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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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| <b>Title - Sujet</b><br>Colourimetric ExplosiveDet Kit   |  |
| <b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b><br>W8476-196077/A   | <b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b><br>001      |
| <b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b><br>W8476-196077  | <b>Date</b><br>2019-08-27                    |
| <b>GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG</b><br>PW-\$\$QF-030-27423   |  |
| <b>File No. - N° de dossier</b><br>030qf.W8476-196077  | <b>CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME</b>       |
| <b>Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin</b><br><b>at - à 02:00 PM</b><br><b>on - le 2019-10-11</b>   |  |
| <b>Time Zone</b><br><b>Fuseau horaire</b><br>Eastern Daylight Saving<br>Time EDT   |  |
| <b>F.O.B. - F.A.B.</b><br><b>Plant-Usine:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Destination:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other-Autre:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> |  |
| <b>Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à:</b><br>Hamilton, Indra   | <b>Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur</b><br>030qf  |
| <b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b><br>(819) 420-1738 ( )   | <b>FAX No. - N° de FAX</b><br>(819) 956-5650 |
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**Instructions: See Herein**

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| <b>Delivery Required - Livraison exigée</b>  | <b>Delivery Offered - Livraison proposée</b> |
| <b>Vendor/Firm Name and Address</b><br><b>Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur</b>   |  |
| <b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b><br><b>Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur</b>   |  |
| <b>Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm</b><br><b>(type or print)</b><br><b>Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/<br/>de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)</b> |  |
| <b>Signature</b>   | <b>Date</b>                                  |

## Clarification Request #1 for W8476-196077 CEDK

### **1-Clarification Request:**

The CEDK is required to detect and identify explosives in trace amounts (1,000 ng), as per A.1.4.1.3; over what surface area is the 1,000 ng required to be detected?

A.1.4.1.2.1 describes the CEDK detecting explosives by either type or grouping; does Canada require the CEDK to specifically identify an explosive, such as RDX from PETN? Or, can the CEDK detect a grouping, such as Group (Nitrate esters and nitramines), which includes both RDX and PETN?

Annex D, 3.4, Serial T3 describes testing the reagents outside, how will sub-zero or freezing temperatures be taken into account during this test?

Please clarify at what date and time the mandatory site visit will take place, as per paragraph 2.8.

### **1-Response**

The 1,000 ng trace amount will be put on the Sample Collector itself.

Detection and identification must be by individual explosive & explosive compound type, or by explosive & explosive compound grouping. Therefore detection can be by the individual explosive or by the explosive grouping (Nitrate esters and nitramines).

The SOW states:

A1.5.1.1 The CEDK must operate in temperatures from  $-15^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+49^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

A1.5.1.1.1 Thawing of Reagents will be acceptable, if necessary, when temperatures are below  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

Testing done outside can be done in sub-zero temperatures, Bidder will provide training on proper usage, including when operating at sub-zero temperatures.

We estimate the mandatory site visit will occur around the first week of December 2019. The timeslots will not be provided until after the successful Bidders advancing to Phase 2: Evaluation Trial are informed.