

RETURN BIDS TO:**RETOURNER LES SOUMISSIONS À:**

See Section 1.
Voir Section 1.

STANDARD REQUEST FOR BID**INVITATION À SOUMISSIONNER - STANDARD**

The Bidder offers to provide to Canada the goods, services or both listed in the bid solicitation in accordance with the conditions set out in the bid solicitation and the prices set out in the bid.

This bid solicitation is issued in accordance with the conditions of the Supply Arrangement E60PQ-120001/F.

Le soumissionnaire offre de fournir au Canada les biens, services ou les deux énumérés dans la demande de soumissions aux conditions prévues dans la demande de soumissions et aux prix indiqués dans la soumission.

Cette demande de soumissions est émise conformément aux conditions de l'arrangement en matière d'approvisionnement E60PQ-120001/F.

Solicitation No. - N° de la demande	Amendment No. - N° de modification
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Solicitation closes – La demande prend fin : at – à See Section 1 Voir Section 1 on – le See Section 1 Voir Section 1	File No. - N° de dossier
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Date of Solicitation – Date de la demande

Address inquiries to – Adresser toute demande de renseignement à :

See Section 2, Article 4.1.
Voir Section 2, Article 4.1

Destination

See Section 2, Annex A.
Voir Section 2, Annexe A.

Instructions:**Municipal taxes are not applicable.**

Unless otherwise specified in the bid solicitation, all prices quoted must be net prices in Canadian funds including Canadian customs duties, excise taxes, must be FOB, including all delivery charges to destination(s) as indicated. The amount for Applicable Taxes is to be shown as a separate item.

Instructions:**Les taxes municipales ne s'appliquent pas.**

Sauf indication contraire dans la demande de soumissions, tous les prix indiqués doivent être des prix nets, en dollars canadiens, comprenant les droits de douane canadiens, la taxe d'accise et doivent être FAB, y compris tous frais de livraison à la (aux) destination(s) indiqué(s). Le montant des taxes applicables doit apparaître séparément.

Supplier Name and Address – Nom et adresse du fournisseur

Telephone No. - N° de téléphone
Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur

Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of supplier (type or print)

Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur (caractère d'impression)

Signature : _____ Date : _____

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SECTION 1 – INVITATION AND INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDER

Terms of the RFB:

This RFB is issued pursuant to the Supplier's Office Seating Supply Arrangement (SA) that forms part of the series of SAs issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) with the number E60PQ-120001/PQ. The terms and conditions in the Supplier's SA apply to and form part of this RFB. Bidders who submit a bid agree to be bound by those terms and conditions as well as the terms and conditions in this RFB.

Competitive or **Single Conforming Supplier**

For Competitive Requirements:

The Bidder must provide the following information WITH the bid:

- The information requested by Canada in Annex A herein;

The Bidder must provide the following information AFTER bid closing, if requested to do so by Canada:

- One or more of the following price justifications:
 1. a current published price list indicating the percentage discount available to Canada; or
 2. a copy of paid invoices for the like quality and quantity of the goods, services or both sold to other customers; or
 3. a price breakdown showing the cost of direct labour, direct materials, purchased items, engineering and plant overheads, general and administrative overhead, transportation, etc., and profit; or
 4. any other supporting documentation as requested by Canada.

General Stream

PSAB Stream

Canadian Content

The Supplier should propose conforming chair(s) denoted as "Canadian Content" in the Supplier's SA. Canada may preference all bids containing chair(s) with this designation.

Security Requirement (The Security Requirement articles below are only applicable if Section 2, article 2.1.b. herein applies.)

The Bidder must provide the information at article 3. below at the time indicated in article 2.

1. Conditions
 - a. the Bidder must hold a valid organization security (VOS) clearance as indicated in Annex B;
 - b. the Bidder's proposed individuals requiring access to classified or protected information, assets or sensitive work site(s) must meet the security requirement as indicated in Annex B.
2. The conditions in article 1 above must be met by the Bidder:
 - a. by the closing date of the bid;
 - b. before the award of a contract. Bidders are reminded to obtain the required security clearance promptly. Any delay in the award of a contract to allow the successful bidder to obtain the required clearance will be at the entire discretion of the Contracting Authority.
3. Bidders are to supply the following information, as a minimum, to demonstrate compliance with the Security Requirement.
 - a. The Bidder's valid VOS clearance number issued by CISC;
 - b. The name of all individuals who will require access to classified or protected information, assets or sensitive work sites. It is desirable to also include their date of birth, their middle name, and their security clearance number issued by CISC.
4. For additional information on security requirements, bidders should refer to the **Canadian Industrial Security Directorate (CISD)**, Industrial Program of Public Works and Government Services Canada (<http://ssi-iss.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/index-eng.html>) website.

