

<b>AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT</b>			1. CONTRACT ID CODE	PAGE OF PAGES 1   5
2. AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION NO. A00003	3. EFFECTIVE DATE Mar 4, 2008	4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NO.	5. PROJECT NO. (If applicable) 08-1008/07-1062	
6. ISSUED BY 386 ECONS/LGC ALI AL SALEM AIR BASE KUWAIT	CODE	7. ADMINISTERED BY (If other than Item 6)	CODE	
8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (No., street, county, State and ZIP Code)		(X)	9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO. F38604-08-R-S014	
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	9B. DATED (SEE ITEM 11) Feb 12, 2008	
			10A. MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT/ORDER NO.	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	10B. DATED (SEE ITEM 13)	
CODE	FACILITY CODE			

**11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS**

The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in Item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of Offers  is extended,  is not extended.

Offers must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended, by one of the following methods:  
 (a) By completing items 8 and 15, and returning 1 copies of the amendment; (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the offer submitted; or (c) By separate letter or telegram which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment your desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by telegram or letter, provided each telegram or letter makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.

12. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA (If required)

**13. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO MODIFICATION OF CONTRACTS/ORDERS. IT MODIFIES THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14.**

CHECK ONE	A. THIS CHANGE ORDER IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO: (Specify authority) THE CHANGES SET FORTH IN ITEM 14 ARE MADE IN THE CONTRACT ORDER NO. IN ITEM 10A.
<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	B. THE ABOVE NUMBERED CONTRACT/ORDER IS MODIFIED TO REFLECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES (such as changes in paying office, appropriation date, etc.) SET FORTH IN ITEM 14, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF FAR 43.103(b).
<input type="checkbox"/>	C. THIS SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT IS ENTERED INTO PURSUANT TO AUTHORITY OF:
<input type="checkbox"/>	D. OTHER (Specify type of modification and authority)

**E. IMPORTANT:** Contractor  is not,  is required to sign this document and return \_\_\_\_\_ copies to the issuing office.

14. DESCRIPTION OF AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION (Organized by UCF section headings, including solicitation/contract subject matter where feasible.)

SEE PAGE 2 THROUGH 5 OF THIS AMENDMENT.

Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in Item 9A or 10A, as heretofore changed, remains unchanged and in full force and effect.

15A. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER (Type or print)		16A. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print)	
		LISA Y. GAMBREL	
15B. CONTRACTOR/OFFEROR	15C. DATE SIGNED	16B. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	16C. DATE SIGNED
(Signature of person authorized to sign)		(Signature of Contracting Officer)	4 March 2008

The purpose of this amendment is to provide a consolidation of all inquiries submitted for the subject solicitation.

Q1: SOW, Page 3, Para 1,1.5, Last 2 lines, state that the Warranty: Standard commercial warranty must be provided by Offeror, supported in full. A copy of the warranty shall be submitted. In this line the wording "Supported in full" indicates what exactly?. Does this mean that we will have to include the complete warranty inclusive of the spare parts and maintenance too for a year? Since if it means that, then the cost will go high and we have a fear that different vendors will get this point differently and those vendors who provide their quote with 'Supported in Full' Warranty based costs might end up in providing hire costs.

A1: "Supported in full" in a warranty means that the contractor will guarantee the generator will run according the specifications asked for in the contract. Should at any time the generator set or provided components not perform per specification during the specified timeframe, the contractor has the obligation to do whatever is necessary to bring the product back into compliance. That means parts, labor, and travel. It is commonly accepted that warranties have conditions. The contractor must specify what conditions are required and are reasonable, per the generator's manufacturer, about what obligations the customer has in order for the warranty to remain valid. Performing and documenting maintenance is a good example of a reasonable expectation. Incomplete warranties, or unreasonable warranties, will lead to the contractor's bid being rejected.

Q2: What is the distance between a) Diesel Generator(DG) & Automatic Transfer Switch(ATS), b)ATS & Commercial Power, and c) ATS and the Load Panel?

A2: It varies per generator set. Use the cable amounts in the SOW for the whole project. Any cable further needed can be adjusted into the contract. 80 Meters is the cable length typical for each set.

Q3: Cables for the above - which is to be supplied and installed by the contractor?

A3: Yes, cable is provided by the contractor to install the generators.

Q4: ATS shall be with manual bypass switch or without manual bypass switch?

A4: Include a manual bypass switch.

Q5: Does each fuel tank require a fuel containment tank or not? If YES, will you require a stand or concrete bund - please clarify.

A5: The fuel tanks should meet NFPA-110. They should be double walled. The tank should sit squarely on the concrete pads. (Use rectangular tanks.)

Q6: Is there any asphalt or concrete road breaking and/or repairing?

A6: No

Q7. Regarding then above subject, in the SOW the contractor shall install piping between the 8000 gal diesel tank and other daily diesel tanks for 14 generators. If yes, kindly provide the distance between each daily tank and the 8000 gal tank. Also clarify if the piping will be underground, and the 8000 gal tank will be above ground or under ground.

A7: The contractor will site and place each generator and tank. Each generator will have different needs. However, each generator site should fit within a 10m X 10m area. Use this assumption for estimating distances.

Q8. The quote of this tender will be done according to our paper forms or the price should be filled on the papers that exist in the tender?

A8: All offerors need to put pricing on the bid schedule provided, and submit the complete Standard Form 1449.

Q9: Regarding the Brands of generators mentioned in the SOW, are you looking for the ones mentioned or other brands would also do like for example PERKINS BRAND?

A9: The acceptable brands are listed within the Statement of Work.

Q10: You have selected some brands of the generators to make the quote accordingly, but we have the ONIS VISA generator equipped with Perkins engine that meet all the international standards. Is this appropriate?

A10: No

Q11: It has been mentioned that 80M of cable has to be provided with each generator, 14 Nos of generators do not have any installations. Do we have to provide the cable for these 14 Nos also?

A11: No, only provide cable where specified in the SOW. The final fourteen do not require parts beyond the GenSet.

Q12: Since there is no site visit we would like to know if there is any road crossings for the cable?

A12: No road crossings for the cable.

Q13: The generator consists of 3 major parts ie the engine, alternator and the control panel. In case these are from 3 different manufacturers you will find difficulty in the spares after 5 to 7 seven years. Do you want SINGLE source (Single manufacturer and warranty) supply for all these parts or can we assemble from 3 different sources.

A13: Generator sets often have their three major components from different manufacturers. The Generator Sets should be standard sets sold by the approved name brands for this contract. Delivery of non-standard factory generator sets or any similar substitutions will result in the products being rejected. Generators will be checked for to see if they meet manufacturer specifications before acceptance.

Q14: Is it possible to at least let us know the correct size of gensets & the revised quantities for installations & for purchase?

A14: The information you are requesting is within the Statement of Work (SOW).

Q15: In the SOW , Page 2, Item /Para 1.1.1; Does the Contractor need to supply & install the electrical cables between the backup generators , ATS and existing Panel board? If yes, could you please let us know the distance to be considered for the electrical cables between all of them?

A15: The electrical cables should be (at least/equal to/longer than) 80 meters per generator set.

Q16: In the SOW, Page 2, Item/para 1.1.2; Please provide the technical details of the existing synchronization panel, so as to select the appropriate control system for the generator to set to perform synchronization.

A16: There are no synchronization panels in this requirement.

Q17: Gensets are of PRIME RATING or STANDBY RATING?

A17: Standby Rating.

Q18: Tank capacities are US Gallon or Imperial Gallon?

A18: US Gallon

Q19: Sound level for Genset Enclosure is 87 dB at what distance, i.e. @ 1m or 3m or 7m?

A19: 3 Meter

Q20: Provide a list of the Gensets, which shall be synchronized with existing Gensets?

A20: Not applicable to this requirement.

Q21: What are the technical details of Synchronizing & Control Switchgear available at site with which new Gensets has to synchronize?

A21: Not applicable to this requirement.

Q22: For B2105/B2110/B515, specs call for 640 kva, 500 kW Genset & 700 A ATS. Generally all generators are designed @ 0.8 P.F., hence 500 KW rating shall be 625 kva & rated current shall be 869 A, Please Clarify?

A22: Use the industry standard opposed to what is currently written in the SOW. See statement of work, incorporated under A00002 of this solicitation, dated 1 March 2008.

Q23: For B595/B513/B467, specs call for 400 kva, 300 kW Genset. Generally all Generators are designed @ 0.8 P.F., hence 300 KW rating shall be 375 kva, Please Clarify?

A23: Use the industry standard opposed to what is currently written in the SOW. See statement of work, incorporated under A00002 of this solicitation, dated 1 March 2008.

Q24: For B519, specs call for 200 kva, 150 kW Genset. Generally all Generators are designed @ 0.8 P.F., hence 150 KW rating shall be 187.5 kva, Please Clarify?

A24: Use the industry standard opposed to what is currently written in the SOW. See statement of work, incorporated under A00002 of this solicitation, dated 1 March 2008.

Q25: For B397/B377/B129, specs call for 100 kva, 75 kW Genset. Generally all Generators are designed @ 0.8 P.F., hence 75 KW rating shall be 93.75 kva, Please Clarify?

A25: Use the industry standard opposed to what is currently written in the SOW. See statement of work, incorporated under A00002 of this solicitation, dated 1 March 2008.

Q26: Kindly confirm the Quantity and Rating of Gensets required.

A26: The quantities and ratings of the generators are included within the Solicitation and the SOW.

Q27: Due to 25th & 26th holiday in Kuwait, we would request extension for 3 working days.

A27: The due date for your technical and pricing proposals is 3 March 2008.

Q28: The quotation will be sent to you by e-mail?

A28: You can send the quotation to the Contracting Office by e-mail. The contracting officer will also be available, from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM on 5 March 2008, to retrieve the technical and pricing quotations, in person, at the meeting area between the Kuwaiti checkpoint and Route 70, otherwise identified as the Kuwaiti "Sandpit."

Further clarifications:

For those who wish to make teaming arrangements: Only the financial information of the Prime contractor can be provided on your offer.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.