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RFQ Questions and Clarifications - October 2, 2009

Item Number	RFQ Section	Page	Topic	Date Initiated	Comment/Question	Response Date	Response
1	7.2	16	Performance History	09/24/09	Please clarify the intent of this section with respect to the number of projects to be profiled. Paragraph number three on page 16 indicates that no more than three projects shall be included. Is it the intent that no more than three projects be included for the entire team or is this to be interpreted as three projects maximum for each major participant on a team? It may be difficult to show a teams depth of knowledge with only three projects. It is also difficult for teams with three or more major participants to exhibit project experience of all team members when limited to a total of three projects. Would WSDOT consider a larger number of projects, say not more then 3 per major paticipate, with at least one project for each major participant?	10/02/09	See Addendum #1
2	7.4	18	Key Personnel	09/30/09	Key Personnel Requirements (Page 18) requests three references for three different projects for each of the Key Personnel. It also states that projects corresponding to each individual should be complete. Question: Some of our key personnel are currently working on ongoing relevant projects that will not be completed by the time of SOQ submission. Can references be included for ongoing work?		
3	7.4	19	Key Personnel	09/30/09	Tunnel Systems Manager: What is the intent of the qualifications for the Tunnel Systems Manager? The RFP states that the Tunnel Systems Manager is responsible for leading the design as well as the installation, commissioning and integration of the tunnel and internal highway systems. Are you looking more for a design team member or a Contractor/Supplier manager to lead this effort? Will the Tunnel Systems specification be more prescriptive or performance.	10/02/09	WSDOT has no preference for the employer of the Tunnel Systems Manager. The individual will be evaluated upon his/her experience in similar roles on projects of similar complexity.
4	7.4	19 and 20	Key Personnel	09/24/09	The specific requirements of the Deputy Project Manager and the Construction Manager appear to be very similar. Please clarify the intent of the specific responsibilities of these two positions. Is there an opportunity to combine these positions into a single position?	10/02/09	The Deputy Project Manager is intended to be a deputy to the Project Manager with responsibility for successful delivery of the entire project including design, construction, and coordination with other stakeholders, other projects etc. The Construction Manager is only intended to be responsible for aspects of the Work specifically related to the construction. Combination of these positions is not acceptable in the SOQ.
5				09/30/09	Will WSDOT make available to prospective submitters the following executable computer applications files? -Soil boring data files – typically Gint files -Surface and roadway modeling files – InRoads surfaces, alignments, template libraries and roadway libraries -Survey data files -Primary structure computer aided drawing (CAD) files depicting overall object lines – typically .dgn or .dwg files.	10/02/09	It is WSDOT's intent to release executable computer applications files with the RFP.

