



116-2024 ADDENDUM 4

SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF LABORATORY GASES

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**PLEASE FORWARD THIS DOCUMENT TO
WHOEVER IS IN POSSESSION OF THE
BID/PROPOSAL**

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**THIS ADDENDUM SHALL BE INCORPORATED
INTO THE BID/PROPOSAL AND SHALL FORM
A PART OF THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**

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PART B – BIDDING PROCEDURES

Revise: B2.1 to read: The Submission Deadline is 4:00 p.m. Winnipeg time, **July 30, 2024**.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

- Q1: What conversion factor did you use for Lbs to M3, was it 0.248? 1 65lb tank = 16.12M3?
- A1: No conversion factor can be provided as we used m³ in the document, and don't reference or require lbs.
- Q2: Items 1 through 11. Form B Can you confirm the unit of measure is m3. These products are typically sold the unit, per cylinder.
- A2: Yes, the units are correct. The form B is designed to compare the rate for each gas, and depending on the cylinder size and the amount being added, the price per cylinder can be determined. This allows different cylinder sizes or volume of gas being supplied to be compared. Following award if a standard cylinder and volume is always provided that information can be used for invoicing.
- Q3: Items 1 through 11, Form B Can you confirm unit of measure m3 is the estimated consumption for the term of the agreement, typical consumption is by cylinder.
- A3: Yes, Form B indicated that estimate amount of gas required per year, the amount required per order per cylinder can be found in the Specification sections.
- Q4: Item 3 Form B, Spec Reference E2.4, Item is listed as Carbon Dioxide Syphon (Liquid Withdrawal) with a purity of 99.999%. There are many different grades of Carbon Dioxide depending on the application. Can you confirm what type is required?
- A4: Carbon Dioxide Gas Syphon is used in a Laboratory setting, with Gas Chromatography for oven chilling. We can accept any cylinder if it meets the purity and specification in E2.4.