



**SOLICITATION AMENDMENT  
MODIFICATION DE  
L'INVITATION**

The referenced document is hereby revised; unless otherwise indicated, all other terms and conditions of the Solicitation remain the same. Ce document est par la présente révisé; sauf indication contraire, les modalités de l'invitation demeurent les mêmes.

**Comments - Commentaires**

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**Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin**  
At - à :  
2:00 PM - 14:00  
  
On - le :  
August 23, 2023 - 23 août 2023  
  
Time Zone - Fuseau Horaire :  
Central Time Zone - Fuseau horaire central

<b>Title - Sujet</b> Software as a Service acquisition to manage Occupational Health and Safety programs for Transport Canada - Acquisition d'un logiciel en tant que service permettant de gérer les programmes de santé et sécurité au travail pour Transports Canada		<b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b> 002
<b>Solicitation No. N° de l'invitation</b> T8080-220683-1	<b>Date of Amendment Date de modification</b> August 9, 2023 - 9 août 2023	
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**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.

<b>Vendor/Firm Name and Address Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur</b>
<b>Person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm (type or print):   La personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie) :</b>
<b>Name - Nom</b> _____ <b>Title - Titre</b> _____
<b>Signature</b> _____ <b>Date</b> _____

**THIS SOLICITATION AMENDMENT IS RAISED TO:**

1. Provide clarification and answers to questions from potential suppliers; and
2. Clarify the close date of the Request for Proposal.

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS:**

<b>Question 9</b>	In regard to the mandatory requirement, "M2: The contractor must demonstrate that they are located in Canada and operate in Canada and that they are the owner of the SaaS. Subcontracting to another company will not be accepted", and as per a note in the Scope of work, page 29, "The contractor must be the owner of the SaaS. Subcontracting to another company will not be accepted to ensure the efficiency and optimization of service procurement.", could you please clarify whether a company that owns Software as a Service (SaaS) and provides SaaS solutions and currently rents space from major data center providers such as Amazon, Google, Microsoft, Oracle, etc., would still be considered a responsive bidder?
<b>Answer 9</b>	Renting space from major data center providers such as Amazon, Google, Microsoft, Oracle, etc. is not the same requirement than to be a company located in Canada and operating in Canada. This is related to Security requirement to host data to be able to work with the Canada Federal Government. If the company that owns the SaaS is not located and is not operating in Canada, this will not meet M2 mandatory criteria and the note in Scope of work.

**THIS SOLICITATION IS HEREBY AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:**

- 1.1 DELETE from any part of the RFP or Amendment 1 the close date of August 10 or 24, 2023.
- 1.2 REPLACE with the close date of August 23, 2023.

**ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN THE SAME.**