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# REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL DEMANDE DE PROPOSITION

Proposal To: Public Works and Government Services 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, services, and construction listed herein and on any attached sheets at the price(s) set out therefor.

## Proposition aux: Travaux Publics et Services Gouvernementaux 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, services et construction énumérés ici sur toute feuille ci-annexée, au(x) prix indiqué(s).

**Comments - Commentaires** 

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Issuing Office - Bureau de distribution

Civilian Aircraft Division/Division des Avions Civils Portage III 7C2 - 50 11 Laurier St./11 rue Laurier Gatineau Québec K1A 0S5

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#### **PART 1 - GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### 1.1 Security Requirements

There is no security requirement applicable to the Contract.

#### 1.2 Requirement

The requirement is detailed at 'Line Item Detail.'

#### 1.2.1 Estimated Delivery

The best delivery offered by the bidder is days after receipt of order (ARO).

#### 1.2.2 Material Condition

Material supplied must be new and conform to the latest issue of the applicable drawing, specification and/or part number that is in effect on the bid solicitation closing date.

#### 1.2.3 No Substitute Products

Bidders must provide products that are of the same description, brand name, model and/or part number as detailed in the item description of the bid solicitation. Bidders are advised that substitute products will not be considered.

#### 1.3 Debriefings

Bidders may request a debriefing on the results of the bid solicitation process. Bidders should make the request to the Contracting Authority within 15 working days from receipt of the results of the bid solicitation process. The debriefing may be in writing, by telephone or in person.

#### 1.4 National Security Exception

The national security exceptions provided for in the trade agreements have been invoked; therefore, this procurement is excluded from all of the obligations of all the trade agreements.

#### 1.5 epost Connect service

This bid solicitation allows bidders to use the epost Connect service provided by Canada Post Corporation to transmit their bid electronically. Bidders must refer to Part 2 entitled Bidder Instructions, and Part 3 entitled Bid Preparation Instructions, of the bid solicitation, for further information.

#### **PART 2 - BIDDER INSTRUCTIONS**

#### 2.1 Standard Instructions, Clauses and Conditions

All instructions, clauses and conditions identified in the bid solicitation by number, date and title are set out in the <u>Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual</u> (https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual) issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

Bidders who submit a bid agree to be bound by the instructions, clauses and conditions of the bid solicitation and accept the clauses and conditions of the resulting contract.

The 2003 (2020-05-28) Standard Instructions - Goods or Services - Competitive Requirements, are incorporated by reference into and form part of the bid solicitation.

#### 2.1.1 No Substitute Products

Bidders must provide products that are of the same description, brand name, model and/or part number as detailed in the item description of the bid solicitation. Bidders are advised that substitute products will not be considered.

#### 2.2 Submission of Bids

Bids must be submitted only to Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) Bid Receiving Unit by the date, time and place indicated in the bid solicitation.

Note: For bidders choosing to submit using epost Connect for bids closing at the Bid Receiving Unit in the National Capital Region (NCR) the email address is:

tpsgc.dgareceptiondessoumissions-abbidreceiving.pwgsc@tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca

Note: Bids will not be accepted if emailed directly to this email address. This email address is to be used to open an epost Connect conversation, as detailed in Standard Instructions 2003, or to send bids through an epost Connect message if the bidder is using its own licensing agreement for epost Connect.

#### 2.3 Enquiries - Bid Solicitation

All enquiries must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Authority no later than five (5) calendar days before the bid closing date. Enquiries received after that time may not be answered.

Bidders should reference as accurately as possible the numbered item of the bid solicitation to which the enquiry relates. Care should be taken by Bidders to explain each question in sufficient detail in order to enable Canada to provide an accurate answer. Technical enquiries that are of a proprietary nature must be clearly marked "proprietary" at each relevant item. Items identified as "proprietary" will be treated as such except where Canada determines that the enquiry is not of a proprietary nature. Canada may edit the question(s) or may request that the Bidder do so, so that the proprietary nature of the question(s) is eliminated, and the enquiry can be answered to all Bidders. Enquiries not submitted in a form that can be distributed to all Bidders may not be answered by Canada.

#### 2.4 Applicable Laws

Any resulting contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Ontario.

Bidders may, at their discretion, substitute the applicable laws of a Canadian province or territory of their choice without affecting the validity of their bid, by deleting the name of the Canadian province or territory specified and inserting the name of the Canadian province or territory of their choice. If no change is made, it acknowledges that the applicable laws specified are acceptable to the Bidders.

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## 2.5 Bid Challenge and Recourse Mechanisms

- (a) Several mechanisms are available to potential suppliers to challenge aspects of the procurement process up to and including contract award.
- (b) Canada encourages suppliers to first bring their concerns to the attention of the Contracting Authority. Canada's <u>Buy and Sell</u> website, under the heading "<u>Bid Challenge and Recourse Mechanisms</u>" contains information on potential complaint bodies such as:
  - Office of the Procurement Ombudsman (OPO)
  - Canadian International Trade Tribunal (CITT)
- (c) Suppliers should note that there are **strict deadlines** for filing complaints, and the time periods vary depending on the complaint body in question. Suppliers should therefore act quickly when they want to challenge any aspect of the procurement process.

## **PART 3 - BID PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS**

#### 3.1 Bid Preparation Instructions

• If the Bidder chooses to submit its bid electronically, Canada requests that the Bidder submits its bid in accordance with section 08 of the 2003 standard instructions. The epost Connect system has a limit of 1GB per single message posted and a limit of 20GB per conversation.

The bid must be gathered per section and separated as follows:

Section I: Financial Bid Section II: Certifications

• If the Bidder chooses to submit its bid in hard copies, Canada requests that the Bidder submits its bid in separately bound sections as follows:

Section I: Financial Bid (1 hard copy)
Section II: Certifications (1 hard copy)

 If the Bidder is simultaneously providing copies of its bid using multiple acceptable delivery methods, and if there is a discrepancy between the wording of any of these copies and the electronic copy provided through epost Connect service, the wording of the electronic copy provided through epost Connect service will have priority over the wording of the other copies.

Prices must appear in the financial bid only. No prices must be indicated in any other section of the bid.

Canada requests that bidders follow the format instructions described below in the preparation of hard copy of their bid:

- (a) use 8.5 x 11 inch (216 mm x 279 mm) paper;
- (b) use a numbering system that corresponds to the bid solicitation.

In April 2006, Canada issued a policy directing federal departments and agencies to take the necessary steps to incorporate environmental considerations into the procurement process <a href="Policy on Green">Policy on Green</a>
<a href="Procurement">Procurement</a> (http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ecologisation-greening/achats-procurement/politique-policy-eng.html). To assist Canada in reaching its objectives, Bidders should:

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- 1) use 8.5 x 11 inch (216 mm x 279 mm) paper containing fibre certified as originating from a sustainably-managed forest and containing minimum 30% recycled content; and
- use an environmentally-preferable format including black and white printing instead of colour printing, printing double sided/duplex, using staples or clips instead of cerlox, duotangs or binders.

#### Section I: Financial Bid

Bidders must submit their financial bid in accordance with the Basis of Payment and the requirements detailed at Line Item Detail. The total amount of Applicable Taxes must be shown separately.

#### 3.1.1 Exchange Rate Fluctuation

C3011T (2013-11-06), Exchange Rate Fluctuation

#### 3.1.2 SACC Manual Clauses

C2000C Taxes – Foreign Based Contractor (2007-11-30)

#### Section II: Certifications

Bidders must submit the certifications and additional information required under Part 5.

#### 3.1.3 Airworthiness Certification

The requirements for airworthiness certification do not apply to the provision of standard and commercial parts. Standard and commercial parts must be accompanied by a packing slip that identifies the name and address of the supplier, the stock number, identification of the manufacturing standard (e.g. SAE, NAS, AN, MS) and/or manufacturer's part number and model number as applicable; quantity, identification of the lot or batch number if applicable; and the cure date/shelf life if applicable.

Bidders are advised that it will be a requirement to provide with each item, supplied under the resulting Contract, a Certificate of Conformance, or certified true copies as specified herein:

- 1. Parts must have an Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) or an OEM's approved manufacturer's Certificate of Conformance, which includes all the following information:
- a) positive identification of the item by type, class, style, grade, model, part number, description, nomenclature and/or serial number, as applicable;
- b) either the following certification, or a similarly worded statement, signed by an authorized inspector, that satisfies the intent of the following:
  - "I certify that the aeronautical product described here conforms to the applicable design data and is in a condition for safe operations."
- c) identification of both the authorized signatory and the organization.
- 2. Parts which have an application to a civilian type certified aircraft must be supplied with a Certificate of Conformance, namely:
- a) form TCCA 24-0078, Authorized Release Certificate, signed by a TC authorized inspector, within he two (2) years before contract award;

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- b) FAA Form 8130-3, Airworthiness Approval Tag, or a FAA Form 8130-4, Export Certificate of Airworthiness, signed by a FAA authorized inspector, within the two (2) years before contract award;
- c) Joint Aviation Authorities (JAA) Form One, Authorized Release Certificate, signed by a JAA authorized inspector, within the two (2) years before contract award;
- d) European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA) Form One, Authorized Release Certificate, signed by an EASA authorized inspector, within the two (2) years before contract award; or
- e) OEM's or OEM's approved manufacturer's Certificate of Conformance; which includes:

positive identification of the item by type, class style, grade, model, part number, description, nomenclature, and/or serial number, as applicable;

either the following certification, or a similarly worded statement, signed by an authorized inspector, that satisfies the intent of the following:

"I certify that the aeronautical product described here conforms to the applicable design data and is in a condition for safe operations".

- f) identification of both the authorized signatory and organization.
- 3. Bidders must specify which one of the documents identified above will be provided for each item required to be supplied in response to the bid solicitation.

#### PART 4 - EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION

#### 4.1 Evaluation Procedures

- (a) Bids will be assessed in accordance with the entire requirement of the bid.
- (b) An evaluation team composed of representatives of Canada will evaluate the bids.

#### 4.1.1 Financial Evaluation

Bidders must submit their financial bid in accordance with the requirements detailed at Line Item Detail.

#### 4.1.2 Evaluation of Price

- The price of the bid will be evaluated in Canadian dollars, Applicable Taxes excluded, DDP destination, Canadian customs duties and excise taxes included.
- 2. Unless the bid solicitation specifically requires bids to be submitted in Canadian currency, bids submitted in foreign currency will be converted to Canadian currency for evaluation purposes. The rate given by the Bank of Canada in effect on the bid solicitation closing date, or on another date specified in the bid solicitation, will be applied as a conversion factor to the bids submitted in foreign currency.
- 3. Bids will be assessed on a Delivered Duty Paid (DDP) basis. All transportation/shipping costs are to be paid by the seller, including payment of customs duties.

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## 4.2 Basis of Selection

**4.2.1** A bid must comply with all requirements of the bid solicitation to be declared responsive. The responsive bid with the lowest evaluated price on an item by item basis will be recommended for award of a contract.

#### PART 5 - CERTIFICATIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Bidders must provide the required certifications and additional information to be awarded a contract.

The certifications provided by Bidders to Canada are subject to verification by Canada at all times. Unless specified otherwise, Canada will declare a bid non-responsive, or will declare a contractor in default if any certification made by the Bidder is found to be untrue whether made knowingly or unknowingly, during the bid evaluation period or during the contract period.

The Contracting Authority will have the right to ask for additional information to verify the Bidder's certifications. Failure to comply and to cooperate with any request or requirement imposed by the Contracting Authority will render the bid non-responsive or constitute a default under the Contract.

#### 5.1 Certifications Required with the Bid

Bidders must submit the following duly completed certifications as part of their bid.

#### 5.1.1 Integrity Provisions - Declaration of Convicted Offences

In accordance with the Integrity Provisions of the Standard Instructions, all bidders must provide with their bid, **if applicable**, the declaration form available on the <u>Forms for the Integrity Regime</u> website (http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/declaration-eng.html), to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

#### 5.2 Certifications Precedent to Contract Award and Additional Information

The certifications and additional information listed below should be submitted with the bid, but may be submitted afterwards. If any of these required certifications or additional information is not completed and submitted as requested, the Contracting Authority will inform the Bidder of a time frame within which to provide the information. Failure to provide the certifications or the additional information listed below within the time frame provided will render the bid non-responsive.

#### 5.2.1 Integrity Provisions – Required Documentation

In accordance with the section titled Information to be provided when bidding, contracting or entering into a real procurement agreement of the <u>Ineligibility and Suspension Policy</u> (http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/politique-policy-eng.html), the Bidder must provide the required documentation, as applicable, to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

- a. In accordance with the Integrity Provisions and the *Ineligibility and Suspension Policy*, the following must be provided as part of the solicitation process.
  - i. Bidders, offerors or suppliers that are **corporate entities**, including those bidding as joint ventures, must provide a complete list of names of all current directors or, for a privately owned corporation, the names of the owners of the corporation.
  - ii. Bidders, offerors or suppliers bidding as **sole proprietors**, including sole proprietors bidding as joint ventures, must provide a complete list of the names of all owners.

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#### 5.2.2 Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Bid Certification

By submitting a bid, the Bidder certifies that the Bidder, and any of the Bidder's members if the Bidder is a Joint Venture, is not named on the Federal Contractors Program (FCP) for employment equity "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list available at the bottom of the page of the <a href="Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC)">Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC)</a> - Labour's website (http://www.esdc.gc.ca/en/jobs/workplace/human\_rights/employment\_equity/federal\_contractor\_p rogram.page?& ga=1.229006812.1158694905.1413548969).

Canada will have the right to declare a bid non-responsive if the Bidder, or any member of the Bidder if the Bidder is a Joint Venture, appears on the "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list at the time of contract award.

Canada will also have the right to terminate the Contract for default if a Contractor, or any member of the Contractor if the Contractor is a Joint Venture, appears on the "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list during the period of the Contract.

The Bidder must provide the Contracting Authority with a completed annex titled Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Certification, before contract award. If the Bidder is a Joint Venture, the Bidder must provide the Contracting Authority with a completed annex Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Certification, for each member of the Joint Venture

#### **PART 6 - RESULTING CONTRACT CLAUSES**

The following clauses and conditions apply to and form part of any contract resulting from the bid solicitation.

#### 6.1 Security Requirements

**6.1.1** There is no security requirement applicable to the Contract.

#### 6.2 Requirement

The Contractor must provide the items detailed under the "Line Item Detail".

#### 6.2.1 Condition of Material

The Contractor must provide material that is new production of current manufacture supplied by the principal manufacturer or its accredited agent. The material must conform to the latest issue of the applicable drawing, specification and part number, as applicable, that was in effect on the bid closing date.

#### 6.2.2 Incomplete Assemblies

The Contractor must not ship incomplete assemblies unless the authorization for such shipment has been obtained before from the Contracting Authority.

#### 6.2.3 Airworthiness Documentation

The Contractor shall provide the following airworthiness documentation, enclosed in the shipment or attached to the item: OEM Certificate of Conformance and a copy of the original Authorized Release Certificate (FAA 8130-3) issued by the manufacturer.

#### 6.3 Standard Clauses and Conditions

All clauses and conditions identified in the Contract by number, date and title are set out in the <u>Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual</u> (https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual) issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

#### 6.3.1 General Conditions

2010A (2021-12-02), General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity), apply to and form part of the Contract.

#### 6.4 Term of Contract

## 6.4.1 Delivery Date

All the deliverables must be received on or before to be inserted at Contract award.

#### 6.4.2 Shipping Instructions – Delivery at Destination

Goods must be consigned to the destination specified in the Contract and delivered Delivered Duty Paid (DDP) (Ottawa, ON) Incoterms 2000 for shipments from a commercial contractor.

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#### 6.5 Authorities

#### 6.5.1 Contracting Authority

The Contracting Authority for the Contract is:

Name: Rick Long Title: Supply Specialist

Public Works and Government Services Canada

Acquisitions Branch

Directorate: Aerospace Equipment Program Directorate

Address: Portage III 8C1 - 49 11 Laurier Street, Gatineau, Quebec

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Telephone: 873-469-3868 Facsimile: 819-956-7173

E-mail address: Rick.Long@tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca

The Contracting Authority is responsible for the management of the Contract and any changes to the Contract must be authorized in writing by the Contracting Authority. The Contractor must not perform work in excess of or outside the scope of the Contract based on verbal or written requests or instructions from anybody other than the Contracting Authority.

#### 6.5.2 Project Authority

The Project Authority for the Contract is:

(To be inserted at Contract Award)

The Project Authority is the representative of the department or agency for whom the Work is being carried out under the Contract and is responsible for all matters concerning the technical content of the Work under the Contract. Technical matters may be discussed with the Project Authority, however the Project Authority has no authority to authorize changes to the scope of the Work. Changes to the scope of the Work can only be made through a contract amendment issued by the Contracting Authority.

