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<b>Title - Sujet</b> Mobile Radiography (portable unit) Mobile Radiography (portable unit) and Radiographic Room System	
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> 5A027-203013/B	<b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b> 002
<b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b> 5A027-203013	<b>Date</b> 2021-02-10
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**This amendment is raised to respond to the following questions:**

**Question 1**

As stated on page 12 item 2.4 of Loading and Installation. "We have 120/208 volt and single phase, and we can get 125 amp if need for 3 phase." Can the Government of Canada please confirm that if 125 amp 3 phase power is required it will be the responsibility of the Government Of Canada and or the Facility to supply all necessary wiring, transformer ect. to the Radiographic room prior to or at the time of installation?

Response 1:

Yes, it will be the responsibility of the Facility to supply all necessary wiring, transformer etc to the Radiographic room. Communication with onsite electrician will start once a contract is awarded, to ensure smooth electrical transition.

**Question 2**

As stated on page 12 item 2.4 Of Loading and Installation "Since this is our only General Radiography room in the hospital, we require a 1-2 day turnaround. However, while the machine is being replaced, we don't require another machine on site to be used in the meantime; however the portable system must be available for use as soon as possible. The system must be installed and tested to ensure it is functioning properly and ready to be used. We do have an onsite electrician available if needed to assist or for questions and maintenance technicians that can assist with some moving and lifting." As a 1-2 day installation may be difficult to meet as leveling, bracing may be required, will the Government of Canada accept the use of the new mobile system until the installation of the X-ray room has been completed?

Response 2:

Yes. As this is our only Radiographic Room in the hospital, it is imperative that the installation of the radiographic room system be completed as soon as possible after delivery of the product and that installation be completed as soon as possible once the equipment has been dismantled. The portable unit must be functional and staff must be trained to use it before dismantling any equipment.

**Question 3**

As stated in the Compliance Matrix – Minimum Mandatory Performance Specifications "Item 7.5 - Must include (4) Detectors: Two – 14x17, One- 10x12, One- 17x17. There isn't a preference for the type of detectors." Will the Government of Canada please confirm that they will consider and except other sizes of detectors that are similar in size to those stated. We would like to bid on this requirement, but you have locked us out as our smallest detector is 11x14 and in which no way effects the functionality or workflow of either the radiographic room or the mobile system.

Response 3:

Yes, we will accept 11x14 as one of the detector sizes. Either one 10x12 or one 11x14 detector is acceptable.

**Question 4**

As stated the Government of Canada would like delivery by March 26<sup>th</sup> 2021. Will the Government of Canada accept partial shipments to meet the March 26<sup>th</sup> date? Based on the current provincial 14 day Covid quarantine, is the March 26th delivery/installation still possible? Does the customer plan to delay the delivery/installation due those Covid restrictions?

Response 4:

Delivery, installation and training are requested to be completed by March 31, 2021. If all three are unable to be completed by March 31, 2021, it is requested that they are completed as soon as possible after March 31, 2021.

**Question 5**

As per the Compliance Matrix on page 16, Item 4.2, a 32"-wide (81.28cm) tabletop is required. Will you consider a system that has a tabletop that is 80cm wide?

Response 5:

Yes, We will accept a minimum 80 cm table width. We require a wide tabletop for our bariatric patients so a wider table (88cm+ is preferred).

**Question 6**

Is there an existing mobile unit that requires removal/disposal upon delivery of a new one?

Response 6:

No

**Question 7:**

"Since this is our only General Radiography room in the hospital, we require a 1-2 day turnaround." The normal time to install an X ray room is 5 to 7 days into a prepared space. Would you consider 2 to 3 week for install as there will also be several days to remove the existing system?

Response 7:

Yes. As this is our only Radiographic Room in the hospital, it is imperative that the installation of the radiographic room system be completed as soon as possible after delivery of the product and that installation be completed as soon as possible once the equipment has been dismantled. The portable unit must be functional and staff must be trained to use it before dismantling any equipment..

**Question 8:**

"There has not been a review of the lead protection, as it is not required. Protection is sufficient for current workloads." Is a copy of the existing lead survey available? There have been updates in requirements since this install. Also if moving from 3 phase room the requirements will need to be evaluated.

Response 8:

An evaluation has been arranged immediately following install of new machine.

**Question 9:**

Could you kindly clarify if the 3 phase power supply will operate at the voltage of either 380/400/415/440/480 VAC, as it is not clear to us in the document provided.

Response 9:

We have 208 3 phase and will supply a transformer to convert power as needed. After contract award, the vendor will communicate to the facilities electrician to ensure that the correct components are on site.

**Question 10:**

Due to the Covid restrictions, would your customer be willing to receive the Portable X-Ray System by the requested date, but have the Radiographic Room System delivered/installed at a later date, once the quarantine restrictions have lifted, as we are coming from another province?

Response 10:

The delivery, installation, and training of both the Portable X-Ray System and the Radiographic Room System must be completed as soon as possible after March 31, 2021, if it is not possible to complete it before March 31, 2021. It is possible to receive the Portable X-Ray System first, followed by Radiographic Room System; however, it is requested that both be received at the same time and installation begin as soon as possible after delivery.

**Question 11:**

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Can you indicate if there are local accommodations/lodging for our staff to stay at for the duration of the installation?

Response 11:  
No.

**Question 12:**

“Since this is our only General Radiography room in the hospital, we require a 1-2 day turnaround. However, while the machine is being replaced, we don't require another machine on site to be used in the meantime; however the portable system must be available for use as soon as possible. The system must be installed and tested to ensure it is functioning properly and ready to be used”. Can you clarify if this is for the Portable X-Ray System only? (as the Radiographic Room Systems is usually a 4 week duration for the unpacking, prepping, installation and calibration...), not including the removal & disposal of the existing equipment.

Response 12:

As this is our only Radiographic Room in the hospital, it is imperative that the installation of the radiographic room system be completed as soon as possible after delivery of the product and that installation be completed as soon as possible once the equipment has been dismantled. The portable unit must be functional and staff must be trained to use it before dismantling any equipment.

**This amendment is also raised to insert the following into Annex “A” section 2.4. Offloading and Installation:**

It will be the responsibility of the Facility (Government of Canada) to supply all necessary wiring, transformer etc to the Radiographic room. Communication with onsite electrician will start once a contract is awarded, to ensure smooth electrical install

We have 208 3 phase and will supply a transformer to convert power as needed. After contract award, the vendor will communicate to the facilities electrician to ensure that the correct components are on site.

The Contractor is responsible for following all travel guidelines related to COVID and public health authorities in the applicable jurisdiction, and ensuring that work is completed within the parameters of public health orders and any other guidelines relating to the work to be performed.

For the delivery, installation and training, the Contractor will be working in an environment where COVID may be present and is responsible for taking all necessary precautions to protect itself and its employees. The Contractor must notify PSPC if it becomes aware of any COVID-19 cases of its employees involved with the delivery, installation and training that may pose an exposure risk. For privacy reasons, the Contractor shall not provide the name(s) of staff testing positive for COVID-19 but will provide the date tested and/or onset of symptoms and the last day working on the project site.

It is the responsibility of the Contractor to be aware of the restrictions of the Provincial/Territorial regulator concerning public health emergencies declared within the jurisdiction or any specific restrictions within municipal or provincial jurisdictions.

**This amendment is also raised to delete the following from Annex “A” section 2.4. Offloading and Installation:**

Since this is our only General Radiography room in the hospital, we require a 1-2 day turnaround.

**And replace with:**

As there is only one Radiographic Room in the hospital, it is imperative that the installation of the radiographic room system be completed as soon as possible after delivery of the product and that installation be completed as soon as possible once the equipment has been dismantled. The portable unit must be functional and staff must be trained to use it before dismantling any equipment.

**This amendment is also raised to delete the following from Annex "A" 2.1 Tasks, Activities, Deliverables, and Milestones:**

- Delivery, offloading and installation must be completed at the same time.

**And replace with:**

- It is requested that delivery, offloading and installation be completed at the same time if at all possible. If this won't be possible, it is requested that installation be completed as soon as possible after delivery and offloading..

**This amendment is also raised to replace item 7.5 and 4.2 in in Annex "A" Compliance Matrix - Minimum Mandatory Performance Specifications, with the following:**

7.5	Must include (4) Detectors : Two – 14x17, One- 10x12, One- 17x17. There isn't a preference for the type of detector. The detectors will be shared between the DR room and the Portable DR. Either one 10x12 or one 11x14 detector is acceptable.	<b>M</b>
4.2	Tabletop length must be minimum 31.4" (80 cm) x 85" (215.9 cm)	<b>M</b>

**This amendment is also raised to remove the following from the Request for Proposal:**

**6.7.1 Basis of Payment**

**6.7.2** *SACC Manual* Clause H1000C (2008-05-12) Single Payment

**And replace with:**

**6.7.1 Basis of Payment**

**6.7.2** *SACC Manual* Clause H1001C (2008-05-12), Multiple Payments

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN THE SAME