

## REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL / DEMANDE DE PROPOSITION

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**Proposal To: National Defence 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 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 la Reine 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 indiqué(s).

### Solicitation Closes / L'invitation prend fin:

At / à : 1400

(EST / heure normale de l'Est)

On / le : October 11, 2023

<b>Title / Titre:</b> W8485-247689 Aircraft Helmet Communication Upgrade / Casque de communication pour équipage de navigation	<b>Solicitation No / No de l'invitation:</b> W84485-237096/B
<b>Date of Solicitation / Date de l'invitation:</b> 24-Jul-23	<b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b> 002
<b>Address Enquiries to – Adresser toutes questions à:</b>	
National Defence Headquarters 101 Colonel By Drive Ottawa, ON K1A 0K2 Attn: Dany Lebel, DAP # 2-2-7 dany.lebel2@forces.gc.ca	
<b>Telephone No. / N° de téléphone:</b> NA	<b>FAX No / No de fax:</b> N/A
<b>Destination:</b> Specified herein / Précisé dans les présentes TBD	

### 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

<b>Delivery required / Livraison exigée:</b>	<b>Delivery offered / Livraison proposée:</b>
<b>Vendor Name and Address / Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur:</b>	
<b>Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of vendor (type or print) / Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur (caractère d'imprimerie):</b>	

**Name / Nom: \_\_\_\_\_ Title / Titre: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**

## AMENDMENT 002

### PURPOSE:

The purpose of this amendment is to answer questions from potential bidder:

- Q1)** Will UmeVoice need to provide 7 microphones for our teamed bid as well as 7 microphones for their microphone only bid they are doing separately
- A1)** A contractor who wishes to bid for the individual component, and has their component included as part of a teamed bid may submit one set of samples provided that this is agreed upon by both bidders and the samples are identical in form and function in each case.
- Q2)** With the items coming from three locations, the upcoming U.S. Holiday, and a major Hurricane about to hit this weekend and the disruption of parcel delivery could these components still be considered in the bid if they make it to you all after 7 September?
- A2)** The Closing date for this RFP has been extended to 11 October. If packages are enroute and tracking information is provided before the closing date and time, the bid will be considered.
- Q3)** With the liner and ear seal components we want to include as a whole system with our in-ear and ANR protection could we be made aware of the helmet sizes we may need to integrate in so that we send the proper size for the HGU-56/P and 190A helmets?
- A3)** Thank you for your question. Upon review of the table from page 11 of the solicitation document, the use of the wording "of each size" is ambiguous. It may be clearer to further specify the samples required with relation to the Helmet configs and sizes that Canada intends to put through testing and evaluation. The following table will therefore be acceptable to utilize when sending sample instead of the table found on page 11 Para 4.1.1.1.2.

Helmet Model	Size of helmet under Test	Existing system earphone impedance	Mic	CEP
HGU-56/P	Medium	19 Ω	150 Ω/amplified electret	mono
HGU-56/P	Large	19 Ω	5 Ω	mono
HGU-56/P	Large	19 Ω	150 Ω/amplified electret	Binaural
HGU-56/P	Extra Large	19 Ω	150 Ω	Binaural
190A	Medium	300 Ω	150 Ω	mono
190A	Large	19 Ω	5 Ω	mono
190A	Large	1200 Ω	150 Ω/amplified electret	mono
Total Samples requested	-----	7	7	7 with earplugs representing all sizes available

Notes:

1. Canada offers all helmet sizes to our Aircrew so bidders should specify if any sizes are incompatible with your product.
2. If the bidder does not offer parts in all configurations, they are still invited to bid and requested to send samples of their product in the same total numbers requested (7 samples). The samples may not be tested in all configurations and therefore have a slight disadvantage but will be considered for the compatible configuration(s) if they show superior performance.

**All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.**