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ADDENDUM NO. 01

Your reference is directed to RFx # 3000025763 for the Invitation to Bid (ITB) for the State of Louisiana – Deck Barge for LDWF, which is currently scheduled to open at 10:00 AM CT on 01/28/2026.

The following changes are to be made to the referenced solicitation:

RFx Currently Reads: Scheduled to open at 10:00 AM on January 28, 2026.

RFx Changed to Read: Scheduled to open at 10:00 AM on February 04, 2026.

Questions from the Vendor and State's Responses:

Vendor Question 1. What is the required horizontal length of the rake from the bow? Does the rake start at a specific frame (e.g., FR1) or a set distance from the forward plate?

State's Response: *There isn't a specified horizontal length of the rake or a set distance from the front plate, as long as it's not starting between FR1 and FR2 (must be equal to or forward of FR1).*

Vendor Question 2. The specs allow a 3/16" bottom plate but require 1/4" for sides and structural components. Should the bottom plate be increased to 1/4" to match the rest of the hull's durability?

State's Response: *The specs will remain as 3/16" minimum; vendors have the right to exceed the spec, but it must meet the minimum requested.*

Vendor Question 3. What are the required clear opening dimensions and locking requirements for the two watertight hatches?

State's Response: *No set dimension, but they are there for access, so they must be man-sized. Flush mount is preferred but not specified.*

Vendor Question 4. Does the Quintana Boat Launch have a crane available for offloading, or is the vendor responsible for providing mobile lifting equipment to launch the barge?

State's Response: *No crane on site; it will be the builder's responsibility to line up whatever is needed for launching.*

Vendor Question 5. Will the state consider milestone payments (e.g., at material procurement or hull completion) to help the shipyard offset initial mobilization costs?

State's Response: *No, the agency's policy is to pay in full upon receipt of the product.*

All else remains as on original Invitation to Bid.

THIS ADDENDUM IS HEREBY OFFICIALLY MADE A PART OF THE REFERENCED SOLICITATION.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: If you have already submitted your bid and this Addendum does not cause you to revise your bid, you should acknowledge receipt of this Addendum by identifying your business name and by signing where indicated. You may return this Acknowledgement by mail or delivery by hand or courier to: Office of State Procurement, 1201 N. 3rd Street, Ste. 2-160, Baton Rouge, LA 70802, or by fax to: (225) 342-9756. The State reserves the right to request a completed Acknowledgement at any time. Failure to execute an Acknowledgement shall not relieve the bidder from complying with the terms of its bid.

Addendum Acknowledged/No changes:

For: _____ By: _____

REVISION: If you have already submitted your bid and this Addendum requires you to revise your bid, you must indicate any change(s) below, identify your business name and sign where shown. Revisions shall be delivered prior to bid opening by mail or delivery by hand or courier to: Office of State Procurement, 1201 N. 3rd Street, Ste. 2-160, Baton Rouge, LA 70802, or by fax to: (225) 342-9756, and indicate the RFx number and the bid opening date and time on the outside of the envelope for proper identification, or by fax to: (225) 342-9756. Electronic transmissions other than by fax are not being accepted at this time

Revisions received after bid opening shall not be considered and you shall be held to your original bid.

Revision:

For: _____ By: _____

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