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Invitation to Bid

BID NO B-10067-10

ISSUED 10/27/09

CLOSING DATE 11/16/09

CLOSING TIME 2:00 PM CST

Invitation to Bid, to the Board of Regents of the University of Oklahoma (OU) for **Health Sciences Center – Site Support**

Note: ***If your company will not be responding, please notify Purchasing and no further addenda will be sent. See original Invitation to Bid for Purchasing contact name, telephone and fax numbers for this Solicitation.***

ADDENDUM # 1 DATED 11/04/09

Question 1: We need clarification for spec section 15625, 2.02-B-1, which states a 10 to 1 turndown on the burner is preferred if achievable at 3 PSI gas inlet pressure. In order to achieve a 1- to 1 burner turndown on natural gas, additional inlet gas pressure is required by our product offering. Please confirm the maximum gas pressure available at the entrance to the boiler gas train.

Answer 1: We have 20 PSIG gas entering the building from the ONG meter. We reduce to a 3 psig header to serve the 5 existing boilers (Cleaver Brooks). If a supplier requires more than 3 psig then they can price in the additional costs to come off of the 20 psig main. This would need to be accomplished without a shutdown of the existing boilers. The additional costs would be only what are additional to adding a boiler to the 3 psig header. In other words; to add to the 3 psig header we will require a shut off valve, regulator and welded piping. We can cover this in the walkthrough; there may be a place or means to connect to the 20 psig header without a shutdown.

Question 2: Is installation required on this project?

Answer 2: No. The University will be putting a separate bid out for installation.

Question 3: We are a representative for Babcock & Wilcox (B&W) Packaged Water Tube Boilers as well as Coen/Todd Combustion Burners. Before I make the trip to Norman on Thursday for the pre-bid walk through and site visit, I wanted to make sure our bid would be accepted, even though we are not listed as an approved vendor per Section 1.08 A. of the technical specifications by the consulting engineer.

Answer 3: Yes, you can attend the site visit. We have included those approved vendors because they meet with the specifications we require. All bids will be accepted, as long as you meet with the requirements of all specifications in this bid.

For questions regarding this Addendum contact:

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