AMENDMENT 04 to the RFQ 24-248537 Supply and delivery of Air Purifiers and Air Filters for the Canadian Embassy in Jakarta

Amendment No 4 is being issued in order to answer the following questions:

Q#	Question	Answer
13	Please define the exact space area size for each planned room/floor where the Air-Purifier is to be installed as RFP Section 3.0 (b) "area of up to 60 square meters" is very confusing due to Air Purifiers falling in the broad size room range of 4 sq-meter to 60 sq-meter due to aforesaid. It is impossible to offer exact sizes for a supplier who has not visited the locations/rooms/floors.	The exact allocation changes from year to year so Canada cannot be more specific than we already are in this RFSO.
14	Please advise the desired quantity for each room.	The RFSO states how many air purifiers and air filters are required in total (and per fiscal year).
15	Please advise quantity for firm and optional years accordingly in line with the above questions	The firm and optional quantities for purifiers and filters are already indicated in the RFSO.
16	Energy Efficiency has many parameters; please provide specific details for example do you want UL ECOLOGO Certified Product, EnergyStar Certified Product	The intent of this requirement is for the air purifiers to have an 'eco-mode' or energy efficient mode that when set to this mode, the purifier would consume less energy than when being run on 'high' or 'max'. Same goes for noise control feature. The intent was for the purifiers to have a mode with reduced noise.

		It was not the intent of this requirement that the purifiers have a specific energy efficiency designation.
17	Energy Efficient Air Purifiers are more expensive than regular Air Purifiers, how about point-rated criteria on energy efficiency evaluation?	The SOW does not state that Energy Efficient Air Purifiers are a requirement. 3(g) states that the purifiers must have an energy efficient and noise control feature. Please see explanation for 16 above.
18	Section 4 Para (a) particles of 0.3 microns or larger do not specify the upper limit for example larger can be up to 10 microns (μ m) starting from 0.3 microns.	Canada believes the requirement in 4(a) is specific enough. The filter must be capable of removing a minimum of 99.97% of airborne contaminates equal to or above 0.3 microns in size. Canada does not need to specify an upper limit. It is up to the Offeror to determine what type of filter is capable of achieving this requirement.
19	Please confirm if another foreign Currency USD is acceptable in the bid due to the contract being long-term.	USD currency is not acceptable. The RFSO specifies two acceptable currencies for an Offer.
20	Request to extend the bid by one additional week, please.	Canada is not willing to further extend the RFSO closing date, as we already extended for 2 weeks. The closing date remains September 8 th .
21	Can we submit both alternative options for 6 months replacement air filters and yearly replacement filters upon proof availability from OEM	The RFSO specifies 6-months filters replacement cycle and specific number of filters in the Annex B to be quoted: 1728 filters firm quantity and 2136 filters optional quantity. All Offerors must offer this exact quantity requested in the Annex B or their Offer will be disqualified. The following phrase is being DELETED from the Annex A of the RFSO: "However, the Contractor can offer a 1-year replacement cycle if they can prove that is the manufacturer's recommendation."
22	Delivery Charges line item can be added separately if being shipped from any other part of the world.	Canada finds this unclear and it is a statement, not a question. As per the Annex B, shipping charges must be part of the

		Offer, and an Offeror can add additional lines to the Total Price Proposal table, if needed.
23	Can all the filters be quoted as per the manufacturer's recommendation instead of the stated quantities as the enquired quantities can be different for both firm year and optional years, depending upon the manufacturer	No, the quantities requested in the RFSO must be respected in the Offer, otherwise the Offer will be disqualified.

The RFSO version 3 (V3) is being posted and will supersede all previous RFSO versions.

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED