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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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<b>Title - Sujet</b> APPLICATION SERVICES	
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> A0416-183261/A	<b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b> 002
<b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b> A0416-183261	<b>Date</b> 2020-07-03
<b>GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG</b> PW-\$\$ZM-631-38062	
<b>File No. - N° de dossier</b> 631zm.A0416-183261	<b>CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME</b>
<b>Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin</b> <b>at - à 02:00 PM</b> <b>on - le 2020-07-21</b>	<b>Time Zone</b> <b>Fuseau horaire</b> Eastern Daylight Saving Time EDT
<b>F.O.B. - F.A.B.</b> <b>Plant-Usine:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Destination:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Other-Autre:</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à:</b> Dubeau, Stephane	<b>Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur</b> 631zm
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> (613) 447-8075 ( )	<b>FAX No. - N° de FAX</b> ( ) -
<b>Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction:</b> <b>Destination - des biens, services et construction:</b>	

Instructions: See Herein

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<b>Delivery Required - Livraison exigée</b>	<b>Delivery Offered - Livraison proposée</b>
<b>Vendor/Firm Name and Address</b> <b>Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur</b>	
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> <b>Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur</b>	
<b>Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm</b> <b>(type or print)</b> <b>Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/</b> <b>de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)</b>	
<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

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## AMENDMENT No. 002

This amendment is raised to answer bidders' questions.

**Question 1:** We XXX would love the opportunity, and be invited to submit candidates for the open APPLICATION SERVICES (A0416-183261/A) tender.

**Answer 1:** As stated in the Notice of Proposed Procurement (NPP), only TBIPS Supply Arrangement (SA) Holders currently holding a TBIPS SA for Tier 2 under the EN578-170432 series of SAs for the required resources categories are eligible to compete

**Question 2:** This is in regards to the above-mentioned RFP which was recently advertised on the Government of Canada Buy and Sell website. Based on the description, XXX believes we may be able to provide a bid of competitive benefit to your organization and would like to formally request a copy of the documents. If possible, it would be preferable if the documents were sent to XXX for administrative purposes.

**Answer 2:** The documents under this RFP are available on Buy and Sell website

**Question 3:** XXX is requesting to be added to the list of invited suppliers for Solicitation (A0416-183261/A) for Application Services, as seen on Buy & Sell.

**Answer 3:** See answer 1

**Question 4:** We would like to know if our Company qualifies for this mandate, we are listed as:

- A) XXX, in Joint Venture
- B) XXX
- C) Both

**Answer 4:** See answer 1

**Question 5:** XXX is qualified to bid on this solicitation. May we please be added to the list of invitees?

**Answer 5:** See answer 1

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**Question 6:** We respectfully ask to be invited to bid on solicitation A0416-183261/A for XXX please.

- 1) Our TBIPS SA number is EN578-055605/481/EI and our company name is XXX.
- 2) Our email to be used for correspondence pertaining to this solicitation is: XXX

**Answer 6:**

- 1) See answer 1
- 2) The documents under this RFP are available on Buy and Sell website only

**Question 7:** Given the complexity of the bid requirements in the subject solicitation, the volume of other Federal Government solicitations currently undergoing competition, the Canada Day Holiday occurring during the solicitation period, and the ongoing adjustments and accommodations in regards to COVID-19; including remote work, and reduced hours and staff, we respectfully request a two week extension of the closing date to August 5, 2020. Please advise

**Answer 7:** An extension of this solicitation is not currently being considered.

**Question 8:** Could The Crown please confirm how many resumes are to be submitted for evaluation in this solicitation?

**Answer 8:** If asking about resumes – there is one request for Client Manager, if submitting per contract as specified in RFP

**Question 9:** Under the SRCL, there is an IT Media Safeguarding requirement. However, after reviewing the SOW in this RFP, the Work Location contradicts the need for IT Media Safeguarding.

*“The majority of the work will be conducted from DIAND’s premises in the NCR, at the following office locations.... Part of the Work may be conducted from the Contractor’s facilities with remote access provided by DIAND, at the Department’s discretion”*

Will the Crown please confirm that there is **no** need for IT Media Safeguarding?

**Answer 9:** NO need for IT Media Safeguarding.

**ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN THE SAME.**