RFB Issued to:	
Supplier Name and Address: (City, Province)	
Contact:	
- Name:	
- Telephone Number:	
- E-mail:	
- Facsimile Number:	

RFB Issued by:	
Identified User's (IU) Department/Agency/Crown Corporation: Contact for this RFB:	See Section 2, article 4.1 below.

RFB Closing - Submit Bid:	
Bids must be submitted to the Contracting Authority on the date and time, location, and in the format indicated below.	
By no later than date and time:	February 27, 2020 2pm EST
Format of Bid Submission	<input type="checkbox"/> Hard Copy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Soft Copy
To e-mail address (if applicable)	Isaac.kwan@canada.ca
RFB Enquiries	
Unless a different period is listed in the adjacent column, Bidders may submit enquires about the RFB to the Contracting Authority until two business days prior to the RFB closing date. Enquiries received after the timeline indicated may not be answered.	3 business days

SECTION 2 - RESULTING CONTRACT CLAUSES

1.	Terms and Conditions of the Contract	
	The terms and conditions of Parts 6A and 6C of the Supplier's SA within the series E60PQ-120001/PQ apply to and form part of this Contract.	
2. Security Requirement		
2.1	The applicable security requirement(s) is(are) set out in the Security Requirement Check List attached as Annex B of this contract, if applicable. The Contractor must fulfill the security requirements by meeting the terms below (the checked article applies).	
	a.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contractor may be escorted; possession of security clearance not required. Contractor personnel MAY NOT ENTER NOR PERFORM WORK ON sites where PROTECTED or CLASSIFIED information or assets are kept, without an escort provided by the department or agency for which the work is being performed.
	b.	<input type="checkbox"/> Possession of security clearance(s) is required. The Contractor must meet the security clearance requirements contained in the clausing in Annex B herein.
	c.	<input type="checkbox"/> There is no security requirement associated with this contract.
3. Requirement		
3.1	The Contractor must perform the Work listed in Annex A herein.	
4. Authorities		
4.1	Contracting Authority / Identified User	
	Name:	Isaac Kwan
	Title:	Procurement Officer
	Department/Agency/Crown Corporation:	Shared Services Canada
	Address:	180 Kent Street, Ottawa
	Telephone No.:	613-462-7145
	E-mail address:	isaac.kwan@canada.ca
4.2	Project Authority <i>The Project Authority (PA) is the representative of the department or agency for whom the Work is being carried out under the Contract and is responsible for all matters concerning the technical content of the Work under the Contract.</i>	
	<i>In addition, the PA is also responsible for ensuring that the Supplier's employees and subcontractors requiring access to the site adhere to the allocated time for the Supplier to access the site to deliver and install the furniture in accordance with the master schedule held by the General Contractor (a representative of Canada or a service provider(s) under contract with the Government of Canada).</i>	
	Name:	
	Title:	
	Department/Agency/Crown Corporation:	
	Address:	
	Telephone No.:	
	Facsimile No.:	
	E-mail address:	
4.3	Contractor's Representative	
	As set out in Annex A, Table 9 below.	
5. Payment		
	Method of Payment	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Single Payment
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Multiple Payment
	If the Contractor's SA indicates acceptance for payment by credit card, that method may be used in	

	conjunction with the above.	
6.	Invoicing	
	<p>The Contractor can submit invoices electronically through the SSC P2P portal in accordance with the section entitled "Invoice Submission" of the General Conditions. Invoices cannot be submitted until all work identified in the invoice is completed. In the alternative, the Contractor may seek the consent of the Contracting Authority to submit invoices using an alternative method.</p> <p>For Purchase Orders, the Contractor's invoice must indicate which line item(s) and the quantity for which it is invoicing.</p> <p>If the Contractor submitted an advance shipping notice, the invoice should be linked to this advance shipping notice in the SSC P2P portal. The Contractor may link more than one advance shipping notice to the invoice. The invoice must match the total quantity and price of the advance shipping notices.</p>	
7.	Defence Contract (This clause applies if the box below is checked.)	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	The Contract is a defence contract within the meaning of the <u><i>Defence Production Act</i></u> , R.S.C. 1985, c. D-1.

ANNEX A
REQUIREMENT and BASIS OF PAYMENT

Section A of Tables 1,3,5; Section A of Tables 2,4,6 if optional quantities are required; Table 7 in its entirety.

Section B of Tables 1,3,5; Section B of Tables 2,4,6 if applicable; Tables 8 and 9.

In a resulting contract, the term “Bid” means the Supplier’s commitment, the term “Bidder” means “Contractor”.

