

**RETURN BIDS TO : - RETOURNER LES  
SOUMISSION À:**

**Canada Revenue Agency**  
**Agence du revenu du Canada**  
*See herein / Voir dans ce document*

## Proposal to: Canada Revenue Agency

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 and/or attached hereto, the goods and/or services listed herein and on any attached sheets at the price(s) set out therefor.

**Proposition à : l'Agence du revenu du Canada**

Nous offrons par la présente de vendre à Sa Majesté la Reine du Chef du Canada, en conformité avec les conditions énoncées dans la présente incluses par référence dans la présente et/ou incluses par référence aux annexes jointes à la présente et ci-jointes, les biens et/ou services énumérés ici sur toute feuille ci-annexée, au(x) prix indiqué(s).

**Bidder's Legal Name and Address - (ensure the Bidder's complete legal name is properly set out)**

**Raison sociale et adresse du Soumissionnaire -**  
**(s'assurer que le nom légal au complet du soumissionnaire**  
**est correctement indiqué)**

***Bidder is required to identify below the name and title of the individual authorized to sign on behalf of the Bidder – Soumissionnaire doit identifier ci-bas le nom et le titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du soumissionnaire***

Name /Nom

**Title/Titre**

**Signature**

**Date (yyyy-mm-dd)/(aaaa-mm-jj)**

( )

**Telephone No. – No de téléphone**

( )

Fax No. – No de télécopieur

E-mail address – Adresse de courriel

## AMENDMENT TO REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL / MODIFICATION DE DEMANDE DE PROPOSITION

<b>Title – Sujet</b> CONSUMER AND COMMERCIAL CREDIT REPORTS	
<b>Solicitation No. – No de l'invitation</b>  1000352191	<b>Date</b>  (2021-01-26)
<b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b> 003	
<b>Solicitation closes – L'invitation prend fin</b>  on – le (2021-02-08) at – à 11:59 P.M. / 23h59	<b>Time zone – Fuseau horaire</b>  EST /HNE Eastern Standard Time/ Heure Normale de l'Est
<b>Contracting Authority – Autorité contractante</b>  Name – Nom : Samuel Snow  Address – Adresse : See herein / Voir dans ce document  E-mail address – Adresse de courriel : <a href="mailto:samuel.snow@cra-arc.gc.ca">samuel.snow@cra-arc.gc.ca</a>	
<b>Telephone No. – No de téléphone</b> (613) 324-0047	
<b>Fax No. – No de télécopieur</b> N/A	
<b>Destination - Destination</b>  See herein / Voir dans ce document	
Empty section for additional information	



## SOLICITATION AMENDMENT # 003

This solicitation amendment is raised to:

- 1.0 Extend the solicitation closing date to 2021-02-08; and
  - 2.0 Address the questions submitted during the solicitation period.
- 

### 1.0 EXTENSION TO THE SOLICITATION CLOSING DATE

On the cover page:

DELETE: Solicitation closes on (2021-02-01)

INSERT: Solicitation closes on (2021-02-08)

### 2.0 QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q1. Regarding the search data elements in Table D-1: Mandatory Criteria for U.S. Commercial Credit Reports, would the CRA accept a response should one or more of the mandatory criteria for D-1 not be met or does the CRA prefer no response for this stream?

A1. As indicated in Part 4 Evaluation and Selection, proposals will be evaluated in accordance with the evaluation criteria identified in Appendices 1 and 2 and in conjunction with the Statement of Work (SOW).

Bidders are encouraged to address these criteria in sufficient depth in their proposals to permit a full evaluation of their proposals.

**The onus is on the Bidder to demonstrate that it meets the requirements specified in the solicitation.**

Q2. Regarding the search data elements in Table F-1: Mandatory Criteria for International Commercial Credit Report, would the CRA accept a response should one or more of the mandatory criteria for F-1 not be met or does the CRA prefer no response for this stream?

A2. As indicated in Part 4 Evaluation and Selection, proposals will be evaluated in accordance with the evaluation criteria identified in Appendices 1 and 2 and in conjunction with the Statement of Work (SOW).

Bidders are encouraged to address these criteria in sufficient depth in their proposals to permit a full evaluation of their proposals.

**The onus is on the Bidder to demonstrate that it meets the requirements specified in the solicitation.**

Q3. Can the CRA relax some of the mandatory requirements detailed in streams 1 through 6 regarding certain mandatory data elements?

A3. The CRA cannot relax mandatory data elements since they form part of the CRA business requirements.

As indicated in Part 4 Evaluation and Selection, proposals will be evaluated in accordance with the evaluation criteria identified in Appendices 1 and 2 and in conjunction with the Statement of Work (SOW).

Bidders are encouraged to address these criteria in sufficient depth in their proposals to permit a full evaluation of their proposals.

**The onus is on the Bidder to demonstrate that it meets the requirements specified in the solicitation.**



Q4. Table A-1: Mandatory Criteria for Canadian Consumer Credit Reports. Regarding:

- A1 d) iii.
- A1 d) iv.
- A1 e) iii.
- A1 e) iv.

Can the CRA please remove these four (4) mandatory requirement?

A4. The CRA cannot remove the above four (4) mandatory elements since they form part of the CRA business requirements.

Q5. Regarding Question 4 in A7.4 and Question 4 in B7.4, will the CRA accept references that have system-to-system access connections?

A5. For evaluation purpose only, the CRA will accept references that have system-to-system access connections.

Q6. Will the CRA accept proposal submission by email or another secure electronic method instead of by fax?

A6. The CRA cannot accept bids to be submitted by email or another secure electronic method at bid closing.

However, as indicated in 2.3 Submission of Proposals, Canada reserves the right to request a copy of the bid documentation in native format (e.g. MS Word, MS Excel, Portable Document Format) after bid closing for use in the bid evaluation phase.

Bidders may be asked by the Contracting Authority to provide this documentation via email with a specified timeframe.

**ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED**