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**SOLICITATION AMENDMENT
MODIFICATION DE L'INVITATION**

The referenced document is hereby revised; unless otherwise indicated, all other terms and conditions of the Solicitation remain the same.

Ce document est par la présente révisé; sauf indication contraire, les modalités de l'invitation demeurent les mêmes.

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Signature	Date

Solicitation Amendment No. 002

Solicitation Amendment No. 002 is issued to address Bidders' questions.

Bidders Questions and Canada's Answers:

Q # 1: Will there be an epost Connect service provided by Canada Post to transmit our submission electronically?

A # 1: Yes, we can accept e-post. Therefore, Solicitation Clause 3.1 "Bid Preparation Instructions" is amended as follows:

Delete:

"Due to the nature of the bid solicitation, bids transmitted by epost Connect service and by facsimile will not be accepted.

Canada requests that bidders provide their bid in separately bound sections as follows:

Section I: Technical Bid (Three (3) hard copies), and one (1) soft copy on USB key

Section II: Financial Bid (Two (2) hard copies), and one (1) soft copy on USB key

Section III: Certifications (Two (2) hard copies), and one (1) soft copy on USB key

If there is a discrepancy between the wording of the soft copy on electronic media and the hard copy, the wording of the hard copy will have priority over the wording of the soft copy."

Insert: "

- a) If the Bidder chooses to submit its bid electronically, Canada requests that the Bidder submits its bid in accordance with section 08 of the 2003 standard instructions. The epost Connect system has a limit of 1GB per single message posted and a limit of 20GB per conversation.

The bid must be gathered per section and separated as follows:

Section I: Technical Bid

Section II: Financial Bid

Section III: Certifications

- b) If the Bidder chooses to submit its bid in hard copies, Canada requests that the Bidder submits its bid in separately bound sections as follows:

Section I: Technical Bid (one (1) hard copy), and one (1) soft copy on USB key

Section II: Financial Bid (one (1) hard copy), and one (1) soft copy on USB key

Section III: Certifications (one (1) hard copy), and one (1) soft copy on USB key

If there is a discrepancy between the wording of the soft copy on electronic media and the hard copy, the wording of the hard copy will have priority over the wording of the soft copy.

- c) If the Bidder is simultaneously providing copies of its bid using multiple acceptable delivery methods, and if there is a discrepancy between the wording of any of these copies and the electronic copy provided through epost Connect service, the wording of the electronic copy provided through epost Connect service will have priority over the wording of the other copies.”

Q # 2: With regard to the bidders conference identified in RFP Part 2, clause 2.5, advise if electronic attendance will be acceptable or if we must attend in person.

A # 2: Alternate means of participation in the Bidders' Conference will also be possible via Telecon (voice only). Respectively, RFP Part 2, Clause 2.5 is amended as follows:

Delete: “A bidders' conference will be held at DND Office at 455 Blvd de la Carriere on 10 March, 2020. The conference will begin at 13:00 EST in Room # (to be advised at a later time). The scope of the requirement outlined in the bid solicitation will be reviewed during the conference and questions will be answered. It is recommended that bidders who intend to submit a bid attend or send a representative.

Bidders are requested to communicate with the Contracting Authority before the conference to confirm attendance. Bidders should provide, in writing, to the Contracting Authority, the name(s) of the person(s) who will be attending and a list of issues they wish to table no later than 05 March, 2020.”

Insert: “ A bidders' conference will be held at DND Office at 455 Blvd de la Carriere on 10 March, 2020. The conference will begin at 13:00 EST in Room # (to be advised at a later time). The scope of the requirement outlined in the bid solicitation will be reviewed during the conference and questions will be answered. It is recommended that bidders who intend to submit a bid participate in this conference by attending in person or via Telecon.

Bidders are requested to communicate with the Contracting Authority before the conference to confirm attendance. Bidders should provide, in writing, to the Contracting Authority, the name(s) of the person(s) who will be attending, whether in person or otherwise, and a list of issues they wish to table no later than 05 March, 2020. The Dial-in Number and the Conference ID will be advised to participants on March 9, 2020.”

Q # 3: With regard to the bidders conference identified in RFP Part 2, clause 2.5, and the RFP close extension, is there consideration to postpone the conference to a later date?

A # 3: Delaying the Bidders' Conference is not possible at this time; it is too late to change the date – as some potential bidders may have already made trip arrangements.

Q # 4: With regards to Part 7 – Clause 7.19.3 (B), Annex O – Item 6 of Table O2, and Annex P – Item 25 of Table P1:

- a) Is it permissible to subcontract Professional Engineering Services to a firm or individual?
- b) Some of the references in these clauses are plural. Are one or two professional engineers required?

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A # 4:

- a) It is permissible. However, the contractor must:
1. Identify the individual(s) to be sub-contracted by name, and provide his/her resume(s) and valid licence(s) to practice as a professional engineer in Canada.
 2. The Contractor must guarantee and certify that the identified sub-contractor individual(s) are available and ready to perform the Work as required by Canada's representatives and at the time specified in the bid solicitation or agreed to with Canada's representatives.

Please note that SACC Manual Clause A3005T (2010-08-16) "Status and Availability of Resources" as per RFP Part 5, section 5.2.3.4 applies.

- b) The number of proposed Engineer(s) whether being part of the Contractor's staff, or being sub-contracted depends on the Contractor's judgement and assessment of the work. However, it will be wise to identify multiple Engineers so that they be pre-qualified/approved to take on the work considering the applicability of SACC Manual Clause A3005T (2010-08-16).
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End of Solicitation Amendment No. 002.

All other terms and conditions remain the same.