Affaires étrangères, Commerce et Développement Canada

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Title: In-Factory Construction of Modular Guardhouse & Modular Mail-Screening Unit

Solicitation: 21-187938

The following Questions & Answers is in link with the Request for Qualification (RQ) document mentioned

Questions & Answers #2

- Q3. For Appendix B Experience of Respondent, would you consider extending the period from which past projects can be included to 10 years (ie. completed after March 1, 2011)? This would allow for a greater depth of relevant experience, and would also take into account the global slowdown of work since January 2020 as a result of the COVID pandemic.
- **A3.** We will extend the qualification period to March 01, 2015. Please see addendum #1.
- **Q4.** For Appendix B Experience of Respondent, would you accept projects that meet comparable standards (e.g. ISO, ASTM, etc.) to the Eurocode standard for glazing resistance against manual attack (BS EN 356:2000)?
- **A4.** For up to two (2) of the three (3) projects in Appendix B, we will accept projects that met comparable standards to BS EN 356:2000 for glazing resistance against manual attack. At least one (1) of the three (3) projects must have incorporated glazing that met BS EN 356:2000, DIN EN 356, or DIN EN 1627-1630 standards. Please see addendum #1.
- **Q5.** Would you consider extending the deadline for submission?
- **A5.** The deadline will be extended to 14:00 Eastern Daylight Time (EDT) on March 18, 2021. Please see addendum #1.
- **Q6.** We are keen to be involved in this project, however, we operate with this type of construction on a supply only basis. Should we complete this document, or would it be better to put us in contact with Main Contractors that are interested in order to assist them?
- **A6.** We are seeking supply (at factory), and on-site 3rd-party commissioning. We do not want the Respondent to report to the prime/main contractor.
- Q7. Also, on the information it requests experience after 1st March 2018. Whilst we have experience in providing this type of Modular Guardhouse, due to COVID and delays with upcoming orders, we haven't completed any since this date. Would this rule us out?
- **A7.** See answer A3.

All other conditions and requirements remain unchanged