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December 28, 2007

BID NUMBER: S8XV9550
TITLE: Environmental Controlled Clean Room for Filter Weighting
DEPARTMENT: PUBLIC HEALTH
DATE TO OPEN: December 31, 2007 at 10:30 AM

ADDENDUM # 1

TO ALL BIDDERS:

You are hereby notified of the following changes to the above mentioned bid:

SUBJECT BID #S8XV9550 "Environmental Controlled Clean Room for Filter Weighting", is hereby subject to open on **Wednesday, January 23, 2008 at 10:30 A.M.**

No additional Questions will be accepted by the City at this time.

Please sign, date and return this addendum with your bid to the Procurement Department, 1401 J.F.K Boulevard, Bid Room 170A, Philadelphia, PA 19102-1685 as it now becomes a part of the proposal.

Buyer, R. Saylor

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

FIRM NAME (PRINT)

DATE

Attachment

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Question #1

The existing room height is 9'6", our proposed alternate will require a 24" plenum above the finished ceiling, which means that the inside height will be 7'6", spec calls for 8'H. Will this be acceptable to the City?

Answer:

This would be acceptable to the City. Please note, however, that should a bidder(s) intend to submit an alternate product other than the referenced product specifications listed in the Invitation and Bid the bidder(s) shall follow the procedures as outlined in Paragraph 4, Specifications, of the Terms and Conditions of Bidding and Contract.

Question #2

Is a Re-circulating cleanroom with a roof deck required or are you going to use the room to recirculate the air?

Answer:

A Re-circulating cleanroom with a roof deck is required by the City.

Question #3

Please identify the specific wall requirements for the Cleanroom Wall Panels (Eg: Painted steel; stainless steel or Vinyl covered)?

Answer:

Painted steel is required by the City.

Question #4

Clarify the requirements of sprinklers, you mention sprinkler drops. We interpret this to mean that the bidder will provide penetrations in the ceiling tile.

Answer:

Penetrations with plugs are acceptable.

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Question #5

HVAC - how far from the outside of the building would the City like to locate the AC unit?

Answer:

Within One (1) Foot.

Question #6

In addition to Question #7, what type of exterior walls are there?

Answer:

Brick.

Question #7

Would the City consider using a wall mounted HVAC cleanroom system?

Answer:

The unit would have to be mounted outside the building and be able to meet the stringent temperature and humidity specifications. It is not clear that this type of unit will be able to meet the humidity requirements.

Question #8

Is cleanroom certification required?

Answer:

No.

Question #9

Cleanroom classification of Gown room - is 10,000 acceptable?

Answer:

Yes.

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Question #10

Is the city handling the cleanroom floor? Is this required? If so what type?

Answer:

The successful bidder shall provide the cleanroom floor. Vinyl floor is required.

Question #11

What is the condition of the current room & also the pathway from the loading dock to the cleanroom. We will need to bring on a 4' x 10' panel, is there adequate clearance to do this from loading dock to cleanroom.

Answer:

Yes. There should be adequate room to get the panel into the room.

Additional Acceptances to the Environmental Controlled Clean Room Specifications are as follows:

A HEPA filter integrated with the air conditioning unit as opposed to having individual filter modules in the ceiling is acceptable as long as there is laminar flow through the room.

The humidifying portion of the air conditioning unit may be mounted outside the cleanroom and inside the building

The 4 standard electrical outlets do not need to be 3' from the center of each wall. A standard 110/120 duplex electrical outlet on each wall is sufficient.

A PC computer with data logging software may be substituted for the circular chart recorder.