

# **GOVERNMENT OF BERMUDA**

Ministry of Public Works
Department of Works and Engineering

(July 19, 2019)

**Dear Proponent** 

Ref: 31-262-75-01A – Prospect Telecommunications Tower Replacement

This Addendum # 2 contains (4) pages.

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.

# **REVISIONS**

Part 1 Questions (Q) and Government Responses (R) – 3 pages



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# Part 1 Questions (Q) and Government's Responses (R).

TENDER	ANNEX	ISSUE	QUESTION	ANSWER
DOCUMENT				
REFERENCE		Scope of Works	Does the Government have any existing proposals for the replacement tower at Prospect?	No.  Prospect Tower's Replacement Project will be divided in two parts. The scope of works of this Request for Proposals, let's call it RFP A for short (first part) is limited to the procurement of a tower including its design.  The second part of Prospect Tower's Replacement Project will include the construction of foundations, assembly and erection of the tower. A separate Request for Proposals, let's called it RFP B, will be issued for this part of the project.
		Scope of Works	If so, can this information be shared to help expedite the design process?	The government will share this information during <b>RFP B</b> , once the tower design has been completed.
		Scope of Works	Who will do the concrete foundations for the tower)?	Any interested capable parties will be allowed to participate in the tender process after RFP B has been issued. We expect that the tower supplier (Selected Proponent from RFP A) will be involved in this part of the process as well to make sure the tower is erected to their satisfaction and quality standards.
		Scope of Works	Who will do the tower erection? The supplier or local labour?	Please refer to answer above. Also note that in the past partnership between overseas



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				experts and well-respected local contractors has proved to be very successful.
		Utilities	Can the Government provide information showing the existing underground communication conduits, electrical conduits, and water mains etc. that are in the "Proposed Tower Area" shown on Annex-D	Existing cables are known to be present within this site. It is envisaged that the Selected Proponent for RFP B will be responsible for locating as well as protecting and/or relocating these and any other possible services within these works area.
		Utilities	Will the Government be responsible to relocate all underground communication conduits, electrical conduits, and water mains etc. to permit the space required for the "stand-alone" tower foundation?	No. Please see answer to Questions above.
		Foundation	More information is required to design and price the required foundation, once this information has been received a deadline extension past August 7, 2019 may be required	Please note that the design of the foundation is part of the deliverables of the project. The design will only be required from the successful proponent.
		Foundation	Can you clarify available space area for the foundation of the tower? Is 40' by 40' available?	Yes. This is correct, 40' by 40' can be used for the tender stage.
		Geotechnical Information for foundation design	Are geotechnical parameters information going to be provided?	Preliminary geotechnical parameters are provided in the Technical Specifications (Annex F) of the RFP.
			Can the Government share the building plans (including the foundation specifications) for the Government Quarry tower	No.



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			that was installed in approximately 2009/2010?	
			Please confirm if the New tower will be self-supporting and the tower height.	The information is clearly stated in the RFP document.
			Can the proponents have more time to prepare the tender document?	No, the submission deadline will not change this time.

# **END OF ADDENDUM #2**

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