



# The Sewerage & Water Board OF NEW ORLEANS

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**October 22, 2024**  
**Addendum No. 2**

Your reference is directed to the Invitation to Bid for: **2024-SWB-92 Steam Sterilizer** for the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans which proposals are due on **October 24, 2024**, at **11:00 a.m.** CST.

This addendum provides for the following:

*a) Responses to Questions*

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1. Question from vendor:

- a. Can “house air” (90 PSI minimum) be made available at the autoclave location?

*Answer: No*

2. Question from vendor:

- b. Is there a truck-level loading dock on site or will a lift-gate delivery be required?

*Answer: No loading dock. Lift-gate delivery will be required.*

3. Question from Vendor:

- a. Please confirm the “Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans Laboratory” can receive and unload the autoclave, upon delivery. Or should receiving/unloading be included, as part of the vendor’s scope of work?

*Answer: SWBNO will not unload the autoclave so receiving and unloading will be included as part of vendors scope of work.*

4. Question from Vendor:

- a. Is there a forklift on site that could be made available, to assist in the receiving/unloading process?

*Answer: Yes*

5. Question from Vendor:

- a. Will the autoclave be installed on the ground floor? If not, is an elevator available for transport to its final location?

*Answer: Supply all sampling consumable required to perform all required testing and analysis for data collection and acquiring performance indicators.*

6. Question from Vendor:

- a. What data is required to be collected during the three-month trial?

*Answer: The autoclave will be installed on the second floor.  
An elevator is available for transport to final location.*

7. Question from Vendor:

- a. Are there any obstacles in the pathway to the autoclave's final location, including hallways less than 5 feet in width? Any other obstacles, such as stairs, ledges, tight turns, etc.?

*Answer: No*

8. Question from Vendor:

- a. What is the smallest doorway size in the pathway to the autoclave's final location?

*Answer: W 34" x H 83"*

9. Please provide photos of the existing "Amsco Series 3011" autoclave, so we can accurately price out the removal/disposal scope of work.



10. Can a dimensioned drawing of the autoclave room be made available? This information would be critical to have, prior to bidding, to ensure a proper fit and verify there is adequate space for service access. Having room dimensions is especially important in this

case since you want the autoclave vendor to include removal/disposal of an existing autoclave.

*Answer: Yes, please see attached.*

11. You are listing specific external dimensions in the bid specifications. I assume external dimensions which are larger compared to what is listed would be acceptable, as long as fits in the laboratory space. Please confirm. Different autoclave manufacturers have different external sizes.

*Answer: The specs provided for this model should fit within the laboratory space even if the external dimensions are slightly more than specified.*

12. Will the “Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans Laboratory” supply the appropriate feedwater quality to the autoclave’s integral carbon steel electric steam generator? This may require a reverse osmosis water treatment system, to reduce “hardness,” “total dissolved solids” and “silica” if needed. Please confirm the appropriate feedwater quality will be provided, or if the autoclave vendor will need to provide an RO Water Treatment System, as part of their scope of work?

*Answer: Appropriate feedwater quality will be provided. We do not have an RO system – the water will be tap water or softened tap water using a salt-based water softener.*

13. The Getinge LSS130 measures internally 17.5” × 17.5” × 26” , has a internal volume 4.6 cu. ft. (130 L), Exterior Dimensions (w × h × d), Single Door: 26.25” × 74” × 36.125” (667 × 1880 × 918 mm). Which I think in usable space as our unit is rectangular. I have marked the specification attached to match your technical requirements. Note Items crossed out can be purchased as well.

14. We also have 3 Getinge Technicians in the New Orleans and Baton Rouge are with service contacts at major hospitals and Tulane Facilities.

