



Notice of Proposed Procurement (NPP)

1. This NPP is issued pursuant to DFATD Supply Arrangement (SA) # ARA-INTL-AESVC-15067.
2. The Department of Foreign Affairs, Trade and Development (DFATD) has a requirement for the procurement of Building Assessment Reports (BARS).
3. This NPP covers a requirement to be solicited amongst the General Stream of Suppliers (SA holders).
4. This requirement is subject to the Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA) and the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA)
5. The bid solicitation is also open to suppliers who are not Supply Arrangement (SA) holders. In order for new suppliers to bid on this solicitation, the new supplier must first qualify for a SA. The process to qualify for a SA is detailed in RFSA #[ARA-INTL-AESVC-15067](#) and can be found on the Government Electronic Tendering Service (GETS - <https://buyandsell.gc.ca/procurement-data/tenders>). Canada is not required to delay the award of a resulting contract pending the evaluation of an arrangement and issuance of a SA by DFATD Supply Arrangement Authority.