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Request for Proposal – Energy Storage Policy and Practices

Q&A: February 2nd, 2022

1. What type(s) of organizations are eligible to respond to this opportunity as the Prime entity (non-profit, educational institutions)? **We are open to receiving proposals from non-profit, educational institutions.**
2. Can companies headquartered outside of Canada (e.g., United States) respond to this solicitation? **Yes, entities headquartered outside of Canada are eligible to apply to this request for proposals.**
3. Is the proposal binding, or subject to contract, given no Terms & Conditions of a contract are currently available? **The successful applicant will be subject to a standard contract with OERA.**
4. After award, is payment in Canadian dollars, or can it be in US dollars? **Yes, the payment will be made to the successful applicant in Canadian dollars.**
5. Is the use of subcontractors acceptable to provide specialty, niche services to support the Prime? If yes, do the subcontractors need to be located in Canada? **The use of subcontractors is acceptable. Subcontractors do not need to be located in Canada.**