

ANNEX E

C22 MODULAR PISTOL PROJECT

BIDDERS INSTRUCTIONS AND TECHNICAL

EVALUATION PLAN



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Related Appendices:

Appendix 1	C22 Modular Pistol Project Technical Evaluation Workbook For Phase 1
Appendix 2	C22 Modular Pistol Project Compliance Verification Checklist For Phases 2 and 3
Appendix 3	C22 Modular Pistol Project Technical Evaluation Procedures for Phase 2 and 3

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Purpose

- 1.1.1 This document identifies the technical evaluation process for the C22 Modular Pistol Project Pistol (MPP) Full Frame (FF) Pistol and Holster System bid submissions including requirements for written proposals and follow-on testing that will be conducted by Canada in support of bid evaluation.

1.2 Guidance to Bidders

- 1.2.1 Bidders must comply with the specific instructions contained in this document. Failure to do so will result in their bid submission being declared non-compliant in which case it would not be further evaluated.

1.3 Terminology

CAF	Canadian Armed Forces
DND	Department of National Defence
FF	Full Frame
IAW	In Accordance With
MPP	Modular Pistol Project
OEM	Original Equipment Manufacturer
PPS	Pre-Production Samples
SPTD	Supplementary Provisioning Technical Data

2. BID SUBMISSION DELIVERABLES

2.1 Compliance Matrix

- 2.1.1 The Bidder's bid must include a signed and dated copy and an electronic copy of the Technical Evaluation Workbook (Appendix 1 to Annex E), with the self-assessment at Columns 5, 6 and 7 completed, and the required documentary evidence attached. References to external sources and web sites will not be accepted.

- 2.1.2 The Bidder must provide the required documentary evidence identified in Column 4, as part of the proposal. References to external sources and web sites will not be accepted.

2.2 Column 4: "Mandatory Technical and Documentary Evidence"

- 2.2.1 This column provides direction to the Bidder as to the information that must be provided with the bid to demonstrate compliance against a specific requirement.

- 2.2.2 For many requirement the evaluators will rely on Bid Samples to confirm compliance. The Bid Samples will reduce the necessary documentation which would otherwise be necessary to support determining compliance to a requirement. Annex F details the Bid Samples that must be provided to support bid evaluation. Failure to provide all Bid Samples will result in the

bid being declared non-compliant in which case it would not be further evaluated.

- 2.2.3 In many instances the Bidders must demonstrate their compliance to the requirement by providing substantial information IAW Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual, clause A9097T describing completely and in detail how the requirement is met or addressed. It is the Bidders responsibility to determine what information is provided as substantial information and could include documents like the following:
 - 2.2.3.1 A system brochure that details the components and operating characteristics of the system;
 - 2.2.3.2 The system Operator's Manual;
 - 2.2.3.3 The system Maintenance Manual;
 - 2.2.3.4 Drawing or schematic which clearly depicts the product's dimensions and scale; or
 - 2.2.3.5 Any additional documentation that provides product information which confirms compliance.
- 2.2.4 Where a test report has been requested the report submitted must meet the following requirements:
 - 2.2.4.1 The test report must provide supporting objective evidence in the form of complete and verifiable test reports, including test procedures, parameters, conditions and results, conducted by the Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) or an independent organization, with an explanation that confirms the product(s) fully complies with the requirement.
- 2.2.5 Where a compliance statement has been requested the bidder must provide a signed certificate that states that the bidders proposal fully meets the technical and performance requirement for which the compliance statement has been requested.
- 2.2.6 Instruction for the completion of Columns 5, 6 and 7 are as follows.
- 2.3 **Column 5 "Bidder's Compliance Self-Assessment"**
 - 2.3.1 This column is a Bidder's self-assessment column where a Bidder should indicate whether he is "Compliant" or Non-Compliant" for each mandatory requirement being evaluated. Each cell contains a drop down menu with two choices from which the Bidder should choose either "Compliant" or "Non-Compliant".
- 2.4 **Column 6 "Evidence Location in Bid Package"**
 - 2.4.1 In this column the Bidder should clearly identify where in the bid proposal (document, page and paragraph) the evaluator can find the substantial information that supports the Bidder's compliance against the mandatory criteria.

- 2.4.2 Where a Certificate of Conformance is specified in Appendix 1 to Annex E the bidder must provide a signed Certificate of Conformance that states that the Bidders proposal fully meets the technical and performance requirement for which the compliance statement has been requested.

2.5 **Columns 7 “ Bidder’s Statement and/or Comments”**

- 2.5.1 In this column the Bidder should provide additional relevant information that they would like to bring to the attention of the evaluators for consideration during their assessment of each of the mandatory requirements.

2.6 **Bidder’s Count of Mandatory Requirement Compliance**

- 2.6.1 Cell G10 of the Technical Evaluation Workbook is a self-calculating cell where the bidder can track its rated compliance against the total number of mandatory requirements.

3. **TECHNICAL BID EVALUATION**

3.1 **Phase 1 Technical Requirements Evaluation**

- 3.1.1 Phase 1 will be an examination of the mandatory technical and documentary evidence that must be provided by Bidders to support their bid as detailed in Appendix 1 to Annex E column 4 and these evaluations will be conducted by a DND Technical Evaluation Team.

- 3.1.2 The evaluation will be based only on the mandatory technical and documentary evidence supplied with the Bidder’s proposal.

- 3.1.3 Failure to provide all the mandatory technical and documentary evidence to evaluate the proposal against the technical requirements will deem the bid non-compliant.

- 3.1.4 All bids deemed fully compliant will progress to Phase 2. Non-compliant bids will be removed from further consideration.

3.2 **Phase 2 Laboratory and Range Testing**

- 3.2.1.1 The Phase 2 will include laboratory and range testing using the Bid Samples to confirm compliance to specific technical requirements. These evaluations will be conducted by a DND Technical Evaluation Team.

- 3.2.1.2 The requirements that will be evaluated in Phase 2 are detailed in Appendix 2 to Annex E Compliance Verification Checklist.

- 3.2.1.3 All bids deemed fully compliant will progress to Phase 3. Non-compliant bids will be removed from further consideration.

3.3 **Phase 3 Endurance and Precision Testing**

- 3.3.1 Phase 3 will consist of the conduct of Endurance and Precision Testing using the Bid Samples to confirm compliance to specific technical requirements. These evaluations will be conducted by a DND Technical Evaluation Team.

- 3.3.2 All shooting will be conducted by qualified personnel.

- 3.3.3 The requirements that will be evaluated in Phase 3 are detailed in Appendix 2 to Annex E Compliance Verification Checklist.
- 3.3.4 Non-compliant bids will be removed from further consideration.
- 3.4 **Ammunition for Phase 2 and 3**
- 3.4.1 All ammunition for Phases 2 and 3 testing and evaluation will be provided by Canada and will be the Canadian Mk 1 Ball 9 x 19 mm ammunition. Should this ammunition not be available Canada at its sole discretion may substitute any ammunition that meets the requirement in Annex C.