

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES - PROCUREMENT DIVISION



Invitation For Bid

Responses must be delivered to the Procurement Division before 2:00 PM on the Due Date

DUE DATE 3/ 1/2000		SOLICITATION NO. 47787		REV. DATE 1/27/2000	DELIVERY DATE As Specified	PAGE 1
SUPPLIER NAME AND ADDRESS		PURCHASE EST. NO. N/A		REV.	AGENCY BILLING CODE N/A	AGENCY PURCHASE EST. NO. N/A
SUPPLIER CONTACT: PHONE: SUPPLIER NUMBER:		F.O.B. DESTINATION UNLESS BIDDER STATES OTHERWISE		ARE YOU CLAIMING PREFERENCE AS A SMALL BUSINESS? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		SECTION 1483 ET SEQ. OF THE CALIFORNIA GOVERNMENT CODE REQUIRES THAT A 5% PREFERENCE BE GIVEN TO BIDDERS WHO QUALIFY AS A SMALL BUSINESS. THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THIS LAW, INCLUDING THE DEFINI- TION OF A SMALL BUSINESS FOR PROCUREMENTS MADE BY THE PROCUREMENT DIVISION ARE CONTAINED IN TITLE 2, CALIFORNIA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE, SECTION 1896, ET SEQ. TO REQUEST A COPY OF THE REGULATIONS, CALL: OSBCR AT 916/222-5965.
NAME (PRINT)		___ % CASH DISCOUNT FOR PAYMENT WITHIN ___ DAYS.		SHIP TO: AS SPECIFIED		
TITLE		SEE REQUIRED PAYMENT DATE OF THE GENERAL PROVISIONS PARAGRAPH 30.		IF YES, MANUFACTURER? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		
SIGNATURE		FOR FURTHER BUYER PHONE INFORMATION.		AGGREGATE RECEIPTS FOR LAST 3 YEARS		
TELEPHONE NUMBER		CONTACT GEORGE HORTIN		916-445-0242		
FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER		Return To:		DGS/PROCUREMENT DIVISION 1823 14TH STREET-95814 BOX 942804 SACRAMENTO, CA 94204-0001		

Bidder offers and agrees if this response is accepted within 45 calendar days from the date of opening to furnish all of the items upon which prices are quoted, at the prices set opposite each item, delivered at the designated point(s) by the method of delivery and within the times specified above and subject to the attached General Provisions. DECLARATIONS UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY: By signing above, with inclusion of the date of signature, the above signed bidder DECLARES UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California as follows: (1) (STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE). The above signed has complied with the non-discrimination program requirements of Government Code 12990 and Title 2, California Administrative Code Section 8103, and such declaration is true and correct. (2) The National Labor Relations Board declaration set forth in Paragraph 48 of the General Provisions is true and correct. (3) If a claim is made for the small business preference, the information set forth within is true and correct.

ITEM NO.	QUANTITY	UNIT	COMMODITY CODE	DESCRIPTION	UNIT PRICE	EXTENSION
(97-32 PD Reference Only)						
SCOPE:						
<p>This solicitation encompasses the estimated State of California, Department of Transportation (DOT) requirements for ALUMINUM SINGLE SHEET AND LAMINATED PANEL GROUND MOUNTED SIGNS AND ALUMINUM SINGLE SHEET FORMED SIGN PANELS AND LAMINATED PANEL SIGNS FOR OVERHEAD STRUCTURES for a two-year contract period, with an optional extension period of up to one year. Requirements are per the attached DOT specifications, dated 01/12/88, of 16 pages and Plates 1 - 11 and 16 - 19. Note Training requirement in Specification Section II.F.</p> <p>The referenced sign codes herein identify a Standard Sign established by DOT, Office of Procurement and Contracts. Bidder assumes all responsibility to understand and comply with these requirements. Standard Sign documents are available from DOT, Office of Publications, 916/445-3520. Also see "Specifications" herein.</p> <p>Potential bidders are urged to carefully read and understand all of the requirements of this request. If you have questions, please contact George Hortin at 916/445-8242. Requests for any changes or clarifications may be required in writing.</p> <p>THE STATE HAS ESTABLISHED GOALS FOR DISABLED VETERAN BUSINESS ENTERPRISES PARTICIPATING IN STATE CONTRACTS. PLEASE REVIEW ATTACHMENT 1. BIDDERS MUST COMPLETE AND RETURN ALL THE APPROPRIATE EXHIBIT PAGES IN ORDER FOR THE BID TO BE CONSIDERED RESPONSIVE. FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS BID, THE ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS SHOWN IN ATTACHMENT 1 ARE WAIVED DUE TO TIME CONSTRAINTS.</p> <p>FAX BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR THIS SOLICITATION. Please allow time for a mailed bid response to arrive by the noted due date/time.</p> <p>IMPORTANT NOTE: The following is an important change concerning the Cash Discount Policy. The Cash Discount will no longer be considered in evaluating offers for award purposes.</p>						

IMPORTANT: Read attached General Provisions carefully before bidding, especially Section 31 regarding taxes.

7. Surface and Gloss

The screened sign face surface shall be smooth and flat to facilitate cleaning and maintain the wet performance and shall exhibit an 85 degree gloss rating of not less than 40 (ASTM D 523).

8. Graffiti Protection

When requested, sign faces shall be protected from graffiti removal and cleaning solvents and compounds with a Caltrans approved Protective Overlay. Caltrans shall specify Standard Protective Overlay Film, Premium Protective Overlay Film, Spray-on Coating or no protective overlay on each line item ordered.

The Protective Overlays marketed or manufactured by the following firms have been evaluated and found to comply with the Caltrans' specifications and testing requirements for graffiti coatings.

Standard Protective Overlay Film

Safe-Face V15B-SAF
3M Scotchlite 1150
Nikkalite #142

Premium Protective Overlay Film

Nikkalite EF-40801
Avery OL-1000

Spray-On Coating

Tradewinds, Inc. KrystalKote

D. Sign Panel Fabrication

1. Legend and Border

Direct screened or reverse screened. The finished screened sign shall comply with all requirements of these specifications, including color and retroreflectivity.

Pressure sensitive cut-out retroreflective sheeting of the same type as specified in Section III.A.1 of these specifications. Such sheeting shall comply with all requirements of these specifications, including color and retroreflectivity.

Black pressure sensitive cut-out non-reflective sheeting will be permitted in lieu of black process paste. The sheeting shall be a black vinyl material and shall be approved and recommended by the base sheeting manufacturer.

When field joining of panels is necessary, the layout of the legend should avoid overlapping of the joint. When overlapping cannot be avoided, the copy shall be applied over the joint while the sign is completely laid out in the shop, then severed along the joint to separate the copy across the joint. Copy shall not be delivered for field installation.