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**SOLICITATION AMENDMENT  
MODIFICATION DE L'INVITATION**

The referenced document is hereby revised; unless otherwise  
indicated, all other terms and conditions of the Solicitation  
remain the same.

Ce document est par la présente révisé; sauf indication contraire,  
les modalités de l'invitation demeurent les mêmes.

**Comments - Commentaires**

**Vendor/Firm Name and Address**

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<b>Title - Sujet</b> National Cybercrime Solution Projec Solution nationale en matière de cybercriminalité	
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> M7594-205915/D	<b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b> 005
<b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b> M7594-205915	<b>Date</b> 2021-05-18
<b>GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG</b> PW-\$\$XL-155-39352	
<b>File No. - N° de dossier</b> 164xl.M7594-205915	<b>CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME</b>
<b>Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin</b> <b>at - à 02:00 PM</b> Eastern Daylight Saving Time EDT <b>on - le 2021-06-22</b> Heure Avancée de l'Est HAE	
<b>F.O.B. - F.A.B.</b> <b>Plant-Usine:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Destination:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other-Autre:</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à:</b> Kumar, Rajesh	<b>Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur</b> 164xl
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<b>Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm</b> <b>(type or print)</b> <b>Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/</b> <b>de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)</b>	
<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

This Solicitation Amendment 005 is raised to:

1. Post Questions and Answers

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Question #	Question	Response
70	Part 7 Section 7.7(iii) includes an indemnification clause in respect of intellectual property that is both redundant (due to the IP infringement clause found in General Conditions 2035) and unreasonably broad (given that it lacks the limitations found in the General Conditions). It is CRITICAL that section 7.7(iii) be deleted from the RFP.	Canada's requirements are as stated. The term and condition remains unchanged.
71	<p>Canada's response to question 5 in amendment #2 restricts Bidders from using project references acquired though work performed in other countries by a parent company or by pertinent affiliates operating around the world.</p> <p>We are a global organization and use such references on a routine basis in many federal government procurements. Restricting us to in Canada only reference projects will significantly affect our ability to respond to this RFP. May we respectfully request that you review and reconsider your response to allow Bidders, with corporate structures of parent and affiliate corporations by geography, to quote relevant reference projects from work performed outside Canada?.</p>	Canada's response to question 5 in amendment 2 does not limit or restrict the geographical area of experience of a Bidder. The response provided reinforces Canada's definition of a Bidder and the use of "previous similar projects" in the Technical Bid. A Bidder will be required to demonstrate its experience in accordance with the full requirements of the RFP.

72	Is the implementation of Treasury Board Protected B guardrails required for Hosted / Non-RCMP IaaS environments by the bidder?	<p>The Contractor is responsible for meeting the security requirements defined in this document to any applicable environment. Note that the Guardrails were an input in the determination of these security controls.</p> <p>In reference to a Non-RCMP IaaS environment used for the Prototype Solution, the vendor is not required to use an environment that meets all of the Treasury Board Secretariat's Protected B guardrails.</p>
73	Is the implementation of Treasury Board Protected B guardrails required for Hosted / Non-RCMP SaaS environments by the bidder?	<p>The Contractor is responsible for meeting the security requirements defined in the RFP to any applicable environment. Note that the Guardrails were an input in the determination of these security controls.</p> <p>In reference to a Non-RCMP environment used for the Prototype Solution, the vendor is not required to use an environment that meets all of the Treasury Board Secretariat's Protected B guardrails.</p>
74	Does the bidder need to achieve Protected B Authority to Operate for environments outside of the RCMP Protected B Tenant?	<p>The Contractor is responsible for meeting the security requirements defined in this document to any applicable environment. Note that the Guardrails were an input in the determination of these security controls.</p> <p>In reference to a Non-RCMP SaaS environment used for the Prototype Solution, the vendor is not required to use an environment that meets all of the Treasury Board Secretariat's Protected B guardrails.</p>
75	Please confirm whether the signed cover pages inclusive of amendment pages (pdf page 1 of 1) is due back with the customer response for the RFP phase.	Yes

76	Please confirm that the Annex J response is to be submitted as a part of the Sandbox Solution per the outline of 3.4 Section I: Technical Bid , (b) (ix).	Yes	
77	Please confirm the phase during which requirements sections 6.1, 6.2, and 6.3 of Part 6 are to be met?	In accordance with the RFP- Part 6, the conditions stipulated must be met prior to award of contract.	
78	Please confirm the RCMP will procure the services in Appendix G, Table G-1 outside of this RFP and that those costs are not to be included in Annex B Basis of payment Tables.	Canada confirms that the RCMP will procure the services in Appendix G, Table G-1 outside of this RFP and that those costs are not included in Annex B Basis of payment Tables.	
79	<p>Section 7.4(b) of the RFP states that the Contractor must "ensure that the Solution remains compatible with all future versions of iOS, Android and the following Web browsers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internet Explorer</li> <li>• Google Chrome</li> <li>• Firefox</li> <li>• Safari"</li> </ul> <p>It is not possible for the Contractor to guarantee that the Solution will remain compatible with the above-mentioned mobile operating systems and web browsers for the duration of the contract period (11 years). Furthermore, Internet Explorer will be end of life as at August 17, 2021 and will be replaced by its successor browser (Edge). As a consequence, it is CRITICAL that the RFP be revised as follows:</p> <p>The Government of Canada requires that the Contractor ensure that at the time of contract award</p>	<p>Canada is seeking an innovative Solution that can adapt and evolve with technological advances throughout the duration of the Contract. This includes ensuring that the Solution remains compatible with future versions of iOS, Android and the following Web browsers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internet Explorer</li> <li>• Google Chrome</li> <li>• Firefox</li> <li>• Safari</li> </ul> <p>Canada does not expect the Solution to continue to be compatible with the above software products once they have exceeded their end-of-life date, and security updates are no longer being provided by the applicable software vendor.</p>	

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	<p>the Solution is remains compatible with the current version all future versions of iOS, Android and the following Web browsers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Internet Explorer</li><li>• Edge</li><li>• Google Chrome</li><li>• Firefox</li><li>• Safari</li></ul>	
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**ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE BID SOLICIATION REMAIN UNCHANGED.**