

**RETURN BIDS TO:
RETOURNER LES SOUMISSIONS À :****louise.curtis@tc.gc.ca****REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
DEMANDE DE PROPOSITION****Amendment - Amendment****001****Proposal To: Transport Canada**

We hereby offer to sell to Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada, in accordance with the terms and conditions set out herein, referred to herein or attached hereto, the goods, services, and construction listed herein and on any attached sheets at the price(s) set out thereof.

On behalf of the bidder, by signing below, I confirm that I have read the entire bid solicitation including the documents incorporated by reference into the bid solicitation and I certify that:

1. The bidder considers itself and its products able to meet all the mandatory requirements described in the bid solicitation;
2. This bid is valid for the period requested in the bid solicitation;
3. All the information provided in the bid is complete, true and accurate; and
4. If the bidder is awarded a contract, it will accept all the terms and conditions set out in the resulting contract clauses included in the bid solicitation.

Proposition à : Transports Canada

Nous offrons par la présente de vendre à Sa Majesté la Reine du chef du Canada, aux conditions énoncées ou incluses par référence dans la présente et aux annexes ci-jointes, les biens, services et construction énumérés ici sur toute feuille ci-annexées, au(x) prix indiqué(s).

En apposant ma signature ci-après, j'atteste, au nom du soumissionnaire, que j'ai lu la demande de propositions (DP) en entier, y compris les documents incorporés par renvoi dans la DP et que :

1. le soumissionnaire considère qu'il a les compétences et que ses produits sont en mesure de satisfaire les exigences obligatoires décrites dans la demande de soumissions;
2. cette soumission est valide pour la période exigée dans la demande de soumissions ;
3. tous les renseignements figurant dans la soumission sont complèts, véridiques et exacts; et
4. si un contrat est attribué au soumissionnaire, ce dernier se conformera à toutes les modalités énoncées dans les clauses concernant le contrat subséquent et comprises dans la demande de soumissions

Title – Sujet

Grid-Integration and other Installation Costs Study of Medium and Heavy Duty Vehicle Electric Vehicle Chargers

Solicitation No. – N° de l'invitation**Date**

T8080-230381

8 December 2023

Client Reference No. – N° référence du client

T8838-230100

GETS Reference No. – N° de référence de SEAG**Solicitation Closes
L'invitation prend fin****Time Zone****Fuseau horaire**

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| at – à | 02:00 PM – 14h00 | Eastern Standard Time (EST) |
| on – le | 22 December 2023 | Heure Normale de l'Est (HNE) |

F.O.B. - F.A.B.Plant-Usine: Destination: Other-Autre: **Address inquiries to – Adresser toute demande de renseignements à :****Louise Curtis**

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| Area code and Telephone No. Code régional et N° de téléphone | E-mail Courriel |
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343-571-8834 louise.curtis@tc.gc.ca**Destination – of Goods, Services, and Construction:****Destination – des biens, services et construction****National Capital Region****Instructions:** See Herein**Instructions :** Voir aux présentes

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| Delivery required -Livraison exigée | Delivery offered -Livraison proposée |
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Jurisdiction of Contract: Province in Canada the bidder wishes to be the legal jurisdiction applicable to any resulting contract (if other than as specified in solicitation)**Compétence du contrat :** Province du Canada choisie par le soumissionnaire et qui aura les compétences sur tout contrat subséquent (si différente de celle précisée dans la demande)**Vendor/firm Name and Address****Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur**

Telephone No. - N° de téléphone

e-mail - courriel

Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/firm (type or print)**Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)**

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| Signature | Date |
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Amendment 001 is raised to:

- 1) Answer Questions from Industry
- 2) Extend the bid closing date

1) Questions from Industry

Q1) It is stated in clause 4.2.1 (c) that the bidder would need to "obtain the required minimum number of points for each criterion specified in Attachment 1 to Part 4 for the point rated technical criteria". In ATTACHMENT 1 TO PART 4 – OF THE BID SOLICITATION, it is stated that "Offers MUST achieve the stated minimum points required (30/70) for the rated criteria to be assessed as responsive under the Rated Criteria grid included below". However, on summing up the maximum scores for the rated criteria the total is 85. It is requested to confirm the minimum score for Points rated criteria.

A1) The required minimum score would be 60/85

Q2) It is stated that the contractor will participate in Kickoff meeting within 1 week of award of contract. When is the targeted date for the award of contract? This would help us to estimate the time for each of the deliverables as per the due date mentioned in the RFP?

A2) There is no defined target date at this time but it is anticipated to be early in January 2024. This will depend on the date of the contract award.

Q3) Is there existing collateral available on the current & forecasted regional demand, which the bidder can leverage for the purpose of this study ?

A3) TC is not currently aware of any at the distribution level, which is what would be needed for the cases. Confirmation will be sought and communicated at such time as this can be determined.

Q4) Is there a budget already outlined for the scope of work as part of this RFP?

A4) Transport Canada will not be disclosing the budget for the project.

Q5) It is stated that the "bids must be received by the Contract Authority at the location identified by the date, time and place indicated on page 1 of the solicitation", which is December 18, 2023 by 2 PM (EST). It is requested to extend the submission date by 5 business days to allow us sufficient time to prepare our bid as per the requirements stated in the bid solicitation document.

A5) Bid closing will be extended to 22 December 2023.

Delete in its entirety Attachment 1 to Part 4, Point-Rated Criteria, para 2

2.0 Offers MUST achieve the stated minimum points required (30/70) for the rated criteria to be assessed as responsive under the Rated Criteria grid included below; Offers not meeting the minimum required points will be deemed non-responsive and given no further consideration.



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Insert at Attachment 1 to Part 4, Point-Rated Criteria para 2

2.0 Offers MUST achieve the stated minimum points required (**60/85**) for the rated criteria to be assessed as responsive under the Rated Criteria grid included below; Offers not meeting the minimum required points will be deemed non-responsive and given no further consideration

All remaining terms and conditions remain the same and unchanged