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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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Title - Sujet Laboratory Casework	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation F1700-180005/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 001
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client F1700-180005	Date 2020-01-24
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$VAN-582-8709	
File No. - N° de dossier VAN-9-42182 (582)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2020-02-04	
Time Zone Fuseau horaire Pacific Standard Time PST	
F.O.B. - F.A.B. Plant-Usine: <input type="checkbox"/> Destination: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other-Autre: <input type="checkbox"/>	
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Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm (type or print) Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/ de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)	
Signature	Date

Amendment no. 1

This amendment is raised in order to:

1. Answer supplier questions;
2. Modify the Request for Proposal (RFP).

1. Questions and Answer

Question #1: In Annex "A", A) Scope, 3, site conditions

- Please clarify Seismic restraint expectations. In our experience some clients elect to seismically anchor both fixed and mobile furniture while others only restrain fixed.
- Please also confirm if you wish to have any required restraints reviewed and approved by a qualified seismic engineer.

Answer #1: We would seismically restrain fixed casework and bidder to provide Seismic Kit for the casework. Mobile casework to include heavy-duty locking casters to prevent movement during earthquakes. Casework restraints should be code compliance for British Columbia and approved by a Seismic engineer. Each installation is not required to be stamped and approved a by seismic engineer.

Question # 2: In Annex "B"

B) Fabrication

- 7. Hinges requests 5 knuckle hinges welded to inside of inner pan and case. This makes it difficult to adjust doors and replace hinges if necessary. Please confirm if mounting the hinges with screws be acceptable.

C) Hardware, Metal Laboratory Casework

5. Door catch requests twin ball catch. One manufacturer standard is a two-piece heavy-duty cam action positive catch. Main body of the catch is confined within an integral cabinet top or divider rail, while latching post is to be mounted on the hinge side of door.



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Answer #2:

Hinges mounted with screws are acceptable as long as the hinges meet the Hinge Load test as per SEFA 8M tests.

The arrangement is acceptable and the door catch should meet the performance requirements per SEFA i.e. the catch and door should operate normally after application of all load tests per SEFA.

Question # 3: in 2.3, J) Glassware Drying Racks

- Specification request Polypropylene construction. 2.7 Laboratory Accessories, D) calls up a different construction requirement of high-strength tempered hardboard. Please confirm preferred construction.
- Please confirm if epoxy resin backboard with polypropylene pegs and stainless-steel drip trough would be acceptable as an alternate.

Answer #3: Polypropylene pegboard/glass drying racks is preferred as specific for casework provided per Section J. Except Section J., all other casework will be provided with Pegboard per Annex B Part 2.7.

Question # 4: In Part 3 – On site project execution requirements

B) Service Fittings

- 2. Install fittings as per shop drawings. Annex "B" 2.2 states to only furnish fixtures. Please confirm scope.

Answer #4: Fixtures should be supplied and installed. Mechanical or Electrical construction permit to be secured by Mechanical and Electrical contractors and connections to be coordinated with Mechanical and Electrical contractors

Question # 5:

General Questions:

- The modular frame system requested uses NEMA L5-20 or L14-20 power cords to energize the units. Gas services use a quick disconnect hose. These cords and hoses are usually connected to ceiling service panels provided by the casework manufacturer. I do not see a specification for ceiling service panels. Please confirm expectation for termination of connections for the mobile frames.
- Please note that some items requested are specialty construction and will require longer lead times than standard manufactures products for delivery. Example could include polypropylene casework, stainless steel worksurfaces and Anti-vibration tables.
- Will a manufacturer assurance for capacity and delivery be required once project phase schedules can be confirmed?
- Is there an at grade loading dock that a 53' truck and trailer could access for product delivery at each site? If not, please confirm the largest delivery vehicle allowable on each site.
- Please confirm if there are security or site qualification requirements for installation crews working in the facilities.

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Answer #5:

Casework manufacturer which require Ceiling Service Panels for overhead service connections in Island or Peripheral casework arrangement to provide and include price for connection attachments. Final Connections to be coordinated with Mechanical and Electrical subcontractor.

Timelines for delivery for standard items will be 4-6 weeks and confirmed at time of call-up. For specialty items such as polypropylene casework longer terms will be negotiated at time of call-up.

Yes, a manufacturer should assurance for capacity and delivery once project schedules are confirmed.

There is no at grade loading dock. Vehicles as large as 53 feet can have access but truck turnaround radius is difficult.

All site crew will be escorted at all times when on site and not required to have security clearance.

2. The Request for Proposal (RFP) is modified as follows:

a) In 7.4.3 Delivery Requirement:

Delete: The Offeror must make the complete delivery within 30 calendar days from the effective date of the Call-up. Based on operational needs, Canada reserves the right to negotiate an actual delivery period.

Insert: The Offeror must make the complete delivery within 4-6 weeks from the effective date of the Call-up. Based on operational needs, Canada reserves the right to negotiate an actual delivery period.

b) In 7.9 Limitation of Call-up

Delete:

Individual call-ups issued by the Department of Fisheries and Oceans, against the Standing Offer must not exceed \$25,000.00* (Applicable Taxes included).

Individual call-ups against the Standing Offer exceeding \$25,000.00* must be issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada Contracting Authority.

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Insert:

Identified User may issue a call-up directly to an Offeror up to the applicable Call-up Limitation specified below:

Federal Identified User

(a) Up to \$25,000.00* (Applicable taxes included): the Identified Users of Department of Fisheries and Oceans may place the call-up;

(b) From \$25,000.01 to \$400,000.00 (Applicable taxes included): Individual call-ups against Standing Offer must be issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada Standing Offer Authority.

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ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED.