

SOLICITATION ADDENDUM

Date: **3/3/2021**
Subject: **Bond Counsel RFP**
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To All Suppliers:

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania defines a solicitation “Addendum” as an addition to or amendment of the original terms, conditions, specifications, or instructions of a procurement solicitation (e.g., Invitation for Bids or Request for Proposals).

The Issuing Office received the following questions regarding the above-referenced RFP and provides the following responses.

Q.1. Does the OGC publish a list of which of the Bond Counsel meet certain certification standards? Specifically for veterans’ certified folks.

A.1. OGC does not publish a list of DGS-verified Veteran Business Enterprises (VBEs) who are Bond Counsel. In order to locate DGS-verified VBEs, please refer to Department of General Services Supplier Search Portal (<http://www.dgs.internet.state.pa.us/suppliersearch>). Within the supplier search portal the “Advance Search” option is available to assist with filtering supplier classification (i.e., VBE-Veteran Owned Business). Please utilize this option when searching for and verifying a firm’s VBE status. Please also note that subcontractors (including SDB and VBE subcontractors) are not required to be current members of the OGC Bond Counsel pool.

*** If you asked a question, and do not see your question listed, please let me know right away so we can get you a response as soon as possible.**

Except as clarified and amended by this Addendum, the terms, conditions, specifications, and instructions of the solicitation and any previous solicitation addenda, remain as originally written.

Respectfully,

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