NOTICE OF PROPOSED PROCUREMENT (NPP)

PROFESSIONAL AUDIT SUPPORT SERVICES (PASS) SUPPLY ARRANGEMENT

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This Request for Proposal is only for pre-qualified Suppliers for Stream 6 "Financial and Accounting Services" against the Professional Audit Support Services (PASS) Supply Arrangement (E60ZQ-180001)

DESCRIPTION OF REQUIREMENT:

Canada is seeking to establish a contract under **Stream 6 "Financial and Accounting Services"** against the Professional Audit Support Services (PASS) for Natural Resources Canada. The resources are required on an "as and when requested" basis. It is intended to result in the award of one (1) contract for two (2) years, with the possibility of two (2) additional optional period(s) of one (1) year, allowing Canada to extend the duration of the contract (if required).

The following Supply Arrangement holders have been invited to submit a proposal:

- A Hundred Answers Inc.
- Altis Human Resources (Ottawa) Inc.
- BDO Canada LLP
- Collins Barrow Ottawa LLP
- Deloitte LLP
- Ernst & Young LLP
- KPMG LLP
- MNP LLP
- OrbisRisk Consulting Inc.
- Pricewaterhouse Coopers LLP
- QMR Staffing Solutions Incorporated
- QMR Staffing Solutions Incorporated, Windreach Consulting Services Incorporated, In Joint Venture
- Raymond Chabot Grant Thornton Consulting Inc.
- Samson & Associés CPA/Consultation Inc

DURATION OF CONTRACT:

From contract award to March 31, 2022

<u>Additional Optional Period(s) of one year:</u>

#1: April 1, 2022 – March 31, 2023 #2: April 1, 2023 – March 31. 2024

EVALUATION PROCESS AND SELECTION METHODOLOGY:

Highest Combined Rating of Technical Merit (70%) and Price (30%)

SECURITY REQUIREMENTS:

Company Minimum Security Level Required: Protected B

Resource Minimum Security Level Required: Reliability Status