CANADA MORTAGE AND HOUSING CORPORATION

RFQ - Lumber Supply and Delivery to Granville Island

AMENDMENT #1

This amendment forms part of the Tender Documents and is to be read, interpreted and coordinated with all other parts. The following revisions supersede (or are in addition to) the information contained in the original RFQ issued for tender for the above named project to the extent referenced and shall become part hereof.

Question 1: Could you please advise why CMHC is specifying MCA (Micronized Copper Azol) treatment for all the dock fittings and bench fittings? This is kind of a new treatment for North America and has not proven to be as effective as the typical CCA.

Response:

Due to the public nature of the site on Granville Island, CCA treatment will not be permitted for the purposes of this RFQ and resulting agreement. Please price for MCA. Alkaline Copper Quaternary (ACQ) is an acceptable alternative; should proponents wish to submit pricing under ACQ, please submit a separate pricing table in addition to MCA.

Question 2: Almost everything is cut to 20' lengths. Will CMHC be cutting and drilling on site? Some proponents specialize in cutting and drilling to size prior to treatment so that all the cut surfaces are treated for maximum life. Is this possible or are there too many size permutations?

Response:

All lengths specified in the RFQ satisfy the requirements of the site. Please price to the lengths as specified in the RFQ.