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	<p>EC Bid Solicitation No./SAP PR No. - N° de la demande de soumissions EC / N° SAP PR 5000067335</p>	<p>Amendment No. - N° de modif. 002</p>
	<p>Date of Bid Solicitation (YYYY-MM-DD) – Date de la demande de soumissions (AAAA-MM-JJ) 2022-12-05</p>	
	<p>Bid Solicitation Closes (YEAR-MM-DD) - La demande de soumissions prend fin (AAAA-MM-JJ) at – à 3 :00 PM on – le 2022-12-30</p>	<p>Time Zone – Fuseau horaire <i>Eastern Standard Time</i></p>
	<p>F.O.B – F.A.B</p>	
	<p>Address Enquiries to - Adresser toutes questions à</p> <p>Shawn Davis shawn.davis@ec.gc.ca</p>	
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	<p>Destination of Services / Destination des services Various Locations</p>	



The amendment to the bid solicitation is to address the enquiries received, please see amendment 1 for Q1-3.

Q4. We specialize in Swiftwater Rescue, Ice Water Rescue, and Wilderness First Aid. I just wanted to make sure I read this RFP correctly that we would need to provide all of the training (boot camp programs) listed in the RFP (Egress, Survival, Helicopter, etc) and not just our specialties listed above?

A4. Correct, as per RFP the contractor must provide all courses listed.

Q5. Can the submission date be extended until January 31?

A5. An extension to the closing date cannot be considered at this time.

Q6. We want to bid on several training on the list. Is there an opportunity for a partial bid?

A6. A partial bid is not possible for this requirement. ECCC is seeking one contractor to deliver all training courses listed.

Q7. How are travel, accommodations, and equipment rentals expected to be billed? Is there a unit rate and/or a standard markup, or is this expected to be billed as an annual upfront allowance?

A7. Please refer to Attachment 1 to Part 3 in the RFP, the following text can be found at the end of this section:

Note: The Contractor will be reimbursed for rental charges incurred in the performance of the Work. Rental charges will be reimbursed at cost, supported by receipts, with no allowance for overhead or profit. All rentals must have the prior authorization of the Technical Authority. All payments are subject to government audit.

The Contractor will be reimbursed its authorized travel and living expenses reasonably and properly incurred in the performance of the Work, at cost, without any allowance for profit and/or administrative overhead, in accordance with the meal, and private vehicle allowances specified in Appendices B, C and D of the National Joint Council Travel Directive, and with the other provisions of the directive referring to "travellers", rather than those referring to "employees". Canada will not pay the Contractor any incidental expense allowance for authorized travel. All travel must have the prior authorization of the Technical Authority. All payments are subject to government audit.

Q8. Is there a chance of knowing how many boot camps are planned for the next year?

A8. Typically, we hold 3 boot camp sessions per year, Winter, Spring and Fall. It is anticipated that next year will be a typical year.

Q9. Can the same individual be identified as a "Lead Trainer" and a "Trainer," or must different individuals be identified to fulfill these two roles?

A9. Yes, the same individual can be used for criteria M4 – Lead Trainer Experience and M5 – Trainers Experience.

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