



SOLICITATION AMENDMENT MODIFICATION DE L'INVITATION

Proposal to : **Statistics Canada**
Propositions aux: **Statistique Canada**

The references 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 des l'invitation demeurent les mêmes

Comments - Commentaires

Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of vendor (type or print) – Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur (caractère d'impression).
Name – Nom :
Title – Titre :

Date– Date: September 23, 2019	
Solicitation No – N° de l'invitation: J031827A	Amendment No. – No modif. 02
GETS Reference No. – No de reference de SEAG PW-19-00889154	
Address inquiries to – Adresser toute demande de renseignements à: statcan.macs-bids-smc-soumissions.statcan@canada.ca	
Solicitation closes – L'invitation prend fin At – à : 14:00 EDT On – le : October 15, 2019	
Area code and Telephone No. Code régional et N° de téléphone (613) 882-2470	Facsimile No. N° de télécopieur
Destination MACS BID – RECEIVING statcan.macs-bids-smc-soumissions.statcan@canada.ca	

Instructions :

Municipal taxes are not applicable.

Unless otherwise specified herein by the Crown, all prices quotes are to be net prices in Canadian funds including Canadian customs duties, excise taxes, and are to be F.O.B., including all delivery charges to destination(s) as indicated. The amount of the Goods and Services Tax is to be shown as a separate item.

Instructions:

Les taxes municipales ne s'appliquent pas.

Sauf indication contraire, énoncée par la Couronne, dans les présentes, tous les prix indiqués sont des prix nets, en dollars canadiens, comprenant les droits de douane canadiens, la taxe d'accise et doivent être F.A.B., y compris tous frais de livraison à la (aux) destination(s) indiquée(s). La somme de la taxe sur les produits et services devra être un article particulier.

Delivery required – Livraison exigée	Delivery offered – Livraison proposé
Vendor Name and Address – Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur	
Facsimile No – N° de télécopieur : Telephone No – N° de téléphone :	
Signature	Date



AMENDMENT 02

The purpose of this amendment is to answer questions from industry.

Question 1: In reference to R2, instead of a CD-Rom, can the samples be provided on a USB stick?

Answer 1: Yes.

StatCan amends the RFP as follows

At Attachment 1, to PART 4, Point Rated Technical Criteria R2, 4:

Delete: The Bidder should submit the following three (3) samples in PDF format on a PC compatible CD using the following directory structure and file names.

Insert: The Bidder should submit the following three (3) samples in PDF format on a PC compatible CD, USB stick, or by email using the following directory structure and file names.

Question 2: Can we use StatsCan samples in our proposal?

Answer 2: Yes.

Question 3: For the samples required as part of R2, can we provide a download and/or send via email (as opposed to on a CD)?

Answer 3: You can also send designs by email. (see Answer 1 "StatCan amends the RFP as follows")

Question 4: On page 11 of the RFP for M3, 2) Official Languages Act, when I googled <http://laws.justice.gc.ca/en/O-3.01/index.html> it came up can't find web page (error 404). Is there another site that I can access the Act? I googled Official Languages Act and got 44 pages of information.

Answer 4:

StatCan amends the RFP as follows

At Attachment 1, to PART 4, Point Rated Technical Criteria R2, 2):

Delete: 2) *Official Languages Act*: <https://laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/c-18.7/>

Insert: 2) *Official Languages Act*: <https://laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/c-18.7/>

Question 5: I would like to know if it would be possible to modify the technical specifications under R2 for the required brochure example.

Brochure 3-fold, folded in 2, 4 colors (2 sides, bilingual).

Could we submit in response to this criterion a brochure, a leaflet with the following specifications:

- 8 "x 13.5" open format folded to 4 "x 9"?

the flyer is folded in 2 and the third flap is a flap that is also folded in 2.



- Or which is 17 "x 11" in open format and is folded to 8.5 "x 5.5", which is only in French?

the leaflet is folded in 4 giving 8 parts in total

Answer 5: No, specifications must meet the exact requirements listed under R2.

Question 6: In reference to Question 4 of RFP J031827/A amendment 01. If we click the link for point 4, "Accessibility", it strictly refers to "Web page or web site only". That is specific. So is the sample you are looking for a Website? I would think not. So my sub questions are: 1) Should the sample be a product designed respecting all the other points (FIP, Official language, multiculturalism), plus as an end product be an accessible PDF respecting WCAG 2.0 accessibility for visually impaired (tagged and coded)? 2) OR a product designed, simply respecting the web colour contrast ratio with the Colour Contrast Analyser? (as we do for Statistics Canada Infographics for example).

Answer 6: 1.) The link is correct.

2.) Yes to #1; the sample must be designed respecting FIP, official language, multiculturalism, and must be respect WCAGF 2.0 accessibility for the visually impaired. Simply state that you have applied the tool for web, and that will be adequate.

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED.