
Solicitation amendment 001 is issued to update the security requirement.

1. At article 3.1, Bid preparation instruction under Section IV: Additional Information:

DELETE: Article 3.1.3 in it's entirety

INSERT: Section IV: Additional Information

3.1.3 In Section IV of their bid, bidders should provide:

1. their legal name;
2. their Procurement Business Number (PBN);
3. the name of the contact person (provide also this person's mailing address, phone and email address) authorized by the Bidder to enter into communications with Canada with regards to their bid, and any contract that may result from their bid;
4. for each individual who will require access to classified or protected information, assets or sensitive work sites:
 - a. the name of the individual;
 - b. the date of birth of the individual; and
 - c. if available, information confirming the individual meets the security requirement as indicated in Part 7 - Resulting Contract Clauses;

2. At article 4.1.1.1, Mandatory Corporate and Technical Criteria under Mandatory Technical Criteria - Instructors:

DELETE: The mandatory criteria **MT2** related to the security clearance requirement.

3. At part 5 – Certifications and additional information

DELETE: Article 5.2.2 in it's entirety

INSERT: 5.2.2 Security Requirements

In accordance with the [requirements of the Contract Security Program](http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/esc-src/introduction-eng.html) of Public Works and Government Services Canada (<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/esc-src/introduction-eng.html>), the Bidder must provide a completed Contract Security Program Application for Registration (AFR) form to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

Bidders are reminded to obtain the required security clearance and, as applicable, security capabilities promptly. As indicated above, bidders who do not provide all the required information at bid closing will be given the opportunity to complete any missing information from the AFR form within a period set by the Contracting Authority. If that information is not provided within the timeframe established by the Contracting Authority (including any extension granted by the Contracting Authority in its discretion), or if Canada requires further information from the Bidder in connection with assessing the request for security clearance (i.e., information not required by the AFR form), the Bidder will be required to submit that information within the time period established by the Contracting Authority, which will not be less than 48 hours. If, at any time, the Bidder fails to provide the required information within the timeframe established by the Contracting Authority, its bid will be declared non-compliant.

4. At part 6 – Security, financial and other requirements:

DELETE: Article 6.1 Security Requirements in It's entirety:

INSERT: 6.1 Security Requirement

1. Before award of a contract, the following conditions must be met:

(a) the Bidder must hold a valid organization security clearance as indicated in Part 7 - Resulting Contract Clauses;

2. Before access to sensitive information is provided to the Bidder, the following conditions must be met:

(a) the Bidder's proposed individuals requiring access to sensitive information, assets or sensitive work sites must meet the security requirements as indicated in Part 7 - Resulting Contract Clauses;

(b) the Bidder's security capabilities must be met as indicated in Part 7 - Resulting Contract Clauses.

3. For additional information on security requirements, Bidders should refer to the [Contract Security Program](http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/esc-src/introduction-eng.html) of Public Works and Government Services Canada (<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/esc-src/introduction-eng.html>) website.

All other terms and conditions remain the same