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ADDENDUM #1 QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

FILTERING FACEPIECE RESPIRATORS RFQ #JP-1130-21

March 10, 2021

The following information, clarifications, changes, and modifications are by reference incorporated into the Request for Quote (RFQ) document for the above referenced project. Any work item or contract provision not changed or modified will remain in full force and effect. It is the prospective Vendor's responsibility to read the entire RFQ and all appendices and to respond to all requirements completely.

All prospective Vendors should acknowledge receipt of this Addendum by signing this document and returning it with the RFQ submission. Failure to acknowledge receipt of this Addendum may result in a rejection of RFQ submission.

****AS A REMINDER THE DUE DATE IS THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 2021 AT 10:00 AM (LOCAL TIME). ALL SAMPLES MUST BE RECEIVED PRIOR TO RFQ DUE DATE AND TIME.****

Question 1: Can you clarify that you are looking for N95 respirators? Can they have a valve or do you need them without a valve?

Answer: We are looking for an alternative to N95 respirators and will not purchase N95 respirators, as these require a respiratory protection program to be in place. We require that the respirators do not have any valves.

Question 2: Is the RFQ JP-1130-21 ASTM level 1 mask or N95 mask?

Answer: No, we are looking for an alternative to N95, such as a KN95 or FN95 type respirator.

Question 3: In regards to RFP JP-1130-21, Filtering Facepiece Respirators, which kind of respirators are you looking for? N95/KN95 respirators or 3ply face masks?

Answer: We need a respiratory that seals all the way around, not a 3-ply mask. We are looking for an alternative to N95, such as a KN95 or FN95 type respirator.

Question 4: In the solicitation, the description of the product is very similar to that of a N95 mask, but it is not explicitly mentioned as such. Is that what you are looking for? Or is there any other mask we can use as a reference? And is there a problem if we submit a NIOSH approved product?



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Answer: We are looking for an alternative to N95 respirators, such as a KN95 or FN95 type respirator, and will not purchase N95 respirators, as these require a respiratory protection program to be in place.

Question 5: Are you needing a 3ply mask or N95 or something different?

Answer: We need a respiratory that seals all the way around, not a pleated 3-ply mask. We are looking for an alternative to N95, such as a KN95 or FN95 type respirator.

Question 6: Is pricing just to be written in on page 5?

Answer: Yes, this information can be written on page 5 of the RFQ document (RFQ PRICE SCHEDULE/SPECIFICATION SHEET). Please provide the manufacturer, model number, price, lead time, and minimum order quantity if applicable.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

PRINT NAME

PROPOSING FIRM NAME

TITLE