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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL DEMANDE DE PROPOSITION

RETURN BIDS TO: RETOURNER LES SOUMISSIONS À:

Director Services Contracting 4 (D Svcs C 4) Attention: Ryan Wong

By e-mail to:

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Proposal To: National Defence Canada

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

Proposition à: Défense nationale Canada

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

Comments – Commentaires

THIS DOCUMENT DOES NOT CONTAIN A SEURITY REQUIREMENT

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Solicitation Closes – L'invitation prend fin

At: - a:

02:00 PM Eastern Daylight Time (EDT)

On: - le:

26 May 2023

Title – Titre	Solicitation No. – Nº de l'invitation
Portable Telescoping Antenna	
Mast Kits with Guying Accessories	W6369-23-X030/A
and Sets of Antenna Mounting	
Hardware	
Date of Solicitation - Date de l'invitation	
09 May 2023	
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Instructions: Municipal taxes are not applicable. Unless otherwise specified herein all prices quoted must include all applicable Canadian customs duties, GST/HST, excise taxes and are to be delivered Delivery Duty Paid including all delivery charges to destination(s) as indicated. The amount of the Goods and Services Tax/Harmonized Sales Tax is to be shown as a separate item.

Instructions: Les taxes municipales ne s'appliquent pas. Sauf indication contraire, les prix indiqués doivent comprendre les droits de douane canadiens, la TPS/TVH et la taxe d'accise. Les biens doivent être livrés « rendu droits acquittés », tous frais de livraison compris, à la ou aux destinations indiquées. Le montant de la taxe sur les produits et services/taxe de vente harmonisée doit être indiqué séparément.

Delivery Required – Livraison exigée	Delivery Offered – Livraison proposée
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Vendor Name and Address – Raison social	le et adresse du fournisseur
Name and title of person authorized to sign	on behalf of vendor (type or print)
Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à sign	ner au nom du fournisseur (caractère
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Name – Nom	Title – Titre
Signature	Date

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This bid solicitation cancels and supersedes previous bid solicitation number W6369-23-X030 dated 17 February 2023 with a closing of 06 March 2023 at 2:00 PM EST.

PART 1 - GENERAL INFORMATION

1.1 Security Requirements

There are no security requirements associated with this bid solicitation.

1.2 Statement of Requirement

The requirement is detailed in the Statement of Requirement at Annex "A".

1.3 Debriefings

Bidders may request a debriefing on the results of the bid solicitation process. Bidders should make the request to the Contracting Authority within 15 working days from receipt of the results of the bid solicitation process. The debriefing may be in writing, by telephone or in person.

1.4 Trade Agreements

This procurement is subject to the provisions of the Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA).

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PART 2 - BIDDER INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 Standard Instructions, Clauses and Conditions

All instructions, clauses and conditions identified in the bid solicitation by number, date and title are set out in the <u>Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual</u> (https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual) issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

Bidders who submit a bid agree to be bound by the instructions, clauses and conditions of the bid solicitation and accept the clauses and conditions of the resulting contract.

The <u>2003</u> (2022-03-29) Standard Instructions - Goods or Services - Competitive Requirements, are incorporated by reference into and form part of the bid solicitation, with the following modifications:

- a) Section 2, Procurement Business Number is deleted in its entirety.
- Section 5, Submission of Bids Subsection 2. d is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:
 - d. send its bid only to the Department of National Defence organization receiving the bids as specified on page 1 of the bid solicitation;
- c) Section 05, Submission of bids, subsection 5.4 is amended as follows:

Delete: 60 days Insert: 120 days

- d) Section 6, Late Bids is deleted in its entirety.
- e) Section 7, Delayed Bids is deleted and replaced by:

07 Delayed Bids

It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure that the Contracting Authority has received the entire submission. Misrouting or other electronic delivery issues resulting in late submission of bids will not be accepted.

- f) Section 08, Transmission by facsimile is deleted in its entirety.
- g) Section 13, Communications-solicitation period, is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

13 Communications—solicitation period

To ensure the integrity of the competitive bid process, enquiries and other communications regarding the bid solicitation must be directed only as indicated on page 1 of the bid solicitation. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the bid being declared non-responsive.

Canada will send all significant enquiries received and their replies directly to invited suppliers by e-mail. For further information, consult subsection 3 of the Submission of bids section.

h) Section 20, Further Information is deleted in its entirety.

2.1.1 SACC Manual Clauses

SACC Manual Clause B3000T (2006-06-16), Equivalent Products

2.2 Submission of Bids

Bids must be submitted only to the Department of National Defence (DND) by the date, time, and place indicated on page 1 of the bid solicitation.

Due to the nature of the bid solicitation, bids transmitted by facsimile will not be accepted.

Electronic Submissions: Individual e-mails that may include certain scripts, formats, embedded macros and/or links, or those that exceed five (5) megabytes may be rejected by Canada's e-mail system and/or firewall(s) without notice to the Bidder or Contracting Authority. Larger bids may be submitted through more than one e-mail. Canada will confirm receipt of documents. It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure that their entire submission has been received. Bidders should not assume that all documents have been received unless Canada confirms receipt of each document. In order to minimize the potential for technical issues, bidders are requested to allow sufficient time before the closing date and time to confirm receipt. Bid documents submitted after the closing time and date will not be accepted.

2.3 Enquiries - Bid Solicitation

All enquiries must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Authority no later than five (5) calendar days before the bid closing date. Enquiries received after that time may not be answered.

Bidders should reference as accurately as possible the numbered item of the bid solicitation to which the enquiry relates. Care should be taken by Bidders to explain each question in sufficient detail in order to enable Canada to provide an accurate answer. Technical enquiries that are of a proprietary nature must be clearly marked "proprietary" at each relevant item. Items identified as "proprietary" will be treated as such except where Canada determines that the enquiry is not of a proprietary nature. Canada may edit the question(s) or may request that the Bidder do so, so that the proprietary nature of the question(s) is eliminated, and the enquiry can be answered to all Bidders. Enquiries not submitted in a form that can be distributed to all Bidders may not be answered by Canada.

2.4 Applicable Laws

Any resulting contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Ontario.

Bidders may, at their discretion, substitute the applicable laws of a Canadian province or territory of their choice without affecting the validity of their bid, by deleting the name of the Canadian province or territory specified and inserting the name of the Canadian province or territory of their choice. If no change is made, it acknowledges that the applicable laws specified are acceptable to the Bidders.

2.5 Bid Challenge and Recourse Mechanisms

- a) Several mechanisms are available to potential suppliers to challenge aspects of the procurement process up to and including contract award.
- b) Canada encourages suppliers to first bring their concerns to the attention of the Contracting Authority. Canada's <u>Buy and Sell</u> website, under the heading "<u>Bid Challenge and Recourse Mechanisms</u>" contains information on potential complaint bodies such as:
 - Office of the Procurement Ombudsman (OPO)

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- Canadian International Trade Tribunal (CITT)
- c) Suppliers should note that there are strict deadlines for filing complaints, and the time periods vary depending on the complaint body in question. Suppliers should therefore act quickly when they want to challenge any aspect of the procurement process.

PART 3 - BID PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Bid Preparation Instructions

Canada requests that the Bidder submits its bid in separate sections as follows:

Section I: Technical Bid – one (1) soft copy submitted by email;

Section II: Financial Bid – one (1) soft copy submitted by email;

Section III: Certifications – one (1) soft copy submitted by email; and

Section IV: Additional Information – one (1) soft copy submitted by email.

Prices must appear in the financial bid only. No prices must be indicated in any other section of the bid.

Section I: Technical Bid

In their technical bid, Bidders should explain and demonstrate how they propose to meet the requirements and how they will carry out the Work.

Section II: Financial Bid

Bidders should submit their financial bid in accordance with the Basis of Payment.

3.1.1 Electronic Payment of Invoices - Bid

If you are willing to accept payment of invoices by Electronic Payment Instruments, complete Annex "C" Electronic Payment Instruments, to identify which ones are accepted.

If Annex "C" Electronic Payment Instruments is not completed, it will be considered as if Electronic Payment Instruments are not being accepted for payment of invoices.

Acceptance of Electronic Payment Instruments will not be considered as an evaluation criterion.

3.1.2 Exchange Rate Fluctuation

SACC Manual Clause C3011T (2013-11-06), Exchange Rate Fluctuation

3.1.3 SACC Manual Clauses

Section III: Certifications

Bidders must submit the certifications and additional information required under Part 5.

Section IV: Additional Information

In Section IV of their bid, bidders should provide:

- a) A completed, signed, and dated Page 1 of this solicitation; and
- b) The name of the contact person (provide also this person's title, mailing address, phone number, 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.

PART 4 - EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION

4.1 Evaluation Procedures

- (a) Bids will be assessed in accordance with the entire requirement of the bid solicitation including the technical and financial evaluation criteria.
- (b) An evaluation team composed of representatives of Canada will evaluate the bids.

4.1.1 Technical Evaluation

4.1.1.1 Mandatory Technical Criteria

Bidders must demonstrate that they meet all of the following mandatory criteria. Supporting technical documentation is requested, including, but not limited to, specification sheets, technical brochures, photographs or illustrations to be cross-referenced below for each Mandatory Criteria to outline where in the supporting technical documentation it demonstrates compliance.

If published supporting technical documents are not available, the Bidder should prepare a written narrative, complete with a detailed explanation of how its bid demonstrates technical compliance.

Failure to meet all of the mandatory criteria will render the bid non-compliant and it will be given no further consideration.

Criteria No.	MANDATORY CRITERIA	MET Criteria Yes/No Only	Cross Reference: In this column, Bidders should cross-reference where this performance specification is indicated in their supporting documentation.
Portable '	Telescoping Antenna Mast Kit with Guying Accessor	ries	
M1	Mast height when deployed - 10 m or more		
M2	Mast total payload when deployed - 22 kg or more		
М3	Mast deployment technique - Hand-operated lift winch/crank with automatic safety brake		
M4	Azimuth control when deployed - Manual from the ground		
M5	Maximum angular twist when deployed (i.e., pointing accuracy) - 5 degrees or less		
M6	Combined weight of the following items described in Section 4.1 of Annex A - 39 kg or less when stowed for transportation: • 4.1.1.a – Tube Sections • 4.1.1.b – Top Tube • 4.1.1.c – Base Tube • 4.1.1.d – Tripod		

Criteria No.	MANDATORY CRITERIA	MET Criteria Yes/No Only	Cross Reference: In this column, Bidders should cross-reference where this performance specification is indicated in their supporting documentation.
Portable 1	Telescoping Antenna Mast Kit with Guying Accessor	ies	
М7	Mast height when stowed for transportation - 2.4 m or less		
М8	Exploitation environmental requirements - MIL-STD-810		
M9	2 or less people needed to deploy the mast		
M10	Maximum operational wind speed when deployed - 25 km/h or more @ 6 SQFT of area		
M11	Maximum survival wind speed when deployed - 113 km/h or more @ 6 SQFT of area		
M12	Guy lines marking - Color coded		
M13	Number of antennas/payloads supported simultaneously including via the extension arms - 3 or more		
M14	Horizontal separation between multiple antennas/payloads on the extension arms relative to the base of the payload mounted on top of the mast - Variable, 0.5 m to 1.2		
M15	Vertical separation between multiple antennas/payloads on the extension arms relative to the base of the payload mounted on top of the mast - Variable, -1 m to 0 m		
M16	Roller bag or Carrying Case		
M17	Hammer		
M18	Guy Stakes		
M19	Manual Lift		
M20	Rope Stays		
M21	Guy Accessories Bag		
M22	Stake Puller		
M23	Lift Winch		
M24	Base Plates		

Criteria No.	MANDATORY CRITERIA	MET Criteria Yes/No Only	Cross Reference: In this column, Bidders should cross-reference where this performance specification is indicated in their supporting documentation.
Portable '	Telescoping Antenna Mast Kit with Guying Accessor	ries	
M25	Tripod		
M26	Technical Manual		
M27	Product warranty for one (1) year		
M28	Product user support through email for one (1) year		
Set of An	tenna Mounting Hardware		
M29	Bolster Plate – Mounting support for devices with U or Long Bolts		
M30	Cup Holder Assembly – Able to mount poles		
M31	Blank 6" by 8" Mounting Plates – Able to be machined and customized		
M32	Arm Collar Assembly, 2 arms to be securely added on the mast		
M33	Antenna Stub of 2" Diameter to hold devices at top of mast, or mast ability to hold devices at top of mast		
M34	Extension arm of 36" or 1 M to be securely added to the mast		
M35	Extension arm of 44" or 1.25M to be securely added to the mast		
M36	3/4-10 Tread Mount Adapter to allow an antenna with this thread to be attached to an assembly		
M37	Combined weight of the following items described in Section 4.2 of Annex A - 15 kg or less when stowed for transportation: • 4.2.a - Hardware accessories to support top-of-mast payload mounting, if mast does not include a built-in ability to support the top-of-the-mast payload mounting • 4.2.b – Bolster plate to support mounting of devices using U or long bolts • 4.2.c – Cup holder-like type assembly to support mounting of pole-like devices • 4.2.d – 3/4-10 thread mount adaptor		

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	 4.2.e – Blank plate for attaching custom payloads 4.2.f – 2 arm collar assembly to support mounting multiple payloads via extension arms 4.2.g -1.25m (44-45 inch acceptable) extension arms for the multi-arm collar assembly 	
M38	Written confirmation that fulfillment of criteria M29- M36 maintains compatibility with proposed mast and accessories	

4.1.2 Financial Evaluation

SACC Manual Clause A0222T (2014-06-26), Evaluation of Price-Canadian/Foreign Bidders

4.2 Basis of Selection

A bid must comply with all requirements of the bid solicitation to be declared responsive. The responsive bid with the lowest evaluated price will be recommended for award of a contract.

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PART 5 - CERTIFICATIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Bidders must provide the required certifications and additional information to be awarded a contract.

The certifications provided by Bidders to Canada are subject to verification by Canada at all times. Unless specified otherwise, Canada will declare a bid non-responsive, or will declare a contractor in default if any certification made by the Bidder is found to be untrue whether made knowingly or unknowingly, during the bid evaluation period or during the contract period.

The Contracting Authority will have the right to ask for additional information to verify the Bidder's certifications. Failure to comply and to cooperate with any request or requirement imposed by the Contracting Authority will render the bid non-responsive or constitute a default under the Contract.

5.1 Certifications Required with the Bid

Bidders must submit the following duly completed certifications as part of their bid.

5.1.1 Integrity Provisions - Declaration of Convicted Offences

In accordance with the Integrity Provisions of the Standard Instructions, all bidders must provide with their bid, **if applicable**, the declaration form available on the <u>Forms for the Integrity Regime</u> website (http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/declaration-eng.html), to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

5.2 Certifications Precedent to Contract Award and Additional Information

The certifications and additional information listed below should be submitted with the bid but may be submitted afterwards. If any of these required certifications or additional information is not completed and submitted as requested, the Contracting Authority will inform the Bidder of a time frame within which to provide the information. Failure to provide the certifications or the additional information listed below within the time frame provided will render the bid non-responsive.

5.2.1 Integrity Provisions – Required Documentation

In accordance with the section titled Information to be provided when bidding, contracting or entering into a real property agreement of the <u>Ineligibility and Suspension Policy</u> (http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/politique-policy-eng.html), the Bidder must provide the required documentation, as applicable, to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

5.2.2 Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Bid Certification

By submitting a bid, the Bidder certifies that the Bidder, and any of the Bidder's members if the Bidder is a Joint Venture, is not named on the Federal Contractors Program (FCP) for employment equity "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list available at the bottom of the page of the Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC) - Labour's website.

Canada will have the right to declare a bid non-responsive if the Bidder, or any member of the Bidder if the Bidder is a Joint Venture, appears on the "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list at the time of contract award.

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PART 6 - RESULTING CONTRACT CLAUSES

The following clauses and conditions apply to and form part of any contract resulting from the bid solicitation.

6.1 Security Requirements

There is no security requirement applicable to the Contract.

6.2 Statement of Requirement

The Contractor must provide the items detailed under the "Requirement" at Annex "A".

6.3 Standard Clauses and Conditions

All clauses and conditions identified in the Contract by number, date and title are set out in the <u>Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual</u> (https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual) issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

6.3.1 General Conditions

<u>2010A</u> (2022-12-01), General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity), apply to and form part of the Contract, with the following modification:

In section 01, **Interpretation**, the definition of "Canada", "Crown", "His Majesty" or "the Government" is amended as follows:

Delete: Minister of Public Works and Government Services

Insert: Minister of National Defence

6.4 Term of Contract

6.4.1 Period of the Contract

The period of the Contract is from the date of Contract to fourteen (14) months later date to be specified in the resulting contract.

6.4.2 Delivery Date

All the deliverables must be received within two (2) months after Contract award date to be specified in the resulting contract.

6.4.3 Delivery Points

Delivery of the requirement will be made to delivery point specified at Annex "A" of the Contract.

6.5 Authorities

6.5.1 Contracting Authority

The Contracting Authority for the Contract is:

Name: Ryan Wong

Title and designation: Procurement Officer, D Svcs C 4-3-3-2

Organization: Department of National Defence, Director Services Contracting (D Svcs C 4)

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Address: National Defense Headquarters Attention: D Svcs C 4-3-3-2 101 Colonel By Drive Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0K2 E-mail address: Ryan.Wong@forces.gc.ca The Contracting Authority is responsible for the management of the Contract and any changes to the Contract must be authorized in writing by the Contracting Authority. The Contractor must not perform work in excess of or outside the scope of the Contract based on verbal or written requests or instructions from anybody other than the Contracting Authority. 6.5.2 **Technical Authority** The Technical Authority for the Contract is: [to be specified in the resulting contract] Name: Title and designation: Organization: Address: Attention: Telephone: E-mail address: The Technical Authority is the representative of the department or agency for whom the Work is being carried out under the Contract and is responsible for all matters concerning the technical content of the Work under the Contract, Technical matters may be discussed with the Technical Authority, however, the Technical Authority has no authority to authorize changes to the scope of the Work. Changes to the scope of the Work can only be made through a contract amendment issued by the Contracting Authority. 6.5.3 **Procurement Authority** The Procurement Authority for the Contract is: [to be specified in the resulting contract] Name: Title and designation: Organization: Address: Attention:

The Procurement Authority is the representative of the department or agency for whom the Work is being carried out under the Contract. The Procurement Authority is responsible for the implementation of tools and processes required for the administration of the Contract. The Contractor may discuss administrative matters identified in the Contract with the Procurement Authority however the Procurement Authority has no authority to authorize changes to the scope of the Work. Changes to the scope of Work can only be made through a contract amendment issued by the Contracting Authority.

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6.5.4	Contractor's	Representative
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The Contractor's Repres	sentative for the Contract is: [to be specified in the resulting contract]
Name: Title: Organization: Address:	
Telephone: E-mail address:	

6.6 Payment

6.6.1 Basis of Payment

In consideration of the Contractor satisfactorily completing all of its obligations under the Contract, the Contractor will be paid firm unit prices as specified in the contract for a cost of \$______ to be specified in the resulting contract. Custom duties are included and Applicable Taxes are extra.

Canada will not pay the Contractor for any design changes, modifications or interpretations of the Work, unless they have been approved, in writing, by the Contracting Authority before their incorporation into the Work.

6.6.2 Single Payment

SACC Manual Clause H1000C (2008-05-12), Single Payment

6.6.3 SACC Manual Clauses

SACC Manual Clause C2000C (2007-11-30), Taxes - Foreign-based Contractor

6.6.4 Electronic Payment of Invoices – Contract

The Contractor accepts to be paid using any of the following Electronic Payment Instrument(s):

- a. Visa Acquisition Card;
- b. MasterCard Acquisition Card;
- c. Direct Deposit (Domestic and International);
- d. Electronic Data Interchange (EDI);
- e. Wire Transfer (International Only);

6.7 Invoicing Instructions

The Contractor must submit invoices in accordance with the section entitled "Invoice Submission" of the general conditions. Invoices cannot be submitted until all work identified in the invoice is completed.

Invoices must be distributed as follows:

- a) The original and one (1) copy must be forwarded by e-mail to the address shown on page 1 of the Contract for certification and payment.
- b) One (1) copy must be forwarded by e-mail to Contracting Authority identified under the section entitled "Authorities" of the Contract.

6.8 Certifications and Additional Information

6.8.1 Compliance

Unless specified otherwise, the continuous compliance with the certifications provided by the Contractor in its bid or precedent to contract award, and the ongoing cooperation in providing additional information are conditions of the Contract and failure to comply will constitute the Contractor in default. Certifications are subject to verification by Canada during the entire period of the Contract.

6.9 Applicable Laws

The Contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Ontario.

6.10 Priority of Documents

If there is a discrepancy between the wording of any documents that appear on the list, the wording of the document that first appears on the list has priority over the wording of any document that subsequently appears on the list.

- (a) the Articles of Agreement;
- (b) the general conditions 2010A (2022-12-01), General Conditions Goods (Medium Complexity);
- (c) Annex "A" Statement of Requirement;
- (d) Annex "B" Basis of Payment;
- (e) Annex "C" Electronic Payment Instruments; and
- (f) the Contractor's bid dated _____ [to be specified in the resulting contract].

6.11 Defence Contract

SACC Manual clause A9006C (2012-07-16) Defence Contract

6.12 SACC Manual Clauses

SACC Manual Clause <u>B1501C</u> (2018-06-21), Electrical equipment

SACC Manual Clause B7500C (2006-06-16), Excess Goods

SACC Manual Clause G1005C (2016-01-28) Insurance – No Specific Requirement

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6.13 Shipping Instructions

Goods must be shipped DAP – Delivered at Place (specified in Annex "A" – Statement of Requirement).

The Contractor is responsible for export clearance, delivery charges, administration, costs and risks of transport. Canada is responsible for all import clearance, including the payment of applicable duties and taxes.

6.14 Inspection and Acceptance

The Technical Authority is the Inspection Authority. All reports, deliverable items, documents, goods and all services rendered under the Contract are subject to inspection by the Inspection Authority or representative. Should any report, document, good or service not be in accordance with the requirements of the Statement of Work and to the satisfaction of the Inspection Authority, as submitted, the Inspection Authority will have the right to reject it or require its correction at the sole expense of the Contractor before recommending payment.

6.15 Dispute Resolution

The parties agree to maintain open and honest communication about the Work throughout and after the performance of the contract.

The parties agree to consult and co-operate with each other in the furtherance of the contract and promptly notify the other party or parties and attempt to resolve problems or differences that may arise.

If the parties cannot resolve a dispute through consultation and cooperation, the parties agree to consult a neutral third party offering alternative dispute resolution services to attempt to address the dispute.

Options of alternative dispute resolution services can be found on Canada's Buy and Sell website under the heading "Dispute Resolution".

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ANNEX "A" - STATEMENT OF REQUIREMENT

1. **TITLE**

Portable Telescoping Antenna Mast Kits with Guying Accessories and Sets of Antenna Mounting Hardware

2. **BACKGROUND**

Defence Research and Development Canada (DRDC) has a requirement for six (6) Portable Telescoping Antenna Mast kits comprised of a 10 meter (10m) Portable Telescoping Antenna Mast with guying accessories, and six (6) sets of antenna mounting hardware. The equipment will be used for in-field military navigation and communications exercises and operations.

3. **ACRONYMS**

DRDC Defence Research and Development Canada

DND Department of National Defence SOR Statement of Requirement

Technical Authority TΑ

4. **REQUIREMENTS**

4.1 PORTABLE TELESCOPING ANTENNA MAST KITS WITH GUYING ACCESSORIES

The Contractor must provide six (6) Portable Telescoping Antenna Mast kits with guying accessories as follows:

Item	Description	Required Quantity	Will-Burt Part Number or Equivalent
4.1.1	10m Portable Telescoping Antenna Mast	1 per Mast Kit	715071000
4.1.1.a	Tube Sections	8 per Mast	4955001
4.1.1.b	Top Tube	1 per Mast	4977301
4.1.1.c	Base Tube	1 per Mast	5012401
4.1.1.d	Tripod	1 per Mast	4931503
4.1.1.e	Roller bag (or carrying case)	1 per Mast	5008502
4.1.1.f	Hammer	1 per Mast	4128101
4.1.1.g	Guy Stakes	12 per Mast	4109901
4.1.1.h	Manual Lift	1 per Mast	4393002
4.1.1.i	Rope Stays	4 per Mast	4389606
4.1.1.j	Guy Accessories Bag	2 per Mast	5008504
4.1.1.k	Stake Puller	1 per Mast	5012501
4.1.1.1	Lift Winch	1 per Mast	5060802
4.1.1.m	Base Plate	1 per Mast	4985001
4.1.1.n	Quick Reference Manual	1 per Mast	N/A
4.1.1.0	Technical Manual	1 per Mast	N/A

The proposed Portable Telescoping Antenna Mast kits with guying accessories must meet all of the following specifications:

Specifications	Value	
Mast height when deployed	10 m or more	
Mast total payload when deployed	22 kg or more	
Mast deployment technique	Hand-operated lift winch/crank	
	with automatic safety brake	
Azimuth control when deployed	Manual from the ground	
Maximum angular twist when deployed (i.e., pointing accuracy)	5 degrees or less	
Combined weight of Items 4.1.1.a - 4.1.1.d (as per the table above) when stowed for transportation	39 kg or less	
Combined weight of Items 4.2.a to 4.2.g (as per the table below) when stowed for transportation.	15 kg or less	
Mast height when stowed for transportation	2.4 m or less	
Exploitation environmental requirements	MIL-STD-810	
Number of people required for mast deployment	2 or less	
Maximum operational wind speed when deployed	25 km/h or more @ 6 SQFT of	
	area	
Maximum survival wind speed when deployed	113 km/h or more @ 6 SQFT of area	
Guy lines marking	Color coded	
Number of antennas/payloads supported simultaneously including via the extension arms	3 or more	
Horizontal separation between multiple antennas/payloads on the extension arms relative to the base of the payload mounted on top of the mast	Variable, 0.5 m to 1.2 m	
Vertical separation between multiple antennas/payloads on the extension arms relative to the base of the payload mounted on top of the mast	Variable, -1 m to 0 m	
Product warranty	1 year	
Product user support through email	1 year	

4.2 SET OF ANTENNA MOUNTING HARDWARE

The Contractor must provide six (6) sets of the following antenna mounting hardware.

Item	Description	Required quantity	Will-Burt Part Number or Equivalent
4.2.a	Hardware accessories to support top-of-mast payload mounting, if mast does not include a built-in ability to support the top-of-the-mast payload mounting	1 per set (if required to mount top-of- mast)	5016001
4.2.b	Bolster plate to support mounting of devices using U or long bolts	2 per set	4487901
4.2.c	Cup holder-like type assembly to support mounting of pole-like devices	2 per set	4487801
4.2.d	3/4-10 thread mount adaptor	1 per set	4671501
4.2.e	Blank plate for attaching custom payloads	2 per set	4514001
4.2.f	2 arm collar assembly to support mounting multiple payloads via extension arms	1 per set	5015001

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4.2.g	1.25 m (44-45 inch acceptable) extension arms for the multi-arm collar assembly	2 per set	4488105
4.2.h	1 m (36 inch acceptable) extension arms for the multi-arm collar assembly	2 per set	4488104

5. DELIVERABLES

Description of the Deliverables	Quantity
Portable Telescoping Antenna Masts kits with guying accessories as detailed in Section 4.1 above	6
Set of Antenna Mounting Hardware as detailed in Section 4.2 above	6

6. DATE OF DELIVERY

All deliverables must be delivered to the delivery location specified in Section 7. below within two (2) months after Contract award [date to be specified in the resulting contract].

7. DELIVERY LOCATION

Defence Research and Development Canada – Ottawa Research Centre Building 29 3701 Carling Ave Ottawa, ON K1A 0Z4 Canada

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ANNEX "B" - BASIS OF PAYMENT

1.0 General

In consideration of the Contractor satisfactorily completing all of its obligations under the Contract, the Contractor will be paid firm unit prices, all applicable taxes excluded, Incoterms 2010 DAP, Delivery at Place, as specified below.

2.0 Cost of the Portable Telescoping Antenna Mast Kits with Guying Accessories and Sets of Antenna Mounting Hardware

The firm unit prices include the associated specifications and Deliverables as per Annex "A".

Item Number	Item	Quantity (A)	Unit Price (B)	Total Extended Price (A x B = C)
1	Portable Telescoping Antenna Mast Kits with Guying Accessories as detailed in Section 4.1 of Annex A – Statement of Work	6		
2	Set of Antenna Mounting Hardware as detailed in Section 4.2 of Annex A – Statement of Work	6		
Subtotal	\$			
Applicable	\$			
Total Price	\$			

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ELECTRONIC PAYMENT INSTRUMENTS

The Bidder accepts any of the following Electronic Payment Instrument(s):	
() VISA Acquisition Card;	
() MasterCard Acquisition Card;	
() Direct Deposit (Domestic and International);	
() Electronic Data Interchange (EDI);	
() Wire Transfer (International Only).	