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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.

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Title - Sujet Project Management Services Services en gestion de projet	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation EN912-212869/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 009
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client 20212869	Date 2021-08-06
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$\$XE-685-39655	
File No. - N° de dossier 685xe.EN912-212869	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM Eastern Daylight Saving Time EDT on - le 2021-08-11 Heure Avancée de l'Est HAE	
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Plant-Usine: <input type="checkbox"/> Destination: <input type="checkbox"/> Other-Autre: <input type="checkbox"/>	
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SOLICITATION AMENDMENT 009

This Solicitation Amendment is issued to modify the solicitation document and provide Questions and Answers 68-72 regarding Request for Proposal (RFP) EN912-212869/A.

MODIFICATIONS TO THE RFP SOLICITATION DOCUMENT:

1. At Attachment 4.2 pages 123 and 124, R4, P.9 Project Manager (Level 3):

DELETE:

Resource Name:				
ID	Resource Point-Rated Criteria	Point Allocation	Maximum Points	Substantiation, Cross Reference to Résumé, & Self Score
R4	<p>The Bidder should demonstrate by showing proof that the proposed resource has valid project management designation(s) in one or more of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certified Management Consultant (CMC) Certification; • PRINCE2 (Foundation) Accreditation; • PRINCE2 (Practitioner) Accreditation; • MSP Certification; • Prosci Certification; • Lean Black Belt Certification; • Master's degree in Project Management from an accredited university. <p>Proof of valid certification, accreditation, or degree must be included with the bid to be considered.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CMC Certification = 20 points; • PRINCE2 (Foundation) Accreditation = 10 points; • PRINCE2 (Practitioner) Accreditation = 20 points; • MSP Certification = 20 points; • Prosci Certification = 20 points; • Lean Black Belt Certification = 20 points; • Master's Degree in project management = 30 points. <p>Any combination of CMC certification, one of the PRINCE2 accreditations, MSP certification, Prosci certification, Lean Black Belt certification, and the Master's degree in Project Management can be used to achieve a maximum ceiling of 40 points.</p>	40	

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Resource Name:				
ID	Resource Point-Rated Criteria	Point Allocation	Maximum Points	Substantiation, Cross Reference to Résumé, & Self Score
R4	<p>The Bidder should demonstrate by showing proof that the proposed resource has valid project management designation(s) in one or more of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certified Management Consultant (CMC) Certification; • PRINCE2 (Foundation) Accreditation; • PRINCE2 (Practitioner) Accreditation; • MSP Certification; • Prosci Certification; • Lean Black Belt Certification; • Master's degree in Project Management from an accredited university. • Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP) • TOGAF 9 certification • Scrum Master certification • SAP Hanna 2.0 certification <p>Proof of valid certification, accreditation, or degree must be included with the bid to be considered.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CMC Certification = 20 points; • PRINCE2 (Foundation) Accreditation = 10 points; • PRINCE2 (Practitioner) Accreditation = 20 points; • MSP Certification = 20 points; • Prosci Certification = 20 points; • Lean Black Belt Certification = 20 points; • Master's Degree in project management = 30 points. • Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP) = 20 points • TOGAF 9 certification = 20 points • Scrum Master certification = 20 points • SAP Hanna 2.0 certification = 20 points <p>Any combination of CMC certification, one of the PRINCE2 accreditations, MSP certification, Prosci certification, Lean Black Belt certification, Agile Certified Practitioner, TOGAF 9 certification. Scrum</p>	40	

Resource Name:				
ID	Resource Point-Rated Criteria	Point Allocation	Maximum Points	Substantiation, Cross Reference to Résumé, & Self Score
		Master certification, SAP Hanna 2.0 certification and the Master's degree in Project Management can be used to achieve a maximum ceiling of 40 points.		

2. At Appendix C to Annex A, page 80, R4, P.9 Project Manager (Level 3):

DELETE:

Resource Name:				
ID	Resource Point-Rated Criteria	Point Allocation	Maximum Points	Substantiation, Cross Reference to Résumé, & Self Score
R4	<p>The Contractor should demonstrate by showing proof that the proposed resource has valid project management designation(s) in one or more of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certified Management Consultant (CMC) Certification; • PRINCE2 (Foundation) Accreditation; • PRINCE2 (Practitioner) Accreditation; • MSP Certification; • Prosci Certification; • Lean Black Belt Certification; • Master's degree in Project Management from an accredited university. <p>Proof of valid certification, accreditation or degree must be</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CMC Certification = 20 points; • PRINCE2 (Foundation) Accreditation = 10 points; • PRINCE2 (Practitioner) Accreditation = 20 points; • MSP Certification = 20 points; • Prosci Certification = 20 points; • Lean Black Belt Certification = 20 points; • Master's Degree in project management = 30 points. <p>Any combination of CMC certification, one of the PRINCE2 accreditations, MSP</p>	40	

Resource Name:				
ID	Resource Point-Rated Criteria	Point Allocation	Maximum Points	Substantiation, Cross Reference to Résumé, & Self Score
	included in response to the issuance of a draft TA.	certification, Prosci certification, Lean Black Belt certification, and the Masters degree in Project Management can be used to achieve a maximum ceiling of 40 points.		

