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**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.

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Title - Sujet LC4ISR – Core Network	
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The purpose of this amendment is to:

1. Publish answers to bidders' questions.

All other terms and conditions of the draft RFP remain unchanged.

Bidder's Questions as of 12 July 2022

- Q1. Reference: [LC4ISR - System of System (SoS) Engineering & Integration (W8486-200731/C); LC4ISR - Core Network (W8486-200731/D); LC4ISR ISTAR (W8486-200731/E)] Annex B - Basis of Payment, Table 2 (Fixed Hourly Rates)**

Can Canada explain, why the categories of E3 Specialist (positions 49, 50 and 51) and Certified TEMPEST Professional (positions 62 and 63) categories are included in Table 2 not only for Core Network but also for SoS E&I (W8486-200731/C) and ISTAR (W8486-200731/E)?

Should bidders conclude that these labour categories, and the corresponding scope of work associated with these specialists, are part of the Core Network, SoS E&I and ISTAR LC4ISR capability programs?

- A1. Yes, it is expected that these labour categories will be required for work on the contracts in question.**

- Q2. Reference: LC4ISR - System of System (SoS) Engineering Integration (W8486-200731/C), Annex A (Statement of Work), section 5.2.1.1**

The requirement states that "The Contractor must implement and manage a SEMP in accordance with the standard DLCSPM-SEP-2021DLCSPM. This document is the LAND C4ISR CAPABILITY SYSTEMS ENGINEERING PLAN (dated 14 Dec 2021) released under W8486-200731/B (LC4ISR) System. In section 4.7.6.1.c.iii.1 & 2 of DLCSPM-SEP-2021DLCSPM, the position of SEM (System Engineer Manager) is listed for the SoS E&I contractor and the Functional Grouping contractor.

Do the contractors provide the SEMs or are the SEMs provided by DLSCPM? Please clarify.

- A2. The contractor is to provide a SEM to work with the DLCSPM Chief Engineer and other senior staff to achieve the required work requirements.**

- Q3. Reference: LC4ISR - System of System (SoS) Engineering & Integration (W8486-200731/C), Annex A (Statement of Work), section 5.2.1.1**

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Does Canada intend to issue an updated and final version of DLCSPM-SEP-2021 DLCSPM prior to the release of the SoS E&I RFP?

- A3. The intent is to provide an updated version of the SEP via an amendment to the RFI W8486-200731/B. Also, we plan to work with the winning bidders to develop a process that works for all organizations.

Additionally, the Contractor must designate SEMs to work with DLCSPM SEMs. Please refer to SoS E&I SOW Section 5 (specifically Section 5.3.4.1),

The Contractor must designate specific personnel of its choice to advise on Land C4ISR System Engineering Manager (SEM) activities to the Contractor's SoS E&I Chief Engineer. These individuals include:

- i. Contractor's SoS SEM,
- ii. Contractor's Mobile Domain SEM,
- iii. Contractor's Headquarters Dom

Note: Some or all of the Q&As may not apply to this Draft RFP specifically.