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ADDENDUM NUMBER 2 TO INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB) FOR LABORATORY AND CLINIC EQUIPMENT AND MEDICAL DEVICE MAINTENANCE, CALIBRATION, AND REPAIR SERVICES

On February 5, 2013, the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health (DPH) released an IFB to solicit bids from qualified Bidders to award a single Contract to an organization that can provide Laboratory and Clinic Equipment and Medical Device Maintenance, Calibration, and Repair Services within DPH's Public Health Laboratory and Community Health Services health centers.

Pursuant to IFB Paragraph 1.5, County Rights and Responsibilities, the County may amend the IFB by written addendum. Therefore, the purpose of this Addendum is to amend: 1) Section 1.4, Minimum Mandatory Requirements, subsection 1.4.2; 2) Section 2.3, IFB Timetable; 3) Section 2.8.6, Proof of License or Certificate (Section E); and 4) Section 2.9.6, Bid Submission, last paragraph.

Based on the above, Addendum Number 2 amends the following sections of the IFB:

Section 1.4, Minimum Mandatory Requirements, subsection 1.4.2 is hereby amended and replaced in its entirety as follows:

"1.4.2 Bidder must have, on staff, a currently nationally certified Biomedical Equipment Technician to supervise equipment technicians."

Section 2.3. IFB Timetable, is hereby amended and replaced in its entirety as follows:

"2.3 IFB Timetable (Revised)

The timetable for this IFB is as follows:

EVENT	DATE	TIME All times listed are in Pacific Standard Time
Re-Release of IFB	04/19/2013	
Bidder's Written Questions Due	04/29/2013	3:30 P.M.
Request for a Solicitation Requirements Review	05/03/2013	3:30 P.M.
Release of Answers to Bidder's Written Questions	05/10/2013	
BID DUE DATE	05/20/2013	3:30 P.M."

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Section 2.8.6, Proof of License or Certificate (Section E), is hereby amended and replaced in its entirety as follows:

"2.8.6 Proof of License or Certificate (Section E)

Bidder must furnish the following:

1. A copy of Bidder's current staff person's current nationally certified Biomedical Equipment Technician certification."

Section 2.9, Bid Submission, hereby amends and replaces in its entirety the last paragraph only of Section 2.9 as follows:

"Until the Bid submission deadline, errors in Bids may be corrected by a request in writing to withdraw the Bid and by submission of another set of Bids with the mistakes corrected. Corrections will not be accepted once the deadline for the submission of Bids has passed. Those Bidders that have already submitted a Bid need not submit another Bid but may submit a corrected bid as outlined above."

Addendum Number 2 has been posted on the following County of Los Angeles website:

http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/cg/index.htm

Thank you for your interest in contracting with the County of Los Angeles. Except for the revisions contained in Addendum Number 2, there are no other revisions to the IFB. All other terms and conditions of the IFB remain in full force and effect.