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ADDENDUM NO. 1						
THIS ADDENDUM IS ISSUED TO MODIFY THE ORIGINAL SOLICITATION PER THE ATTACHED DOCUMENTATION.						
0001	1	LS	205-43	SERVICES AND FIBRE CHANNEL SWITCHES		
***** THIS IS THE END OF RFQ AGO4814 ***** TOTAL:						

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SOLICITATION NUMBER: AGO4814**Addendum Number: 1**

The purpose of this addendum is to modify the solicitation identified as (“Solicitation”) to reflect the change(s) identified and described below.

Applicable Addendum Category:

- | Modify bid opening date and time
- | Modify specifications of product or service being sought
- | Attachment of vendor questions and responses
- | Attachment of pre-bid sign-in sheet
- | Correction of error
- | Other

Description of Modification to Solicitation:

To distribute the Technical Questions and Answers.

Additional Documentation: Documentation related to this Addendum (if any) has been included herewith as Attachment A and is specifically incorporated herein by reference.

Terms and Conditions:

1. All provisions of the Solicitation and other addenda not modified herein shall remain in full force and effect.
2. Vendor should acknowledge receipt of all addenda issued for this Solicitation by completing an Addendum Acknowledgment, a copy of which is included herewith. Failure to acknowledge addenda may result in bid disqualification. The addendum acknowledgement should be submitted with the bid to expedite document processing.

ATTACHMENT A

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Vendor Submitted Questions and Agency Responses.

Q.1. Can the Length of the server be more than 27.5"? Most industry standard racks have a tendency for 4-post racks to be 600mm (23.62") or 800mm (31.5") wide, and for them to be 600mm (23.62"), 800mm (31.5") or 1010mm (39.76") deep. HP is one of the only MFG's that have different depths within their own product line. Depending what hard drive form factor you require.

1U Rack form factor:

8 SFF and 10 SFF Drive Bay Versions; 1.7" (4.32 CM) Height x 17.11" (69.85 cm) Length

4 LFF Drive Bay Version; 1.7" (4.32 cm) Height x 17.11" Width x 29.5 (74.67 cm) Length

A.1. No, the Agency currently has server enclosures that need this specification listed as 3.1.1.1.2.

Q.2. How much memory is required per server? Noticed that on Page 19 shows 4 (16GB) + 4 (16GB) = 8 x 16GB DIMMs: Does not match the Pricing Page request.

A.2. 128GB RAM per Server or 64 GB RAM per Processor.

Section 3.1.1.2.1 specifies "Two (2) 2.4 GHz/8-core/20MB/115W Processors or equal;" this refers to 2 physical processors/sockets on the system board.

Section 3.1.1.2.2 specifies "Four (4) 16GB Dual Rank x4 PC3L-10600R (DDR-1333) Registered CAS-9 Low Voltage Memory Kit per processor or equal;" this refers to 4x16GB modules per processor. Pricing sheet specifies (Q40/Q10=4) 4x16GB DDR3 modules per processor, and as specified, there are 2 processors per board. Both specifications refer to 2 physical separate installations of RAM on the system board for each processor.

Q.3. Can the memory be 1600MHz vs. 1333Mhz?

A.3. RAM and all other components must be provided by manufacturer as stated in 2.3. As long as the RAM is equal to or better and meets all specifications.

Q.4. Can the power supplies be equal or larger than 460W?

A.4. Power supplies must have a rated input of 120 volts and cannot exceed 4.5 amps at 60 hertz.

Q.5. Can the RAID Adapter have cache on-board?

A.5. The agency needs the RAID adapter to use its cache memory for RAID functions and the flexibility to upgrade to other controllers with more cache memory in the future.

Q.6. Are Diagnostic LED's next to failing components inside the server (*e.g. Power Supplies, Fans, VRM's, Drives, Processors & Memory*) required to help with faster problem isolation and repair?

a. If so, does it need to be persistent without power?

A.6. The agency needs appropriate diagnostic LEDs for the front panel, rear panel, hard drives, and connectivity; this includes the native ability to manage the hardware remotely over IP with health status, but without a software agent.

Q.7. Is TPM 1.2 (Trusted Platform Module) required?

A.7. No, the agency does not require this specification.

Q.8. Will the Attorney General's Office give consideration to other vendor platform offerings that meet or exceed stated requirements?

A.8. All equipment offered must meet all specifications listed in RFQ and defined as 2.3 "Contract Item" See Exhibit A for a list of components. The manufacturer of the hardware must be the same brand for both the server and fibre channel switch. Equivalentents will be considered as long as they meet all specifications.

Q.9. Do proposals need to also include a rack offering?

A.9. No; the Agency has all enclosures needed.

Q.10. Does the Attorney General's Office prefer local WV partner versus direct from manufacturer to provide local WV business support, and local resources to assist?

A.10. The Agency gives no preference; all West Virginia State Purchasing laws apply.

ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM
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Instructions: Please acknowledge receipt of all addenda issued with this solicitation by completing this addendum acknowledgment form. Check the box next to each addendum received and sign below. Failure to acknowledge addenda may result in bid disqualification.

Acknowledgment: I hereby acknowledge receipt of the following addenda and have made the necessary revisions to my proposal, plans and/or specification, etc.

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I understand that failure to confirm the receipt of addenda may be cause for rejection of this bid. I further understand that any verbal representation made or assumed to be made during any oral discussion held between Vendor's representatives and any state personnel is not binding. Only the information issued in writing and added to the specifications by an official addendum is binding.

Company

Authorized Signature

Date

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