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## AMENDMENT REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

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We hereby offer to sell to Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada, in accordance with the terms and conditions set out herein, referred to herein or attached hereto, the goods, services, and construction

listed herein and on any attached sheets at the price(s) set out thereof.

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### Amendment #01 is raised to respond to Question 1 to 11

QUESTION	RESPONSES
Question 1:  It says that two CVs of professionals certified in psychometric analysis must be provided, but is it possible to have several individuals?	Only the two proposed professionals will be evaluated as part of the procurement process, but we are open to working with other professionals if necessary. Those new resources will be also be evaluated at a later date.
Question 2:  To better evaluate the cost, must the bid be based on three consecutive years of full-time work?	The cost must be based on the use of the psychometric tools and training as needed.
Question 3:  Is there any cost to bid?	No, there is no cost to bid.
Question 4:  Page 12 of the French document indicates that ten courses need to be provided for the facilitators. Do these ten courses relate to content that is different, for which training is given repeatedly or once per content?	We are referring to the certification courses for facilitators. We need to certify existing SSC facilitators and facilitators who will be joining the department throughout the duration of the contract.
Question 5:  5A) In planning this mandate, will the following be added?: Analyses of organizational culture, work environment, the make-up of groups, specific needs to be considered?  5B) Ongoing training, tracking of learning, mentoring and coaching?	5A) SSC facilitators do not have a mandate to carry out analyses of the organizational culture and work environment. Having psychometric tests that include these types of analyses would be interesting but is not required to fulfill the mandate of SSC facilitators.  As mentioned in the statement of work, the tool needs to be able to identify individual needs and combine individual psychometric profiles to show the make-up of the groups.  5B) SSC facilitators do not have a mandate to carry out ongoing training, tracking of learning, mentoring and coaching. However, the vendor may pursue these learning solutions for the certification of facilitators.

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Ouestion 6:  6A) In the French document, are the SSC "animateurs" different from the "facilitateurs"?  6B) How many "animateurs" are there? How many "facilitateurs"?	<ul> <li>6A) The term "facilitateurs" refers to Shared Services Canada (SSC) facilitators.</li> <li>6B) There are currently 11 facilitators. The actual number to be trained will vary as facilitators arrive and leave throughout the duration of the contract.</li> </ul>
Question 7:	
-Who is responsible for tracking the completions?	After a test is completed, the vendor must produce and share the report.
Question 8:	
How many people with a disability are there who would need support to take the tests?	SSC employs roughly 420 people with various accessibility needs. The actual number varies depending on the departures and arrivals of employees.
Question 9:	
It is indicated that the platform allows for psychological tests to be assigned. Is this in relation to stress? To which difficulties?	The requirements regarding the tests are specified in the statement of work.
Do you have specific requirements regarding the types of psychological tests that you would like?	
Question 10:	
Can meetings, training and consultations be done remotely?	Yes, training and consultations may be done remotely.
Question 11:	
We are in the process of reviewing the RFP, and we have a question. If we have any exceptions, are we able to include this in the RFP? Or does it work that if we respond to the RFP it means we are in compliance with the Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions (SACC) Manual?  If we have exceptions, where/when do we raise them?	If you wish to raise requested changes or exceptions you will need to raise them at the RFP Stage and SSC will provide a response to specific questions or requests.  You must be in compliance with the Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions (SACC) Manual.