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ID	Resource Point-Rated Criteria	Point Allocation	Maximum Points	Substantiation, Cross Reference to Résumé, & Self Score
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Resource Name:				
ID	Resource Point-Rated Criteria	Point Allocation	Maximum Points	Substantiation, Cross Reference to Résumé, & Self Score
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scrum Master certification SAP Hanna 2.0 certification <p>Proof of valid certification, accreditation, or degree must be included with the bid to be considered.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TOGAF 9 certification = 20 points Scrum Master certification = 20 points SAP Hanna 2.0 certification = 20 points <p>Any combination of CMC certification, one of the PRINCE2 accreditations, MSP certification, Prosci certification, Lean Black Belt certification, Agile Certified Practitioner, TOGAF 9 certification. Scrum Master certification, SAP Hanna 2.0 certification and the Master's degree in Project Management can be used to achieve a maximum ceiling of 40 points.</p>		

TRACKING LOG OF INDUSTRY QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS PROVIDED TO DATE:

Q#	QUESTIONS	ANSWERS
68	In regard to the R4 criteria for the Project Manager Level 3, would the Crown accept an Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP) certification for 20 points? This certification is often seen as an equivalent to a Prince2 Practitioner certification.	<p>Yes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CMC Certification = 20 points; PRINCE2 (Foundation) Accreditation = 10 points; PRINCE2 (Practitioner) Accreditation = 20 points; MSP Certification = 20 points; Prosci Certification = 20 points; Lean Black Belt Certification = 20 points; Master's Degree in project management = 30 points. Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP)=20 points TOGAF 9 certification=20 points

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scrum Master certification=20 points • SAP Hanna 2.0 certification=20 points <p>Any combination of CMC certification, one of the PRINCE2 accreditations, MSP certification, Prosci certification, Lean Black Belt certification, Agile Certified Practitioner, TOGAF 9 certification. Scrum Master certification, SAP Hanna 2.0 certification and the Masters degree in Project Management can be used to achieve a maximum ceiling of 40 points.</p>
69	In regard to the R4 criteria for the Project Manager Level 3, would the Crown accept a TOGAF 9 certification for 20 points? TOGAF is widely accepted in the federal public service and is frequently required by grids on bids in the Project Management stream, in particular it is very relevant from a WBS perspective.	<p>Yes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CMC Certification = 20 points; • PRINCE2 (Foundation) Accreditation = 10 points; • PRINCE2 (Practitioner) Accreditation = 20 points; • MSP Certification = 20 points; • Prosci Certification = 20 points; • Lean Black Belt Certification = 20 points; • Master's Degree in project management = 30 points. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP)=20 points • TOGAF 9 certification=20 points • Scrum Master certification=20 points • SAP Hanna 2.0 certification= 20 points <p>Any combination of CMC certification, one of the PRINCE2 accreditations, MSP certification, Prosci certification, Lean Black Belt certification, Agile Certified Practitioner, TOGAF 9 certification. Scrum Master certification, SAP Hanna 2.0 certification and the Masters degree in Project Management can be used to achieve a maximum ceiling of 40 points.</p>
70	In regard to the R4 criteria for the Project Manager Level 3, would the Crown accept a Scrum Master certification for 20 points?	<p>Yes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CMC Certification = 20 points; • PRINCE2 (Foundation) Accreditation = 10 points; • PRINCE2 (Practitioner) Accreditation = 20 points; • MSP Certification = 20 points; • Prosci Certification = 20 points; • Lean Black Belt Certification = 20 points; • Master's Degree in project management = 30 points. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP)=20 points • TOGAF 9 certification=20 points • Scrum Master certification=20 points • SAP Hanna 2.0 certification=20 points <p>Any combination of CMC certification, one of the PRINCE2 accreditations, MSP certification, Prosci certification, Lean Black Belt certification, Agile Certified Practitioner, TOGAF 9 certification. Scrum Master</p>

		certification, SAP Hanna 2.0 certification and the Masters degree in Project Management can be used to achieve a maximum ceiling of 40 points.
71	In regard to the R4 criteria for the Project Manager Level 3, would the Crown accept an SAP Hanna 2.0 certification for 30 points? As R3 requires a potential resource to have experience in SAP or Peoplesoft, we feel that the Crown would greatly benefit from a resource with specialized training in SAP.	<p>We are willing to accept for a maximum of 20 points.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CMC Certification = 20 points; • PRINCE2 (Foundation) Accreditation = 10 points; • PRINCE2 (Practitioner) Accreditation = 20 points; • MSP Certification = 20 points; • Prosci Certification = 20 points; • Lean Black Belt Certification = 20 points; • Master's Degree in project management = 30 points. • Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP)=20 points • TOGAF 9 certification=20 points • Scrum Master certification=20 points • SAP Hanna 2.0 certification=20 points <p>Any combination of CMC certification, one of the PRINCE2 accreditations, MSP certification, Prosci certification, Lean Black Belt certification, Agile Certified Practitioner, TOGAF 9 certification. Scrum Master certification, SAP Hanna 2.0 certification and the Masters degree in Project Management can be used to achieve a maximum ceiling of 40 points.</p>
72	As of the clarification in Amendment 4 which was released on the 20th of July, the number of gridded resources to be submitted for this bid was clarified to be 15 and not 8 as many firms had suspected. Judging by the questions asked surrounding the number of resources, it would seem firms are now scrambling to find, grid and submit 7 more resources within a limited time frame. As that particular amendment came with no extensions to the deadline, that would mean that firms now needed to finish the gridding process on existing resources and find, qualify, and grid 7 more resources within 22 days. Since then, the Crown has not issued another extension to the closing date. In light of the addition of the new resources, would the Crown agree to provide a 2 week extension so that firms can ensure	No extension will be given at this time.

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	that they provide quality resources and a quality submission?	
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ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE SOLICITATION REMAIN THE SAME