NOTICE OF PROPOSED PROCUREMENT (NPP) For an ORGANIZATIONAL CHART SOLUTION AND RELATED SERVICES

Reference Number: 100021358 Solicitation 100021358

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Organization Name: **Employment and Social Development Canada**

Solicitation Date: July 21st 2022 Closing Date: August 30th 2022

September 12th **Estimated Anticipated Start Date:** One (1) Solution,

Level of Effort: Professional Services on an 2022

> as and when requested basis, and Training Services

Estimated Delivery Date: To be Determined

The period of the Contract is from September 12th 2022 to

Contract Duration: September 11th 2023, with six (6) irrevocable options to extend for

one (1) year at the time.

Solicitation Method: Competitive -Applicable CFTA, CCFTA, CPTPP,

> Open Tender Trade CCoFTA, CETA, CHFTA,

CKFTA, CPAFTA, CPFTA, Agreements:

Canada-UK TCA, CUFTA,

WTO-GPA

Comprehensive Land N/A

Claim Agreement (if

applicable):

Number of 1

Contracts:

Requirement Details:

Tendering Procedure: Open Tendering

Description of the Work:

HRSB is requesting an Organization Chart solution that is cloud-based; automated, with a userfriendly approach for creating, developing and maintaining organization charts. The solution must integrate with PeopleSoft 9.2 and its processes, as well as it must be able to support at a minimum approximately 60,000 positions within ESDC and approximately 10,400 users (Classification Officers and ESDC managers and Administrative Assistants). The solution should enable a significant reduction in time and resources to the department and increase departmentwide organizational understanding and analysis ability. The solution should provide a single source of truth and will allow everyone to access the same organizational picture. The vendor will be implementing the solution in a two-phases approach. PHASE 1 - The first phase of implementation will be the Minimal Viable Product (MVP) and will only reference Unclassified

Data. PHASE 2 - The second phase of implementation will contain Classified Data (Protected B). The vendor will need to demonstrate to IT security that they indeed meet the mandatory requirements, including the need for the supplier to be certified for IT security. The Phase 1 MVP requirement will be to implement the solution for unclassified data by January 2023 and is considered as a high priority. The solution for Protected B data for phase 2 will be implemented at a later date, once ESDC is ready to move forward with this phase and the vendor has obtained all necessary security clearances. Under the resulting contract, the vendor will need to provide professional services from a Solution Expert, a Training Expert, and training services. The initial period of the contract is for one (1) year, from September 12th 2022 to September 11th 2023, with six (6) additional option periods of one (1) year.

Security Requirement:

For phase 1 of resulting contract, there are no security requirements.

For phase 2 of resulting contract, here are the applicable security requirements:

- 1. The contractor/offeror must, at all times during the performance of the contract/standing offer, hold a valid designated organization screening (DOS) with approved document safeguarding at the level of protected B, issued by the Contract Security Program (CSP), Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC):
- 2. The contractor/offeror personnel requiring access to **protected** information, assets or work site(s) must each hold a valid reliability status, granted or approved by the CSP, PWGSC:
- 3. The contractor **must not** utilize its Information Technology systems to electronically process, produce or store protected information until the CSP, PWGSC has issued written approval. After approval has been granted or approved, these tasks may be performed up to the level of **protected B**, including an IT Link up to the level of protected B;
- 4. Subcontracts which contain security requirements are **not** to be awarded without the prior written permission of the CSP. PWGSC: and.
- 5. The contractor/offeror must comply with the provisions of the:
 - a. Security Requirements Check List and security guide, attached at Annex D.
 - b. Contract Security Manual (latest edition),
 - c. Security Requirements at Appendix A to Annex B.

Contract Authority:

Email: nc-solicitations-gd@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca

Inquiries:

Inquiries regarding this RFP requirement must be submitted to the Contracting Authority named above.

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