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**SOLICITATION AMENDMENT**

**MODIFICATION DE L'INVITATION**

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RETOURNER LES SOUMISSIONS À :**

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**Proposal To: National Defence Canada**

The referenced document is hereby revised; unless otherwise indicated, all other terms and conditions of the Solicitation remain the same.

**Proposition à : Défense nationale Canada**

Ce document est par le présente révisé; sauf indication contraire, les modalités de l'invitation demeurent les mêmes.

<b>Solicitation No – No de l'invitation :</b> <b>W8474-248421</b>
<b>Solicitation Closes – L'invitation prend fin</b>  At – à : 14:00 EDT  On - le : 10 July 2023

<b>Amendment No. – No modif.</b> <b>02</b>	<b>Page 1 of/de 4</b>
<b>Date : 06 July 2023</b>	
<b>Title/Titre</b> <b>Radio Frequency (RF) Shelter, including input/output (I/O) Plate, Electromagnetic Interference (EMI) Hardened Lights, Ventilation System and User Manual</b>	
<b>Address Enquiries to – Adresser toutes questions à</b>  <a href="mailto:brooke.monette@forces.gc.ca">brooke.monette@forces.gc.ca</a>	
<b>Telephone No. – N° de téléphone</b>	<b>FAX No – N° de fax</b>
<b>Destination</b>  <b>See Herein – Voir ci-inclus</b>	

**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
Vendor Name and Address - Raison sociale 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 signer au nom du fournisseur (caractère d'imprimerie)	
Name/Nom _____	Title/Titre _____
Signature _____	Date _____

**Amendment 02**

The purpose of RFP W8474-248421 Amendment 02 is to:

1. Update the RFP as below; and,
2. Facilitate the second round of questions and answers.

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**1- At PART 4 – EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION, subsection 4.1.1.1. Mandatory Technical Criteria, MTC 4 EMI Hardened Lights:**

**Delete:**

The EMI Hardened Lights must:

- a. Provide a minimum of 500 lux through out the entire shelter; and,
- b. Be capable of operating on 110/240 VAC 50/60HZ.

**Insert:**

The EMI Hardened Lights must:

- a. Provide a minimum of 500 lux through out the entire shelter;
- b. Be capable of operating on 110/240 VAC 50/60HZ; and,
- c. Meet the following military standards. "MIL-STD-461, DEF STAN 59/411, MIL-STD-704, MIL-STD-1275, and MIL-STD-1399.

**2- At ANNEX "A" - REQUIREMENT, Subsection 4.1.1.4 EMI Hardened Lights Specifications:**

**Delete:**

The EMI Hardened Lights must:

- a. Provide a minimum of 500 lux through out the entire shelter; and,
- b. Be capable of operating on 110/240 VAC 50/60HZ.

**Insert:**

The EMI Hardened Lights must:

- a. Provide a minimum of 500 lux through out the entire shelter;
- b. Be capable of operating on 110/240 VAC 50/60HZ; and,
- c. Meet the following military standards. "MIL-STD-461, DEF STAN 59/411, MIL-STD-704, MIL-STD-1275, and MIL-STD-1399.

**3- At PART 4 – EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION, subsection 4.1.1.1. Mandatory Technical Criteria, MTC 1 RF Shelter b.:**

**Delete:**

“The RF Shelter must be made of a Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS) Compliant silver/copper/nickel conductive fabric with heavy-duty round extruding aluminum or steel frame;”

**Insert:**

“The RF Shelter must be made of a Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS) Compliant silver/copper/nickel conductive fabric with heavy-duty round extruding aluminum or steel frame, or heavy-duty square stock extruding aluminum or steel frame;”

**4- At ANNEX “A” REQUIREMENT, Subsection 4.1.1.1, RF Shelter Specifications b.:**

**Delete:**

“The RF Shelter must be made of a Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS) Compliant silver/copper/nickel conductive fabric with heavy-duty round extruding aluminum or steel frame;”

**Insert:**

“The RF Shelter must be made of a Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS) Compliant silver/copper/nickel conductive fabric with heavy-duty round extruding aluminum or steel frame, or heavy-duty square stock extruding aluminum or steel frame;”

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**Q1**

Within the RFP at PART 4 – EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION, subsection 4.1.1.1. Mandatory Technical Criteria, MTC 4 EMI Hardened Lights and at ANNEX “A” REQUIREMENT, Subsection 4.1.1.4, EMI Hardened Lights Specifications, it is stated that:

“The EMI Hardened Lights must:

- a. Provide a minimum of 500 lux through out the entire shelter; and,
- b. Be capable of operating on 110/240 VAC 50/60HZ. “

Is there an EMI standard or military specifications to which the EMI Hardened Lights must comply?

**A1**

Please see the modifications to the RFP at points 1 and 2 above.

**Q2**

Within the RFP at PART 4 – EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION, subsection 4.1.1.1. Mandatory Technical Criteria, MTC 4 EMI Hardened Lights and at ANNEX “A” REQUIREMENT, Subsection 4.1.1.4, EMI Hardened Lights Specifications, it is stated that:

“The EMI Hardened Lights must:

- a. Provide a minimum of 500 lux through out the entire shelter; and,
- b. Be capable of operating on 110/240 VAC 50/60HZ. “

Is there a required operating temperature for storage, set-up, and operation of the EMI Hardened Lights?

**A2**

The Required Specifications are stated within the RFP at PART 4 – EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION, subsection 4.1.1.1. Mandatory Technical Criteria, MTC 4 EMI Hardened Lights and at ANNEX “A” REQUIREMENT, Subsection 4.1.1.4, EMI Hardened Lights Specifications

**Q3**

Would Canada remove the preference for Canadian Content as described within the RFP at PART 1 - GENERAL INFORMATION, 1.4 Canadian Content, at PART 4 – EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION, subsection 4.1 Evaluation Procedures (c) and at PART 5 – CERTIFICATIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, subsection 5.1.2.1 Canadian Content Certification?

**A3**

The policy on Canadian Content must be applied as described within the RFP at PART 1 - GENERAL INFORMATION, 1.4 Canadian Content, at PART 4 – EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION, subsection 4.1 Evaluation Procedures (c) and at PART 5 – CERTIFICATIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, subsection 5.1.2.1 Canadian Content Certification.

**Q4**

Within the RFP at PART 4 – EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION, subsection 4.1.1.1. Mandatory Technical Criteria, MTC 1 RF Shelter b., and at ANNEX “A” REQUIREMENT, Subsection 4.1.1.1, RF Shelter Specifications b., it is stated that:

“The RF Shelter must be made of a Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS) Compliant silver/copper/nickel conductive fabric with heavy-duty round extruding aluminum or steel frame”.

Would Canada accept a heavy-duty square stock extruding aluminum or steel frame?

**A4**

Yes. Please see the modifications to the RFP at points 3 and 4 above.

**ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED**