

Notice of proposed procuremernt (NPP)
TASK Based Informatics Professional Services (TBIPS) Requirement

This requirement is for: **Canadian Space Agency (CSA)**

This requirement is open only to those **Supply Arrangement Holders under EN578-170432/XXX/EI** who qualified under the following category:

Stream 1: Applications services

Category: A.3 ERP Programmer Analyst - Senior

Supplier Security Clearance: DOS – Reliability Status

Document Safeguarding: n/a

Region/Metropolitan: Remote/Virtual Access

Estimated Requirement Dollar Value Range: Greater than NAFTA up to \$3.75 million

The following SA Holders have been invited to submit a proposal.

- 1) CISTEL TECHNOLOGY INC, TECSIS CORPORATION IN JOINT VENTURE
- 2) Confluence Consulting Inc.
- 3) CVL INFORMATION SOLUTIONS INC.
- 4) DOLOMITE - PUR – PHIRELIGHT – SPHYRNA IN JV
- 5) Eminent Systems Inc., 6123937 Canada Incorporated, in Joint Venture
- 6) HELM'S DEEP CONSULTING CORP., MESSA COMPUTING INC., THINKPOINT INC., IN JOINT VENTURE
- 7) IDS Systems Consultants Inc.
- 8) Innobec and MDOS in JV
- 9) IT/Net - Ottawa Inc.
- 10) IT/NET OTTAWA INC, KPMG LLP, in joint venture
- 11) KPMG LLP
- 12) Les Enterprises Norleaf Networks Inc.
- 13) Mindwire Systems Ltd.
- 14) Procom Consultants Group Ltd.
- 15) T.I.7 Inc. in Joint Venture with Tiree Consulting Inc.

Description of the Requirement:

INTRODUCTION

The Canadian Space Agency's (CSA) mandate is to promote the peaceful use and development of space, to advance the knowledge of space through science, and to ensure that space science and technology provide social and economic benefits for Canadians.

The goal of Integrated Corporate Systems division is to develop, implement and operate integrated financial and business management systems in support of strategic and financial planning, accounting operations and managers in their respective activities.

CSA has chosen as corporate system SAP, an enterprise resource planning system. In this context, CSA requires analysis and ABAP programming consulting services under the Supply Arrangement, on an «as requested » basis. Work will be initiated using a Task Authorization process.

BACKGROUND

The Canadian Space Agency's (CSA) Accounting, Policies and Financial Systems Directorate is requesting the services of an analyst-programmer in ABAP.

In order to take advantage of the consolidation of departments using the same corporate system, CSA is member of the IFMS (Integrated Financial and Materiel System) Cluster, having its Program Office based in Ottawa.

SAP current version installed at CSA is ERP6 (ECC6). This version has been implemented in May 2010, as per IFMS Program Office recommendation.

The upgrades of CSA's corporate system are based on releases provided by IFMS Program Office, in order to maintain the synchronisation with the common platform promoted by the IFMS Cluster. The implementation of these releases sometimes requests an ABAP programmer. Also, some limited deviations may be occasionally required in order to address internal clients' specific requirements.

Since CSA has no internal resource with competencies as analyst-programmer in ABAP language, which is the development language employed by SAP, a contractual process is initiated in order to identify on-request available resources for performing such tasks.

Selected consultant will have to work in collaboration with system analysts from corporate systems division responsible for SAP modules. He/she will report to corporate systems division team leader for task definition and acceptance.

Level of Security Requirement:

Company Minimum Security Level Required: DOS – Reliability

Resource Minimum Security Level Required: Reliability Status

Applicable Trade Agreements:

The requirement is subject to the provisions of the Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA).

Proposed period of contract:

The proposed period of contract shall be from the award date of the contract to March 31, 2021.

Option to Extend the Contract

The Contractor grants to Canada the irrevocable option to extend the term of the Contract by an additional three (3) years period under the same terms and conditions.

Maximum funding

The total maximum funding available for the contract resulting from the bid solicitation is **\$40,000.00 per year**, Goods and Services Tax or Harmonized Sales Tax extra, as appropriate. This disclosure does not commit Canada to pay the maximum funding available. Bids valued in excess of this amount will be considered non-responsive.

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NOTE: *The Task-based Informatics Professional Services (TBIPS) Method of Supply is subject to quarterly refresh cycles. If you wish to find out how you can be a “Qualified SA Holder”, please contact rcnmdai.ncrimos@tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca*