# NOTICE OF PROPOSED PROCUREMENT (NPP) TASK BASED INFORMATICS PROFESSIONAL SERVICES (TBIPS)

**UNSPSC: 81110000 Computer Services** 

Solicitation Reference Number: 01B68-23-0055 01B68-23-0055 Number:

Organization Name: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada

Solicitation Date: 2023-06-23

2023-07-17 (12:00PM Eastern Closing Date:

Daylight Time EDT)

**Anticipated Start Date:** As soon as possible

**Estimate Level of Estimated Delivery Date:** 2024-03-31 "As Required" Effort:

**Contract Duration:** The contract period will be from date of contract award to March 31, 2024 with four

Number of

(4), one (1) year option periods.

Solicitation Method: Competitive

**Comprehensive Land Claim** 

No 1 **Agreement Applies:** Contracts:

This procurement has been set aside under the federal government's Procurement Strategy for Indigenous Business (PSIB). In order to be considered, a supplier must certify that it qualifies as an Indigenous business as defined under PSIP and that it will comply with all requirements of PSIB.

#### **Applicable Trade Agreements:**

This procurement is set aside from the international trade agreements under the provision each has for measures with respect to Indigenous peoples or for set-asides for small and minority businesses.

Further to Article 800 of the Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA), CFTA does not apply to this procurement.

### **Requirement Details**

#### **Tendering Procedure: Selective Tendering**

This requirement is open only to those TBIPS Supply Arrangement Holders listed below, who qualified under Tier 1 as Indigenous Suppliers for services in the National Capital Region for the following categories:

- A.7 Programmer/Analyst, Level 3
- I.1 Data Conversion Specialist (Data Scientist), Level 2 and 3
- I.4 Database Modeller/Information Management Modeller (Data Architect), Level 2 and 3
- I.11 Technology Architect (Data Solutions Architect), Level 2 and 3
- B.1 Business Analyst, Level 3
- B.1 Business Analyst (Data Analyst), Level 2 and 3
- B.7 Business Transformation Architect, Level 3
- B.14 Technical Writer, Level 2
- P.5 Project Executive, Level 3
- P.9 Project Manager, Level 3

# The following SA Holders have been invited to submit a proposal:

 ACOSYS CONSULTING SERVICES INC./ SERVICES CONSEILS ACOSYS INC., PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS LLP, IN JOINT VENTURE

- 2. Adirondack Information Management Inc., Amita Corporation, Artemp Personnel Services Inc., The AIM Group Inc., in JOINT VENTURE
- 3. ADRM Technology Consulting Group Corp. and Randstad Interim Inc.
- 4. Brascoupe Professional Services Inc. and Altis Human Resources (Ottawa) Inc., in Joint Venture
- 5. Dalian Enterprises and Coradix Technology Consulting, in Joint Venture
- 6. Donna Cona Inc
- 7. Donna Cona Inc., IBM Canada Ltd in Joint Venture
- 8. MAKWA Resourcing Inc
- 9. MAKWA Resourcing Inc., TPG Technology Consulting Ltd in Joint Venture
- 10. Malarsoft Technology Corporation
- 11. MALARSOFT TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION, COMPUTACENTER TERAMACH INC., in Joint Venture
- 12. Maplestream Inc., Cofomo Ottawa Inc., in Joint Venture
- 13. NATTIQ INC.
- 14. OLAV CONSULTING CORP., MOSHWA ABORIGINAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION, IN JOINT VENTURE
- 15. Onaki Création S.E.N.C., Ibiska Telecom Inc., in Joint Venture
- 16. Tato Recruiting Inc., S.I. SYSTEMS ULC., in Joint Venture

# **Description of Work:**

Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC) has requirements on an "as and when requested" basis for specialized professional resources with expertise in data management and analytics services to provide assistance in designing, developing and operationalizing data management and analytics services and solutions managed by the Chief Data Office team, to further enable AAFC's Data and Digital Transformation initiatives.

Security Requirement: Common PS SRCL #19 applies

Minimum Corporate Security Required: Secret

Minimum Resource Security Required: Secret and Reliability

# **Contract Authority**

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#### Inquiries

Inquiries regarding this RFP requirement must be submitted to the Contracting Authority named above. Request for Proposal (RFP) documents will be e-mailed directly from the Contracting Authority to the Qualified Supply Arrangement Holders who are being invited to bid on this requirement. BIDDERS ARE ADVISED THAT "CANADABUYS.CANADA.CA" IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF SOLICITATION DOCUMENTS. The Crown retains the right to negotiate with any supplier on any procurement. Documents may be submitted in either official language.

NOTE: Task-Based Informatics Professional Services (TBIPS) Method of Supply is refreshed three (3) times per year. If you wish to find out how you can be a "Qualified SA Holder", please contact RCNMDAI.-NCRIMOS@pwgsc.gc.ca