

# UNLV | PURCHASING & CONTRACTS

## ADDENDUM 1 TO INVITATION FOR BID NO. 5221-KO

### CISCO EQUIPMENT AND SUPPORT

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Date of Release: March 25, 2016

Date and Hour of Bid Opening: April 6, 2016 @ 3:00 PM Local Time

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#### The following questions were raised and are answered below:

1. Due to this ITB being release 3/21/2016, after 5 PM, we are respectfully requesting a week extension on the due date.

**Answer:** The Bid Opening date is hereby extended to April 6, 2016 at 3:00 PM Local Las Vegas time.

2. I see all your trade-in hardware, but where is the hardware list that you'd like to purchase?

**Answer:** Please note that the Section E Pricing Response Form excel document has two tabs at the bottom. One includes the new purchases and one includes the trade-in hardware.

3. Would you be open to just buying the Optics from us? All of our Cisco optics are discounted 90%+. We buy them from the same manufacturer that Cisco uses, the only difference is that Cisco marks up the price like 1000%.

**Answer:** No, we will not consider third party optics.

4. Are 3<sup>rd</sup> party, OSI Label optics appropriate to quote?

OSI Label optics are 100% Compatible.

The hardware is sourced from the same manufacturer as CISCO, so they meet or exceed the OEM specifications and requirements.

We also code the optics so that there is no loss in functionality or compatibility. They are completely plug-and-play.

The optics are covered by a Lifetime Advanced Replacement Warranty, average 90% off of GLP and we average an RMA rate under .5% compared to CISCO's 5%.

As previously mentioned, we are already an established vendor for UNLV, and OSI Hardware optics are currently running in your network.

I am happy to provide sample optics for testing as well as data sheets for your review.

**Answer:** No, we will not consider third party optics.

5. Will the following conditions of Cisco Hardware and Software be accepted in this IFB:

a. Refurbished/Used

**Answer:** No

6. Will the following conditions of Cisco Optics/Transceivers/SFP's be accepted in this IFB:

a. Refurbished/Used

b. Third Party

**Answer:** No

7. Will the following conditions of Cisco SMARTnet be accepted in this IFB:

a. Third Party

**Answer:** No

8. Will this be a phased purchase approach concerning the effort?

**Answer:** No.

9. Is there a requirement for the vendor to power and operational test equipment prior to turning over to UNLV?

**Answer:** No

10. What is the expected testing for operations? Cisco IOS version, Power on Self-Test POST etc.?

**Answer:** N/A, No testing is required from the vendor.

11. Will UNLV provide warehouse space for testing, burn in and acceptance of equipment if Items above are applicable?

**Answer:** N/A

12. Section D Scope of Work/Specification states, "The successful Bidder should also be responsible for removing all old equipment ("Trade-in Equipment) and shipping it back to Cisco for disposal at successful Bidder's cost. Will we the vendor be removing the equipment from service?"

**Answer:** No

13. Is the equipment to be removed still located in racks?

**Answer:** No

14. Is there a Trade Agreements Act (TAA) requirement for this effort?

**Answer:** The vendor is required to comply with all applicable laws. There is no specific TAA requirement listed in UNLV's terms; however, vendor's counsel should ensure that vendor is in compliance with applicable laws.

15. Who would be doing the install, design, and configuration?

**Answer:** UNLV

**ALL OTHER TERMS, CONDITIONS AND SPECIFICATIONS OF THIS INVITATION TO BID REMAIN THE SAME.**