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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

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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. 023
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client W8476-18ADIS/B	Date 09 Jul 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 30 July 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
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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

Q150 Amendment 021, A141: It is noted that Canada has published a revised Financial Bid Presentation Sheet in French. Will an English version be posted?

A150 This is now posted.

Q151 The professional services pricing table in the Basis of Payment for the resulting ADIS Acquisition contract (reference: table 1.1 of Annex B in Volume 2) lists only one firm all-inclusive hourly rate however the ADIS financial bid presentation sheet includes three proposed labour rates (for each of years 1, 2 and 3) per Category of Work. In the resulting contract for the ADIS Acquisition will the Basis of Payment Table be expanded to include the rates for each year, or will one column remain in which the rate will be an average of the rate for each of the three years?

A1501 In the contract the basis of payment the table will be expanded to include the rates for each year.

Q152 The professional services pricing table in the Basis of Payment for the resulting ADIS Acquisition contract (reference: table 1.1 of Annex B in Volume 2) includes a column with the heading Estimated Level of Effort. In the resulting contract does the bidder's estimate become a firm amount or is the resulting contract subject to upward or downward revision depending upon the actual amount of work performed?

A152 The resulting contract subject to upward or downward revision depending upon the actual amount of work performed.

Q153 Requirements 9 and 10 require the ADIS to "scan" the coverage area. Please define what is meant by "scan" and what output device is required?

A153 As defined in the RAG (Appendix AE of Annex A References, Acronyms and Glossary): "The term scan / scanning is the process of examining the field of regard (e.g. continuously, by discrete sectors, etc.) with the purpose of detecting and identifying CWAs and TICs."

Q154 Amendment 021, A139: Additional clarity is sought because the answer to the question begins with "No":

Qi Is a manually positioned detector acceptable or is a motorized pan and tilt device required?

Ai Motorized pan and tilt is required. The ability to detect CWAs/TICS and the assessment of the ability to move the detector head have been separated for the purpose of the bid evaluation. During operations, ADIS will be required to autonomously scan an area up to 360 degrees azimuth and -10 to +40 degrees elevation and detect/identify CWAs/TICs in that area.

- Qii Assuming the answer “No” means the detector is not required to detect a chemical gas during movement defined in Requirement 12, it appears the time limit of 30 minutes is meaningless. The detector can simply be rotated to meet any time constraint?
- Aii Please see response to i.
- Qiii The DRDC bid evaluation testing methodology and test set-up is clear, however the response to the question talks about “real life”. Please explain the real life scenario(s) that the ADIS will be used and whether these real life scenarios will become a contractual obligation for the Contractor?
- Aiii After contract award and during the qualification phases, the winning bidder will be contractually obligated to demonstrate that the system meets the specifications in the SysRS (Appendix AA to Annex A). This will include a demonstration at an outdoor test site with the release of CWAs and/or TICs at conditions described in the SysRS (Appendix AA to Annex A).
- Qiv Requirement 12 uses the term “complete monitoring coverage”. Assuming the answer “No” means the detector is not required to detect a chemical gas during movement defined in Requirement 12, please explain what is to be “monitored”?
- Qiv Please see response to i.
- Q155 Can we apply from IRAN?
- A155 As long as, at Bid Submission, the bidder can meet the requirement of Part 6, section 1.2.4 Canadian Content, and Part 5 ,section 6.2.2 Foreign Contractor. If the bidder requires more information they can visit the following websites:

Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions – A3050T: <https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual/5/A/A3050T/4>
Annex 3.6, Example 2 of the Supply Manual: <https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/supply-manual/section/3#annex-3.6>
- Q156 How can we apply?
- A156 In order to submit a bid, a bidder must follow the RFP instructions in Part 3 - Bid Preparation Instructions. Bids are preferred electronically but may be sent in paper format.