

SOLICITATION ADDENDUM

Date: **11/16/2022**
Subject: **Criminal Law Counsel RFP**
Solicitation Number: **OGC-2022-25**
Due Date/Time: **November 29, 2022 @ 4:00 pm EST**
Addendum Number: **2**

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. Can you confirm that our response will be considered valid if we request a full waiver of the SDB and VBE participation goals along with the requested supporting documentation?

A.1. The Commonwealth will not provide advance review of bid submittal documents. Please review SDB-1 and VBE-1 “Instructions for Completion” ALSO review the addendum “OGC-2022-25 Criminal Law Counsel BDISBO Goal Setting Overview.pdf” from the pre-bid meeting held on Wednesday, November 9th at 1PM regarding the BDISBO Goal Setting Overview presentation. And review SDB-4 and VBE-4 “Guidance for Good Faith Efforts”.

Q.2. In an effort to submit a fully valid and acceptable response, can you please share specific errors, if any, within our previous response submitted in April?

A.2. A firm is able to request a debriefing with the Issuing Office for purposes of better understanding why a proposal was found non-responsive and what can be done to fix this in the future.

Q.3. Two times this RFP started and stopped. Any clarity you can provide as to why?

A.3. The Issuing Office changed the forms a bit for this RFP to ensure clarity and consistency in the application process.

If you asked a question and do not see your question listed, please let the Issuing Office 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.



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