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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.

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Title - Sujet Log Lifter	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation EQ754-190827/B	Amendment No. - N° modif. 002
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client EQ754-190827	Date 2019-03-21
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$TOR-215-7733	
File No. - N° de dossier TOR-8-41106 (215)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2019-04-01	Time Zone Fuseau horaire Eastern Daylight Saving Time EDT
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Solicitation Amendment No. 002 is being issued to revise Annex A and respond to questions from potential bidders.

Important Notice: Please be advised that the Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) Mississauga office is moving to 4900 Yonge Street, Toronto, on April 23, 2019.

In Annex A, under 4.8.1 Safety Provisions

DELETE: 2. Rail clamps

- a. Equip the rehabilitated log lifter with hydraulic clamps on all four corners to replace the manual tie downs. All hydraulics are to be operated from the main control console in the center of the log lifter.
- b. Rail clamps are to remain engaged until both booms are fully retracted and are in vertical position.
- c. The traverse function of the log lifter shall be locked while the rail clamps are engaged.
- d. The booms shall remain inoperable unless the rail clamps are engaged.

INSERT: 2. Rail clamps

- a. Equip the rehabilitated log lifter with hydraulic clamps on all four corners to replace the manual tie downs. All hydraulics are to be operated from the main control console in the center of the log lifter.
- b. Rail clamps are to act independently from the booms and traverse systems (no interlock required between these operations).
- c. Adjacent to the hydraulic clamps, please provide a manual clamping system with the same configuration as the hydraulic clamping system (for redundancy if the hydraulic clamps should fail)
- d. Remove this requirement

UNDER 3.2.2. Dis-assembly, Removals and relocations

INSERT 10. The Contractor must ensure that no more than three log lifters are taken off Parks Canada dams at once. This is to reduce downtime to Parks Canada dam operations.

Questions and Answers

Question 1) In the documents, it is mentioned that the contractor will have to retrieve the log lifters from their sites. In the schedule of prices, we don't see any item related to this task. Our understanding is that the retrieval of the log lifters will be done under a Work Authorization. Is our understanding good?

Answer 1) Yes, that is correct, the retrieval/breakdown/transportation of the log lifters will be paid for using task authorizations using the means and methods approved by the Departmental Representative.

Question 2) Please confirm that the goal of the contract is to refurbish 10 log lifters within 24 months?

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Answer 2) While the RFP has included a contract duration of 24 months, this timeline pertains to all contractual deliverables and project close-out documentation. It is expected that the actual delivery of the 10 loglifters would be within 12 months. The time management of the bidders will be part of the evaluation contained within R4 - Work Plan and Methodology.

Question 3) Does this work described below will have to be made under a task authorization? Do we need to include fees for this work in our submission?

Ref: Page 47, section 3.1.2:

- iv. **Commissioning Plan must be completed in order to ensure the full functionality of the log lifter. Dry commissioning shall be carried out by the contractor in a facility of their choosing, not on Parks Canada land. The log lifter must also be fully tested by removing and installing a full spillway. A mock dam must be constructed by the contractor, containing 12 stoplogs, 26'9" in length stacked on top of each other.**

Answer 3) The construction of the mock dam is to be Task Authorization based. There is no need to include fees with the exception of the Commissioning Plan itself as outlined in the Basis of Payment.

Question 4) Do we need to go in entirety the clauses and standardized condition or does the sections that are applicable to the project are already set out in the specifications?

Answer 4) Yes, there are applicable clauses that are referenced within the Request for Proposal. 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-andguidelines/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,

Question 5) Would it be possible to know why the bid solicitation EQ754-190827/A dated 2018-11-08 has been cancelled and replaced by it?

Answer 5) No bids were submitted for Solicitation EQ754-190827/A. Mandatory Criteria was removed from the evaluation criteria to in order to solicit greater industry interest.

Question 6) Will each log lifter must be in place during the spring freshet?

Answer 6) There is a preference to have the loglifters in place for the spring freshet. This will be considered during the evaluation of the work plan contained within the bidder's proposals.

Question 7) We specify the period that the log lifter can be removed for the recapitalization? We anticipate the removal of a lot in the summer 2019 and delivery of equipment réfectionnée next spring. Another batch has been 2020 for delivery in the spring 2021. Does this would be acceptable to you?

Answer 7) The preference is to only remove 3 loglifters at a time, however this is dependent on the duration of the actual rehabilitation and the impact to Parks Canada dam operations. The work plan and methodology will be evaluated during proposal review. The final schedule will be determined after contract award.

Question 8) For the commissioning plan, do we need to include in our proposal Engineering of concrete for the false dam as well as engineering for temporary I-joists for testing of lifting dry? A steel structure with steel grooves could it be possible?

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Answer 8) The mock dam does not need to be constructed using concrete, a steel structure with steel grooves (gains) is acceptable. The mock dam must be capable of demonstrating the full functionality of the rehabilitated log lifter. It must be able to demonstrate the full power of the log lifter operating a typical Parks Canada framed stoplog.