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Request For a Standing Offer Demande d'offre à commandes

Regional Individual Standing Offer (RISO)

Offre à commandes individuelle régionale (OCIR)

Canada, as represented by the Minister of Public Works and Government Services Canada, hereby requests a Standing Offer on behalf of the Identified Users herein.

Le Canada, représenté par le ministre des Travaux Publics et Services Gouvernementaux Canada, autorise par la présente, une offre à commandes au nom des utilisateurs identifiés énumérés ci-après.

Comments - Commentaires

All enquiries are to be submitted in writing to the Contracting Authority, Darlene Reay, either by facsimile or by e-mail at: darlene.reay@pwgsc.gc.ca.

Vendor/Firm Name and Address**Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur**

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Title - Sujet STANDING OFFER HIGH VOLTAGE ELECTRI	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation W6898-200452/A	Date 2020-02-18
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client W6898-200452	GETS Ref. No. - N° de réf. de SEAG PW-\$MCT-034-5705
File No. - N° de dossier MCT-9-42045 (034)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2020-03-05	Time Zone Fuseau horaire Atlantic Standard Time AST
Delivery Required - Livraison exigée See Herein	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: Reay (MCT), Darlene	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur mct034
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (902)314-7957 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX (506)851-6759
Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction: DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE 5 CDSB GAGETOWN Bldg 18, 238 CHAMPLAIN AVENUE OROMOCTO New Brunswick E2V4J5 Canada	
Security - Sécurité This request for a Standing Offer does not include provisions for security. Cette Demande d'offre à commandes ne comprend pas des dispositions en matière de sécurité.	

Instructions: See Herein

Instructions: Voir aux présentes

Vendor/Firm Name and Address	
Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur	
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone	
Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur	
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

REQUEST FOR STANDING OFFER (RFSO)

HIGH VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR 5 CDSB GAGETOWN AND OUTLYING AREAS, N.B.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO OFFERORS

PROMPT PAYMENT IN THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY

Prompt Payment Principles

Public Services and Procurement Canada advocates that construction-related payments should follow these three principles:

- **Promptness:** The department will review and process invoices promptly. If disputes arise, Public Services and Procurement Canada will pay for items not in dispute, while working to resolve the disputed amount quickly and fairly
- **Transparency:** The department will make construction payment information such as payment dates, company names, contract and project numbers, publicly available; likewise, contractors are expected to share this information with their lower tiers
- **Shared responsibility:** Payers and payees are responsible for fulfilling their contract terms including their obligations to make and receive payment, and to adhere to industry best practices

For more information: <http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/biens-property/divulgate-disclosure/psdic-ppci-eng.html>

PWGSC UPDATE ON ASBESTOS USE

Effective April 1, 2016, all Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) contracts for new construction and major rehabilitation will prohibit the use of asbestos-containing materials. Further information can be found at <https://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/biens-property/ami-asb/amiante-asbestos-eng.html>

ANTICIPATED MIGRATION TO AN E-PROCUREMENT SOLUTION (EPS)

Canada is currently developing an online EPS for faster and more convenient ordering of goods and services. In support of the anticipated transition to this system and how it may impact any resulting Standing Offer that is issued under this solicitation, refer to SC06 Transition to an e-Procurement Solution (EPS).

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFERORS – CONSTRUCTION SERVICES (GI)

GI01 (2016-04-04) Integrity provisions—Offer

1. The *Ineligibility and Suspension Policy* (the “Policy”) in effect on the date the offer solicitation is issued, and all related Directives in effect on that date, are incorporated by reference into, and form a binding part of the offer solicitation. The Offeror must comply with the Policy and Directives, which can be found at *Ineligibility and Suspension Policy*.
2. Under the Policy, charges and convictions of certain offences against a Offeror, its affiliates or first tier subcontractors, and other circumstances, will or may result in a determination by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) that the Offeror is ineligible to enter, or is suspended from entering into a contract with Canada. The list of ineligible and suspended Suppliers is contained in PWGSC's Integrity Database. The Policy describes how enquiries can be made regarding the ineligibility or suspension of Suppliers.
3. In addition to all other information required in the offer solicitation, the Offeror must provide the following:
 - a. by the time stated in the Policy, all information required by the Policy described under the heading “Information to be Provided when Offering, Contracting or Entering into a Real Property Agreement”; and
 - b. with its offer, a complete list of all foreign criminal charges and convictions pertaining to itself, its affiliates and its proposed first tier subcontractors that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, may be similar to one of the listed offences in the Policy. The list of foreign criminal charges and convictions must be submitted using an Integrity Declaration Form, which can be found at Declaration form for procurement.
4. Subject to subsection 5, by submitting an offer in response to this offer solicitation, the Offeror certifies that:
 - a. it has read and understands the *Ineligibility and Suspension Policy*;
 - b. it understands that certain domestic and foreign criminal charges and convictions, and other circumstances, as described in the Policy, will or may result in a determination of ineligibility or suspension under the Policy;
 - c. it is aware that Canada may request additional information, certifications, and validations from the Offeror or a third party for purposes of making a determination of ineligibility or suspension;
 - d. it has provided with its offer a complete list of all foreign criminal charges and convictions pertaining to itself, its affiliates and its proposed first tier subcontractors that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, may be similar to one of the listed offences in the Policy;
 - e. none of the domestic criminal offences, and other circumstances, described in the Policy that will or may result in a determination of ineligibility or suspension, apply to it, its affiliates and its proposed first tier subcontractors; and
 - f. it is not aware of a determination of ineligibility or suspension issued by PWGSC that applies to it.
5. Where an Offeror is unable to provide any of the certifications required by subsection 4, it must submit with its offer a completed Integrity Declaration Form, which can be found at Declaration form for procurement.
6. Canada will declare non-responsive any offer in respect of which the information requested is incomplete or inaccurate, or in respect of which the information contained in a certification or declaration is found by Canada to be false or misleading in any respect. If Canada establishes after award of the Contract that the Offeror provided a false or misleading certification or declaration, Canada may terminate the Contract for default. Pursuant to the Policy, Canada may also determine the Offeror to be ineligible for award of a contract for providing a false or misleading certification or declaration.

GI02 (2014-03-01) Completion of offer

1. The offer shall be
 - a. submitted on the Offer and Acceptance Form provided through the Government Electronic Tendering Service (GETS) or on a clear and legible reproduced copy of such Offer and Acceptance Form that must be identical in content and format to the Offer and Acceptance Form provided through GETS;
 - b. based on the Offer Documents listed in the Special Instructions to Offerors;
 - c. correctly completed in all respects;
 - d. signed by a duly authorized representative of the Offeror; and
 - e. accompanied by
 - i. any other document or documents specified elsewhere in the solicitation where it is stipulated that said documents are to accompany the offer.
2. Subject to paragraph 6) of GI11, any alteration to the pre-printed or pre-typed sections of the Offer and Acceptance Form, or any condition or qualification placed upon the offer may be cause for disqualification. Alterations, corrections, changes or erasures made to statements or figures entered on the Offer and Acceptance Form by the Offeror shall be initialed by the person or persons signing the offer. Alterations, corrections, changes or erasures that are not initialed shall be deemed void and without effect.
3. Unless otherwise noted elsewhere in the Offer Documents, facsimile copies of offers are not acceptable.
4. Canada will make available Notices of Proposed Procurement (NPP), offer solicitations and related documents for download through the Government Electronic Tendering Service (GETS). Canada is not responsible and will not assume any liabilities whatsoever for the information found on websites of third parties. In the event an NPP, offer solicitation or related documentation would be amended, Canada will not be sending notifications. Canada will post all amendments, including significant enquiries received and their replies, using GETS. It is the sole responsibility of the Offeror to regularly consult GETS for the most up-to-date information. Canada will not be liable for any oversight on the Offeror's part nor for notification services offered by a third party.

GI03 (2015-02-25) Identity or legal capacity of the Offeror

In order to confirm the authority of the person or persons signing the offer or to establish the legal capacity under which the Offeror proposes to enter into Contract, any Offeror who carries on business in other than its own personal name shall, if requested by Canada, provide satisfactory proof of

- a. such signing authority; and
- b. the legal capacity under which it carries on business;

prior to contract award. Proof of signing authority may be in the form of a certified copy of a resolution naming the signatory(ies) that is (are) authorized to sign this offer on behalf of the corporation or partnership. Proof of legal capacity may be in the form of a copy of the articles of incorporation or the registration of the business name of a sole proprietor or partnership.

GI04 (2015-02-25) Applicable Taxes

"Applicable Taxes" means the Goods and Services Tax (GST), the Harmonized Sales Tax (HST), and any provincial tax, by law, payable by Canada such as, the Quebec Sales Tax (QST) as of April 1, 2013.

GI05 (2014-03-01) Submission of offer

1. The Offer and Acceptance Form, duly completed, shall be enclosed and sealed in an envelope provided by the Offeror, and shall be addressed and submitted to the office designated on the Front Page "Invitation to Tender" for the receipt of offers. The offer must be received on or before the date and time set for solicitation closing.
2. Unless otherwise specified in the Special Instructions to Offerors
 - a. the offer shall be in Canadian currency;
 - b. the requirement does not offer exchange rate fluctuation risk mitigation. Requests for exchange rate fluctuation risk mitigation will not be considered. All offers including such provision will render the offer non-responsive.
3. Prior to submitting the offer, the Offeror shall ensure that the following information is clearly printed or typed on the face of the offer envelope:
 - a. Solicitation Number;
 - b. Name of Offeror;
 - c. Return address; and
 - d. Closing Date and Time.
4. Timely and correct delivery of offers is the sole responsibility of the Offeror.

GI06 (2010-01-11) Revision of offer

1. An offer submitted in accordance with these instructions may be revised by letter or facsimile provided the revision is received at the office designated for the receipt of offers, on or before the date and time set for the closing of the solicitation. The letter or facsimile shall be on the Offeror's letterhead or bear a signature that identifies the Offeror.
2. A revision to an offer that includes unit prices must clearly identify the change(s) in the unit price(s) and the specific item(s) to which each change applies.
3. A letter or facsimile submitted to confirm an earlier revision should be clearly identified as a confirmation.
4. Failure to comply with any of the above provisions may result in the rejection of the non-compliant revision(s) only. The offer shall be evaluated based on the original offer submitted and all other compliant revision(s).

GI07 (2014-09-25) Rejection of offer

1. Canada may accept any offer, whether it is the lowest or not, or may reject any or all offers.
2. Without limiting the generality of paragraph 1) of GI11, Canada may reject an offer if any of the following circumstances is present:
 - a. the Offeror's offering privileges are suspended or are in the process of being suspended;
 - b. the offering privileges of any employee or subcontractor included as part of the offer are suspended or are in the process of being suspended, which suspension or pending suspension would render that employee or subcontractor ineligible to offer on the Work, or the portion of the Work the employee or subcontractor is to perform;

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- c. the Offeror is bankrupt, or where for whatever reason, its activities are rendered inoperable for an extended period;
 - d. evidence, satisfactory to Canada, of fraud, bribery, fraudulent misrepresentation or failure to comply with any law protecting individuals against any manner of discrimination, has been received with respect to the Offeror, any of its employees or any subcontractor included as part of its offer;
 - e. evidence satisfactory to Canada that based on past conduct or behavior, the Offeror, a sub-contractor or a person who is to perform the Work is unsuitable or has conducted himself/herself improperly;
 - f. with respect to current or prior transactions with Canada
 - i. Canada has exercised, or intends to exercise, the contractual remedy of taking the work out of the Offeror's hands with respect to a contract with the Offeror, any of its employees or any subcontractor included as part of its offer; or
 - ii. Canada determines that the Offeror's performance on other contracts is sufficiently poor to jeopardize the successful completion of the requirement being offer on.
 3. In assessing the Offeror's performance on other contracts pursuant to subparagraph 2)(f)(ii) of GI11, Canada may consider, but not be limited to, such matters as:
 - a. the quality of workmanship in performing the Work;
 - b. the timeliness of completion of the Work;
 - c. the overall management of the Work and its effect on the level of effort demanded of the department and its representative; and
 - d. the completeness and effectiveness of the Offeror's safety program during the performance of the Work.
 4. Without limiting the generality of paragraphs 1), 2) and 3) of GI11, Canada may reject any offer based on a unfavorable assessment of the;
 - a. adequacy of the offer price to permit the work to be carried out and, in the case of a offer providing prices per unit, whether each such price reasonably reflects the cost of performing the part of the work to which that price applies;
 - b. Offeror's ability to provide the necessary management structure, skilled personnel, experience and equipment to perform competently the work under the Contract; and
 - c. Offeror's performance on other contracts.
 5. Where Canada intends to reject an offer pursuant to a provision of paragraphs 1), 2), 3) or 4) of GI11, other than subparagraph 2)(a) of GI11, the contracting Authority will inform the Offeror and provide the Offeror ten (10) days within which to make representations, before making a final decision on the offer rejection.
 6. Canada may waive informalities and minor irregularities in offers received if Canada determines that the variation of the offer from the exact requirements set out in the Offer Documents can be corrected or waived without being prejudicial to other Offerors.

GI08 (2015-02-25) Offer costs

No payment will be made for costs incurred in the preparation and submission of an offer in response to the offer solicitation. Costs associated with preparing and submitting an offer, as well as any costs incurred by the Offeror associated with the evaluation of the offer, are the sole responsibility of the Offeror.

GI09 (2019-05-30) Procurement Business Number

1. Bidders are required to have a Procurement Business Number (PBN) before Contract award. Bidders may register for a PBN in the Supplier Registration Information system on Web site: <https://buyandsell.gc.ca/for-businesses/selling-to-the-government-of-canada/register-as-a-supplier> . For non-Internet registration, Bidders may contact the nearest Supplier Registration Agent.

GI10 (2013-04-25) Compliance with applicable laws

1. By submission of an offer, the Offeror certifies that the Offeror has the legal capacity to enter into a contract and is in possession of all valid licenses, permits, registrations, certificates, declarations, filings, or other authorizations necessary to comply with all federal, provincial and municipal laws and regulations applicable to the submission of the offer and entry into any ensuing contract for the performance of the work.
2. For the purpose of validating the certification in paragraph 1) of GI14, a Offeror shall, if requested, provide a copy of every valid license, permit, registration, certificate, declaration, filing or other authorization listed in the request, and shall provide such documentation within the time limit(s) set out in the request.
3. Failure to comply with the requirements of paragraph 2) of GI14 shall result in disqualification of the offer.

GI11 (2010-01-11) Performance evaluation

1. Offerors shall take note that the performance of the Offeror during and upon completion of the work shall be evaluated by Canada. The evaluation shall be based on the quality of workmanship; timeliness of completion of the work; project management, contract management and management of health and safety. Should the Offeror's performance be considered unsatisfactory, the Offeror's offering privileges on future work may be suspended indefinitely.
2. The form PWGSC-TPSGC 2913, SELECT - Contractor Performance Evaluation Report Form, is used to record the performance.

