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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 :

THIS DOCUMENT DOES NOT CONTAIN A  
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<b>Title – Sujet:</b> Robotic Total Station		<b>Date :</b> June 4, 2019
<b>Solicitation No. – N° de l'invitation</b> M5000-19-5027/A - PW-19-00872615		<b>Amendment No. – N° de la modification</b> 002
<b>Client Reference No. - No. De Référence du Client</b> 201905027		
<b>Solicitation Closes – L'invitation prend fin</b>		
<b>At /à :</b>	2 :00 pm	CST (Central Standard Time) HNC (Heure Normale du Centre)
<b>On / le :</b>	June 11, 2019	
<b>Incoterms 2010 "DDP Delivered Duty Paid"</b> See herein — Voir aux présentes	<b>GST – TPS</b> See herein — Voir aux présentes	<b>Duty – Droits</b> See herein — Voir aux présentes
<b>Destination of Goods and Services – Destinations des biens et services</b> See herein — Voir aux présentes		
<b>Instructions</b> See herein — Voir aux présentes		
<b>Address Inquiries to – Adresser toute demande de renseignements à</b> Rachel Sookoo, Procurement Officer		
<b>Telephone No. – No. de téléphone</b> 639-625-3291		<b>Facsimile No. – No. de télécopieur</b> 306-780-5232
<b>Delivery Required – Livraison exigée</b> N/A		<b>Delivery Offered – Livraison proposée</b> N/A
<b>Vendor/Firm Name, Address and Representative – Raison sociale, adresse et représentant du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur:</b>		
<b>Telephone No. – No. de téléphone</b>		<b>Facsimile No. – No. de télécopieur</b>
<b>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)</b>		
<b>Signature</b>		<b>Date</b>



This amendment is raised to address the following:

- to respond to a question received during the solicitation period.

### **QUESTION AND ANSWER**

**Question 16:** With regards to the changes to the specification changes. I would argue that some of the specs thrown out were to accommodate a budget brand. In particular Question 4.

*Question 4: Section A: Robotic Total Station, Specification #25: Be equipped with a telematics based multifunction communications module which provides security and maintenance capabilities:*

*This appears to be proprietary marketing terminology and is not reflective of industry terminology as a whole. Please explain (in standard industry terminology) exactly what this requirement is.*

*Answer 4: Omit this specification.*

This feature is offered by most premium brands in the industry. We would ask that this requirement be re-instated for the benefit of the RCMP. There are major advantages to having a feature like this such as:

- Security: If the instrument is stolen or misplaced it can be easily located and recovered, or locked and deemed unusable.
- Instrument Improvements: Communication allows manufacture to notify user if there is new firmware available for their instrument to increase functionality and usability.
- Insurance: There is often a significant reduction in insurance cost for instruments that carry a feature like this as the likeliness of the instrument being recovered if it is stolen increases drastically.

A vendor that is requesting this feature be removed is most likely offering an inferior product from their budget line.

**Answer 16:** The requirement will not be re-inserted in the specification. The unit is usually used in a closed crime scene where theft would be highly unlikely. There will be no data stored on the unit so in the event a station were to go missing, there would be no risk to loss of data, just the equipment itself. Firmware updates can be managed through the supplier via download or traditional means. The RCMP does not carry insurance for items such as this.

As a result of this question, no changes are required to the solicitation document.

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