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**SOLICITATION AMENDMENT 003**

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This Solicitation Amendment is issued to answer questions from Industry, and to make changes to the Solicitation.  
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**SECTION A - QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

**Question 3**

For SBK, 4.1.4 – Can the Tan grass bundle with a weight of 200 g ± 50 g be acceptable for the pre-award sample but for the pre-production and final production quantities it will be 450 g ± 50 g . Please advise if this is acceptable?

**Answer 3**

Yes for the pre-award sample, the Tan grass bundle can weigh 200 g ± 50 g. However, pre-production and final deliverables must meet specification.

**Question 4**

For SBK, 4.2.6 – Braided Elastic Bands - please advise if cross sectional diameter of 3.10 ± 0.45 mm is acceptable?

**Answer 4**

Braided Elastic bands can be either 1/8 or 3/16 inch in diameter based on OEM specification sheets.

**Question 5**

For SBK, 4.2.7 – Our elastic bands have a diameter of approx. 5.948 – 6.116 cm, can you please advise if the maximum diameter acceptable can be increased to 6.5 cm to accommodate? This was acceptable in the previous solicitation.

**Answer 5**

Yes

**Question 6**

For SBK, 4.2.10 – Please advise if breaking strength of the braided elastic bands varying between 15 pounds to 21 pounds is acceptable?

**Answer 6**

Breaking strength of the braided elastic bands must be a minimum of 15 pounds.

**Question 7**

For SBK, 4.3.1 BPS Sharpening Set – The stone we can offer is not a continuous diamond surface. It is a 2 sided sharpening stone that enables a micron range from 8 to 50. This stone is optimized for use with the Xylan coated blade, is that acceptable?

**Answer 7**

Yes, provided the sharpening surfaces are silicon carbide.

**Question 8**

For SBK, 4.3.4.5 – Please advise if instead of two stones if one stone is provided as a pre-award sample but 2 stone will be provided for the pre-production and final production would be acceptable?

**Answer 8**

Yes, one stone may be provided for the pre-award sample. However pre-production and final deliverables must meet specification.  
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**Question 9**

For SBK, 4.6.2 – Please advise if the sample submitted is a commercial paracord but the pre-production and final production be paracord adhere to all requirements outlined in MIL-C—5040H for Type IIA paracord be accepted?

**Answer 9**

Yes, commercial paracord may be provided for the pre-award sample however pre-production and final deliverables must meet specification. The pre-award samples will be used to evaluate colour.

**Question 10**

For SBK, 4.6.3 – Please advise if it is acceptable for the samples to be not as per the specified length of roll, but the pre-production and final production will be as per the requirement stated?

**Answer 10**

Yes pre-award samples will be used to evaluate colour. However, pre-production and final deliverables must meet specification.

**Question 11**

For SBK, 4.8.3 Mesh Covers – Of the 3 colour samples required, please advise it is acceptable to have one colour sample as per the dimensions required and pre production and final quantities will be as per the required size? Other mesh covers will be provided as pieces for colour approval.

**Answer 11**

For the pre-award samples colour swaths are acceptable for colour approval. However, provided pre-production and final deliverables must meet specification.

**Question 12**

For SBK, 4.8.3 Mesh Covers – Please advise if a size of 5 ft ± 5% x 4 ft ± 5% as per previous solicitation would be acceptable for the mesh covers sizing?

**Answer 12**

For the pre-award samples, colour swaths are acceptable for colour approval. However, provided pre-production and final deliverables must meet specification. We will remove the measurement requirements for the pre-award samples.

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**SECTION B – CHANGES TO THE BID SOLICITATION**

Change 1

**DELETE:** Annex D in its entirety

**INSERT:** Annex D, attached.

Change 2

**DELETE:** Appendix 1 to Annex E in its entirety

**INSERT:** Appendix 1 to Annex E, attached.

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**ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED**

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ANNEX D  
SPECIFICATION  
FOR  
SNIPER BUILDING KIT  
(SBK)



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ANNEX B Statement of Work for Sniper Concealment System (SCS)

ANNEX C Specification for Sniper Individual Screens (SIS)

ANNEX D Specification for Sniper Building Kit (SBK)

## 1.0 SCOPE

### 1.1 Purpose

- 1.1.1 The purpose of this specification is to outline the technical requirements for the Sniper Building Kit (SBK) used by Canadian Armed Forces (CAF) personnel.

### 1.2 Background

- 1.2.1 The CAF have a requirement for a Sniper Concealment System (SCS) designed for snipers to reduce detectability in visual and infrared spectrums. The SBK is a main component of the SCS.

### 1.3 Intended Use

- 1.3.1 The SBK will contain all the tools and equipment necessary to facilitate the proper use and configuration of the Concealment Base Layer (CBL) and Sniper Individual Screens (SIS). It will include ancillary equipment to allow for suite customization.

