indiqués doivent comprendre les droits de douane canadiens, la TPS/TVH et la taxe d'accise. Les biens doivent être livrés « rendu droits acquittés », tous frais de livraison compris, à la ou aux destinations indiquées. Le montant de la taxe sur les produits et services/taxe de vente harmonisée doit être indiqué séparément.

Delivery required - Livraison exigée Delivery offered - Livraison proposée

28 February 2018	
Vendor Name and Address - Raison so	ciale et adresse du fournisseur
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Signature	Date



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PART 1 - GENERAL INFORMATION

1.1 Requirement

The requirement is detailed in Annex "A", Line Item Details.

1.2 Debriefings

Bidders may request a debriefing on the results of the bid solicitation process. Bidders should make the request to the Contracting Authority within 15 working days from receipt of the results of the bid solicitation process. The debriefing may be in writing, by telephone or in person.

1.3 Trade Agreements

The requirement is subject to the provisions of the Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA).

PART 2 - BIDDER INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 Standard Instructions, Clauses and Conditions

All instructions, clauses and conditions identified in the bid solicitation 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) issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

Bidders who submit a bid agree to be bound by the instructions, clauses and conditions of the bid solicitation and accept the clauses and conditions of the resulting contract.

The <u>2003</u> (2016-04-04) Standard Instructions – Goods and Services – Competitive Requirements, are incorporated by reference into and form part of the bid solicitation, with the following modifications:

- a) Section 02, Procurement Business Number is deleted in its entirety.
- b) Section 20, Further Information is deleted in its entirety.

Subsection 5.4 of <u>2003</u>, Standard Instructions - Goods or Services - Competitive Requirements, is amended as follows:

Delete: 60 days Insert: 90 days

2.2 Submission of Bids

Bids 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 bid solicitation.

Due to the nature of the bid solicitation, bids transmitted by facsimile to PWGSC will not be accepted.

2.2.1 Condition of Material - Bid

SACC Manual clause B1000T (2014-06-26) Condition of Material - Bid

2.3 Enquiries - Bid Solicitation

All enquiries must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Authority no later than 8 calendar days before the bid closing date. Enquiries received after that time may not be answered.

Bidders should reference as accurately as possible the numbered item of the bid solicitation to which the enquiry relates. Care should be taken by Bidders 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 the Bidder do so, so that the proprietary nature of the question(s) is eliminated, and the enquiry can be answered to all Bidders. Enquiries not submitted in a form that can be distributed to all Bidders may not be answered by Canada.

2.4 Applicable Laws

Any resulting contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Ontario.

Bidders may, at their discretion, substitute the applicable laws of a Canadian province or territory of their choice without affecting the validity of their bid, 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 Bidders.

PART 3 - BID PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Bid Preparation Instructions

Canada requests that Bidders provide their bid in separately bound sections as follows:

Section I:

Technical Bid (2 hard copies)

Section II:

Financial Bid (1 hard copy)

Section III:

Certifications (1 hard copy)

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

Canada requests that Bidders follow the format instructions described below in the preparation of their bid:

- (a) use 8.5 x 11 inch (216 mm x 279 mm) paper;
- (b) use a numbering system that corresponds to the bid solicitation.

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). To assist Canada in reaching its objectives, Bidders should:

- 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: Technical Bid

In their technical bid, Bidders should explain and demonstrate how they propose to meet the requirements and how they will carry out the Work.

Section II: Financial Bid

Bidders must submit their financial bid as follows:

Bidders must submit firm prices, Delivered Duty Paid (DDP) at 25 CFSD Montreal Incoterms 2010 and 7 Canadian Forces Supply Depot Edmonton, Alberta Incoterms 2010, Applicable Taxes excluded. The total amount of Applicable Taxes must be shown separately.

Unless the bid solicitation specifically requires bids to be submitted in Canadian currency, bids submitted in foreign currency will be converted to Canadian currency for evaluation purposes. The rate given by the Bank of Canada in effect on the bid solicitation closing date, or on another date specified in the bid solicitation, will be applied as a conversion factor to the bids submitted in foreign currency.

3.1.1 Electronic Payment of Invoices - Bid

If you are willing to accept payment of invoices by Electronic Payment Instruments, complete Annex "B" Electronic Payment Instruments, to identify which ones are accepted.

If Annex "B" Electronic Payment Instruments is not completed, it will be considered as if Electronic Payment Instruments are not being accepted for payment of invoices.

Acceptance of Electronic Payment Instruments will not be considered as an evaluation criterion.

3.1.2 SACC Manual Clauses

Section III: Certifications

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

3.2 SACC Manual Clause C3010T (2014-11-27) Exchange Rate Fluctuation Risk Mitigation

- 1. The Bidder may request Canada to assume the risks and benefits of exchange rate fluctuations. If the Bidder claims for an exchange rate adjustment, this request must be clearly indicated in the bid at time of bidding. The Bidder must submit form PWGSC-TPSGC 450, Claim for Exchange Rate Adjustments with its bid, indicating the Foreign Currency Component (FCC) in Canadian dollars for each line item for which an exchange rate adjustment is required.
- 2. The FCC is defined as the portion of the price or rate that will be directly affected by exchange rate fluctuations. The FCC should include all related taxes, duties and other costs paid by the Bidder and which are to be included in the adjustment amount.
- 3. The total price paid by Canada on each invoice will be adjusted at the time of payment, based on the FCC and the exchange rate fluctuation provision in the contract. The exchange rate adjustment will only be applied where the exchange rate fluctuation is greater than 2% (increase or decrease).
- 4. At time of bidding, the Bidder must complete columns (1) to (4) on form PWGSC-TPSGC 450, for each line item where they want to invoke the exchange rate fluctuation provision. Where bids are evaluated in Canadian dollars, the dollar values provided in column (3) should also be in Canadian dollars, so that the adjustment amount is in the same currency as the payment.
- 5. Alternate rates or calculations proposed by the Bidder will not be accepted for the purposes of his exchange rate fluctuation provision.

PART 4 - EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION

4.1 Evaluation Procedures

- (a) Bids will be assessed in accordance with the entire requirement of the bid solicitation including the technical and financial evaluation criteria.
- (b) An evaluation team composed of representatives of Canada will evaluate the bids.

4.1.1 Financial Evaluation

The price of the bid will be evaluated in Canadian dollars, Delivered Duty Paid (DDP) (at 25 CFSD Montréal, Quebec and 7 CFSD Edmonton, Alberta) Incoterms 2010, Canadian Custom Duties and excise taxes included and Applicable Taxes excluded.

4.2 <u>A0031T</u> (2010-08-16) Basis of Selection

A bid must comply with the requirements of the bid solicitation and meet all mandatory technical evaluation criteria to be declared responsive. The responsive bid with the lowest evaluated price will be recommended for award of a contract.

PART 5 - CERTIFICATIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Bidders must provide the required certifications and additional information to be awarded a contract.

The certifications provided by Bidders to Canada are subject to verification by Canada at all times. Unless specified otherwise, Canada will declare a bid non-responsive, or will declare a contractor in default if any certification made by the Bidder is found to be untrue whether made knowingly or unknowingly, during the bid evaluation period or during the contract period.

The Contracting Authority will have the right to ask for additional information to verify the Bidder's certifications. Failure to comply and to cooperate with any request or requirement imposed by the Contracting Authority will render the bid non-responsive or constitute a default under the Contract.

5.1 Certifications Required with the Bid

Bidders must submit the following duly completed certifications as part of their bid.

5.2 Certifications Precedent to Contract Award and Additional Information

The certifications and additional information listed below should be submitted with the bid, but may be submitted afterwards. If any of these required certifications or additional information is not completed and submitted as requested, the Contracting Authority will inform the Bidder 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 bid non-responsive.

5.2.1 Integrity Provisions – Required Documentation

In accordance with the <u>Ineligibility and Suspension Policy</u> (http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/politique-policy-eng.html), the Bidder must provide with its bid the required documentation, as applicable, to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

5.2.2 Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Bid Certification

By submitting a bid, the Bidder certifies that the Bidder, and any of the Bidder's members if the Bidder 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 (ESDC) - Labour's website
http://www.esdc.gc.ca/en/jobs/workplace/human rights/employment equity/federal contractor program.
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Canada will have the right to declare a bid non-responsive if the Bidder, or any member of the Bidder if the Bidder is a Joint Venture, appears on the "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list at the time of contract award.

5.2.3 Canadian Content Certification

This procurement is limited to Canadian goods.

The Bidder certifies that:

() the good(s) offered are Canadian goods as defined in paragraph 1 of clause A3050T.

PART 6 - RESULTING CONTRACT CLAUSES

The following clauses and conditions apply to and form part of any contract resulting from the bid solicitation.

6.1 Security Requirements

6.1.1 There is no security requirement applicable to this Contract.

6.2 Requirement

The Requirement is detailed in Annex "A", Line item details.

6.3 Standard Clauses and Conditions

All clauses and conditions identified in the Contract by number, date and title are set out in the <u>Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual</u> (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

SACC Manual Clause 2010A (2016-04-04), General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity), apply to and form part of the Contract, with the following modifications:

a. Definition of Minister is modified as follows:

"Canada", "Crown", "Her Majesty" or "the Government" means Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada as represented by the Minister of National Defence and any other person duly authorized to act on behalf of that minister or, if applicable, an appropriate minister to whom the Minister of National Defence has delegated his or her powers, duties or functions and any other person duly authorized to act on behalf of that minister.

6.4 Term of Contract

6.4.1 **6.4.1** Delivery Date

All the deliverables must be received on or before _____ (insert the date).

6.4.2 Shipping Instructions

Goods must be consigned and delivered to the destination specified in the contract:

1. Incoterms 2010 "DDP Delivered Duty Paid" 25 CFSD Montreal, Quebec and 7 CFSD Edmonton, Alberta. The contractor must deliver the goods to Canadian Forces (CF) Supply Depots by appointment only. The contractor or its carrier must arrange delivery appointments by contracting the Depot Traffic Section at the appropriate location shown below. The consignee may refuse shipments when prior arrangements have not been made.

A. 7 CF Supply Depot Lancaster Park

Edmonton, Alberta

Telephone: 780-973-4011 ext. 4524

B. 25 CF Supply Depot Montreal

Montreal, Qué. Telephone: 1-866-935-8673 (toll free), or 514-252-2777, ext. 2363 / 4673 / 4282

E-mail: 25DAFCTrafficRDV@forces.gc.ca

6.5 Authorities

6.5.1 Contracting Authority

The Contracting Authority for the Contract is:

Name: Renee Lepage

Title: DLP 4-2-1

Department of National Defence Assistant Deputy Minister Materiel

Director General Land Equipment Program Management

Address: 101 Colonel By Drive

Ottawa, ON K1A 0K2 Telephone: 819-939-4540

Email address:Renee.lepage@forces.gc.ca

The Contracting Authority is responsible for the management of the Contract and any changes to the Contract must be authorized in writing by the Contracting Authority. The Contractor must not perform work in excess of or outside the scope of the Contract based on verbal or written requests or instructions from anybody other than the Contracting Authority.

6.5.2 Technical Authority

Name: Title: Organization: Address:	 _			
Telephone: Facsimile: E-mail address:	 			

The Technical Authority for the Contract is: (will be filled in at contract award)

The Technical Authority is the representative of the department or agency for whom the Work is being carried out under the Contract and is responsible for all matters concerning the technical content of the Work under the Contract. Technical matters may be discussed with the Technical Authority; however the Technical Authority has no authority to authorize changes to the scope of the Work. Changes to the scope of the Work can only be made through a contract amendment issued by the Contracting Authority.

6.5.3 Contractor's Representative

Name and telephone number of the person responsible for:

General enquiries	
Name:	
Telephone No.	
Facsimile No.	-
E-mail address:	
Delivery follow-up	
Name:	_
Telephone No.	
Facsimile No.	
E-mail address:	

6.6 Payment

6.6.1 Basis of Payment

In consideration of the Contractor satisfactorily completing all of its obligations under the Contract, the Contractor will be paid a firm price for a cost of \$ _____ insert the amount at contract award). Customs duties are included and Applicable Taxes are extra.

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Canada will not pay the Contractor for any design changes, modifications or interpretations of the Work, unless they have been approved, in writing, by the Contracting Authority before their incorporation into the Work.

6.6.2 Multiple Payments

SACC Manual clause H1001C (2008-05-12) Multiple Payments

6.6.3 Taxes - Foreign-based Contractor

SACC Manual clause C2000C (2007-11-30) Taxes - Foreign-based Contractor

6.6.4 Electronic Payment of Invoices – Contract

The Contractor accepts to be paid using any of the following Electronic Payment Instrument(s):

- a. Direct Deposit (Domestic and International);
- b. Electronic Data Interchange (EDI);
- c. Wire Transfer (International Only);

6.7 Invoicing Instructions

SACC Manual Clause H5001C (2008-12-12) 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. Each invoice must be supported by a copy of the release document and any other documents as specified in the Contract;
- 2. Invoices must be distributed as follows:
- (a) The original and one copy to Consignee
- (b) One (1) copy to: National Defence Headquarters MGen George R. Pearkes Building 101 Colonel By Drive Ottawa, ON K1A 0K2 Attention: DLP 4-2-1

6.8 Certifications – Contract

Compliance with the certifications provided by the Contractor in its bid is a condition of the Contract and subject to verification by Canada during the term of the Contract. If the Contractor does not comply with any certification or it is determined that any certification made by the Contractor in its bid is untrue, whether made knowingly or unknowingly, Canada has the right, pursuant to the default provision of the Contract, to terminate the Contract for default.

6.9 Applicable Laws

The Contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in ______. (Insert the name of the province or territory as specified by the Bidder in its bid, if applicable)

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 Articles of Agreement;
- (b) the general conditions <u>2010A</u> (2016-04-04), General Conditions Goods (Medium Complexity);
- (c) Annex A, Requirement;
- (d) the Contractor's bid dated ____

6.11 Defence Contract

SACC Manual clause A9006C (2012-07-16) Defence Contract

6.12 Insurance

SACC Manual clause G1005C (2016-01-28) Insurance - No Specific Requirement

6.13 Packaging Requirement

SACC Manual clause <u>D3018C</u> (2014-09-25 Packaging Requirement using Specification D-LM-008-036/SF-000

The Contractor must prepare item number 1 for delivery in accordance with the latest issue of the Canadian Forces Packaging Specification *D-LM-008-036/SF-000*, DND Minimum Requirements for Manufacturer's Standard Pack.

The Contractor must package all items in quantities of 1 per package.

6.14 Quality Assurance

SACC Manual Clause <u>D5545C</u> (2010-08-16 ISO 9001:2008 - Quality Management Systems - Requirements (Quality Assurance Code C)

6.15 SACC Manual Clauses

SACC Manual clause B7500C (2006-06-16) Excess Goods

SACC Manual clause D2025C (2017-08-17) Wood Packaging Materials

SACC Manual clause D6010C (2007-11-30) Palletization

SACC Manual clause <u>D9002C</u> (2007-11-30) Incomplete Assemblies.

SACC Manual clause D3015C (2014-09-25) Dangerous Goods/Hazardous Products -

Labelling and Packaging Complicance

Buyer ID - Id de l'acheteur DLP 4-2-1

ANNEX "A" Line Item Details

DELIVERY DATE OFFERED		
TOTAL PRICE: Applicable taxes included		
FIRM UNIT PRICE: Applicable taxes extra		
QAC	QAC C	OAC C
Invoice Address	Department of National Defence 25 CFSD Montreal P.O. Box 4000 Station K Montreal, QC H1N 3R9 Attn: Accounts Payable	Department of National Defence 7 CFSD Edmonton P.O. Box 10500 Edmonton, Alberta T5J 4J5 Canada Attn: Accounts Payable
Destination Address	Department of National Defense 25 CFSD Montreal 6363 Notre Dame St.E Montreal, QC H1N 2E9 Canada	Department of National Defense 7 CFSD Edmonton 195 Avenue & 82 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5J 4J5 Canada
Firm Quantity	20	
Unit of Issue	S	S
Description	NSN: 1015-20-004- 1481 Decoppering Foam P/N requested: 3001093005 or 300109300 2/5 NSCM: 1MV66 or KD2Y7 No substitutes • P/Noffered:	NSN: 1015-20-004-1481 Decoppering Foam P/N requested: 3001093005 or 300109300 2/5 NSCM: 1MV66 or KD2Y7 No substitutes • P/Noffered:
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ANNEX "B" to PART 3 OF THE - BID SOLICITATION

ELECTRONIC PAYMENT INSTRUMENTS

The Bidder accepts any of the following Electronic Payment Instrument(s):
() Direct Deposit (Domestic and International);
() Electronic Data Interchange (EDI);
() Wire Transfer (International Only);