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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.

Comments - Commentaires

**Vendor/Firm Name and Address
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Title-Sujet Area Detection and Identification System (ADIS)	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation W8476-18ADIS/B	Amendment No. - N° modif. 015
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client W8476-18ADIS/B	Date 15 April 2020
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG	
File No. - N° de dossier 010sl.W8476-18ADIS/B	CCC No./N° CC - FMS NO. / N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 2:00 PM on - le 29 May 2020	Time Zone Fuseau horaire Eastern Standard Time EST
F.O.B. - F.A.B	
Plant-Usine : <input type="checkbox"/> Destination: <input type="checkbox"/> Other-Autre: <input type="checkbox"/>	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: April Campbell	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur 010SL
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone 613-858-9485	FAX No. - N° de FAX
Destination of Goods, Services and Construction: Destinations des biens, services et construction :	
Specified Herein Précisé dans les présentes	

Instructions : See Herein

Instructions : voir aux présentes

Delivery Required - Livraison exigée See Herein	Delivery Offered - Livraison proposée
Vendor/Firm Name and Address Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur	
Telephone No. - N° de telephone 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

THIS AMENDMENT IS RAISED TO RESPOND TO BIDDER QUESTIONS.

Q100 [Will Canada remove the ITB requirements from the procurement?](#)

A100 The ITB requirements form part of the mandatory and rated elements of the RFP for ADIS, and the Value Proposition was developed through market analysis and extensive industry engagement during the pre-RFP period.

'Best value' for Canada is considered to be a solution that offers the optimal balance between capability, cost and economic benefits. The ITB Policy is applied to both developmental, and COTS/MOTS procurements, and contributes towards 'best value' for Canada by ensuring that contractors generate economic outcomes for the dollars spent on defence-related procurements.

The low minimum Canadian content requirement for Direct work allows flexibility for bidders who wish to offer an ADIS solution that represents significant non-Canadian content, while the rated Value Proposition provides an incentive for competition.

Bidders are encouraged to explore opportunities to contribute positively to the economies in which they do business. Firms that operate on a global scale and in both the defence and commercial markets, offer opportunities to tap into their innovation, and the diversity of their resources and supplier networks to contribute to employment opportunities and growth in the local economy.

Q101 Throughout the solicitation, a warranty is mentioned (Volume 2 ADIS Acquisition Draft Resulting Contract W8476-145109/001/sl, Volume 3 ADIS In Service Support Draft Resulting Contract W8476-165477).

[Could the PWGSC please clarify their desired conditions of the requested warranty? How long of period should the warranty for the delivered system cover?](#)

A101 Warranty is addressed in the General Conditions. I direct you to Volume 2, article 2.2 General Conditions which identifies 2030 General Conditions – Higher Complexity – Goods which can be found at the link provided in article 2.1, Standard clauses and conditions. Warranty is addressed at item 22 of the General Conditions.

Q102 In Appendix AD of Annex A, Maintenance and Support Concept for the ADIS, #14 Configuration Management it states "The Contractor will establish a Configuration Management (CM) program in accordance with recognized standards and practices."

[What is meant by "recognized standards and practices:" Could the PWGSC please clarify which standards and practices they are referencing?](#)

A102 Examples of "Recognized standards and practices" include but are not limited to the following certifications which will provide evidence of a Configuration Management practice in place:

- ISO 9001:2015 - Quality management systems - Requirements
- ISO 10007:2003 Guidelines for Configuration Management;
- NATO ACMP-1 to ACMP-7;

- MIL-STD-3046 Configuration Management;
- IEEE 828-2012-IEEE Standard for Configuration Management in Systems and Software Engineering;
- ECSS-M-40A Configuration Management (European Defense Standards Reference System);
- EIA649B Configuration Management (Electronic Industries of America).