GI12 (2011-05-16) Conflict of interest—unfair advantage

1. In order to protect the integrity of the procurement process, Offerors are advised that Canada may reject an offer in the following circumstances:
 - a. if the Offeror, any of its subcontractors, any of their respective employees or former employees was involved in any manner in the preparation of the offer solicitation or in any situation of conflict of interest or appearance of conflict of interest;
 - b. if the Offeror, any of its subcontractors, any of their respective employees or former employees had access to information related to the offer solicitation that was not available to other Offerors and that would, in Canada's opinion, give or appear to give the Offeror an unfair advantage.
2. The experience acquired by a Offeror who is providing or has provided the goods and services described in the offer solicitation (or similar goods or services) will not, in itself, be considered by Canada as conferring an unfair advantage or creating a conflict of interest. This Offeror remains however subject to the criteria established above.
3. Where Canada intends to reject an offer under this section, the Contracting Authority will inform the Offeror and provide the Offeror an opportunity to make representations before making a final decision. Offerors who are in doubt about a particular situation should contact the Contracting Authority before offer closing. By submitting an offer, the Offeror represents that it does not consider itself to be in conflict of interest nor to have an unfair advantage. The Offeror acknowledges that it is within Canada's sole discretion to determine whether a conflict of interest, unfair advantage or an appearance of conflict of interest or unfair advantage exists.

GI13 (2016-04-04) Code of Conduct for Procurement—offer

The Code of Conduct for Procurement provides that Offerors must respond to offer solicitations in an honest, fair and comprehensive manner, accurately reflect their capacity to satisfy the requirements set out in the offer solicitation and resulting contract, submit offers and enter into contracts only if they will fulfill all obligations of the Contract. By submitting an offer, the Offeror is certifying that it is complying with the *Code of Conduct for Procurement*. Failure to comply with the *Code of Conduct for Procurement* may render the offer non-responsive.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFERORS (SI)

SI01 INTRODUCTION

1. Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) is inviting Offerors to submit proposals for Standing Offers. The selected offerors shall provide a range of services as identified in the Statement of Work section of this document.
2. It is PWGSC's intention to authorize up to 1 Standing Offers, each for a period of 2 years. The total dollar value of all Standing Offers is estimated to be \$575,000.00 (GST or HST included). Individual call-ups will vary up to a maximum of \$100,000.00 (GST or HST included). Offerors should note that there is no guarantee that the full or any amount of the Standing Offers will be called-up; PWGSC will issue call-ups only when the specific services to be provided under the Standing Offer are needed. Please refer to Section SOP04, CALL-UP PROCEDURE.

SI02 OFFER DOCUMENTS

1. The following are the Offer Documents:
 - a. Request for Standing Offer - Page 1;
 - b. General Instructions to Offeror's- Construction Services
 - c. Special Instructions to Offerors;
 - d. Clauses & Conditions identified in "Call-up Clauses or Resulting Contract Documents;
 - e. Drawings and Specifications;
 - f. Price Proposal form and related Appendix(s); and
 - g. Any amendment issued prior to solicitation closing.

Submission of an Offer constitutes acknowledgement that the Offeror has read and agrees to be bound by these documents.

2. Offers received by fax will be accepted as official.

GI07, add following paragraph;

3. Offers received by fax will be accepted as official and must meet the following requirements
 - a. Must be completed on the Price Proposal Form
 - b. Must indicate
 - Request for standing offer number;
 - Solicitation number;
 - Offeror's name and
 - Closing Date and Time
 - c. Must be received before offer closing time at fax number (506) 851-6759

SI03 ENQUIRIES DURING THE SOLICITATION PERIOD

1. Enquiries regarding this Offer must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Authority named on the Request for Standing Offer (RFSO) Page 1 at e-mail address darlene.reay@tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca. Enquiries should be received no later than (5) calendar days prior to the date set for solicitation closing to allow sufficient time to provide a response. Enquiries received after that time may result in an answer NOT being provided.

2. To ensure consistency and quality of the information provided to Offerors the Contracting Authority will examine the content of the enquiry and shall decide whether or not to issue an amendment.
3. All enquiries and other communications related to this offer sent throughout the solicitation period must be directed **ONLY** to the Contracting Authority named in paragraph 1. above. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the offer being declared non-compliant.

SI04 QUANTITY

The amount of work and estimated expenditure specified in the RFSO are only an approximation of requirements. The making of an offer by the Offeror shall not constitute an agreement by Canada. Canada may make one or several call-ups against a standing offer.

SI05 PWGSC OBLIGATION

A RFSO does not commit PWGSC to authorize the utilization of a standing offer or to pay any cost incurred in the submission of offers, or cost incurred in making necessary studies for the preparation thereof, or to procure or contract for any services. PWGSC reserves the right to reject or authorize for utilization any offer in whole or in part, with or without further discussion or negotiation. Canada reserves the right to cancel or amend the RFSO at any time.

SI06 REVISION OF OFFER

An offer may be revised by letter or facsimile in accordance with "General Instructions to Offerors – Construction Services to Offerors". The facsimile number for receipt of revisions is (506) 851-6759.

SI07 OFFER VALIDITY PERIOD

1. The offer cannot be withdrawn for the period of 60 days following the RFSO closing date.
2. Canada reserves the right to seek an extension to the offer validity period. Upon notification in writing from Canada, Offerors shall have the option to either accept or reject the proposed extension.
3. If the extension referred to in paragraph 2 of SI08 is accepted, in writing, by all those who submitted offers, then Canada shall continue immediately with the evaluation of the offers and its approvals processes.
4. If the extension referred to in paragraph 2 of SI09 is not accepted in writing by all those who submitted offers then Canada shall, at its sole discretion, either
 - a. continue to evaluate the offers of those who have accepted the proposed extension and seek the necessary approvals; or
 - b. cancel the request for proposal.
5. The provisions expressed herein do not in any manner limit Canada's rights in law or under G108.

SI08 WEB SITES

The connection to some of the Web sites in the solicitation documents is established by the use of hyperlinks. The following is a list of the addresses of the Web sites:

Buy and Sell <https://www.achatsetventes-buyandsell.gc.ca>

Canadian economic sanctions <http://www.international.gc.ca/sanctions/index.aspx?lang=eng>

Contractor Performance Evaluation Report (Form PWGSC-TPSGC 2913)

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/2913.pdf>

Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions (SACC) Manual

<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual/5/R>

PWGSC, Industrial Security Services <Http://ssi-iss.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/index-eng.html>

PWGSC, Code of Conduct and Certifications

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/cndt-cndct/contexte-context-eng.html>

Construction and Consultant Services Contract Administration Forms Real Property Contracting

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/formulaires-forms-eng.html>

Declaration Form

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/formulaire-form-eng.html>

Performance Bond (form PWGSC-TPSGC 505)

http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/505_eng.pdf

Trade agreements

<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/Policy-and-Legal-Framework/Trade-Agreements>

CALL-UPS CLAUSES OR RESULTING CONTRACT DOCUMENTS (CD)

1. The following are the "call up" contract documents:
 - a. Contract Page when signed by Canada;
 - b. Duly completed Price Proposal Form and any Appendices attached thereto;
 - c. Drawings and Specifications;
 - d. General Conditions and clauses

GC1 General Provisions – Construction Services	R2810D	(2017-11-28);
GC2 Administration of the Contract	R2820D	(2016-01-28);
GC3 Execution and Control of the Work	R2830D	(2019-11-28);
GC4 Protective Measures	R2840D	(2008-05-12);
GC5 Terms of Payment	R2550D	R2850D (2019-11-28);
GC6 Delays and Changes in the Work	R2860D	(2019-05-30);
GC7 Default, Suspension or Termination of Contract	R2870D	(2018-06-21);
GC8 Dispute Resolution	R2880D	(2019-11-28);
GC9 Contract Security	R2890D	(2018-06-21);
GC10 Insurance	R2900D	(2008-05-12);
Allowable Costs for Contract Changes under GC6.4.1	R2950D	(2015-02-25);
Supplementary Conditions		
 - e. Any amendment issued or any allowable offer revision received before the date and time set for solicitation closing;
 - f. Any amendment incorporated by mutual agreement between Canada and the Offeror before acceptance of the offer; and
 - g. Any amendment or variation of the contract documents that is made in accordance with the General Conditions.
2. The documents identified by title, number and date above are incorporated by reference and are set out in the Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions (SACC) Manual, issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC). The SACC Manual is available on the PWGSC Web site: <https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual>
3. The language of the contract documents is the language of the Price Proposal Form submitted.

