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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

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Issuing Office - Bureau de distribution
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Title - Sujet Plate Reader System	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation 01913-180919/A	**Amendment No. - N° modif.** 001
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client 01913-180919	**Date** 2018-01-15
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-$STJ-005-4251	
File No. - N° de dossier STJ-7-40142 (005)	**CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME**
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin **at - à 02:00 PM** **on - le 2018-01-23**	**Time Zone** **Fuseau horaire** Atlantic Standard Time AST
F.O.B. - F.A.B. **Plant-Usine:** ☐ **Destination:** ☑ **Other-Autre:** ☐	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: Lomax (STJ), Sandra	**Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur** stj005
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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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This Solicitation Amendment No. One (1) is raised to include the following Addendum No. One (1).

The following Addendum to the tender is effective immediately. This addendum shall form part of the contract documents.

All other terms and conditions remain the same.

Question and Answers

Q: Technical Requirement #2 (from Annex C) states: "UV/VIS absorbance, fluorescence (including FI, TRF, TRF-FRET), luminescence (200 – 1000 nm) detection capabilities, and/or more" This is a broad range for luminescence with a PMT. Would the user accept the range of 230nm to 850nm?

A: Yes

Technical Specification 4
Integrated shaking (linear + orbital and/or double orbital) options with
User-definable times and speeds

Q: Our Company offers a solution with an integrated shaker that works in orbital mode only, not linear or double orbital. Is the end user open to considering orbital mode only?
A: No, at least linear and orbital

Technical Specification 5
Temperature control: +3 C to 45 C

Q: Our Company offers a solution with temperature down to +4 C, not +3 C. Is the end user open to considering a limitation of +4 C?
A: +5 C to 45 C will be OK

POINT 2
UV/VIS absorbance, fluorescence (including FI, TRF, TRF-FRET), luminescence (200 – 1000 nm) detection capabilities, and/or more
Q: Is a Monochromator based system (for flexibility in wavelength selection) or a Filter based system (ideal for TRF, TRF-FRET, FP, etc) or BOTH Monochromator & Filter based optics (i.e. Hybrid configuration) required?
A: Not excluding any system. Hybrid system preferred if at pricing competitive
Q: If relevant, are Monochromators for BOTH absorbance & Fluorescence needed?
A: Relevant for both absorbance, fluorescence and luminescence if at competitive price

Q: TRF, TRF-FRET is best run using Filters & Dichroics, should a system with Dichroic mirror capabilities be offered?
A: Not excluding any TRF, TRF-FRET systems as long as they meet FI, TRF,TRF-FRET florescence requirements as listed in the Specs.

Q: In luminescence we are typically interested in measuring the light emitted from the sample, regardless is a wavelength range from 300 – 700 nm acceptable?
A: 300-850 nm would be acceptable

Q: What other modes are required? Would flexibility to add imaging capabilities in the future be useful?
A: Yes but not absolute as per the specs listed

POINT 6
Upgradable to more detection capabilities including Alpha screen:
Q: Alpha Screen is a technology that is best run using a dedicated laser. Is a system that can be upgraded to include Laser-based Alpha excitation required?
A: Yes

POINT 7
Compatible with multiple plate formats including 6, 12, 24, 48, 96, 384, and/or 1536-well-plates

Q: Is a plate density of 1536 well an absolute requirement or is a compatibility from 6-384 wells acceptable?
A: No. it is Optional

POINT 9
Reagent injector capabilities
Q: Should dual reagent injectors be included with the proposal or is this only a requirement for a future upgrade?
A: Be included