#### 6.5.3 Technical Authority

The Technical Authority for the Contract is:

(To be inserted at Contract Award)

The Technical Authority named above is the representative of the department or agency for whom the Work is being carried out under the Contract and is responsible for all matters concerning the technical content of the Work under the Contract. Technical matters may be discussed with the Technical Authority, however the Technical Authority has no authority to authorize changes to the scope of the Work. Changes to the scope of the Work can only be made through a contract amendment issued by the Contracting Authority.

General enquiries

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#### 6.5.4 Contractor's Representative

Name:	 	
Telephone No.	 	
Delivery Follow		
Name:	 	
Telephone No.	 	
E-mail address:		

#### 6.6 Payment

#### 6.6.1 Basis of Payment

In consideration of the Contractor satisfactorily completing all of its obligations under the Contract, the Contractor will be paid a firm unit price, as specified in the Contract. Customs duties are included and Applicable Taxes are extra.

Canada will not pay the Contractor for any design changes, modifications or interpretations of the Work, unless they have been approved, in writing, by the Contracting Authority before their incorporation into the Work.

#### 6.6.2 Multiple Payments

Canada will pay the Contractor upon completion and delivery of units in accordance with the payment provisions of the Contract if:

- an accurate and complete invoice and any other documents required by the Contract have
   been submitted in accordance with the invoicing instructions provided in the Contract;
- b. all such documents have been verified by Canada;
- c. the Work delivered has been accepted by Canada.

## 6.7 Invoicing Instructions

- 1. The Contractor must submit invoices in accordance with the section entitled "Invoice Submission" of the general conditions. Invoices cannot be submitted until all work identified in the invoice is completed.
- 2. Invoices must be distributed as follows:

- (a) The original and one (1) copy must be forwarded to the address shown on page 1 of the Contract for certification and payment;
- (b) One (1) copy must be forwarded electronically to the Contracting Authority identified.

#### **Certifications and Additional Information** 6.8

#### 6.8.1 Compliance

Unless specified otherwise, the continuous compliance with the certifications provided by the Contractor in its bid or precedent to contract award, and the ongoing cooperation in providing additional information are conditions of the Contract and failure to comply will constitute the Contractor in default. Certifications are subject to verification by Canada during the entire period of the Contract.

#### Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Default by the Contractor 6.8.2

The Contractor understands and agrees that, when an Agreement to Implement Employment Equity (AIEE) exists between the Contractor and Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC)-Labour, the AIEE must remain valid during the entire period of the Contract. If the AIEE becomes invalid, the name of the Contractor will be added to the "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list. The imposition of such a sanction by ESDC will constitute the Contractor in default as per the terms of the Contract.

#### 6.9 **Applicable Laws**

The Contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Ontario.

#### 6.10 **Priority of Documents**

If there is a discrepancy between the wording of any documents that appear on the list, the wording of the document that first appears on the list has priority over the wording of any document that subsequently appears on the list.

- the Articles of Agreement; (a)
- (b) the general conditions 2010A (2021-12-02), General Conditions - Goods;
- Line Item Detail; (c)
- the Contractor's bid dated (to be inserted at Contact Award). (d)

#### 6.11 **Inspection and Acceptance**

The Technical Authority is the Inspection Authority. All reports, deliverable items, documents, goods and all services rendered under the Contract are subject to inspection by the Inspection Authority or representative. Should any report, document, good or service not be to the satisfaction of the Inspection Authority, as submitted, the Inspection Authority will have the right to reject it or require its correction at the sole expense of the Contractor before recommending payment.

#### 6.12 Limitation of Contractor's Liability for Damages to Canada

1. This section applies despite any other provision of the Contract and replaces the section of the general conditions entitled "Liability". Any reference in this section to damages caused by the Contractor also includes damages caused by its employees, as well as its subcontractors, agents, and representatives, and any of their employees.

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- 2. Whether the claim is based in contract, tort, or another cause of action, the Contractor's liability for all damages suffered by Canada caused by the Contractor's performance of or failure to perform the Contract is limited to Contract Value. This limitation of the Contractor's liability does not apply to:
  - a. any infringement of intellectual property rights; or
  - b. any breach of warranty obligations.
- 3. Each Party agrees that it is fully liable for any damages that it causes to any third party in connection with the Contract, regardless of whether the third party makes its claim against Canada or the Contractor. If Canada is required, as a result of joint and several liability, to pay a third party in respect of damages caused by the Contractor, the Contractor must reimburse Canada for that amount.

#### 6.13 SACC Manual Clauses

G1005C Insurance – No Specific Requirement

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