1. Category Selection

The requirement includes the following category (ies) of work:

- Category 1 - Rotary Office**
- Category 2 - Rotary Conference**
- Category 3 - Side Chair**

GoCUID Rule:

RULE: The IU must identify the GoCUID by using separate line items within the table 1. Each product GoCUID code will be evaluated separately and multiple contracts may be awarded from one solicitation.

Added Features Rule: Allows Identified Users (IUs) the opportunity to enhance a chair’s features. Added features are applicable to pre-qualified product only, which provide a non-structural enhancement. Any added feature must have generic specifications.

It is the responsibility of the IU to justify any added feature in a RFB. Justification should be on file in order to defend any complaints during the procurement process. Each added feature must be added by the IU in the bid solicitation (RFB or RFP). Examples include, but are not limited to, finishes, casters (i.e. chrome casters), and upholstery upgrades.

Non-Supply Arrangement (NSA) Rule – Allows Identified Users (IUs) the opportunity to purchase up to 30% NSA chairs of the total combined quantity of chairs. NSA chairs are chairs that do not form part of Annex B Product and Price catalogue of the Supply Arrangement.

NSA chairs must have generic technical specifications and dimensions, and must include tolerances and ranges. Each NSA chair must be added by the IU in the bid solicitation (RFB or RFP). Examples of NSA chairs include, but are not limited to, rotary task stools or intensive use chairs.

An example of 30% of the total combined quantity could be:

- 100 quantity of the Rotary Office Seating (category)
- 50 quantity of the Rotary Conference (category),
- Therefore: up to 45 NSA chairs could be procured within the same solicitation.

Should IUs require assistance or review of their NSA specifications, IU’s can send an email including their specifications to TPSGC.PARCNameublement-APNCRFurniture.PWGSC@tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca for review by the Office Seating Technical Authority prior to solicitation. All NSA chairs are required to meet the associated ANSI/BIFMA testing for Office Seating. Generic Specifications are also found on the Office Seating Website.

Table 1 – Product (Chairs)

Section A - IU REQUIREMENT			Section B – SUPPLIER’S BID		
#	Description	Qty	Supplier Model Number	Firm Unit Price** \$	Extended Total [Qty x Price] \$
1	Rotary Office General	98			
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	Headrest : Adjustable & Pivot High Back Adjustable Lumbar Support Armrest : Height/Width/Swivel Adjustable “T” Arm Seat Depth; Adjustable Seat and Backrest; Lockable in Multiple Position Tilt Mechanism; Independently Back Breathable Material/Seat Fabric				
	Caster Type: for carpeted floors				
*Not applicable for side chairs ** Must not exceed ceiling prices in SA					
Non-SA (NSA) products forming part of this requirement not to exceed 30% of the combined firm quantity of the category total of product(s) above in this table. The Supply Arrangement holder signs, and certifies that all the NSA products offered will conform to all specifications and meet the testing requirements detailed at Annex C.					
#	NON-SA Product(s)	Qty	Supplier Part Number	Firm Unit Price** \$	Extended Total [Qty x Price] \$
1					
2					
				Subtotal	\$

Table 2 – Optional Product (chairs) Not Applicable
 If applicable, copy/paste/modify from table 1.

Table 3 – Delivery

Section A - IU REQUIREMENT					Section B – SUPPLIER'S BID		
Product Item # from Table 1	Location	Qty	Desired Date (YY/MM/DD)	Desired Time: *	Supplier will deliver on the date and at the time below**	Firm Price \$	Extended Total (Qty x Price) \$
1	Shared Services Canada 1285 Baseline (Skyline Tower 2) Ottawa, Ontario, K2C 3S3	98	2020-03-31	Outside Normal Business Hours			
*Normal Business Hours are 8:00 – 17:00, as per SA, Annex A, article 5. **If no dates and times are added by the Supplier, the Supplier agrees to deliver on the Desired Date and Time.					Subtotal for Deliveries:		\$

Table 4 – Optional Delivery Not Applicable

Table 5 – Installation

Section A - IU REQUIREMENT					Section B – SUPPLIER'S BID		
Product Item # from Table 1	Location	Qty	Desired Date (YY/MM/DD)	Desired Time: *	Supplier will install on the date and at the time below*	Firm Price \$	Extended Total (Qty x Price) \$
1	Shared Services Canada 1285 Baseline (Skyline Tower 2) Ottawa, Ontario, K2C 3S3	98	2020-03-31	Outside Normal Business Hours			
**If no dates and times are added by the Supplier, the Supplier agrees to install on the Desired Date and Time. *Normal Business Hours are 8:00 – 17:00, as per SA, Annex A, article 5.					Subtotal for Installations:		\$

Table 6 – Optional Installation Not Applicable

Table 7 – Associated Aspects

1.	Upholstering Colour		
	For each of the chairs listed above, within five business days of the award of Contract, the Contractor must provide to the Contracting Authority or Project Authority, information describing all of the upholstery names and colours available within the colour category specified for each chair. The descriptive information is to be in the form of coloured samples or documentation showing the true colours.		
1.1	Within five business days of receipt of all descriptive information, the Contracting Authority or Project Authority will provide the Contractor with a written notice of Canada’s colour choices for each of the chairs listed in Annex A. The Contractor will deliver the chairs corresponding to Canada’s choice of specific colour(s) within the colour category. No additional charge will be applied to Canada.		
2.	Canada’s Facilities to Accommodate the Delivery		
	Loading Dock/Location		
2.1	A	Location	Shared Services Canada 1285 Baseline (Skyline Tower 2) Ottawa, Ontario, K2C 3S3
	B	Dock	Yes
	C	Lift	Yes
	D	Door	The door is 84" wide and 108" high
2.2	Freight Elevator		No (need to use passenger elevator that can be put in service)
2.3	Other (specify, if any)		
3.	Continuance of Certifications		
	The Bidder certifies that by submitting a bid in response to the RFB, the Bidder, and any of the Bidder’s members if the Bidder is a Joint Venture, continues to comply with all of the certifications listed in Parts 6A and 6B of the Bidder’s SA for Office Seating, as follows:		
3.1	Integrity Provisions		
3.2	Federal Contractor’s Program for Employment Equity		
3.3	Green Chair Recognition Product Conformance (Applies only to Bidders whose proposed chair(s) are denoted in the SA with this recognition)		
3.4	Product Conformance		
3.5	Price Certification (In accordance with the SA, Annex E OSTCM)		

Table 8 - Bid Evaluation and Contract Total (Canada may complete if not completed by the Bidder)

1	Product Total (Table 1)	\$
2	Optional Product Total (Table 2)	\$
3	Delivery Total (Table 3)	\$
4	Optional Delivery Total (Table 4)	\$
5	Installation Total (Table 5)	\$
6	Optional Installation Total (Table 6)	\$
7	Total Evaluated (Bid) Price* (1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6):	\$
8	Applicable Tax(es):	\$
9	Estimated Total Contract Amount (7+8):	\$

*At contract award, “Total Evaluated (Bid) Price” becomes “Contract Price”.

Table 9 – Bidder’s Authorized Representative

1.	Bidder’s Authorized Representative for the Bid and the Contract	
	Name:	Telephone:
		Facsimile:

	E-Mail:
	Other:

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Amd. No. - N° de la modif.
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File No. - N° du dossier
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Buyer ID - Id de l'acheteur
pq993
CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME

ANNEX B SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

Contractors will be escorted throughout the premises

ANNEX C NON SUPPLY ARRANGEMENT (NSA) PRODUCTS

This Annex includes the additional Specifications, Certifications associated with NSA products forming part of the requirement.

1. Specifications

Products not available under the Supply Arrangement (SA) must have generic specifications and the dimensions must include the necessary tolerances and ranges. Identified Users should not use a manufacturer's brochure or specifications in their solicitation documents.

2. Certification

NSA Product Conformance

The Supplier certifies that all the NSA products offered will conform to all specifications indicated in Annex A and E of the RFB, and meets the testing and performance requirements found at ANNEX A-1.1 and A-1.2 of the Supply Arrangement, as applicable.

NSA Product Conformance Certification

The Supplier warrants that the NSA Product Conformance Certification submitted by the Supplier with its bid is accurate and complete. The Supplier must keep proper records and documentation relating to the NSA product conformance and the testing requirements in this Annex, as applicable. The Supplier must not, without obtaining the prior written consent of the SAA, dispose of any such records or documentation until the expiration of the Contract or the expiry date of the Warranty, whichever is later. All such records and documentation must at all times during the retention period be open to audit, inspection and examination by the representatives of Canada, who may make copies and take extracts.

In addition, the Supplier must provide representatives of the SAA access to all locations where any part of the Work is being performed at any time during working hours. Representatives of the SAA may examine and test the Work as they see fit. The Supplier must provide all assistance and access to facilities, test pieces, samples and documentation that the representatives of the SAA may reasonably require for the carrying out of the inspection, which may also include the submission of test reporting documentation as listed in Annex A and E. The Supplier must forward such test pieces, samples and/or documentation that may also include letters of certification from the laboratories to such person or location as the representatives of the SAA specifies.