### 1.4 Acronyms

ASTM	American Standard Test Method
BPS	Bypass Pruning Shear
CAF	Canadian Armed Forces
CADPAT	Canadian Disruptive Pattern)
CBL	Concealment Base Layer
g/m <sup>2</sup>	grams per square meter
DSSPM	Directorate of Soldier Systems Program Management
IAW	In Accordance With
SCS	Sniper Concealment System
SBK	Sniper Building Kit
TA	Technical Authority

## 2.0 APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS

### 2.1 Applicability

- 2.1.1 The documents listed in Section 2.2 set mandatory standards that apply to and form part of this specification. The Contractor is responsible for ensuring that it has obtained the most current version of each document. The version of the below identified documents in effect at the time of Contract execution applies to and forms part of this specification. All other document references contained elsewhere are to be considered supplemental information only. The Contractor must bring to the attention of the Contracting Authority all perceived inconsistencies between the specification and referenced

documents. In the event of conflict between the content of this specification and the referenced documents, the content of this specification must prevail.

## 2.2 Standards & Documents

### 2.2.1 Government Furnished Documents and Standards

- 2.2.1.1 DSSPM 2-2-80-210 Specification for Cloth, Coated, Nylon/Polyurethane, 235 g/m<sup>2</sup>;
- 2.2.1.2 DSSPM 3-6-80-001 Specification for CADPAT (Canadian Disruptive Pattern);
- 2.2.1.3 Mil-C-5040H Military Specification Cord, Fibrous, Nylon; and
- 2.2.1.4 MIL-C-5651D Military Specification: Cord, Elastic, Exerciser and Shock Absorber, For Aeronautical Use.
- 2.2.1.5 Mil-DTL-32439 Detail Specification Cloth, Duck, Textured Nylon

### 2.2.2 Commercially Available Documents and Standards

- 2.2.2.1 ISO 6941 Specification for Textile fabrics -- Burning behaviour -- Measurement of flame spread properties of vertically oriented specimens;
- 2.2.2.2 PIA-C-5040F Specification for Cord, Fibrous, Nylon; and
- 2.2.2.3 ASTM D3787 Standard Test Method for Bursting Strength of Textiles—Constant-Rate-of-Traverse (CRT) Ball Burst Test.

## 3.0 SYSTEM CHARACTERISTICS

### 3.1 General

- 3.1.1 The SBK must be a kit containing all building tools outlined in paragraph 3.4 to allow for the customization of other SCS components.
- 3.1.2 All SBK components must be commercial off-the-shelf products.

### 3.2 Design

- 3.2.1 The SBK and its components must be made of a lightweight and easily transportable materials.
- 3.2.2 The SBK and its components must be rugged and durable in design to endure prolonged and rigorous field use in a variety of environments without failing.

### 3.3 Service Life

- 3.3.1 The in-service life of all SBK components must be no less than 5 years.

### 3.4 System Components

3.4.1 The SBK must consist of the following components:

Serial	Description	Colour Details	Quantity
1	Jute Bundle	Tan	3
2	Jute Bundle	Light Olive Drab	4
3	Fiber Bundle	Dreadlock, Tan	2
4	Fiber Bundle	Hair, Tan	1
5	Straw Bundle	Tan	1
6	Braided Elastic Bands	Tan	100
7	Braided Elastic Bands	Olive Drab	100
8	Pruning Shear Kit	-	1
9	Textile Scissor	-	1
10	Cable Ties	Black, Nylon	50
11	Paracord	Tan	1
12	Paracord	Olive Drab	1
13	Bungee Cord	Olive Drab	1
14	Mesh Cover	Olive Drab	1
15	Mesh Cover	Pine Green	1
16	Mesh Cover	Desert Tan	1
17	Camo Form®	Snow	2
18	Camo Form®	Desert Digital	2
19	Camo Form®	Woodland Digital	2
20	Camo Form®	Mossy Oak Shadowgrass® Blades™	2
21	Carrying Bag	Multicam	1

## 4.0 TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

### 4.1 Bundles

4.1.1 The SBK must include seven Jute Bundles.

4.1.1.1 Three Jute Bundles must contain 1-ply strands that are Tan in colour.

4.1.1.2 Four Jute Bundles must contain 1-ply strands that are Light Olive Drab in colour.

4.1.2 The SBK must include three Fiber Bundles.

4.1.2.1 Two Fiber Bundles must be Dreadlock Fiber Bundles containing dreadlock-style strands thicker than the Jute strands contained in the Jute Bundles (paragraph 4.1.1) with a discernable texture that are Tan in colour.



- 4.1.2.2 One Fiber Bundle must be a Hair Fiber Bundle containing hair-style strands with an appearance similar to dead grass that are Tan in colour.
    - 4.1.2.2.1 Hair Fiber Bundle Strands must be thicker than the Jute strands contained in the Jute Bundles (paragraph 4.1.1) but be easily separable into thinner strands that are Tan in colour.
  - 4.1.3 The SBK must include one Straw Bundles.
    - 4.1.3.1 The Straw Bundle must contain Strands that are similar to dry field grass in texture that are Tan in colour.
  - 4.1.4 Each Jute and Fiber Bundle must be 450 g  $\pm$  50 g in weight.
  - 4.1.5 Each Bundle must contain 30 inch  $\pm$  2 inch single strands.
  - 4.1.6 All Bundle Strand must require no preparation prior to use.
  - 4.1.7 Each Bundle must be individually packaged in a sturdy clear multiple use bag that is resealed by a Ziploc® style slider closure mechanism.
- 4.2 Braided Elastic Bands**
- 4.2.1 The Braided Elastic Bands must be made from synthetic or natural rubber compound encased in a single braided cover made of cotton, polyester or nylon.
  - 4.2.2 The Braided Elastic Bands must be constructed in a ring shape such that the two ends of the bands are brought together to create a loop.
  - 4.2.3 The braids must be spun with yarns from a good grade and stable cotton that must be free of imperfections and impurities.
  - 4.2.4 All Braided Elastic Bands must be braided with a sufficient number of ends such that when the band is elongated to 100% the braid must be tight and prevent dirt from entering between the individual yarns of the braid.
  - 4.2.5 The Braided Elastic Bands must not have a metal joining clip or ferrule.
  - 4.2.6 The Braided Elastic Bands must have a cross-sectional diameter of 1/8 inch or 3/16 inches.
  - 4.2.7 The Braided Elastic Bands, in their relaxed state, must have a diameter no less than 4.5 cm and no greater than 6.5 cm.
  - 4.2.8 The Braided Elastic Bands must have an elastic elongation of no less than 150%.
  - 4.2.9 The rated breaking strength of the Braided Elastic Band must be a minimum of 15 pounds.
  - 4.2.10 The braided elastic band should retain its strength properties in temperatures ranging from -40°C to +40°C.

4.2.11 The Braided Elastic Bands must be coloured by using dyed yarn for the cotton braid.

4.2.12 The Braided Elastic Bands must come in two colours:

4.2.12.1 Tan; and

4.2.12.2 Olive Drab.

#### 4.3 Pruning Shear Kit

4.3.1 The SBK must include a Pruning Shear Kit that contains the following components:

4.3.1.1 Bypass Pruning Shear (BPS);

4.3.1.2 BPS Replacement Blade; and

4.3.1.3 BPS Sharpening Set.

4.3.2 BPS Specifications

4.3.2.1 The BPS must have a total length between 200 and 225 mm.

4.3.2.2 The BPS must have a blade length between 30 and 50 mm.

4.3.2.3 The BPS must be rated to cut branches and vegetation up to at least 19 mm in diameter.

4.3.2.4 The BPS body must be black, green or brown in colour.

4.3.2.5 The BPS blade must be crafted from hardened or high carbon steel.

4.3.2.6 The BPS blade must be corrosion-resistant and non-stick.

4.3.2.7 The BPS must have asymmetric aluminum handles with a non-slip surface or coating.

4.3.2.8 The BPS must be usable by both left and right handed individuals without modification.

4.3.2.9 The BPS must have adjustable blade tension to ensure blade alignment.

4.3.2.10 The BPS must have a coil to separate the blades.

4.3.2.11 The BPS must have a locking mechanism to secure the blades in a closed position when not in use.

4.3.2.12 The BPS locking mechanism must not interfere with general cutting use when disengaged.

4.3.2.13 The BPS blade and coil spring must be user replaceable.

4.3.3 BPS Replacement Blade

4.3.3.1 The BPS Replacement Blade must be identical to that delivered with the BPS.

4.3.4 BPS Sharpening Set Specifications

- 4.3.4.1 The BPS Sharpening Set must have a sharpening stone with a Coarse Sharpener side with grit size no less than 40 micron and no greater than 55 micron.
- 4.3.4.2 The BPS Sharpening Set must have a sharpening stone with a Fine Sharpener side with grit size no less than 6 micron and no greater than 10 micron.
- 4.3.4.3 The BPS Sharpening Set Sharpening Stone must be no greater than 110 mm in length, 30 mm in width, and 15 mm in thickness.
- 4.3.4.4 The sharpening surface of the Sharpening Stone must be a continuous diamond or silicon carbide surface.
- 4.3.4.5 Two BPS Sharpening Stones must be provided.
- 4.3.4.6 A reusable package/container that can be resealed must be provided to hold the Sharpening Stones, BPS and BPS Replacement Blade.

#### 4.4 **Textile Scissors**

- 4.4.1 The SBK must include a Textile Scissor for cutting textile materials (Multispectral Scrim, paracord).
- 4.4.2 The Textile Scissors must have an overall length no less than 175 mm and no greater than 220 mm.
- 4.4.3 The Textile Scissors must have a blade made from titanium-enhanced stainless steel designed for wear resistance, corrosion resistance and accurate cutting.
- 4.4.4 The Textile Scissors must have a handle that is asymmetric with the larger side sized to accommodate more than one finger.
- 4.4.5 The Textile Scissors must have an ambidextrous handle usable by both left and right handed users without modification.
- 4.4.6 The Textile Scissors must pass the following test:
  - 4.4.6.1 Drop Test: The Textile Scissors must be dropped 4 times from a height of 2 meters onto a concrete floor. After this, the Textile Scissors must meet the requirements of the cut test outlined in para. 4.4.6.2.
  - 4.4.6.2 Cutting Test: The scissors must be tested by cutting a piece of Cloth, Coated, Nylon-Polyurethane, 235 g/m<sup>2</sup> (see textile specification DSSPM 2-2-80-210 for details on material), which must not be kept taut during the test. In doing so, the scissors must be opened as wide as possible and then gradually brought to the closed position. The scissors must cut the cloth neatly without drag or pull, from pinch to tip and the cut portion of the cloth must fall freely from the cutting edge.

## 4.5 Cable Ties

### 4.5.1 Design

- 4.5.1.1 The Cable Ties must be self-locking by means of a ratchet mechanism.
- 4.5.1.2 The Cable Ties must be made of 6/6 nylon.
- 4.5.1.3 The Cable Ties must be black.
- 4.5.1.4 The Cable Ties must be weather-resistant rated for outdoor use.

### 4.5.2 Dimensions

- 4.5.2.1 The length of the Cable Ties must be between 140 mm to 195 mm in length.
- 4.5.2.2 The width of the Cable Ties must be no greater than 6 mm.
- 4.5.2.3 The thickness of the Cable Ties must be no greater than 2 mm.

### 4.5.3 Environmental Factors

- 4.5.3.1 The Cable Ties must retain their mechanical properties after installation from -40°C to 85°C.
- 4.5.3.2 The Cable Ties must have a minimum install temperature rating of -20°C
- 4.5.3.3 The Cable Ties must have some resistance to damaging effects caused by UV radiation.

### 4.5.4 Tensile Strength

- 4.5.4.1 The Cable Tie material must have a tensile strength of at least 40 lbf (pound-force) when installed.

## 4.6 Paracord

- 4.6.1 The SBK must include one Tan roll of paracord and one Olive Drab roll of Paracord with the TA having final colour approval.
- 4.6.2 The Paracord must adhere to all requirements outlined in MIL-C-5040H for Type IIA Paracord.
- 4.6.3 Each roll of paracord must be 100 ft ± 4 inch in length and be wrapped around a spool to facilitate cord management.

## 4.7 Bungee Cord

- 4.7.1 The Bungee Cord must have an outer diameter of 0.25 inch with tolerances of +0.031 and -0 inches.
- 4.7.2 The Bungee Cord must adhere to all requirements outlined in MIL-C-5651D for Type III cord.

4.7.3 The yarn of the outer braid of the bungee must be dyed Olive Drab.

4.7.4 The included Bungee Cord must be 20 ft ± 4 inch in length.

#### 4.8 **Mesh Covers**

4.8.1 The Mesh Cover must be made from polyester.

4.8.2 The Mesh Cover must be constructed as a mesh with openings smaller than 20 mm.

4.8.3 The Mesh Cover must be 80 inches ± 5% long and 48 inches ± 5% wide in size.

4.8.4 The Mesh Cover must weigh no more than 160 grams.

4.8.5 The Mesh Cover should have a bursting strength of no less than 25 psi when tested in accordance with ASTM D3787.

4.8.6 The SBK must include three (3) Mesh Covers, one (1) in each of the following colours;

4.8.6.1 Olive Drab;

4.8.6.2 Pine Green; and

4.8.6.3 Desert Tan.

#### 4.9 **Camo Form®**

4.9.1 The SBK must include McNett Tactical Camo Form® Reusable Heavy Duty Fabric Wrap in the following colours:

4.9.1.1 Snow – P/N 19701;

4.9.1.2 Desert Digital – P/N 19413;

4.9.1.3 Woodland Digital – P/N 19412; and

4.9.1.4 Mossy Oak Shadowgrass® Blades™ - P/N 19502

#### 4.10 **Carrying Bag**

4.10.1 The Carrying Bag must have a volume capable of holding all SBK components identified at paragraph 3.4.1 with 20 % additional volume for growth.

4.10.2 The Carrying Bag must not tear or deform when subject to regular loading conditions.

4.10.3 The Carrying Bag must not pierce from tools moving within the bag.

4.10.4 The Carrying Bag must have a hand carry handle with sufficient strength to support carrying a load up to 40 pounds without damage.

4.10.5 The Carrying Bag should be designed in such a way that each Building Tool is quickly and easily accessible directly from transport-ready state.

- 4.10.6 The Carrying Bag must have a heavy duty zipper that runs the length of the top of the bag to improve access to components.
- 4.10.7 The Carrying Bag must be capable of carrying a load up to 40 pounds without damage.
- 4.10.8 The Carrying Bag must be manufactured from Mil-DTL-32439 Type II Class 2 material printed in Multicam® or similar pattern.
- 4.10.9 The Carrying Bag must have a label attached IAW Annex B paragraph 5.1

**APPENDIX 1 TO ANNEX E**

**TECHNICAL EVALUATION WORKBOOK**

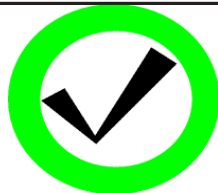
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**Summary**

Worksheets	Mandatory Requirements	Bidder Assed as Compliant	Evaluator Assed as Compliant
Annex C SIS	19	0	0
Annex D SBK	52	0	0
Total	71	0	0



Submission Date:	
Bidder Unique ID Number:	
Product:	Sniper Individual Screens (SIS)
Evaluator:	Arthur Hall TBC TBC

**Evaluators Count of Mandatory Req'r**

Number of Mandatory Requirements	19
Number of COMPLIANT Mandatory Requirements	0

**Bidders Count of Mandatory Req'r Compliance**

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Col 1 Req	TO BE COMPLETED BY BIDDER					TO BE COMPLETED BY EVALUATOR			
	Column 2 Evaluation Criterion Description	Column 3 Criterion Type	Column 4 Bid Deliverable	Column 5 Bidder's Self Assessment	Column 6 Evidence Location in Bid Package	Column 7 Bidder's Statement and/or Comments	Column 8 Evaluator Instructions	Column 9 Evaluator's Assessment	Column 10 Evaluator's Comments
<b>Annex C - Specification For Sniper Individual Screens (SIS)</b>									
3.2.1.1.	The SIS must be 2.4 m ± 1% in length and 1.2 m ± 1% in width. Measurements will be taken while the fabric is pulled out to ensure that these tight tolerances can be maintained.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample				Assess as compliant if the SIS is 2.4 m ± 1% in length and 1.2 m ± 1% in width.  Measurements will be taken while the fabric is pulled out to ensure that these tight tolerances can be maintained.		
3.2.2.1.1.	The SIS Screen Layer must be Multicam®.	Mandatory	Certificate of Conformance				Examine the Certificate of Conformance submitted by the bidder and assess as compliant if the bidder can substantiate that the camouflage pattern used in the SIS Screen Layer is Multicam®.		
3.2.2.2.1.	The SIS Netting Layer colour must be Pale Green 34202 or Khaki 30267 IAW AMS-STD-595 or a close visual match approved by the TA to maximize camouflage properties of the system.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample				Assess as compliant if the SIS Netting Layer is Pale Green 34202 or Khaki 30267 IAW AMS-STD-595 or a close visual match approved by the TA to maximize camouflage properties of the system.  If exact colors are not provided in the PAS, assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours for pre and production quantities.		

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3.2.3.1.	The SIS border assembly colour must be Pale Green 34202 or Khaki 30287 IAW AMS-STD-595™ or a close visual match approved by the TA to maximize camouflage properties of the system.	Mandatory	Pre-Award Sample				Assess as compliant if the SIS Border is Pale Green 34202 or Khaki 30287 IAW AMS-STD-595™ or a close visual match approved by the TA to maximize camouflage properties of the system.  If exact colors are not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours for pre and production quantities.		
3.2.3.1.	The SIS Screen Layer must be constructed using Omega® 100% Polyester Mesh or an alternative fabric with similar properties.	Mandatory	Certificate of Conformance  If other than Omega® is used you must provide a comparison between your proposed material and Omega® confirming that they are similar in specification.				Examine the Certificate of Conformance submitted by the bidder and assess as compliant if the Certificate of Conformance substantiates that the material used in the SIS Screen Layer is Omega® 100% Polyester Mesh or a material with similar properties.		
3.2.3.2.	The SIS Netting Layer must be constructed using Paracord meeting all requirements outlined in paragraph 4.4.1.	Mandatory	Test Report  or  Spec Sheet or Certificate of Conformance				Examine the Test Report or spec sheet or certificate of conformance submitted by the bidder and assess as compliant if the Test Report or spec sheet or certificate of conformance substantiates that the SIS Netting Layer is manufactured from Type IIA paracord IAW MIL-C-5040H.  For the PAS it is acceptable that the SIS netting be manufactured using Type III COM 650 cordless nylon paracord.		
3.2.3.3.	The SIS Border Assembly must be made from braided polyester or polyamide.	Mandatory	Certificate of Conformance				Examine the Certificate of Conformance to confirm that the bidder has substantiated that the materials used in the SIS Border Assembly is made from braided polyester or polyamide.		
4.2.2.	The SIS Netting must consist of a 3 inch ± 0.25 in wide grid pattern covering the screen layer as depicted in Figure 1.	Mandatory	Pre-Award Sample				Measure the netting and assess as compliant if the maximum grid is 3 x 3 inch ± 0.25 inches. Latitude is to be provided for areas where the overall design or cut of the base layer does not permit achieving this grid size.		
4.2.3.	The SIS Netting must be bar-lacked through the entire base material at all netting cord intersection points to support the weight of scrim and natural vegetation attached to the SIS as depicted in Figure 2.	Mandatory	Pre-Award Sample				Confirm that the SIS Netting layer is permanently attached for both the SIS Screen Layer with barback stitching at all intersection points IAW figure 2.  Assess as compliant if when pulling on the netting it does not separate from the base layer.  Assess as compliant if alternate stitch is provided provided bidder confirms that production and pre-production samples with meet specification.		
4.3.1.	Long and short loops of the SIS Border Assembly must be made as illustrated in Figures 1 and 3 to allow for the joining of multiple screens.	Mandatory	Pre-Award Sample				Assess as compliant if the SIS Border Assembly is manufactured IAW Figures 1 and 3 to permit multiple attachments of screens along either the short or long ends of the SIS Screens.		

