



**Addendum #4**

January 23, 2020,

Dear Respondents:

The following addendum supersedes information contained in the RFP to the extent referenced.

This Addendum forms part of the RFP documents and will be subject to all of the conditions set out in the contract conditions. Acknowledge receipt of this Addendum in the space provided on the Submission Form when bidding.

This Addendum # 4 contains 3 pages.

**Part 1 Invitation and Submission Instructions**

**Bidder's Questions (Q) and Governments Responses (R)**

**Q1 Could you please extend the submission date to accommodate for the amendments in the RFP?**

**R1** The Government has considered this request and the new deadline is January 31<sup>st</sup> 2020 at 3:00 p.m.

**Q2 Can the Government clarify and give further details on their requirements for the completion of the Project and Personnel form (Annex D)?**

**R2** Please be advised the Government has decided to withdraw the use of the original "Project Personnel Qualifications and Reference form" (Annex D). In its place, the Proposal shall clearly identify the names of all personnel of the proposed team (and sub-contractors) that are to be assigned to the response for proposal (RFP).

**Q3 It is stated that the proposal must be submitted by mail to the address given on page 5 of the RFP. Can this be changed to be submitted by email to ensure that the documents will arrive on time?**

**R3** Please be advised that submissions may be sent via email to [dblovell@gov.bm](mailto:dblovell@gov.bm) In addition Proponents may submit at minimum 3 original signed hard copies of their proposal or one (1) electronic copy (e-copy) in Microsoft Word or Adobe PDF format. If both a hard copy and e-copy of the proposal are submitted and there is a conflict or inconsistency between the hard copy and the e-copy of the proposal, the hard copy of the proposal will prevail.



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**Q4 The date for submission is set to Friday January 10, but in paragraph 1.5.3 it is stated that the bids will open on Friday January 03. Is this is an error?**

**R4** The Government confirms this was an editing error

**Q5 On the Proponent Information page you ask for Social Insurance Number and Payroll Tax Number issued by the Government of Bermuda Does this apply to overseas proponents?**

**R5** The Government confirms this does not apply to overseas proponents

**Q6 What radio brand and model is in use by the Bermuda Fire and Rescue Service? Does the radio have Bluetooth capabilities?**

**R6** The Bermuda Fire & Rescue Service will be migrating to a new radio system on the “Tetra” platform. The system was manufactured by Sepura and it is the SC20 model with Bluetooth capabilities.

**Q7 Can the Government clarify its pricing sheet structure to denote the separation of the costs of optional items versus mandatory items?**

**R7** With regards to the existing pricing sheet, proponents should be aware that pricing information may be presented in any format provided that it denotes our required items versus our optional.

**Fixed Pricing**

Item	Qty	Description	Lump Sum
1.	70	Self-contained Breathing Apparatus systems (Complete with 45 minute cylinders)	
2.	6	Self-contained Breathing Apparatus systems (Complete with 60 minute cylinders)	
3.	70	Additional replacement cylinders 45 minutes	
4.	6	Additional replacement cylinders 60 minutes	
5.		User training (In Bermuda)	
6.		Service Technician Training (In Bermuda)	
<b>Total</b>			



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**Optional Pricing**

Item	Description	Price per Unit
1.	Telemetry cost per SCBA.	
2.	Telemetry PC software and antenna module for PC.	
3.	Computer (if special computer is required for the offered telemetry system)	
4.	Any other equipment needed for telemetry system to be implemented.	
5.	RIT bag, with rescue mask and 60 minute cylinder	

**Q8 What type of Test Bench does the BF&RS use for its calibration of its SCBA**

**R8** The Bermuda Fire & Rescue Service utilizes a PosiChek with a USB and is calibrated annually.

**Q9 There are several RIT KITS available; please advise if you want a 60 minute, 4500 or 5500 PSI RIT KIT to best matches them up with the right kit.**

**R9** Proponents should be aware that RIT Kits initially were a mandatory requirement, this requirement was rescinded in Addendum # 2 dated January 7<sup>th</sup> 2020 . RIT Kits are now an **optional item and should be quoted accordingly**

END OF ADDENDUM # 4

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