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**BID SOLICITATION # E60ZR-211390/A
FOR A CONTRACT AGAINST A SUPPLY ARRANGEMENT FOR TASK- BASED
INFORMATICS PROFESSIONAL SERVICES (TBIPS)**

WORKSTREAM 1 – WEB DEVELOPMENT

A1 APPLICATION/SOFTWARE ARCHITECT – LEVEL 2, LEVEL 3

A6 PROGRAMMER/SOFTWARE DEVELOPER – LEVEL 2

A7 PROGRAMMER/ANALYST – LEVEL 2

A8 SYSTEM ANALYST – LEVEL 2

A11 TESTER – LEVEL 2, LEVEL 3

A14 WEB DEVELOPER – LEVEL 2

B1 BUSINESS ANALYST – LEVEL 2

B14 TECHNICAL WRITER – LEVEL 3

I2 DATABASE ADMINISTRATOR – LEVEL 3

I3 DATABASE ANALYST / IM ADMINISTRATOR – LEVEL 3

P10 PROJECT SCHEDULER – LEVEL 3

WORKSTREAM 2 – STRATEGIC DEVELOPMENT

B1 BUSINESS ANALYST – LEVEL 3

B7 BUSINESS TRANSFORMATION ARCHITECT – LEVEL 3

B14 TECHNICAL WRITER – LEVEL 3

I11 TECHNOLOGY ARCHITECT – LEVEL 2, LEVEL 3

P5 PROJECT EXECUTIVE – LEVEL 3

P7 PROJECT COORDINATOR – LEVEL 3

P9 PROJECT MANAGER – LEVEL 3

P12 RISK MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST – LEVEL 2

**FOR
PUBLIC SERVICES AND PROCUREMENT CANADA (PSPC)**

The Request for Proposal (RFP) Amendment 007 is raised to answer questions received from Bidders.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q47 -

In rated requirement R.1.1, it states that the minimum total value of the contracts should be \$2,000,000 (including applicable taxes). Due to the complexity of this requirement, would the Crown consider lowering the minimum contract value required from \$2,000,000 to \$1,800,000?

A47 -

No change

Q48 -

Regarding Workstream 2 - M.1.3 & R.1.1.

Given the category variability in Tier 2 contracts which historically did not have the breadth of category diversity within the timeframe allotted it becomes an exercise in randomness for which the suppliers are being measured. The current arbitrariness of the requirement precludes otherwise qualified suppliers.

Would the crown amend M.1.3 to 3 contracts with the same existing parameters to qualify (items i thru v) and amend R1.1 to a maximum of 5 contracts with the same parameters to qualify (i, ii, iv & v) with item iii amended to The contract must have included the provision of a team of 4 resources in any categories listed (or equivalent resource categories under a different title) identified above at the same time and for at least six months.

The window of acceptable experience has been expanded from 5 to 15 years for this point rated criterion.

The Bidder will be awarded 5 points for each contract reference provided in excess of the three required in M.1.3, up to a maximum of 25 Points.

Note: An additional 15 points will be awarded if all eight resource categories in this workstream are demonstrated, within any combination of contract references provided.

A48 -

No change

Q49 -

Reference 5: : RFP Workstream 1 M.1.3 and R.1.1 (pages 110 and 117)

For Workstream 1, M.1.3 and R.1.1 require the provision of a team consisting of six (6) or more resource categories. Due to the wide spectrum of categories across multiple TBIPS streams required under this solicitation and that many Government clients separate contracts into different workstreams with limited TBIPS streams per contract, making it challenging to demonstrate a wide range of categories under one (1) contract, as such would the Crown please consider reducing these requirements from six (6) resource categories to five (5) resource categories?

A49 -

No change

Q50 -

we respectfully request an additional two-week extension to the current closing date, this additional time will enable bidders to deliver more competitive responses to PSPC.

A50 -

Please see answer to question 35 of RFP amendment 006.

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE RFP REMAIN UNCHANGED