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**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL  
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**Proposal To: Public Works and Government  
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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, services, and construction listed herein and on any attached sheets at the price(s) set out therefor.

**Proposition aux: Travaux Publics et Services  
Gouvernementaux 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, services et construction énumérés ici sur toute feuille ci-annexée, au(x) prix indiqué(s).

**Comments - Commentaires**

**Vendor/Firm Name and Address**

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L'Esplanade Laurier  
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<b>Title - Sujet</b> Micro-ultracentrifuge Machine	
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> HT226-182892/A	<b>Date</b> 2018-12-17
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<b>GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG</b> PW-\$\$PV-954-76062	
<b>File No. - N° de dossier</b> pv954.HT226-182892	<b>CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME</b>
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<b>Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction:</b> DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH 775 BROOKFIELD RD, ATT: BakfiSadi OTTAWA Ontario K1A0K9 Canada	

**Instructions: See Herein**

**Instructions: Voir aux présentes**

<b>Delivery Required - Livraison exigée</b> See Herein	<b>Delivery Offered - Livraison proposée</b>
<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 (type or print)</b> <b>Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/ de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)</b>	
<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

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## PART 1 - GENERAL INFORMATION

### 1.1 Security Requirements

There is no security requirement applicable to this requirement.

### 1.2 Requirement

The requirement is detailed under Annex "A".

### 1.3 Trade Agreements

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

### 1.4 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.

### 1.5 epost Connect service

This bid solicitation allows bidders to use the epost Connect service provided by Canada Post Corporation to transmit their bid electronically. Bidders must refer to Part 2 entitled Bidder Instructions, and Part 3 entitled Bid Preparation Instructions, of the bid solicitation, for further information.

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## 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) (<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 2003 (2018-05-22) Standard Instructions - Goods or Services - Competitive Requirements, are incorporated by reference into and form part of the bid solicitation.

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

Delete: 60 days

Insert: 90 days

#### 2.1.1 SACC Manual Clauses

B1000T (2014-06-26) Condition of Material

B3000T (2006-06-16) Equivalent Products

### 2.2 Submission of Bids

Bids must be submitted only to Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) Bid Receiving Unit at the location specified below, by the date, time and place indicated on page 1 of the bid solicitation.

#### **Bid Receiving - PWGSC**

Place du Portage, Phase III, Tower B

11 Laurier Street

Gatineau, Quebec

For couriers: J8X 4A6

For regular mail: K1A 0S5

Telephone: (819) 420-7201

Fax No.: (819) 997-9776

The above address is for the sole purpose of bid submission. No other communications are to be forwarded to this address.

No proposal shall be sent directly to the PWGSC Contracting Authority.

### 2.3 Enquiries - Bid Solicitation

All enquiries must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Authority no later than ten (10) 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

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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.

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## PART 3 - BID PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

### 3.1 Bid Preparation Instructions

If the Bidder chooses to submit its bid electronically, Canada requests that the Bidder submits its bid in accordance with section 08 of the 2003 standard instructions. Bidders must provide their bid in a single transmission. The epost Connect service has the capacity to receive multiple documents, up to 1GB per individual attachment.

The bid must be gathered per section and separated as follows:

Section I: Financial Bid

Section II: Certifications

If the Bidder chooses to submit its bid in hard copies, Canada requests that the Bidder submits its bid in separately bound sections as follows:

Section I: Financial Bid (one (1) hard copy)

Section II: Certifications (one (1) hard copy)

If there is a discrepancy between the wording of the soft copy and the hard copy, the wording of the hard copy will have priority over the wording of the soft copy.

If the Bidder is simultaneously providing copies of its bid using multiple acceptable delivery methods, and if there is a discrepancy between the wording of any of these copies and the electronic copy provided through epost Connect service, the wording of the electronic copy provided through epost Connect service will have priority over the wording of the other copies.

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](https://www.tbs-sct.gc.ca/pol/doc-eng.aspx?id=32573) (<https://www.tbs-sct.gc.ca/pol/doc-eng.aspx?id=32573>). To assist Canada in reaching its objectives, Bidders 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 Bid

- a) **Pricing:** Bidders must submit their financial bid in accordance with the Basis of Payment including Annex "B" – Pricing Tables.
- b) **All Costs to be Included:** The financial bid must include all costs for the requirement described in the bid solicitation for the entire Contract Period, including any option years. The identification of all necessary equipment, software, peripherals, cabling and components required to meet the

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requirements of the bid solicitation and the associated costs of these items is the sole responsibility of the Bidder.

- c) **Blank Prices:** Bidders 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 Bidder leaves any price blank, Canada will treat the price as "\$0.00" for evaluation purposes and may request that the Bidder confirm that the price is, in fact, \$0.00. No bidder will be permitted to add or change a price as part of this confirmation. Any bidder who does not confirm that the price for a blank item is \$0.00 will be declared non-responsive.

### 3.1.1 Electronic Payment of Invoices – Bid

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

If Annex "D" 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 Exchange Rate Fluctuation

C3011T (2013-11-06), Exchange Rate Fluctuation

## Section II: Certifications

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

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## 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.

#### 4.1.2 Financial Evaluation

The financial evaluation will be conducted by calculating the Total Aggregated Bid Price in accordance with the pricing tables provided in Annex "B" - Pricing Tables.

##### Evaluation of Price - Bid

The price of the bid will be evaluated in Canadian dollars, Applicable Taxes excluded, DDP Ottawa, ON Incoterms® 2010, Canadian customs duties and excise taxes included.

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.

### 4.2 Basis of Selection

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



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## 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.

#### 5.1.1 Integrity Provisions - Declaration of Convicted Offences

In accordance with 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 Bidder must provide with its bid the required documentation, as applicable, to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

#### 5.1.2 Additional Certifications Required with the Bid

##### Product Conformance

The Bidder certifies that all goods proposed conform, and will continue to conform throughout the period of the contract, to the requirement detailed under Annex "A".

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**Bidder's authorized representative signature**

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**Date**

### 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 [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 Bidder 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 - 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](https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/programs/employment-equity/federal-contractor-program.html#afed) (<https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/programs/employment-equity/federal-contractor-program.html#afed>).

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.

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## 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

There is no security requirement applicable to the Contract.

### 6.2 Requirement

The Contractor must provide the items detailed under the "Requirement" at Annex "A".

### 6.3 Standard Clauses and Conditions

All clauses and conditions identified in the Contract 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

[2010A](#) (2018-06-21), General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity), apply to and form part of the Contract.

Subsection 9.1 of [2010A](#) (2018-06-21) General Conditions - Goods or Services, is amended as follows:

Delete in its entirety and replace with the following:

"Despite inspection and acceptance of the Work by or on behalf of Canada and without restricting any provisions of the Contract or any condition, warranty or provision imposed by law, the Contractor, if requested by Canada to do so, must replace, repair or correct, at its own option and expense any work that becomes defective or fails to conform to the requirements of the Contract, where applicable. The warranty period will be **12 months on the Unit and 5 years on the Drive** after delivery and acceptance of the Work or the length of the Contractor's or manufacturer's standard warranty period, whichever is longer."

The [2010A](#) (2018-06-21), General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity) is appended with Section 32 - Intellectual Property Infringement and Royalties, as follows:

- 1) The Contractor represents and warrants that, to the best of its knowledge, neither it nor Canada will infringe any third party's intellectual property rights in performing or using the Work, and that Canada will have no obligation to pay royalties of any kind to anyone in connection with the Work.
- 2) If anyone makes a claim against Canada or the Contractor concerning intellectual property infringement or royalties related to the Work, that Party agrees to notify the other Party in writing immediately. If anyone brings a claim against Canada, according to [Department of Justice Act](#), R.S. 1985, c. J-2, the Attorney General of Canada must have the regulation and conduct of all litigation for or against Canada, but the Attorney General may request that the Contractor defend Canada against the claim. In either case, the Contractor agrees to participate fully in the defence and any settlement negotiations and to pay all costs, damages and legal costs incurred or payable as a result of the claim, including the amount of any settlement. Both Parties agree not to settle any claim unless the other Party first approves the settlement in writing.

- 3) The Contractor has no obligation regarding claims that were only made because:
- a) Canada modified the Work or part of the Work without the Contractor's consent or used the Work or part of the Work without following a requirement of the Contract; or
  - b) Canada used the Work or part of the Work with a product that the Contractor did not supply under the Contract (unless that use is described in the Contract or the manufacturer's specifications); or
  - c) the Contractor used equipment, drawings, specifications or other information supplied to the Contractor by Canada (or by someone authorized by Canada); or
  - d) the Contractor used a specific item of equipment or software that it obtained because of specific instructions from the Contracting Authority; however, this exception only applies if the Contractor has included the following language in its own contract with the supplier of that equipment or software: "[Supplier name] acknowledges that the purchased items will be used by the Government of Canada. If a third party claims that equipment or software supplied under this contract infringes any intellectual property right, [supplier name], if requested to do so by either [Contractor name] or Canada, will defend both [Contractor name] and Canada against that claim at its own expense and will pay all costs, damages and legal fees payable as a result of that infringement." Obtaining this protection from the supplier is the Contractor's responsibility and, if the Contractor does not do so, it will be responsible to Canada for the claim.
- 4) If anyone claims that, as a result of the Work, the Contractor or Canada is infringing its intellectual property rights, the Contractor must immediately do one of the following:
- a) take whatever steps are necessary to allow Canada to continue to use the allegedly infringing part of the Work; or
  - b) modify or replace the Work to avoid intellectual property infringement, while ensuring that the Work continues to meet all the requirements of the Contract; or
  - c) take back the Work and refund any part of the Contract Price that Canada has already paid.

If the Contractor determines that none of these alternatives can reasonably be achieved, or if the Contractor fails to take any of these steps within a reasonable amount of time, Canada may choose either to require the Contractor to do (c), or to take whatever steps are necessary to acquire the rights to use the allegedly infringing part(s) of the Work itself, in which case the Contractor must reimburse Canada for all the costs it incurs to do so.

### 6.3.2 Supplemental General Conditions

4001 (2015-04-01) Hardware Purchase, Lease and Maintenance,  
4003 (2010-08-16) Licensed Software, and  
4004 (2013-04-25) Maintenance and Support Services for Licensed Software, apply to and form part of the Contract.

## 6.4 Term of Contract

### 6.4.1 Period of the Contract

- a) The period of the Contract is from date of Contract Award to **five years after delivery (to be filled in only at contract award)** inclusive.

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#### 6.4.2 Delivery Date

The contractor must deliver the ultra-centrifuge machine including the manuals by March 29, 2019.

#### 6.4.3 Delivery Points

Delivery of the requirement will be made to delivery point(s) specified at Annex "B" of the Contract.

#### 6.5 Authorities

##### 6.5.1 Contracting Authority

The Contracting Authority for the Contract is:

Name: Emmanuelle Rodriguez  
Title: Supply Specialist  
Public Works and Government Services Canada  
Commercial Consumer Products Directorate  
140 O'Connor, Ottawa, ON  
K1A 0R5  
Telephone: 343-550-1650

E-mail address: Emmanuelle.rodriguez@pwgsc-tpsgc.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 (to be filled in only at contract award)

The Technical Authority for the Contract is:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

The Technical Authority named above 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 Accounts Payable Contact (to be filled in only at contract award)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

##### 6.5.4 Contractor's Representative (to be completed by the bidder)

The telephone number (with extension if applicable) of the person responsible for:

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### General enquiries

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_ ext: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax No. \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

### Delivery Follow-up

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_ ext: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax No. \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

## 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 firm lot price(s), as specified in Annex "B" – Pricing Tables for a cost of **\$to be filled in only at contract award**. Customs duties are included and Applicable Taxes are extra.

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 Payment

Canada will pay the Contractor upon completion and delivery of units in accordance with the payment provisions of the Contract if:

- a) an accurate and complete invoice and any other documents required by the Contract have been submitted in accordance with the invoicing instructions provided in the Contract;
- b) all such documents have been verified by Canada;
- c) the Work delivered has been accepted by Canada.

### 6.6.3 Milestone Payments

Canada will pay the Contractor upon completion of the milestones in accordance with the payment provisions of the Contract if:

- 1) an accurate and complete invoice and any other documents required by the Contract have been submitted in accordance with the invoicing instructions provided in the Contract;
- 2) all such documents have been verified by Canada;
- 3) the Work delivered has been accepted by Canada.

The schedule of milestones for which payments will be made in accordance with the Contract is as follows:

Milestone No.	Description of Deliverable	Firm Amount
1	One Ultra-centrifuge machine, including one year warranty, maintenance and support and manuals and 5 years warranty on the Drive, as described in Annex "A" to be delivered by March 29, 2019.	<b><u>\$to be filled at contract award based on Annex "B"</u></b>

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2	Installation to be completed by May 31, 2019	<b><u>\$to be filled at contract award based on Annex "B"</u></b>
3	Training to be completed by July 21, 2019	<b><u>\$to be filled at contract award based on Annex "B"</u></b>

#### 6.6.4 SACC Manual Clauses

C2000C (2007-11-30) Taxes - Foreign-Based Contractor

#### 6.6.5 Electronic Payment of Invoices – Contract

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

- a) Visa Acquisition Card;
- b) MasterCard Acquisition Card;
- c) Direct Deposit (Domestic and International);
- d) Electronic Data Interchange (EDI);
- e) Wire Transfer (International Only);

#### 6.7 Invoicing Instructions

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.

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.
- c) Invoices and order confirmations can be sent via e-mail to:

**to be filled in only at contract award**

To facilitate the payment process, it is important that the Contractor quote the contract number on all the invoices, shipping bills and packing slips. Failure to do so will delay payment and the date used for calculating interest on overdue accounts.

#### 6.8 Certifications and Additional Information

##### 6.8.1 Compliance

Unless specified otherwise, the continuous compliance with the certifications provided by the Contractor in its bid or precedent to contract award, and the ongoing cooperation in providing additional information are conditions of the Contract and failure to comply will constitute the Contractor in default. Certifications are subject to verification by Canada during the entire period of the Contract.

#### 6.9 Applicable Laws

The Contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Ontario.

#### 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 supplemental general conditions;
  - c) the general conditions 2010A (2018-06-21) General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity);
  - d) Annex "A", Requirement;
  - e) Annex "B", Basis of Payment;
- the Contractor's bid dated **to be filled in only at contract award.**

#### 6.11 SACC Manual Clauses

**B1501C** (2018-06-21) Electrical Equipment  
**D2000C** (2007-11-30) Marking  
**D2001C** (2007-11-30) Labeling  
**G1005C** (2016-01-28) Insurance No Specific Requirement

#### 6.12 Shipping Instructions - Delivery at Destination

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

Delivered Duty Paid (DDP) Ottawa, ON Incoterms® 2010 for shipments from a commercial contractor.

The Contractor will be responsible for all delivery charges, administration, costs and risk of transport and customs clearance, including the payment of customs duties and taxes.

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## **ANNEX "A" REQUIREMENT**

The radiation health assessment division of the radiation protection bureau of Health Canada requires a micro-ultracentrifuge (also referred to as ultra-centrifuge machine) machine. The contractor must provide the ultracentrifuge machine, one year warranty and maintenance and support on the ultra-centrifuge machine, 5 years warranty and maintenance and support on the drive, training, installation and manual.

The required specifications are outlined below:

### **1. Technical Specifications**

- 1.1. The ultra-centrifuge machine must be a compact floor model configuration not exceeding dimensions (H x W x D) of 950 x 450 x 550 mm.
- 1.2. The system must have non-Chlorofluorocarbon (CFC) thermoelectric module refrigeration to set and maintain temperature in the range of 0-40 degrees centigrade.
- 1.3. The ultra-centrifuge machine must operate at a nearly silent sound of < 50 dBA at a maximum speed of 140,000 rpm. The range of speed is from zero to 1,000, 000 x g using a fixed angle rotor.
- 1.4. The ultra-centrifuge machine must have a heat output of < 0.8 kW per hour.
- 1.5. The ultra-centrifuge machine must have a timer in the range from 1 min to 90 hours.
- 1.6. The ultra-centrifuge machine must have an imbalance intolerant drive allowing up to +/- 5% opposing load imbalance.
- 1.7. The ultra-centrifuge machine must accelerate the rotor to a maximum speed of 140,000 rpm in less than 90 seconds.
- 1.8. The ultra-centrifuge machine must decelerate the rotor from 140,000 rpm to 0 rpm in less than 90 seconds.
- 1.9. The ultra-centrifuge machine must include a fixed angle rotor with maximum relative centrifugal force (RCF) of 1,000,000 x g.
- 1.10. The rotor must have a capacity to hold a minimum of 10 x 2 mL sample tubes.
- 1.11. Must include a minimum of 250 x 2 mL sample tubes suitable for the rotor.
- 1.12. The ultra-centrifuge machine must have a high contrast color LCD touch panel control interface.
- 1.13. The ultra-centrifuge machine must have a user interface offering a minimum of 10 programmable protocols in memory.
- 1.14. The ultra-centrifuge machine must have a USB port for output of GMP/GLP compatible run data.

### **2. Installation**

The Contractor must deliver, install, integrate, and configure all deliverables at the location specified in the Contract.

The Contractor must unpack, assemble, and install the deliverables at the site. If applicable, this includes but is not limited to the provision of required moving and installation resources, packing material, vehicles, cranes, personnel, and floor protection panels.



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The Contractor must supply all associated materials required to effect complete installation, integration and configuration of the deliverables at the site. This must include but not be limited to such things as all the required power connectors, cables, and any other accessories required to install, integrate and configure the deliverables.

Upon successful completion of the installation, integration and configuration of the deliverables, the Contractor must provide the Technical Authority with written notification that the deliverables are ready for testing.

The Contractor must maintain all work areas at the installation site(s) in a clean and tidy condition on completion of each day's work and on completion of acceptance, including the removal and disposal of all related packing material.

The Contractor must begin installation within 30 calendar days of delivery and must complete the installation within 15 calendar days from the installation start date.

### **3. Manuals**

The Contractor must deliver 1 complete set of Documentation, in English with the deliverables.

This documentation must include all publications pertaining to technical specifications, installation requirements and operating instructions.

### **4. Training**

The Contractor must provide onsite training to the Client in English.

End User (up to 3): Training must include operation and manipulation of the equipment. The training should include but not be limited to product functionality, product features and limitations.

The Contractor must deliver the on-site training within 45 calendar days of installation.

### **5. Technical Support**

The Contractor must provide technical support of the system in accordance with supplemental general conditions 4001 (2015-04-01), Hardware Purchase, Lease and Maintenance.

Despite the response times identified in supplemental general conditions 4001 (2015-04-01), Hardware Purchase, Lease and Maintenance, the contractor's Help Desk response for service must be must respond on business days from 8:00 to 5h00 to notifications.

The Contractor's response to the Technical Authority must include steps to understand the nature of the problem.

The Contractor must offer suggestions that could restore the Instrument or safe ways to rectify or correct the trouble reported.

The Contractor, if requested by Canada to do so, must replace, repair or correct, at its own option and expense any work that becomes defective or fails to conform to the requirements.

Canada must pay the transportation cost associated with returning the Work or any part of the Work to the Contractor's plant for replacement, repair or making good, and the Contractor must pay the

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transportation cost associated with forwarding the replacement or returning the Work or part of the Work when rectified to the delivery point specified in the Contract or to another location as directed by Canada.

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## ANNEX "B"

### BASIS OF PAYMENT

Table 1:

Item	Description	Number of Units	Unit of Issue	Firm Unit Price	Extended Price (Number of Units X Firm Unit Price)
1	Ultra-centrifuge machine, including one year warranty, maintenance and support and manuals and 5 years warranty on the Drive, as described in Annex "A".	1	Each	\$	
2	Installation	1	Each	\$	
3	Training	1	Each	\$	
	Evaluated Price				\$

Table 2: Total Aggregated Bid Price:

Item	Description	Evaluated Price
1	Table 1: Initial Requirement	As per Evaluated Price from Table 1
2	Total Aggregated Bid Price	Total

- 1) **Delivery Address**  
Health Canada  
Baki Sadi  
775 Brookfield Rd  
Ottawa, Ontario  
K1A 0K9

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**ANNEX “C”**

**Form 1**

Complete List of Directors

(As per Standard Instructions, Clauses and Conditions Part 2)

Name	Position

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## ANNEX "D"

### Form 2

Instructions: The Contractor must identify which electronic payment instruments they are willing to accept for payment of invoices. Only the instruments selected will appear in the final contract.

The Contractor accepts any of the following Electronic Payment Instrument(s):

- ( ) Direct Deposit (Domestic and International)
- ( ) Electronic Data Interchange (EDI)
- ( ) Wire Transfer (International Only)