

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

GSIN: D302A ADP SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

Reference Number:	2024-00179	Solicitation Number:	2024-00179
Organization Name:	Canadian Food Inspection Agency		
Solicitation Date:	2023-08-22	Closing Date:	2023-09-06 02:00 PM Eastern Daylight Saving Time EDT
Anticipated Start Date:	2023-09-18		
Estimated Delivery Date:	2024-03-31	Estimate Level of Effort:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 720 days for initial period • 600 days for each two option periods
Contract Duration:	The contract period will be for six (6) months from the date of contract with an irrevocable option to extend it for up to two additional six-month periods.		
Solicitation Method:	Competitive	Applicable Trade Agreements:	Canada-Chile Free Trade Agreement (CCFTA), Canada-Colombia Free Trade Agreement, Canada-Honduras Free Trade Agreement, Canada-Korea Free Trade Agreement (CKFTA), Canada-Panama Free Trade Agreement, Canada-Peru Free Trade Agreement (CPFTA), Canada-Ukraine Free Trade Agreement, Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA), Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP), Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA), World Trade Organization-Agreement on Government Procurement (WTO-AGP)
Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement Applies:	No	Number of Contracts:	1

Requirement Details

Tendering Procedure: Selective Tendering

This procurement is conditionally set aside under the federal government Procurement Strategy for Indigenous Business. The procurement is open to both Indigenous and non-Indigenous businesses. However, if two or more Indigenous businesses submit a bid, then the procurement is set aside under the PSIB.

This requirement is open only to those TBIPS Supply Arrangement Holders who qualified under Tier 1 for services in the National Capital Region for the following category(ies):

- Six (6) Level 3 Quality Assurance Specialists/Analysts
- Five (5) Level 2 Testers

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

1.	ACOSYS CONSULTING SERVICES INC./ SERVICES CONSEILS ACOSYS INC., PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS LLP, IN JOINT VENTURE
2.	ADRM Technology Consulting Group Corp.
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.	DLS Technology Corporation
7.	Donna Cona Inc.
8.	DONNA CONNA INC., IBM CANADA LIMITED IN JOINT VENTURE
9.	Eagle Professional Resources Inc.
10.	Excel Human Resources Inc.
11.	IPSS INC.
12.	iPSS inc. / Long View Systems Corporation, in Joint Venture
13.	Lumina IT inc.
14.	Makwa Resourcing Inc., TPG Technology Consulting Ltd. in JOINT VENTURE
15.	Malarsoft Technology Corporation
16.	MALARSOFT TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION, COMPUTACENTER TERAMACH INC., in Joint Venture
17.	Maplesoft Consulting Inc.
18.	MINDWIRE SYSTEMS LTD., Akkada Professional Services inc., HubSpoke Inc., in Joint Venture
19.	NATTIQ INC.
20.	Nisha Technologies Inc.
21.	Olav Consulting Corp
22.	QA CONSULTANTS INC.
23.	SYMBIOTIC GROUP INC, MODIS CANADA INC. IN JOINT VENTURE
24.	Tato Recruiting Inc., S.I. SYSTEMS ULC, in Joint Venture
25.	TEKSYSTEMS CANADA CORP./SOCIÉTÉ TEKSYSTEMS CANADA
26.	VERSATIL BPI INC, SOLUTIONSTAT, CONSULTATION ET FORMATION EN STATISTIQUE INC. , in joint venture
27.	Zernam Enterprise Inc

Description of Work:

The CFIA Innovation, Business Services and Development Branch (IBSDB) has a requirement for IT Professional services on an “as and when required basis” for the services provided by IT Professionals with demonstrated experience in Testing and Quality Assurance. Responsibilities will be initiated using a Task Solicitation/Authorization process.

- Bidders must submit a bid for all resource categories.
- The work is currently being performed by Maplesoft Consulting Inc. under contract (value \$1,888,276.90) inclusive applicable taxes.

Security Requirement: Common PS SRCL # 34 applies
Minimum Corporate Security Required: Designated Organization Screening (DOS)
Minimum Resource Security Required: Secret

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.