



STATE OF TENNESSEE
CENTRAL PROCUREMENT OFFICE

**REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS # 32101-15557
AMENDMENT #5
FOR SYSTEMS INTEGRATION (SI) SERVICES**

DATE: May 25, 2016

RFQ # 32101-15557 IS AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. This RFQ Schedule of Events updates and confirms scheduled RFQ dates. Any event, time, or date containing revised or new text is highlighted.

	EVENT	TIME (Central Time Zone)	DATE (all dates are State business days)	UPDATED/ CONFIRMED
1.	RFQ Issued		April 1, 2016	CONFIRMED
2.	Disability Accommodation Request Deadline		April 6, 2016	CONFIRMED
3.	Pre-Response Conference	2:00 p.m.	April 8, 2016	CONFIRMED
4.	Notice of Intent to Respond Deadline		April 11, 2016	CONFIRMED
5.	Written "Questions & Comments" Deadline	12:00 p.m.	April 15, 2016	CONFIRMED
6.	State response to written "Questions & Comments"		May 4, 2016	CONFIRMED
7.	RFQ Technical Response Deadline	11:00 a.m.	June 1, 2016	CONFIRMED
8.	State Schedules respondent Oral Presentations (ONLY Respondents who pass Mandatory Requirements)		June 8, 2016	CONFIRMED
9.	RFQ Cost Proposal Deadline	2:00 p.m.	June 17, 2016	UPDATED
10.	Respondent Oral Presentations	8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. CST	June 29, 2016 - July 1, 2016	CONFIRMED
11.	Open Cost Proposals		July 7, 2016	CONFIRMED
12.	RFQ Cost Negotiations		July 11, 2016 – July 13, 2016	CONFIRMED
13.	State Evaluation Notice Released	2:00 p.m.	July 18, 2016	CONFIRMED
14.	Solicitation Files Opened for Public Inspection		July 19, 2016	CONFIRMED
15.	Respondent Contract Signature Deadline		August 6, 2016	CONFIRMED
16.	Contract Start Date		September 1, 2016	CONFIRMED

2. **RFQ Section 3.1.4 is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:**
(any sentence or paragraph contained revised or new text is highlighted):

3.1.4. Cost Proposal

- 3.1.4.1 The Cost Proposal must be submitted by the Response Deadline time and date detailed in the RFQ § 2, Schedule of Events and must be recorded on an exact duplicate of RFQ Attachment D and D.1, Cost Proposal & Evaluation Guide and Cost Proposal Excel Spreadsheet. Any response that does not follow the instructions included in RFQ Attachment D and D.1 may be deemed nonresponsive.
- 3.1.4.2. A Respondent must only record the proposed cost exactly as required by the RFQ Attachment D and D.1, Cost Proposal & Evaluation Guide and Cost Proposal Excel Spreadsheet, and must NOT record any other rates, amounts, or information.
- 3.1.4.3 The proposed cost shall incorporate ALL costs for services under the contract for the total contract period.
- 3.1.4.4. A Respondent must sign and date the Cost Proposal.
- 3.1.4.5. A Respondent must submit the Cost Proposal to the State in a sealed package separate from the Technical Response.

3. **RFQ Amendment Effective Date.** The revisions set forth herein shall be effective upon release. All other terms and conditions of this RFP not expressly amended herein shall remain in full force and effect.