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4.3.4.	The long and short loop cord colour must be Pale Green 34202 or Khaki 30287 IAW AMS-STD-595™ or a close visual match approved by the TA to maximize camouflage properties of the system.	Mandatory	Pre-Award Sample				Assess as compliant if the long and short loop cord colour is Pale Green 34202 or Khaki 30287 IAW AMS-STD-595™ or a close visual match approved by the TA to maximize camouflage properties of the system. If exact colors are not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours for pre and production quantities.		
4.3.5.	The long and short loops must allow the SIS to be laced tight together along either the long or short ends of the SIS as depicted in Figure 4.	Mandatory	Pre-Award Sample				Assess as compliant if the screens can be properly laced together IAW Figure 4.		
4.3.6.	When the SIS are laced together they must lay flat along the laced ends with no more than .5 in ± .25 in between the SIS.	Mandatory	Pre-Award Sample				Assess as compliant if when the SIS Screens are laced together they lay flat and are not puckered due to improper placement and sizing of the SIS border assembly and gap between laced ends are no more than .5 in ± .25 in.		
4.3.7.	A border band must be used in conjunction with the stitching of the long and short loops in order to increase the level of mechanical strength along all the edges of the SIS.	Mandatory	Pre-Award Sample				Assess as compliant if an SIS Border Band is used in conjunction with the stitching of the long and short loops in order to increase the level of mechanical strength along all the edges of the SIS and to make it look like a properly finished product.		
4.3.8.	A 500 mm ± 50 mm long supplemental cord must be attached to each of the four corners of the SIS.	Mandatory	Pre-Award Sample				Assess as compliant if a supplemental cord is attached to each of the four corners of the SIS.		
4.3.9.	The supplemental cord attachment must be strong enough to allow for the SIS with 75 pound load (2 x medicine balls) to be tied under tension between trees without causing damage to the SIS or the stitching of the supplemental cord into the SIS when tied for 10 minutes.	Mandatory	Pre-Award Sample				Assess as compliant if individual and pairs of SIS can be staked and tied so that the SIS(s) are tensioned parallel to the ground without resulting in damage to the SIS screen or the supplemental cord attachment points when 75 pound load is applied for 10 minutes.		
4.4.2.1.	The Long and Short Loop and Supplemental Cord Material must be made such that it does not unravel or have strands that separate.	Mandatory	Pre-Award Sample				Assess as compliant if the long and short loop and supplemental cord materials are treated so that they cannot unravel or separate from the SIS during operational use.		
4.4.2.2.	The Long and Short Loop and Supplemental Cord material must adhere to all requirements outlined in MIL-C-5040H for Type III Paracord.	Mandatory	Test Report or Spec Sheet or Certificate of Conformance				Examine the Test Report or spec sheet or certificate of conformance submitted by the bidder and assess as compliant if the Test Report or spec sheet or certificate of conformance substantiates that the SIS Netting Layer is manufactured from Type III paracord IAW MIL-C-5040H.		
4.4.3.1.	The Sewing Thread used in the SIS must have a Minimum Breaking Strength no less than 42 N.	Mandatory	Test Report or Spec Sheet				Assess as compliant if the Test Report or specification sheet confirms that the Sewing Thread Measurement of the Minimum Breaking Strength of the Sewing Thread is no less than 42 N.		

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<b>Annex D - Sniper Building Kit (SBK)</b>									
4.1.1.1	Three Jute Bundles must contain 1-ply strands that are Tan in colour.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 1 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if 3 x 1-ply tan coloured jute bundles have been provided as part of the SBK.  If exact color is not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours for pre and production quantities.		

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4.1.1.2	Four Jute Bundles must contain 4-ply strands that are Light Olive Drab in colour.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 2 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if 4 x 1-ply light olive drab coloured jute bundles have been provided as part of the SBK.  If exact color is not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours for pre and production quantities.		
4.1.2.1	Two Fiber Bundles must be Dreadlock Fiber Bundles containing dreadlock style strands thicker than the Jute strands contained in the Jute Bundles (paragraph 4.1.1) with a discernable texture that are Tan in colour.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 3 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if 2 x fiber bundles in tan colour containing dreadlock style strands which are thicker than the strands in the jute bundles have been provided as part of the SBK.  If exact color is not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours for pre and production quantities.		
4.1.2.2	One Fiber Bundle must be a Hair Fiber Bundle containing hair style strands with an appearance similar to dead grass that are Tan in colour.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 4 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if 1 x fiber bundle in tan colour containing hair style strands with appearance similar to dead grass have been provided as part of the SBK.  If exact color is not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours for pre and production quantities.		
4.1.3.1	The Straw Bundle must contain Strands that are similar to dry field grass in texture that are Tan in colour.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 5 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if 1 x fiber bundle in tan colour containing straw strands with appearance similar to dry field grass have been provided as part of the SBK.  If exact color is not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours for pre and production quantities.		

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4.1.4	Each Jute and Fiber Bundle must be 450 g ± 50 g in weight.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Items 1 to 5 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if all jute and fiber bundles weigh 450 g ± 50 g in weight.		
4.1.5	Each Bundle must contain 30 inch ± 2 inch single strands.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Items 1 to 5 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if all bundles contain strands that are 30 inches ± 2 inches.		
4.2.1	The Braided Elastic Bands must be made from synthetic or natural rubber compound encased in a single braided cover made of cotton, polyester or nylon.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Items 6 and 7, para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet				Assess as compliant if the bidder has provided a specification sheet and or technical documentation that confirms this requirement is met. Assess as compliant as long as 10 or more elastics are provided which can be tested by the evaluator.		
4.2.6	The Braided Elastic Bands must have a cross-sectional diameter of 1/8 inch or 3/16 inches.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Items 6 and 7, para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet				Assess as compliant if the bidder has provided a specification sheet and or technical documentation that confirms this requirement is met.		

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4.2.7	The Braided Elastic Bands, in their relaxed state, must have a diameter no less than 4.5 cm and no greater than 6.5 cm.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Items 6 and 7, para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the Braided Elastic Bands have diameter of no less than 4.5 cm and no more than 6.5 cm.		
4.2.10	The rated breaking strength of the Braided Elastic Band must be a minimum of 15 pounds.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Items 6 and 7, para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet and/or Test Report				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provided either the OEM specification sheet for the product and/or a test report which confirms that the requirement is met.		
4.2.12.1	The Braided Elastic Bands must come in Tan	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 6 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the Braided Elastic Bands are Tan in colour. If exact color is not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours for pre and production quantities.		
4.2.12.2	The Braided Elastic Bands must come in Olive Drab	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 7 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the Braided Elastic Bands are olive drab in colour. If exact color is not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours for pre and production quantities.		

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4.3.2.1	The BPS must have a total length between 200 and 225 mm.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 8 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the BPS measure between 200 and 225 mm in length.		
4.3.2.2	The BPS must have a blade length between 30 and 50 mm.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 8 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the BPS blade length is between 30 and 50 mm in length.		
4.3.2.3	The BPS must be rated to cut branches and vegetation up to at least 19 mm in diameter.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 8 para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet and/or Test Report				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provide the OEM specification sheet that confirms the BPS are rated to cut branches that are 19 mm in diameter. If the specification sheet does not explicitly confirm this requirement the evaluator is to test to confirm that the requirement can be met.		
4.3.2.5	The BPS blade must be crafted from hardened or high carbon steel.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 8 para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provide the OEM specification sheet for the BPS which confirms this requirement.		



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4.3.2.8	The BPS must be usable by both left and right handed individuals without modification.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 8 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the BPS design allow for ambidextrous use.		
4.3.2.11	The BPS must have a locking mechanism to secure the blades in a closed position when not in use.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 8 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if you can lock the BPS blade in the closed position.		
4.3.3.1	The BPS Replacement Blade must be identical to that delivered with the BPS	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 8 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the BPS reusable blade can be installed onto the BPS.		
4.3.4.1	The BPS Sharpening Set must have a sharpening stone with a Coarse Sharpener side with grit size no less than 40 micron and no greater than 55 micron.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 8 para 3.4.1 Certificate of Conformance.				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provided a certificate of conformance.		

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4.3.4.2	The BPS Sharpening Set must have a sharpening stone with a Fine Sharpener side with grit size no less than 6 micron and no greater than 10 micron.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 8 para 3.4.1 Certificate of Conformance.				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provided a certificate of conformance.		
4.3.4.3	The BPS Sharpening Set Sharpening Stone must be no greater than 110 mm in length, 30 mm in width, and 15 mm in thickness.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 8 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the measurements meet the specifications.		
4.3.4.4	The sharpening surface of the Sharpening Stone must be a continuous diamond or silicon carbide surface.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 8 para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet or Certificate of Conformance				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provided an Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet or Certificate of Conformance		
4.3.4.5	Two BPS Sharpening Stones must be provided.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 8 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if two stones are provided.		

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4.4.2	The Textile Scissors must have an overall length no less than 175 mm and no greater than 220 mm.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 9 para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provided the OEM specification sheet for the textile scissors and that the specification sheet confirms that this requirement is met.		
4.4.3	The Textile Scissors must have a blade made from titanium-enhanced stainless steel designed for wear resistance, corrosion resistance and accurate cutting.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 9 para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provided the OEM specification sheet for the textile scissors and that the specification sheet confirms that this requirement is met.		
4.4.4	The Textile Scissors must have a handle that is asymmetric with the larger side sized to accommodate more than one finger.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 9 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if this requirement is met.		
4.4.5	The Textile Scissors must have an ambidextrous handle usable by both left and right handed users without modification.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 9 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the Textile Scissor design allow for ambidextrous use.		

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4.4.6.1	Drop Test: The Textile Scissors must be dropped 4 times from a height of 2 meters onto a concrete floor. After this, the Textile Scissors must meet the requirements of the cut test outlined in para. 4.4.6.2.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 9 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if after completing this drop test you are able to use the Textile Scissors to perform the cutting test in paragraph 4.4.6.2.		
4.5.1.1	The Cable Ties must be self-locking by means of a ratchet mechanism.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 10 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if this requirement is met.		
4.5.1.2	The Cable Ties must be made of 6/6 nylon.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 10 para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provided the OEM specification sheet for the cable ties and that the specification sheet confirms that this requirement is met.		
4.5.1.3	The Cable Ties must be black.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 10 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the cable ties are black.  If exact color is not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours for pre and production quantities.		

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4.5.1.4	The Cable Ties must be weather-resistant rated for outdoor use.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 10 para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provided the OEM specification sheet for the cable ties and that the specification sheet confirms that this requirement is met.		
4.5.2.1	The length of the Cable Ties must be between 140 mm to 195 mm in length.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 10 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if this requirement is met.		
4.5.2.2	The Cable Ties must have a minimum install temperature rating of -20°C.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 10 para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provided the OEM specification sheet for the cable ties and that the specification sheet confirms that this requirement is met.		
4.5.4.1	The Cable Tie material must have a tensile strength of at least 40 lbf (pound-force) when installed.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 10 para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provided the OEM specification sheet for the cable ties and that the specification sheet confirms that this requirement is met.		

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4.6.1	The SBK must include one Tan roll of paracord and one Olive Drab roll of Paracord with the TA having final colour approval.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Items 11 and 12 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the rolls of para cord meet with TA approval of colour.  If exact colors and length are not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours in the correct length for pre and production quantities.		
4.6.2	The Paracord must adhere to all requirements outlined in MIL-C-5040H for Type IA Paracord.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Items 11 and 12 para 3.4.1  Test Report or Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet or Certificate of Conformance				Examine the Test Report or spec sheet or certificate of conformance submitted by the bidder and assess as compliant if the Test Report or spec sheet or certificate of conformance substantiates that the paracord is Type IIa paracord IAW MIL-C-5040H.		
4.7.2	The Bungee Cord must adhere to all requirements outlined in MIL-C-5651D for Type II cord.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 13 para 3.4.1  Test Report or Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet or Certificate of Conformance				Examine the Test Report or spec sheet or certificate of conformance submitted by the bidder and assess as compliant if the Test Report or spec sheet or certificate of conformance substantiates that the bungee cord is manufactured from Type III bungee cord IAW MIL-C-5651D.  If exact color and length is not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours in the correct length for pre and production quantities.		
4.8.1	The Mesh Cover must be made from polyester.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Items 14 to 16 para 3.4.1  Certificate of Conformance				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provided the Certificate of Conformance.  If exact colors and dimensions are not provided in the PAS assess as compliant since the bidder will be required to provide requested colours in the correct dimensions for pre and production quantities.		

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4.8.2	The Mesh Cover must be constructed as a mesh with openings smaller than 20 mm.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Items: 14 to 16 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if this requirement is met.		
4.8.3	The Mesh Cover must be 80 inches ± 5% long and 48 inches ± 5% wide in size.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Items: 14 to 16 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if this requirement is met.		
4.8.4	The Mesh Cover must weigh no more than 160 grams.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Items: 14 to 16 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if this requirement is met.		
4.9.1.1	The SBK must include McNett Tactical Camo Form® Reusable Heavy Duty Fabric Wrap In Snow - P/N 19701.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 17 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the item is McNett Tactical Camo Form® Reusable Heavy Duty Fabric Wrap In Snow - P/N 19701.		

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4.9.1.2	The SBK must include McNett Tactical Camo Form® Reusable Heavy Duty Fabric Wrap In Desert Digital - P/N 19413.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 18 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the item is McNett Tactical Camo Form® Reusable Heavy Duty Fabric Wrap in Desert Digital - P/N 19413.		
4.9.1.3	The SBK must include McNett Tactical Camo Form® Reusable Heavy Duty Fabric Wrap In Woodland Digital - P/N 19412.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 19 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if the item is McNett Tactical Camo Form® Reusable Heavy Duty Fabric Wrap in Woodland Digital - P/N 19412.		
4.9.1.4	The SBK must include McNett Tactical Camo Form® Reusable Heavy Duty Fabric Wrap In Mossy Oak Shadowgrass® Blades™ - P/N 19502	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 20 para 3.4.2				Assess as compliant if the item is McNett Tactical Camo Form® Reusable Heavy Duty Fabric Wrap in Mossy Oak Shadowgrass® Blades™ - P/N 19502		
4.10.1	The Carrying Bag must have a volume capable of holding all SBK components identified at paragraph 3.4.1 with 20 % additional volume for growth.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 21 para 3.4.1				With the complete SBK contained in the SBK Carrying Bag confirm that when the items are loosely packaged their exists approximately 20 % free space.		



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4.10.6	The Carrying Bag must have a heavy duty zipper that runs the length of the top of the bag to improve access to components.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 21 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if this requirement is met.		
4.10.7	The Carrying Bag must be capable of carrying a load up to 40 pounds without damage.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 21 para 3.4.1				Assess as compliant if you can carry the complete SBK in the carrying bag without damage to the handle.		
4.10.8	The Carrying Bag must be manufactured from MIL-DTL-32439 Type IV Class 2 material printed in Multicam® or similar pattern.	Mandatory	Pre Award Sample Item 21 para 3.4.1 Original Equipment Manufacturer Specification Sheet or Certificate of Conformance.				Assess as compliant if the Bidder has provided the OEM specification sheet or certificate of conformance for the SBK Carrying Bag material.		