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Attention: Chantale Grégoire

**QUESTION AND ANSWER # 3  
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**Request For Standing Offer (RFSO)  
Demande d'offre à commandes (DOC)**

Offer to: Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness Canada

We hereby offer to provide to Canada, as represented by the Minister of Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness Canada, in accordance with the terms and conditions set out herein or attached hereto, the goods, services, and construction detailed herein and on any attached sheets.

Offre au: Ministère des Sécurité publique et Protection civile Canada

Nous offrons par la présente de fournir au Canada, représenté par le ministre des Sécurité publique et Protection civile Canada, aux conditions énoncées ou incluses par référence dans la présente et aux annexes ci-jointes, les biens, services et construction énumérés ici et sur toute feuille ci-annexée.

**Comments – Commentaires:**

Instructions: See Herein  
Instructions: Voir aux présentes

**Vender/Firm Name and Address  
Raison sociale et adresse du  
Fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur**

**Issuing Office – Bureau de distribution**  
Public Safety Canada  
Contracting and Procurement Section  
269 Laurier Avenue West  
Ottawa ON K1A 0P8

<b>Title – Sujet</b> Request for Standing Offer: English and/or French Second Language training	
<b>Solicitation No. – N° de l'invitation</b> 202203395	<b>Date</b> December 7 , 2021
<b>Solicitation Closes – L'invitation prend fin</b> <b>At – à</b> 2 :00PM <b>On – le</b> December 15 , 2021	<b>Time Zone</b> <b>Fuseau horaire</b>  EST
<b>Delivery Required – Livraison exigée</b> See Herein	
<b>Address Enquiries to : - Adresser toutes questions à :</b> Chantale Gregoire	
<b>Telephone No. – N° de telephone</b> 343 – 549-5220	
<b>Destination – of Goods, Services and Construction:</b> <b>Destination – des biens, services et construction:</b>  Public Safety & Emergency Preparedness Canada 269 Laurier Avenue West, Ottawa ON K1A 0P8	
<b>Security – Sécurité</b>  This Request for Standing Offer does not include any security provisions.	

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**Telephone No. – N° de telephone**  
**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 due fournisseur/  
de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)**

**Signature**

**Date**



## QUESTION AND ANSWER # 3

### RFSO 202203395

#### Question #1

Can you clarify whether a supplier can submit a bid for virtual language training only?

I looked in summary 1.1, and it seems to be talking about virtual language training, and then right after it mentions group training in a classroom. We are not in the capital region, so we need to know if our bid can be limited to virtual language training only. Could you clarify this for us?

#### Annexes:

Annex A  
Annex B

Statement of Work  
Basis of Payment

The requirement is subject to the provisions of the Canadian Free Trade Agreement. (CFTA)

#### 1.1 Summary

Canada wishes to issue a RFSO for language training needs. The RFSO will be for the delivery of the training divided into the following work streams :

Work Streams
Group Training
- Virtual Learning
- Classroom Learning
Individual Training
- Virtual Learning
- Classroom Learning

#### Answer #1

Please see amendment #1 of the RFSO posted on Buy and Sell, under Annex A – Statement of Work, Section 5.2.2

#### Question #2

Following the standing offer posted on the “Buy and Sell” site, I would like to know if working with MS Teams or Zoom is mandatory.

We are a school board, and we purchase the Google for Education licence. This platform is very popular and secure, as we provide an “edu.on.ca” email to all our learners so they can use all the education applications such as Google Meet, Google Classroom, etc., to name only a few. In addition, our IT department closely follows the personal information security measures set by the [Information and Privacy Commissioner of Ontario](#).

#### Answer #2

Public Safety currently supports MS Teams and Zoom. No other platforms can be supported at this time.