STANDING OFFER PARTICULARS

SOP01 GENERAL

1. The Offeror acknowledges that a standing offer is not a contract and that the issuance of a Standing Offer and Call-up Authority does not oblige or commit Canada to procure or contract for any services listed in the Standing Offer.
2. The Offeror offers to provide and deliver to Canada the services described in the Standing Offer, in accordance with the pricing set out in the Request for Standing Offer if, and when the Technical Authority may request such services, in accordance with the conditions listed at subsection 3 below.
3. The Offeror understands and agrees that:
 - a. a call-up against the Standing Offer will form a contract only for those services which have been called-up, provided that such call-up is made in accordance with the provisions of the Standing Offer;
 - b. Canada's liability is limited to that which arises from call-ups against the Standing Offer made within the period specified in the Standing Offer;
 - c. Canada has the right to procure the services specified in the Standing Offer by means of any other contract, standing offer or contracting method;
 - d. the Standing Offer cannot be assigned or transferred in whole or in part;
 - e. the Standing Offer may be set aside by Canada at any time.

SOP02 PERIOD OF THE STANDING OFFER

The period for placing call-ups against the Standing Offer shall be from April 1, 2020 to March 31, 2022.

SOP03 CALL-UP LIMITATION

Each call-up against the Standing Offer will have a maximum limitation of expenditure of \$100,000.00 (Applicable Taxes included). Canada will keep track of expenditures and ensure that they do not exceed the maximal allocated total percentage of each retained Offeror.

SOP04 CALL-UP PROCEDURE

1. Services will be called-up as follows:
 - a. For each individual call-up the Offeror will be provided the scope of work and will submit an offer to the Departmental Representative in accordance with the unit rates established under the Standing Offer. The Offeror's offer shall include all of the work as specified including; mobilizing, sub-trades, materials, labour, tools, administration fees and supervision including building permits as per local regulations.
2. The Offeror will be authorized in writing by the Contracting Authority to proceed with the work by issuance of a Call-up against the Standing Offer using form 2829. See Annex E

SOP05 STANDING OFFER RESPONSIBLES

Standing Offer Contracting Authority is :

Name: Darlene Reay
Title: Supply Officer
Organization: Public Works and Government Services Canada
Acquisitions Branch

Telephone: (902) 314-7957
Facsimile: (506) 851-6759
E-mail address: darlene.reay@pwgsc.gc.ca

The Contracting Authority is responsible for the establishment and administration of the Standing Offer and it's revision if needed. The Contracting Authority is responsible for all contractual related questions regarding call-ups.

Standing Offer Technical Authority is :

The Technical Authority represents the Department or Organisation for which the works are executed within a call-up. The Technical Authority is responsible for all technical related questions regarding call-ups.

Name : _____
Title : _____
Department : _____
Division : _____
Telephone : ____ - ____ - _____
e-mail : _____

The selected Offeror for the standing offer is :

Name : _____
Contact : _____
Address : _____
Telephone : ____ - ____ - _____
e-mail : _____

SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS (SC)

SC01 LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

GC1.6 of R2810D is deleted and replaced with the following:

GC1.6 Indemnification by the Contractor

1. The Contractor shall indemnify and save Canada harmless from and against all claims, demands, losses, costs, damages, actions, suits, or proceedings whether in respect to losses suffered by Canada or in respect of claims by any third party, brought or prosecuted and in any manner based upon, arising out of, related to, occasioned by, or attributable to the activities of the Contractor in performing the Work, provided such claims are caused by the negligent or deliberate acts or omissions of the Contractor, or those for whom it is responsible at law.
2. The Contractor's obligation to indemnify Canada for losses related to first party liability shall be limited to:
 - a. In respect to each loss for which insurance is to be provided pursuant to the insurance requirements of the Contract, the Commercial General Liability insurance limit for one occurrence, as referred to in the insurance requirements of the Contract.
 - b. In respect to losses for which insurance is not required to be provided in accordance with the insurance requirements of the Contract the greater of the Contract Amount or \$5,000,000, but in no event shall the sum be greater than \$20,000,000.

The limitation of this obligation shall be exclusive of interest and all legal costs and shall not apply to any infringement of intellectual property rights or any breach of warranty obligations.

3. The Contractor's obligation to indemnify Canada for losses related to third party liability shall have no limitation and shall include the complete costs of defending any legal action by a third party. If requested by Canada, the Contractor shall defend Canada against any third party claims.
4. The Contractor shall pay all royalties and patent fees required for the performance of the Contract and, at the Contractor's expense, shall defend all claims, actions or proceedings against Canada charging or claiming that the Work or any part thereof provided or furnished by the Contractor to Canada infringes any patent, industrial design, copyright trademark, trade secret or other proprietary right enforceable in Canada.
5. Notice in writing of a claim shall be given within a reasonable time after the facts, upon which such claim is based, became known.

SC02 INSURANCE TERMS

- 1) Insurance Contracts
 - (a) The Contractor must, at the Contractor's expense, obtain and maintain insurance contracts in accordance with the requirements of the Certificate of Insurance. Coverage must be placed with an Insurer licensed to carry out business in Canada.
 - (b) Compliance with the insurance requirements does not release the Contractor from or reduce its liability under the agreement. The Contractor is responsible for deciding if additional insurance coverage is necessary to fulfill its obligation under the agreement and to ensure compliance with any applicable law. Any additional insurance coverage is at the Contractor's expense, and for its own benefit and protection.

2) Period of Insurance

- (a) The policies required in the Certificate of Insurance must be in force and be maintained throughout the duration of the standing offer period.
- (b) The Contractor must be responsible to provide and maintain coverage for Products/Completed Operations hazards on its Commercial General Liability insurance policy, for a period of six (6) years beyond the date of the Certificate of Substantial Performance.

3) Proof of Insurance

- (a) Before commencement of the Work, and no later than thirty (30) days after acceptance of its offer, the Contractor must deposit with Canada a Certificate of Insurance on the form attached herein.
- (b) Upon request by Canada, the Contractor must provide originals or certified true copies of all contracts of insurance maintained by the Contractor pursuant to the Certificate of Insurance.

4) Insurance Proceeds

In the event of a claim, the Contractor must, without delay, do such things and execute such documents as are necessary to effect payment of the proceeds.

5) Deductible

The payment of monies up to the deductible amount made in satisfaction of a claim must be borne by the Contractor.

SC03 TRANSITION TO AN E-PROCUREMENT SOLUTION (EPS)

During the period of the Standing Offer, Canada may transition to an EPS for more efficient processing and management of individual call-ups for any or all of the SO's applicable goods and services. Canada reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to make the use of the new e-procurement solution mandatory.

Canada agrees to provide the Offeror with at least a three-month notice to allow for any measures necessary for the integration of the Offer into the EPS. The notice will include a detailed information package indicating the requirements, as well as any applicable guidance and support.

If the Offeror chooses not to offer their goods or services through the e-procurement solution, the Standing Offer may be set aside by Canada.

APPENDIX 1 - PRICE PROPOSAL FORM

BA01 IDENTIFICATION

**STANDING OFFER
HIGH VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS
MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR
5 CDSB GAGETOWN AND OUTLYING AREAS, N.B.**

BA02 BUSINESS NAME AND ADDRESS OF OFFEROR

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____ PBN: _____

E-mail address: _____

Industrial Security Program Organisation Number (ISP ORG#) _____
(when required)

BA03 THE OFFER

1. Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) is inviting Offerors to submit proposals for Standing Offers. The selected offerors shall provide a range of services as identified in the Statement of Work section of this document.
2. It is PWGSC's intention to authorize up to (1) Standing Offer from April 1, 2020 until March 31, 2022. The total dollar value of all Standing Offers is estimated to be (\$575,000.00) (GST or HST included). Individual call-ups will vary, up to a maximum of (\$100,000.00) (GST or HST included). Offerors should note that there is no guarantee that the full or any amount of the Standing Offers will be called-up; PWGSC will issue call-ups only when the specific services to be provided under the Standing Offer are needed. Please refer to Section SOP04, CALL-UP PROCEDURE.

BA04 OFFER VALIDITY PERIOD

The offer must not be withdrawn for a period of 60 days following the date of solicitation closing.

BA05 SIGNATURE

Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Offeror (Type or print)

Signature Date

APPENDIX 1 OFFER PROPOSAL Form
April 01, 2020 until March 31, 2022

Item	Description, Class of Labour, Material or Plant	Unit of Measure	Estimated Hrs / Qty	Unit Price \$ ¢	Estimated Total Price \$ ¢
1	Rate per hour for a (2) two man line crew and line truck equipped for emergency repairs and power outages.	Hours	1,500	\$	\$
2	Electrical Mechanic rate per hour for service calls on the Base Sub Station. Must be license with the NB Department of Labour and have a minimum 5 years qualified experience with Sub Station Maintenance.	Hours	100	\$	\$
3	All materials will be invoiced at the Contractor's wholesale cost, plus a percentage of mark-up. For tendering purposes, the Contractor will submit their percent of mark- up on material. _____ % Allowance + Mark-up = TOTAL	Allowance	\$80,000	Mark-up in \$	\$
	Estimated Amount used for Evaluation				\$ _____

Note: The estimated quantity entered in column four for each item is an estimate only for services as and when requested and does not infer that all the quantities for that item will be utilized or that the quantities may not be exceeded.

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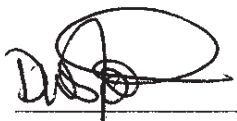
APPENDIX 3 - SCOPE OF WORK



**DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
REAL PROPERTY OPERATIONS
DETACHMENT (GAGETOWN)
5 CDSB GAGETOWN**

SPECIFICATION

**STANDING OFFER AGREEMENT
HIGH VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS
MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR
5 CDSB GAGETOWN AND OUTLYING AREAS
01 APRIL 2020 TO 31 MARCH 2022**


Designed by


Fire Inspector


Project Officer


Engineering Officer

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1.01 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- .1 The work covered under this Standing Offer Agreement comprises the furnishing of all labour, materials, tools, supervision and equipment required to conduct High Voltage Power Distribution Systems Maintenance and Repair at 5 CDSB Gagetown and Outlying Areas when requested on Form CF 942, Call-Up Against A Standing Offer, and as specified within.

1.02 DURATION OF CONTRACT

- .1 This Standing Offer Agreement will extend from 01 April 2020 to 31 March 2022.

1.03 REFERENCES

- .1 Canada Labour Code Part II.
- .2 National Building Code of Canada, (Latest Edition).
- .3 The New Brunswick Occupational Health and Safety Act, 1991.
- .4 The Canadian Electrical Code, CSA C22.1-09.
- .5 Canadian Electrical Code, Part III, Electricity Distribution and Transmission Systems.
- .6 N.B. Power Standard Construction Practices, Overhead and Underground editions.

1.04 QUALIFICATIONS

- .1 The Contractor must possess a current Lineman License, specializing in High Voltage Installations, as issued by the New Brunswick Department of Post-Secondary Education Training and Labour. The Contractor must also have a minimum of five (5) years High Voltage Electrical Contracting experience. Proof of License and experience must be forwarded to the Engineer prior to award of this Standing Offer Agreement.
- .2 All work is to be performed by Linemen, Apprentices and Electrical Mechanic (Sub) for maintenance on substation licensed by the New Brunswick Department of Post-Secondary Education Training and Labour. Proof of License for each employee who will work on this Standing Offer Agreement must be provided to the Engineer prior to award.

1.05 ENGINEER

- .1 The Engineer, as defined and stated in this Specification, will be the Officer Commanding Real Property Operations Detachment (Gagetown) or a designated representative. The address of the Engineer is:
Contracts Office
Real Property Operations Det Gagetown
238 Champlain Avenue

PO Box 17000 Station Forces
Oromocto, NB E2V 4J5
Tel: (506) 422-2677
Fax: (506) 422-1248

1.06 DOCUMENTS REQUIRED

- .1 Maintain at the job site one copy of each of the following:
 - .1 Specifications; and
 - .2 Addenda.

1.07 CONTRACTORS USE OF SITE

- .1 Work site access will be as directed by the Engineer.
- .2 Movement around the site is subject to restrictions laid down by the Engineer.
- .3 Do not unreasonably encumber the site with materials or equipment.

1.08 TEMPORARY SERVICES

- .1 DND will not provide temporary electric power and water for the purpose of this equipment.

1.09 ACCEPTABILITY OF MATERIAL

- .1 Material and parts will be those specified by the manufacturer of the equipment and any other materials will require the approval of the Engineer.
- .2 Provide materials and equipment of specified design and quality, performing to published ratings and for which replacement parts are readily available.
- .3 The Contractor will not make any changes in the design and installation of equipment and materials without written approval of the Engineer.
- .4 If, in an emergency, the Contractor installs parts other than those specified, they will be replaced with specified parts before claiming payment, but no claim for other than specified parts will be made.
- .5 All replaced parts and materials not under warranty, whether serviceable or unserviceable will be left on site for inspection on completion of the work.
- .6 All manufactured articles, materials and equipment will be applied, installed, connected and used as specified by the manufacturer.
- .7 Requests for acceptance of materials other than those specified will be submitted in writing to the Engineer. The request must be supported with sufficient product information to enable the Engineer to make an assessment.

1.10 GUARANTEE

- .1 The Contractor will guarantee all materials and workmanship for a period of one (1) year or for the manufacturer's guarantee, whichever is the longer, after acceptance by the Engineer. Any defects which develop during this

period will be rectified and made good to the satisfaction of the Engineer, by the Contractor at their own expense.

1.11 CODES AND STANDARDS

- .1 Perform work and enforce safety measures in accordance with the Canada Labour Code, Part II; National Building Code of Canada (latest edition); The New Brunswick Occupational Health and Safety Act, 1991; Canadian Electrical Code Part III, Electricity Distribution and Transmission Systems; N.B. Power Standard Construction Practices, Overhead and Underground editions and WorkSafeNB, unless otherwise specified.
- .2 Contractor must be registered with WorkSafeNB.
- .3 Comply with the requirements of Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) regarding use, handling, storage and disposal of hazardous materials; the labelling and provision of Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) acceptable to Human Resources and Skills Development Canada and Health Canada.
- .4 Work is to meet or exceed the requirements of specified standards, codes and referenced documents. In the event of conflict between any provisions of the above authorities, the most stringent provision will apply.

1.12 OVERLOADING

- .1 Ensure no part of work is subject to a load which will endanger its safety or will cause permanent deformation.

1.13 TEMPORARY STRUCTURES

- .1 The Contractor will furnish and maintain all equipment such as temporary ramps, ladders, scaffolds, hoists, chutes, etc, as may be required for the proper execution of the work.
- .2 Temporary structures erected or provided by the Contractor will remain the property of the Contractor and will be removed from the site by the Contractor on completion of the work.

1.14 CLEAN UP

- .1 On completion of all work, the Contractor will remove all surplus material, tools, equipment and debris. The building and site must be left in a clean and tidy condition which meets the satisfaction of the Engineer. The Contractor will not remove any salvageable material or equipment from the job site without permission from the Engineer.

1.15 WORK REQUISITION

- .1 All work is to be done only when directed by the Engineer on form CF942, Call-Up Against a Standing Offer and as follows;
 - .1 The Contractor will provide service during normal working hours on an eight (8) hours per day, five (5) days per week basis between the hours of 0730hrs to 1600hrs Monday to Friday inclusive and emergency service after normal working hours.
 - .2 The Contractor will advise the Engineer of the telephone number or

- location at which they or their representative may be contacted at all times.
- .3 The Contractor, upon receipt of a Standing Offer Agreement, will be advised by the Engineer names of persons authorized to request service. Work undertaken at the request of others, such as building occupants, will be entirely at the Contractor's risk with regard to payment.
 - .4 The Contractor will not refuse any call for service by the Engineer and will respond within 24 hours on normal service calls and within 2 hours on emergency service calls.
 - .5 When service is required, the Engineer will notify the Contractor. When requested by the Engineer, a written estimate will be provided indicating labour, and material costs in accordance with the Standing Offer Agreement. Service will be requested on form CF942, Call-Up Against a Standing Offer. This form will detail the work to be done and will be signed by the Engineer or his Representative. One copy of this form will be given to the Contractor.
 - .6 The Contractor will report to the Engineer prior to starting work and upon completion of work on a daily basis to sign in and out. If work is started or completed outside normal working hours and the Engineer's office is closed, the Base Firehall has a sign in/sign out sheet available for the Contractor.
 - .7 After reporting, the Contractor will proceed to the job and carry out the work. The contractor will provide daily work reports to the Engineer detailing work performed, contractor's employees assigned to work, location or building number of work site, hours worked for each employee, trade of each employee and materials used in the completion of the work and any recommendations for additional work that may be required. This work report must indicate the work order number and the requisition number by which the work was requested from the Engineer. Contractor is to have the Engineer sign the work report either at the end of the work day or at the beginning of the next work day while signing in. The Standard Operating Procedure for work reports will be provided to the successful bidder after award of the Standing Offer Agreement.
 - .8 The Contractor is to return one copy of the signed form CF942 that requested the work with their invoice, as well as copies of all daily work reports and copies of all contractor's wholesale invoices for material used in the completion of the work. Invoices must detail the location and description of work performed for each CF942. The Contractor's invoice shall reference the contract, work order and requisition numbers issued on the CF942.

1.16 QUANTITIES AND BASIS OF PAYMENT

- .1 The work performed under this Standing Offer will be paid for on a unit price basis. The Contractor will accept the payment as full consideration for everything furnished and done by them with respect to the work.
- .2 The Contractor will submit hourly rates and a material mark up for the following in accordance with the specifications. Such prices will include supervision, expenses, tools, equipment, mobilization and de-mobilization, transportation and profit. Paid hours start upon arrival (sign in) and stop at departure (sign out) of Base.
 - .1 Rate per hour for a two (2) man line crew and line truck equipped for emergency repairs and power outages.

- .3 Electrical Mechanic rate per hour for service calls on the Base Sub Station. Must be license with the NB Department of Labour and have a minimum 5 years qualified experience with Sub Station Maintenance.
- .3 All materials will be invoiced at the Contractors wholesale cost, plus a percentage of mark-up. Contractor shall submit all invoices for materials as supporting documentation when submitting invoices for work completed. For tendering purposes, the Contractor will submit their percent of mark-up on material.
- .4 Time charged and contract price of materials (if any) used may be verified by Government Audit before or after payment is made under the terms of this Standing Offer.
- .5 The above mentioned quantities may increase or decrease and are used as a guide. The quantities are not guaranteed and the Contractor will have no claim for loss of anticipated profits as a result of these estimated quantities.
- .6 One invoice covering all charges will be submitted to the Engineer within 10 working days of completion of work. The invoice must indicate Standing Offer Agreement number, DND work order number, requisition number. Also the invoice must itemize technicians names, dates, hours worked, material used complete with correct material mark up. Original copies of Contractors material invoices to be attached to invoice.

1.17 CONTRACTOR PASSES

- .1 All Contractor employees will have in their possession at all times while on the Base an authorized Contractor Pass while employed on DND property. Such passes will be produced on demand to the Military Police, Commissionaires, Security Guards and persons in authority.
- .2 The Contractor on their own time and expense will complete an application form for contractor passes for each individual. The Contractor will arrange and accompany the employee to the Military Police Identification Section building F-19 for the issuance of pass.
- .3 Photocopies of passes are to be provided to the Engineer.
- .4 The Contractor will ensure Contractor passes are recovered from employees who cease to be employed on DND property. Such passes shall be returned to the Military Police Identification Section by the Contractor.

1.18 SECURITY CLEARANCE

- .1 The Contractor shall maintain an up-to-date roster of all employees involved in this contract including managers, supervisors, tradespersons, drivers and labourers. This roster must be made available to the Engineer upon request.

END OF SECTION

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1.01 REFERENCES

- .1 Canada Labour Code, Part II, Canada Occupational Safety and Health Regulations.
- .2 Province of New Brunswick Occupational Health and Safety Act, 1991.
- .3 National Building Code of Canada, (Latest Edition).

1.02 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- .1 Do work in accordance with the safety measures of the National Building Code of Canada (Latest Edition), the Canada Labour Code Part II, the New Brunswick Occupational Health and Safety Act and WorkSafeNB provided that in any case of conflict or discrepancy the more stringent requirements shall apply.

1.03 RESPONSIBILITY

- .1 Contractor is responsible for the health and safety of all persons on site. Contractor is also responsible for the protection of property, persons and the environment on or adjacent to the site in so far as the work may affect these.
- .2 Contractor and all contractor's employees are to comply with all safety requirements specified in the Contract Documents as well as all applicable federal, provincial and local statutes, regulations, ordinances and with Contractor's site-specific Health and Safety Plan.
- .3 As outlined in the Canada Labour Code Part II, the Contractor is responsible to provide a site-specific Health and Safety Plan that includes a Confined Space Entry Procedure in the event that work is deemed by the Engineer to be in a confined space. Work is not to begin until this Health and Safety Plan is submitted and approved by the Engineer.
- .4 Real Property Operations Detachment (Gagetown) employs a Lock Out/Tag Out program to prevent work related injuries due to electrical or mechanical systems being energized while personnel are working in or around these systems. The Contractor must respect these locks and tags when encountered. Do not forcibly remove these locks and/or tags at any time. If the Contractor requires that these be removed to perform work, a request is to be made to the Engineer for such removal.
- .5 As per the Canada Labour Code Part II, it is the Contractor's responsibility to employ their own Lock Out/Tag Out program to ensure that equipment is not energized by other personnel while they are working in or around equipment. If the Contractor installs a Lock Out/Tag Out he is to inform the Engineer.
- .6 It is the Contractor's responsibility to ensure that all their employees are provided all Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) necessary to perform all work.

1.04 UNFORESEEN HAZARDS

- .1 Should any unforeseen or peculiar safety-related factor, hazard, or condition become evident during performance of work, the Contractor must have procedures in place to facilitate the Employee's Right to Refuse Work in accordance with Acts and Regulations of New Brunswick. The Contractor is to advise the Engineer verbally and in writing of any employee who exercises this right.

1.05 CORRECTION OF NON-COMPLIANCE

- .1 Immediately address health and safety non-compliance issues identified by authority having jurisdiction or by Engineer.
- .2 Provide Engineer with written report of action taken to correct non-compliance of health and safety issues identified.
- .3 Engineer may stop work if non-compliance of health and safety regulations is not corrected.

1.06 WORK STOPPAGE

- .1 Give precedence to safety and health of public and site personnel and protection of environment over cost and schedule considerations for work.

END OF SECTION

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1.01 REPORTING FIRES

- .1 Know location of nearest fire alarm box and telephone, including emergency phone number.
- .2 Report immediately all fire incidents to Fire Department as follows:
 - .1 telephone 911.
- .3 When reporting fire by telephone, give location of fire, name or number of building and be prepared to verify the location.

1.02 INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR FIRE PROTECTION AND ALARM SYSTEMS

- .1 Fire protection and alarm system will not be: obstructed;
 - .1 shut-off; and
 - .2 left inactive at end of working day or shift without authorization from Fire Chief.
- .2 Fire hydrants, standpipes and hose systems will not be used for other than fire-fighting purposes unless authorized by Fire Chief.

1.03 FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

- .1 Supply fire extinguishers, as scaled by Fire Chief, necessary to protect work in progress and contractor's physical plant on site.

1.04 BLOCKAGE OF ROADWAYS

- .1 Advise Fire Chief of any work that would impede fire apparatus response. This includes violation of minimum overhead clearance, as prescribed by Fire Chief, erecting of barricades and digging of trenches.

1.05 SMOKING PRECAUTIONS

- .1 Observe smoking regulations at all times.

1.06 RUBBISH AND WASTE MATERIALS

- .1 Rubbish and waste materials are to be kept to minimum.
- .2 Burning of rubbish is prohibited.
- .3 Removal:
 - .1 Remove all rubbish from work site at end of work day or shift or as directed.
- .4 Storage:
 - .1 Store oily waste in approved receptacles to ensure maximum cleanliness and safety.
 - .2 Deposit greasy or oily rags and materials subject to spontaneous combustion in approved receptacles and remove.

1.07 FLAMMABLE AND COMBUSTIBLE LIQUIDS

- .1 Handling, storage and use of flammable and combustible liquids are to be governed by the current National Fire Code of Canada.
- .2 Flammable and combustible liquids such as gasoline, kerosene and naphtha will be kept for ready use in quantities not exceeding 45 litres provided they are stored in approved safety cans bearing Underwriters' Laboratory of Canada or Factory Mutual seal of approval. Storage of quantities of flammable and combustible liquids exceeding 45 litres for work purposes requires permission of Fire Chief.
- .3 Transfer of flammable and combustible liquids is prohibited within buildings or jetties.
- .4 Transfer of flammable and combustible liquids will not be carried out in vicinity of open flames or any type of heat-producing devices.
- .5 Flammable liquids having a flash point below 38° C such as naphtha or gasoline will not be used as solvents or cleaning agents.
- .6 Flammable and combustible waste liquids, for disposal, will be stored in approved containers located in a safe ventilated area. Quantities are to be kept to a minimum and Fire Department is to be notified when disposal is required.

1.08 HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES

- .1 Work entailing use of toxic or hazardous materials, chemicals and/or explosives, or otherwise creating hazard to life, safety or health, will be in accordance with National Fire Code of Canada.
- .2 Obtain from Fire Chief a "Hot Work" permit for work involving welding, burning or use of blow torches and salamanders, in buildings or facilities.
- .3 When Work is carried out in dangerous or hazardous areas involving use of heat, provide fire watchers equipped with sufficient fire extinguishers. Determination of dangerous or hazardous areas along with level of protection necessary for Fire Watch is at discretion of the Fire Chief. Contractors are responsible for providing fire watch service for work on a scale established and in conjunction with Fire Chief at pre-work conference.
- .4 Where flammable liquids, such as lacquers or urethanes are to be used, proper ventilation will be assured and all sources of ignition are to be eliminated. Fire Chief is to be informed prior to and at cessation of such work.

1.09 QUESTIONS AND/OR CLARIFICATION

- .1 Direct any questions or clarification on Fire Safety in addition to above requirements to Chief through the Engineer.

1.10 FIRE INSPECTION

- .1 Site inspections by Fire Chief will be coordinated through Engineer.
- .2 Allow Fire Chief unrestricted access to work site.

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- .3 Co-operate with Fire Chief during routine fire safety inspection of work site.
- .4 Immediately remedy all unsafe fire situations observed by Fire Chief.

END OF SECTION

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- .1 Contractor will take all reasonable steps to ensure that they and their employees have complied with all pertinent legislation and have protected the environment.

1.02 FIRES

- .1 Fires and burning of rubbish on site not permitted.

1.03 DISPOSAL OF WASTES

- .1 Do not bury rubbish and waste materials on site unless approved by Engineer.
- .2 Do not dispose of waste or volatile materials, such as mineral spirits, oil or paint thinner into waterways, storm or sanitary sewers.

1.04 SPILL PROTECTION

- .1 The Contractor must have adequate clean up materials for any potential hazardous materials used in the completion of the work (ie. Foams, fuels, oils, lubricants, etc).

END OF SECTION

APPENDIX 4 - TECHNICAL OFFER

Certifications Precedent to Standing Offer Award

Within seven (7) days and prior to issuance of Standing Offer –

1. Provide proof that Bidder has an account in good standing with the Provincial Workers Compensation Board/Commission.
2. The Contractor must possess a current Lineman License, specializing in High Voltage Installations, as issued by the New Brunswick Department of Post-Secondary Education Training and Labour. The Contractor must also have a minimum of five (5) years High Voltage Electrical Contracting experience. Proof of License and experience must be forwarded to the Engineer
3. All work is to be performed by Linemen, Apprentices and Electrical Mechanic (Sub) for maintenance on substation licensed by the New Brunswick Department of Post-Secondary Education Training and Labour. Proof of License for each employee who will work on this Standing Offer Agreement must be provided to the Engineer prior to award.
4. Bidder may be asked to provide a list of equipment. Equipment is subject to inspection and approval by the Department of National Defence (DND).
5. The Bidder shall be required to provide proof of Liability Insurance in the amount of \$2,000,000.00.

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

Commercial General Liability Insurance

1. The Contractor must obtain Commercial General Liability Insurance, and maintain it in force throughout the duration of the Contract, in an amount usual for a contract of this nature, **but for not less than \$2,000,000 per accident or occurrence and in the annual aggregate.**
2. The Commercial General Liability policy must include the following:
 - (a) Additional Insured: Canada is added as an additional insured, but only with respect to liability arising out of the Contractor's performance of the Contract. The interest of Canada should read as follows: Canada, as represented by the Department of National Defence.
 - (b) Bodily Injury and Property Damage to third parties arising out of the operations of the Contractor.
 - (c) Products and Completed Operations: Coverage for bodily injury or property damage arising out of goods or products manufactured, sold, handled, or distributed by the Contractor and/or arising out of operations that have been completed by the Contractor.
 - (d) Personal Injury: While not limited to, the coverage must include Violation of Privacy, Libel and Slander, False Arrest, Detention or Imprisonment and Defamation of Character.

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- (e) Cross Liability/Separation of Insureds: Without increasing the limit of liability, the policy must protect all insured parties to the full extent of coverage provided. Further, the policy must apply to each Insured in the same manner and to the same extent as if a separate policy had been issued to each.
- (f) Blanket Contractual Liability: The policy must, on a blanket basis or by specific reference to the Contract, extend to assumed liabilities with respect to contractual provisions.
- (g) Employees and, if applicable, Volunteers must be included as Additional Insured.
- (h) Employers' Liability (or confirmation that all employees are covered by Worker's compensation (WSIB) or similar program)
- (i) Broad Form Property Damage including Completed Operations: Expands the Property Damage coverage to include certain losses that would otherwise be excluded by the standard care, custody or control exclusion found in a standard policy.
- (j) Notice of Cancellation: The Insurer will endeavour to provide the Contracting Authority thirty (30) days written notice of policy cancellation.
- (k) If the policy is written on a claims-made basis, coverage must be in place for a period of at least 12 months after the completion or termination of the Contract.
- (l) Owners' or Contractors' Protective Liability: Covers the damages that the Contractor becomes legally obligated to pay arising out of the operations of a subcontractor.
- (m) Non-Owned Automobile Liability - Coverage for suits against the Contractor resulting from the use of hired or non-owned vehicles.
- (n) Litigation Rights: Pursuant to subsection 5(d) of the Department of Justice Act, S.C. 1993, c. J-2, s.1, if a suit is instituted for or against Canada which the Insurer would, but for this clause, have the right to pursue or defend on behalf of Canada as an Additional Named Insured under the insurance policy, the Insurer must promptly contact the Attorney General of Canada to agree on the legal strategies by sending a letter, by registered mail or by courier, with an acknowledgement of receipt.

For the province of Quebec, send to:

*Director Business Law Directorate,
Quebec Regional Office (Ottawa),
Department of Justice,
284 Wellington Street, Room SAT-6042,
Ottawa, Ontario, K1A 0H8*

For other provinces and territories, send to:

*Senior General Counsel,
Civil Litigation Section,
Department of Justice
234 Wellington Street, East Tower
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A copy of the letter must be sent to the Contracting Authority. Canada reserves the right to co-defend any action brought against Canada. All expenses incurred by Canada to co-defend such actions will be at Canada's expense. If Canada decides to co-defend any action brought against it, and Canada does not agree to a proposed settlement agreed to by the Contractor's insurer and the plaintiff(s) that would result in the settlement or dismissal of the action against Canada, then Canada will be responsible to the Contractor's insurer for any difference between the proposed settlement amount and the amount finally awarded or paid to the plaintiffs (inclusive of costs and interest) on behalf of Canada.

APPENDIX 5 - EVALUATION PROCEDURES OR BASIS OF SELECTION

1. Evaluation Procedures

- (a) Offers will be assessed in accordance with the entire requirement of the Request for Standing Offer including the financial evaluation criteria.

1.1 Financial Evaluation

1.1.1 SACC Manual Clause M0220T (2016-01-28), Evaluation of Price

1.1.2 Offers will be evaluated on the basis of the lowest overall total estimated amount (HST Extra). Offerors are required to bid on all items in the Price Proposal Form, or their bid may be considered non-responsive.

2. Basis of Selection

An offer must comply with the requirements of the Request for Standing Offer to be declared responsive. The responsive offer with the lowest evaluated price will be recommended for issuance of a Standing Offer.

APPENDIX 6 VOLUNTARY CERTIFICATION TO SUPPORT THE USE OF APPRENTICES

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PUBLIC WORKS AND GOVERNMENT SERVICES CANADA APPRENTICE PROCUREMENT INITIATIVE

1. To encourage employers to participate in apprenticeship training, Offerors, bidding on construction and maintenance contracts by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) are being asked to sign a voluntary certification, signaling their commitment to hire and train apprentices.
2. Canada is facing skills shortages across various sectors and regions, especially in the skilled trades. Equipping Canadians with skills and training is a shared responsibility. The Government of Canada made a commitment to support the use of apprentices in federal construction and maintenance contracts. Contractors have an important role in supporting apprentices through hiring and training and are encouraged to certify that they are providing opportunities to apprentices as part of doing business with the Government of Canada.
3. The Government of Canada is encouraging apprenticeships and careers in the skilled trades. In addition, the government offers a tax credit to employers to encourage them to hire apprentices. Information on this tax measure administered by the Canada Revenue Agency can be found at: www.cra-arc.gc.ca. Employers are also encouraged to find out what additional information and supports are available from their respective provincial or territorial jurisdiction.
4. Signed certifications on page 2 of 2 will be used to better understand contractor use of apprentices on Government of Canada maintenance and construction contracts and may inform future policy and program development.
5. The Contractor hereby certifies the following:

In order to help meet demand for skilled trades people, the Contractor agrees to use, and require its subcontractors to use, reasonable commercial efforts to hire and train registered apprentices, to strive to fully utilize allowable apprenticeship ratios * and to respect any hiring requirements prescribed by provincial or territorial statutes

The Contractor hereby consents to this information being collected and held by PWGSC, and Employment and Social Development Canada to support work to gather data on the hiring and training of apprentices in federal construction and maintenance contracts.

To support this initiative, a voluntary certification signaling the Contractor's commitment to hire and train apprentices is available at page 2 of 2.

If you accept fill out and sign page 2 of 2.

** The journey person-apprentice ratio is defined as the number of qualified/certified journeypersons that an employer must employ in a designated trade or occupation in order to be eligible to register an apprentice as determined by provincial/territorial (P/T) legislation, regulation, policy directive or by law issued by the responsible authority or agency.*

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Voluntary Certification

(To be filled out and returned with offer on a voluntary basis)

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Note: The Offeror will be asked to fill out a report every six months or at project completion as per sample "Voluntary Reports for Apprentices Employed during the Contract" provided at Annex C

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Company Name: _____

Company Legal Name: _____

Standing Offer Solicitation Number : _____

Number of company employees: _____

Number of apprentices planned to be working on this contract: _____

Trades of those apprentices:

ANNEX A - VOLUNTARY REPORT FOR APPRENTICES EMPLOYED DURING THE CONTRACT (Sample)

(This report is not required at Offer deposit)

The Contractor should compile and maintain records on the number of apprentices and their trade that were hired to work on the contract.

The Contractor should provide this data in accordance with the format below. If no apprentices were hired during the contract period, the Contractor should still provide a "nil" report.

The data should be submitted six months after the Contract award or at the end of the Call-up, whichever comes first, to the Contracting Authority.

Number of apprentices hired	Trade

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ANNEX B - LISTING OF SUBCONTRACTORS/SUPPLIERS (Could be asked for on individual call-ups)

On request from the Project Manager, to be submitted on call-ups

LISTING OF SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS

The Bidder must submit the list of Subcontractors/Suppliers for any division of the Work as listed in the table below. If "own forces" of the General Contractor are planned to be used to execute certain division(s) of work, it must also be indicated in the table below.

	Subcontractor/Supplier	Division
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2		
3		
4		

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ANNEX C – FORM 2829 SAMPLE



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Government Services
Canada

Travaux publics et
Services gouvernementaux
Canada

CALL-UP AGAINST A STANDING OFFER COMMANDE SUBSÉQUENTE À UNE OFFRE PERMANENTE

In accordance with STANDING OFFER NO.		Conformément à l'OFFRE PERMANENTE N°	Call-up no. - N° de commande
Dated and the terms and conditions therein, you are requested to carry out the work described below.		en date du et les modalités qui y sont énumérées, vous êtes prié d'exécuter les travaux décrits ci-après.	
Contractor's name and address - Nom et adresse de l'entrepreneur		Send invoice to - Expédier la facture à	
Project no. - N° du projet	Note: Quote standing offer number, project number and call-up number on your invoice. Inscrire le numéro de l'offre permanente, le numéro du projet et le numéro de commande sur la facture.		
Location of work - Endroit des travaux		Call-up cost, GST extra - Coût de la commande, TPS en plus	

Work description - Description des travaux

SAMPLE ONLY
ÉCHANTILLON SEULEMENT

Certified pursuant to subsection 32 (1) of the Financial Administration Act
Certifié en vertu du paragraphe 32 (1) de la Loi sur la gestion des finances publiques

Signature

Date

Departmental Representative - Représentant du ministère

Signature

Date

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