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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**

For the purposes of this procurement, Canada is  
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<b>Title - Sujet</b> Batteries	
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> W0142-20X040/A	<b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b> 003
<b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b> W0142-20X040	<b>Date</b> 2019-12-10
<b>GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG</b> PW-\$CAL-140-6988	
<b>File No. - N° de dossier</b> CAL-9-42067 (140)	<b>CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME</b>
<b>Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin</b> <b>at - à 02:00 PM</b> <b>on - le 2019-12-16</b>	<b>Time Zone</b> <b>Fuseau horaire</b> Central Standard Time CST
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This amendment is being raised to answer the following questions and make a change to solicitation W0142-20X040/A:

### **1. Questions and Answers**

#### **Question 1**

Would you be willing to accept a Length of 12.4803" and a Width of 24.8425" and a Depth of 8.18898" for the batteries mentioned in W0142-20X040/A?

#### **Answer 1**

The dimensions given in the original solicitation are the maximum for each type of battery. The equipment that these batteries operate in are boxed and therefore the batteries need to be no larger than the original specs.

#### **Question 2**

Is a battery with Length 12.08" and Width 6.58" can be accepted? (Height of the battery is lower than the maximum height requested)

#### **Answer 2**

The dimensions given in the original solicitation are the maximum for each type of battery. The equipment that these batteries operate in are boxed and therefore the batteries need to be no larger than the original specs.

#### **Question 3**

12V Lithium Iron Phosphate batteries have higher nominal voltage than 12V. The nominal voltage is usually around 12.8V. Could you please confirm this is acceptable?

#### **Answer 3**

A nominal voltage of 12.8 is acceptable.

#### **Question 4**

Can you please provide a photo of a LiFePO4 battery assembly with "Integrated Contractors" or provide more details as most manufacturers are offering a "BMS" as serving same purpose.

#### **Answer 4**

We will not offer a photo but we will clarify the requirement as follows:

For the stated purpose of these batteries (to replace lead acid), a BMS (Battery Management System) and Integrated Contact WILL serve the same function.

Consequently, for BOTH items 1 and 2 (12.8 Volt 110AH Batteries and the 12.0 Volt 35AH Batteries) the batteries must include, at a minimum, ONE (1) of the following features: an Integrated Contactor, Battery Management System (BMS), Circuit Protection System (CPS) or a Battery Protection System (BPS).

See changes below.

**2. On Page 14 of 16 – COMPLAINE MATRIX – MINIMUM MANDATORY PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS**

**DELETE in its entirety**

**INSERT in its place**

**COMPLIANCE MATRIX – MINIMUM MANDATORY PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS:**

Requirement:	Manufacturer Offered:	Model number Offered #:
Batteries		

Item #	Performance Specification	Performance Specification Met?  Indicate either Yes/No	Performance Specification Offered: Bidder should indicate how they meet the performance specification by recording this information in this column	Cross Reference: In this column, Bidders should cross-reference where this performance specification is indicated in their supporting documents.
<b>1.0</b>	<b>12.8V Lithium Iron Phosphate Battery</b>			
1.1	The dimensions of the battery must not exceed: 12" (L) x 6.5" (W) x 8.75" (H)			
1.2	Must include, at a minimum, ONE (1) of the following features: an Integrated Contactor, Battery Management System (BMS), Circuit Protection System (CPS) <u>or a</u> Battery Protection System (BPS).			
1.3	Must be 12.8 Volt			
1.4	Must have 110 Amp Hours			
1.5	Must be Lithium Iron Phosphate			
1.6	Accurate product labelling and Safety Data Sheet in accordance with WHMIS 2015 and Canada Occupational Health and Safety Regulations (COHSR) must be included			
1.7	Purpose/Usage: to replace Lead Acid Battery			
<b>2.0</b>	<b>12.0V Deep Cycle Optimum Lithium Iron Phosphate Battery</b>			
2.1	The dimensions of the battery must not exceed: 7.7" (L) x 5.2" (W) x 7.1" (H)			
2.2	Must include, at a minimum, ONE (1) of the following features: an Integrated Contactor, Battery Management System (BMS), Circuit Protection System (CPS) <u>or a</u> Battery Protection System			

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	(BPS)			
2.3	Must be 12.0 Volt Nominal voltage of 12.8V is acceptable.			
2.4	Must have 35 Amp Hours			
2.5	Must be Lithium Iron Phosphate			
2.6	Accurate product labelling and Safety Data Sheet in accordance with WHMIS 2015 and Canada Occupational Health and Safety Regulations (COHSR) must be included			
2.7	Purpose/Usage: to replace Lead Acid Battery			

**ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN THE SAME**