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GI 2 INTRODUCTION

Paragraph #3

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It is DFO's intention to award up to two (2) Standing Offers for a period from standing offer award through to March 31, 2027. The total dollar value of the Standing Offer is estimated to be \$10,000,000.00 (HST/GST Included). (Financial limitation of \$6,000,000.00 to the 1st ranked contractor and \$4,000,000.00 to the 2nd ranked contractor.) Individual call-ups will vary, up to a maximum of \$350,000.00 (HST/GST included) under exceptional circumstances. Proponents should note that there is no guarantee that the full or any amount of the Standing Offer will be called-up; DFO will award call-ups only when the specific services to be provided under the Standing Offer are needed. Please refer to Section SP5, CALL-UP PROCEDURE.

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APPENDIX E - INUIT BENEFITS PLAN (IBP) NUNAVUT AGREEMENT

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drafted to provide additional information and clarity

Question 1:

Can you confirm how many proponents will be listed on the Standing Offer? The RFP suggests that only one (1) proponent will be selected. This seems unreasonable given the duration and the total dollar value of the standing offer. Our experience on many Government of Canada Standing Offers is that multiple firms are selected. The approach suggested here will limit other firms from gaining Arctic marine project experience.

Answer 1:

Section SP 5 of the Standing Offer Particulars is to be modified as follows:

a) The Departmental Representative will establish the scope of services to be performed. **For each individual Call-Up, consultants will be considered based on a proportional basis such that the offeror who was top ranked will receive 60% of the portion of the work, and the second ranked offeror will receive 40% of the portion of the work.**

The Consultant who is furthest under their respective ideal business distribution percentage in relation to the other consultants will be selected for the next call-up.

b) The Consultant will be provided the scope of services and given a reasonable deadline for submission of a proposal. The proposal submission deadline will be established by the Departmental Representative and will be based on the size and complexity of the project. Should the Consultant fail to meet the proposal submission deadline, Canada reserves the right not to further consider the Consultant for the call-up, **and select the next consultant who is furthest away from the ideal business distribution.**

Section GI 2 of the General Instructions to Proponents is to be modified as follows:

3. It is DFO's intention to award ~~one (1)~~ **up to two (2)** Standing Offers for a period from standing offer award through to March 31, 2027.

Question 2:

We would like to confirm the statement in the RFP documents section GI 2 point 3. stating "it is DFO's intention to award one (1) Standing Offer for a period from...". For clarification, is it DFO's intent to

have only ONE (1) proponent awarded this Standing Offer or is it DFO's intent to have several proponents awarded this Standing Offer?

Answer 2:

See answer to Question 1.

Question 3:

Please confirm that comparable and relevant project examples do not need to be solely based in the Canadian Arctic and as long as the sites are characterized by remote locations and/or exposure to ice conditions similar point awarding will be provided?

Answer 3:

Canadian Arctic Past Experience shall be replaced with Comparable and Relevant Past Experience. A project is said to be comparable and relevant if it is similar or greater scope, cost, geographic and regulatory challenges. It is the responsibility of the Proponent to clearly demonstrate the project's comparability and relevance.

Question 4:

Can you confirm if Appendix C Team Identification should be located in Section IV Annex "D" Evaluation Criteria?

Answer 4:

Team identification must be included in the technical proposal, not in the financial proposal.

Question 5:

How should the IBP be written for hours/fees without a scope being identified? Can we use percentages only?

Answer 5:

The IBP Requirements have been modified. See Addendum #1 for details.