

**NOTICE OF PROPOSED PROCUREMENT (NPP)**  
**For**  
**TASK BASED INFORMATICS PROFESSIONAL SERVICES (TBIPS)**

**GSIN: D302A Informatics Professional Services**

		<b>Solicitation Number:</b>	<i>C0052</i>
<b>Organization Name:</b>	<i>The Canadian Food Inspection Agency</i>		
<b>Solicitation Date:</b>	<i>2020/08/11</i>	<b>Closing Date:</b>	<i>2020/08/25 02:00 PM Eastern Daylight Time EDT</i>
<b>Anticipated Start Date:</b>	<i>2020/09/21</i>	<b>Estimate Level of Effort:</b>	<i>250 days for the initial period</i>
<b>Estimated Delivery Date:</b>	<i>2021/08/31</i>	<i>The contract period will be from the date of contract to August 31, 2021 with four (4) irrevocable option periods to increase the level of effort.</i>	
<b>Solicitation Method:</b>	Competitive	<b>Applicable Trade Agreements:</b>	<i>WTO-AGP, NAFTA, CFTA, CKFTA, CCFTA, CCoFTA, CHFTA, CPAFTA, CPFTA, CPTPP, CETA, CUFTA</i>
<b>Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement Applies:</b>	No	<b>Number of Contracts:</b>	<i>1</i>

## Requirement Details

### **Tendering Procedure: Selective Tendering**

This requirement is open only to those TBIPS Supply Arrangement Holders who qualified under Tier 1 for services in the National Capital Region for the following category:

*One (1) Level 3 Programmer/Analyst*

*One (1) Level 2 Programmer/Analyst*

The following SA Holders have been invited to submit a proposal:

1. 4165047 Canada Inc.
2. Accenture Inc.
3. CGI Information Systems and Management Consultants Inc.
4. Cistel Technology Inc.
5. Deloitte Inc.
6. Donna Cona Inc.
7. Excel Human Resources Inc.
8. Hays Specialist Recruitment (Canada) Inc.
9. IBISKA Telecom Inc.
10. Iceberg Networks Corporation
11. IPSG Technology Inc.
12. Lumina IT inc.
13. Maplesoft Consulting Inc, Momentum Technologies inc., Raymond Chabot Grant Thornton S.E.N.C.R.L., IN JOINT VENTURE
14. Maplesoft Consulting Inc.

15. Myticas Consulting Inc.
16. Newfound Recruiting Corporation
17. Quallium Corporation
18. Quarry Consulting Inc.
19. Rockwell Collins Canada Inc.
20. S.I. SYSTEMS ULC
21. SoftSim Technologies Inc.
22. Spaghetti Logic Inc.
23. TEKSYSTEMS CANADA CORP./SOCIÉTÉ TEKSYSTEMS CANADA
24. Transpolar Technology Corporation and The Halifax Computer Consulting Group In Joint Venture
25. Tundra Technical Solutions Inc
26. Valcom Consulting group Inc.

### **Description of Work:**

The Innovation, Business Services & Development Branch (IBSDB) has implemented a structured, agile software development lifecycle that integrates requirements development, change management, external stakeholder engagement and internal communications into an agile development and release framework.

A key project that was undertaken to support CFIA business priorities was the Electronic Service Delivery Project (ESDP) to enable new inspections, permission, licensing and export certification processes through the use of technology. The outcome was the Digital Service Delivery Platform (DSDP) which includes two interfaces: 1) MyCFIA for external Agency regulated parties and clients and the actual DSDP which is used by Agency staff for the tracking and processing of various services.

DSDP is an integrated platform, built using various commercial-off-the-shelf (COTS) software packages to make a single platform with two interfaces. The key foundational platform of DSDP is Microsoft Dynamics CRM which is used for case management, data collection and as an internal interface.

IBSDB requires one (1) Level 3 Senior and one (1) Level 2 Intermediate Programmer/Analyst to provide expertise with the implantation of **Dynamics CRM 365 platform** on an "As and When Required: Task Authorization Contract to assist in the development and configuration of new functionalities to the DSDP platform using MS Dynamics CRM 365.

The number Programmer/Analyst and level of expertise will be identified by the Project Authority on each individual Task Authorization.

Should a Task be deemed to have a high complexity or should CFIA have a more aggressive implementation strategy and that additional resources are required beyond the primary consultants associated in the initial Task Authorization Contract, Required additional resources will be Level 3 – Senior Programmer/Analyst and Level 2 – Intermediate Programmer/Analyst, outlined in the SoW. These additional resources will be requested via a Task Authorization.

**Security Requirement:** *Common PS SRCL #19 applies*

**Minimum Resource Security Required:** *Secret*

### **Contract Authority**

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## **Inquiries**

Inquiries regarding this RFP requirement must be submitted to the Contracting Authority named above. Request for Proposal (RFP) documents will be e-mailed directly from the Contracting Authority to the Qualified Supply Arrangement Holders who are being invited to bid on this requirement. BIDDERS ARE ADVISED THAT "BUYANDSELL.GC.CA" IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF SOLICITATION DOCUMENTS. The Crown retains the right to negotiate with any supplier on any procurement. Documents may be submitted in either official language.

**NOTE: Task-Based Informatics Professional Services (TBIPS) Method of Supply is refreshed three (3) times per year. If you wish to find out how you can be a "Qualified SA Holder", please contact RCNMDAI.-NCRIMOS@pwgsc.gc.ca**