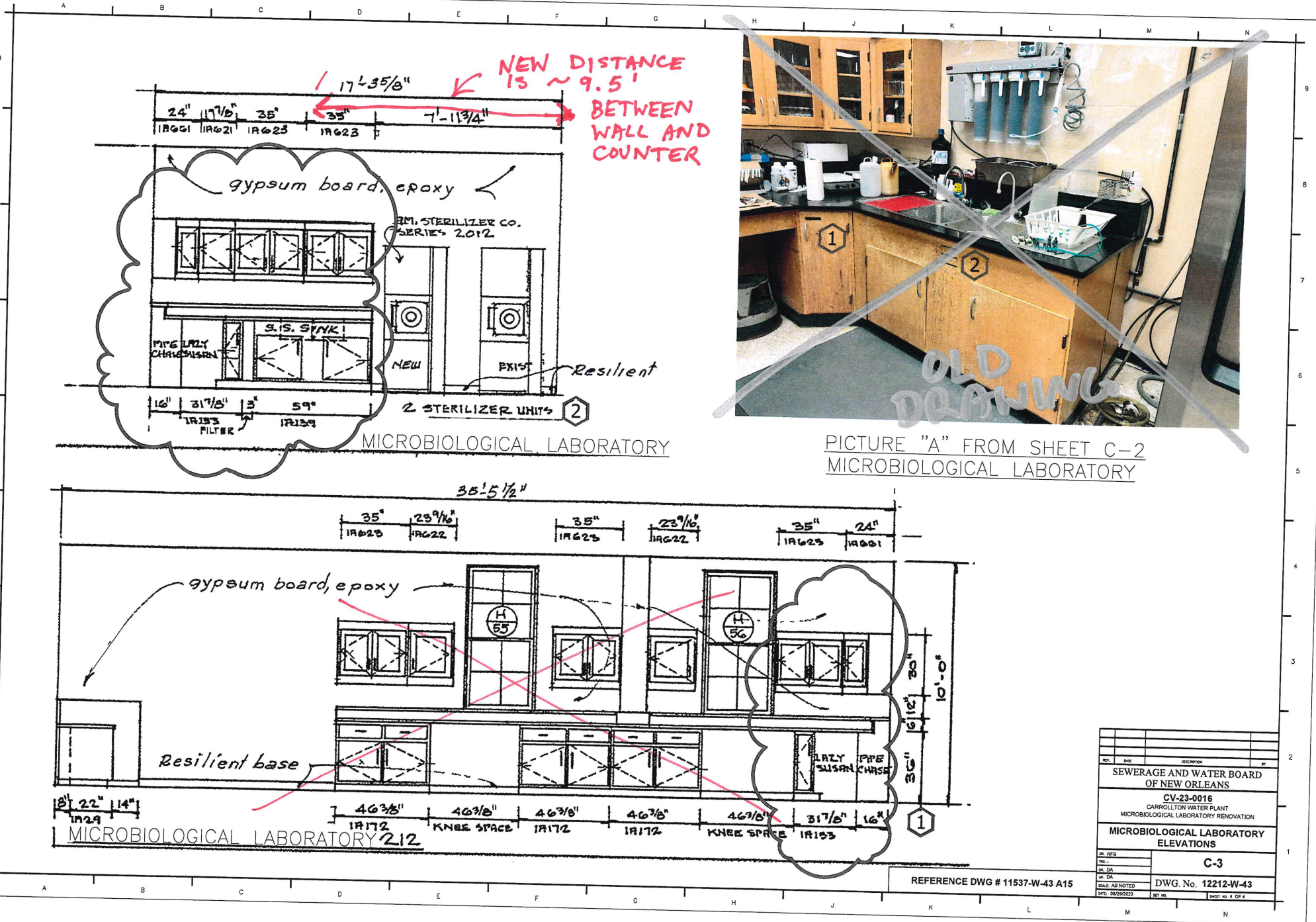
15. If you are doing sealed liquids at your facility, I would recommend considering adding a vacuum pump option should be selected.

*Answer : We do not perform any work with sealed liquids so we will not need to add this option.*

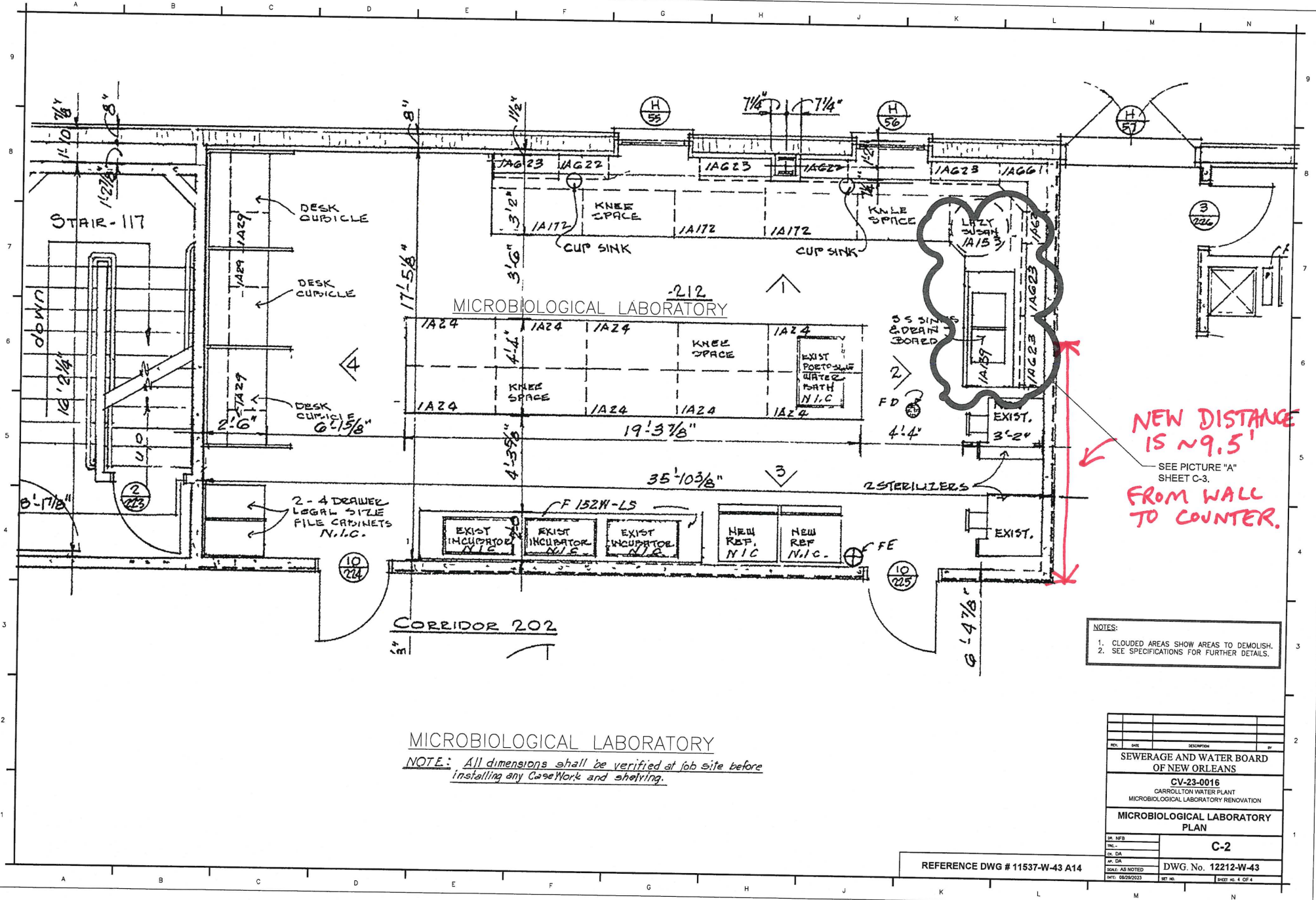
*The changes, additions, and/or deletions included herein are hereby made part of the solicitation documents for 2024-SWB-92 Steam Sterilizer, as fully and completely as if the same were set forth therein. The bidder shall be responsible for having knowledge of all addenda issued for this ITB.*

This addendum consists of three (3) pages and three (3) attachments.

**\*\*\* END OF ADDENDUM \*\*\***



REV.	DATE	DESCRIPTION	BY
SEWERAGE AND WATER BOARD OF NEW ORLEANS			
CV-23-0016			
CARROLLTON WATER PLANT			
MICROBIOLOGICAL LABORATORY RENOVATION			
MICROBIOLOGICAL LABORATORY ELEVATIONS			
DR. NBR.	C-3		
DR. DA.	DWG. No. 12212-W-43		
DR. DR.	SCALE AS NOTED		
DATE: 04/29/2013	SHEET NO.	SHEET NO. 4 OF 4	



**NEW DISTANCE IS ~9.5'**  
 SEE PICTURE "A" SHEET C-3.  
**FROM WALL TO COUNTER.**

NOTES:  
 1. CLOUDED AREAS SHOW AREAS TO DEMOLISH.  
 2. SEE SPECIFICATIONS FOR FURTHER DETAILS.

**MICROBIOLOGICAL LABORATORY**

*NOTE: All dimensions shall be verified at job site before installing any CaseWork and shelving.*

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Autoclave Control Panel  
PanoView Plus 600  
Cycles  
Unit: STERIS  
Cycle count: 2299  
10/17/2024 8:43:04 AM  
AUTOCCLAVE C.F. #82  
CALIBRATION: 4-1-24



CHAMBER PRESSURE

