



RETURN BIDS TO:

RETOURNER LES SOUMISSIONS À:

Bid Receiving - PWGSC / Réception des soumissions -
TPSGC

11 Laurier St./11, rue Laurier

Place du Portage, Phase III

Core 0B2 / Noyau 0B2

Gatineau

Québec

K1A 0S5

Bid Fax: (819) 997-9776

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

Letter of Interest

Lettre d'intérêt

Vendor/Firm Name and Address

Raison sociale et adresse du
fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur

Issuing Office - Bureau de distribution

Armoured Vehicles Support/Soutien des véhicules
blindés

11 Laurier St./11, rue Laurier

Place du Portage Phase III 6C1

Gatineau

Québec

K1A 0S5

Title - Sujet Next Generation Fighting Vehicle Pr Véhicule combat nouvelle génération	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation W6399-19KH53/D	Amendment No. - N° modif. 001
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client W6399-19KH53	Date 2021-09-13
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$\$BL-299-28290	
File No. - N° de dossier 325bl.W6399-19KH53	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 2021-12-17 Heure Avancée de l'Est HAE	
F.O.B. - F.A.B. Specified Herein - Précisé dans les présentes Plant-Usine: <input type="checkbox"/> Destination: <input type="checkbox"/> Other-Autre: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: Proulx, Sylvain	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur 325bl
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (819) 635-8913 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX () -
Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction: N/A	

Instructions: See Herein

Instructions: Voir aux présentes

Delivery Required - Livraison exigée	Delivery Offered - Livraison proposée
Vendor/Firm Name and Address Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur	
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur	
Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm (type or print) Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/ de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)	
Signature	Date



Letter of Interest (LOI) W6399-19KH53/D Amendment 001

Next Generation Fighting Vehicle Project

Amendment number 001 is raised to provide questions and answers.

Questions and Answers

Q1. The project schedule shows the Draft Solicitation being released Winter 2022/2023 followed by the Official RFP in the fall of 2023. This is somewhat confusing on the release of the draft and the official document. Can you provide additional clarification on the timing of the release for the draft RFP? Is it possible to work with quarters or months as opposed to seasons of the year?

A1. Canada will look at standardizing the dating format in future documents to minimize potential confusion. The current period of release of the draft Request for Proposal (RFP) for the Next Generation Fighting Vehicle (NGFV) is stated as Winter 2022-23. This is to mean any period between November 2022 to February 2023.

Q2. Is there a projected timing period for the review and submittal for both the draft and the official RFPs?

A2. The period of review of the draft RFP and Final RFP will be provided once we have the details. The typical solicitation period has been 45 days.

Q3. Will there be a requirement for a trials or demonstration vehicle or vehicles as part of the tender process?

A3. It is likely that as part of the tender process, there will be a requirement to conduct mobility trials, a user evaluation, validation of some of the survivability and lethality performance and these details will be provided as the project further develops its technical specifications.

Q4. Recital 1.1.1 - States that some vehicles will be equipped with an integrated Remote Weapons Station (RWS) or a crewed turret and include Command, Control, Computers, Communications, Cyber-defense, Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance (C5ISR) integration. **Can further clarification be provided related to the RWS and C5ISR, and the respective integration of these technologies?**

A4. The current NGFV Project procurement strategy for the Remote Weapons Station (RWS) is for the vehicle OEM to supply.

While the NGFV C5ISR requirements are still being defined, it is known that most of the provided list in the LOI W6399-19KH53/D will be supplied by the vehicle Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM).

Detailed integration requirements will be available in the NGFV draft RFP.



Q5. Will the Remote Weapons Station (RWS) and C5ISR be GFE? If so, what RWS and C5ISR equipment need to be integrated? Will an Interface Control Document (ICD) on the RWS and C5ISR be provided with the RFP?

A5. The RWS will not be Government Furnished Equipment (GFE), except possibly for the specific weapons that are currently in the Canadian Armed Forces (CAF) inventory for either fit-ups, space claim assessment and to perform trials and tests.

For all Department of National Defence (DND) supplied C5ISR components, Government Furnished Information (GFI) will be provided for integration purposes and in some cases items could be provided GFE for either fit-ups, space claim assessment and to perform trials and tests. As mentioned in the Letter of Interest (LOI) W6399-19KH53/D, GFI will be provided for the DND supplied Electronic Counter Measure (ECM) system.

Detailed integration requirements will be available in the NGFV draft RFP

Q6. Will the Remote Weapons Station (RWS) and C5ISR be supplied by the vehicle OEM? If so, when will the OEM be supplied with the technical requirements for the equipment?

A6. The current NGFV Project strategy for the Remote Weapons Station is for the vehicle OEM to supply. The RWS Preliminary Operational Requirements were defined in the LOI W6399-19KH53/D. The detailed technical requirements will be further defined following the review of the LOI responses and the one-on-one meetings between Industry Representatives and the Government of Canada.

Technical requirements for the supplied equipment (RWS & C5ISR) will be available in the NGFV draft RFP.

Q7. The same concerns regarding RWS and C5ISR concern is again raised under Recital 2.e as under the questions for Recital 1.1.1. Will the RWS and C5ISR be GFE or the OEM's responsibility.

A7. The RWS will not be GFE. However, all weapon systems may be provided as Government Furnished Equipment (GFE) for either fit-ups, space claim assessment and to perform trials and tests.

While the NGFV C5ISR requirements are still being defined, it is known that most of the provided list in the LOI W6399-19KH53/D will be supplied by the vehicle OEM.

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED