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**SOLICITATION AMENDMENT
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The referenced document is hereby revised; unless otherwise
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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

AMENDMENT 010

This amendment is raised to answer questions.

	Questions and Answers
Q144	With regards to insurance requirements; GC 9 requires \$5M in Commercial General Liability Insurance and \$1M in Professional Liability Insurance, however the IBC form 2000 requires different insurance amounts and seems to be more applicable to a construction contract and not a consultant contract. Please clarify the insurance coverage requirements in order to eliminate the discrepancy.
A144	<p>Please follow the instructions under part 2 and 3 of R1250D GC9.2 (2017-11-28) Insurance Requirements which state:</p> <p>2. Commercial General Liability</p> <p>The insurance coverage provided shall not be less than that provided by IBC Form 2100, <u>as amended from time to time</u>, and shall have: a limit of liability of not less than \$5,000,000 per occurrence; an aggregate limit of not less than \$5,000,000 within any policy year.</p> <p>3. Professional Liability</p> <p>The Professional Liability insurance coverage shall be in an amount usual for the nature and scope of the Services but, shall have a limit of liability of not less than \$1,000,000 per claim, and be continually maintained from the commencement of performance of the Services until five (5) years after their completion</p> <p>The Certificate of Insurance form is for reference only. A revised editable version with appropriate required coverage will be supplied by the contracting authority.</p>
Q145	We cannot find a limitation of liability in either the Commercial General Liability Insurance requirements or the Professional Liability Insurance requirements. Would Canada accept a limitation of liability equal to the limits of insurance requirements?
A145	No
Q146	Some clauses within the contract are potentially uninsurable. Would Canada be open to negotiating uninsurable contract language with the successful proponent?
A146	No.
Q147	<p>With regards to the named roles in section 3.2.3 Experience and Expertise of Key Individuals, while we understand that RFP clause PI9 LICENSING REQUIREMENTS advises that it is acceptable that team members who are eligible to be licensed in Ontario be put forward in key roles, the relevant legislation in Ontario forbids the use of the term of "architect" or "engineer" in this context for any proposed individual, if they are currently not licensed in Ontario. This applies even if their licenses are in progress.</p> <p>(i) For resumes where the term "architect" or "engineer" is being requested by Canada as the title of a proposed key role, or the wording "architect" or "engineer" is being requested throughout their resumes to describe past roles and prove years of experience in that role, we cannot currently used the term "architect" or "engineer" in relationship to these individuals in any way (unless they performed the project in a jurisdiction where they are licensed and can claim that title),</p> <p>(ii) Given that Canada will accept individuals with the eligibility to be licensed in Ontario, and in order to prevent the illegal use of the descriptor "engineer" or "architect" in relation to these individuals, can an alternative descriptor, such as "Project Mechanical Designer" be considered equivalent to "Project Mechanical Engineer" for the purposes of putting forward these eligible individuals?</p>
A147	<p>(i) The requirement for Key Individual experience on past projects is that the individual(s) must have a certain number of years of experience performing duties in the proposed role (e.g., as an architect, engineer etc).</p> <p>(ii) No, Canada will not use an alternate descriptor. If proponents are concerned about proposing a soon to be eligible individual in a particular role, proponents should consult with the appropriate regulatory body or professional organization if they have concerns.</p>
Q148	Would Canada allow full marks to be awarded for that key resume so titled, if the individual can fulfill all the other criteria and requirements requested by Canada for the role and can show, and describe, themselves as "Project Mechanical Designer" while a fully licensed professional in another jurisdiction throughout the necessary years of experience?

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A148	If an individual was not acting in the role described in requirement, their experience will not be awarded points
Q149	1. 3.2.6.4 Innovative Approaches and Other Measures lists as possible inclusions “other benefits such as internships, bursaries, scholarships, etc. to Indigenous Peoples across Canada” – are these meant to be new, unique, and specifically associated to each PSPC contract? For example if we had won and were managing two projects simultaneously, would the creation of a new bursary only be credited against one IPP or both?
A149	Bursaries, internships, scholarships etc can only be credited to one IPP/contract.
Q150	Would you consider extending the page limitation in section 3.2.4 to account for a double page spread for the org chart? It’s proving impossible to fit the full team and back-ups on one page.
A150	PWGSC will not increase the page limit for the flowchart in section 3.2.4.

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN THE SAME.