October 4, 2022

This is Amendment No. 1. The specifications in our invitation for bids on Program 539-S, scheduled for opening at 11:00am on October 18, 2022, are amended as follows:


Update second and fourth paragraph to:
For the purpose of this clause, performance under this contract will be divided into successive periods. The first period will extend from December 1, 2022 to November 30, 2023, and the second and any succeeding period(s) will extend for 12 months from the end of the last preceding period, except that the length of the final period may vary. The first day of the second and any succeeding period(s) will be the effective date of the economic price adjustment for that period.

The economic price adjustment will be the percentage difference between Index averages as specified in this paragraph. An index called the variable index will be calculated by averaging the monthly Indexes from the 12-month interval ending three (3) months prior to the beginning of the period being considered for adjustment. This average is then compared to the average of the monthly Indexes for the 12-month interval ending August 31, 2022, called the base index. The percentage change (plus or minus) of the variable index from the base index will be the economic price adjustment for the period being considered for adjustment.

All other specifications remain the same.

If amendment is not acknowledged on bid, direct acknowledgement to: U.S. Government Publishing Office, Bid Section, Room C848, Stop CSPS, 732 North Capitol Street NW, Washington, DC 20401-0001.

Amended bid or acknowledgement must be submitted using the method(s) specified in the solicitation for bid submission. Telephone or e-mail submission is not acceptable.

BIDDER MUST ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS AMENDMENT PRIOR TO BID OPENING. Failure to acknowledge receipt of amendment, by amendment number, prior to bid-opening time, may be reason for bid being declared nonresponsive.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL KING
Contracting Officer