Consulting and Technical Services+ (CATS+) Task Order Request for Proposals (TORFP)

FORECLOSURE SYSTEMS ENHANCEMENT PROJECT

CATS+ TORFP # P00B7400010



Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation (DLLR)

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SMALL BUSINESS RESERVE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS/OFFERORS

SMALL BUSINESS RESERVE SOLICITATION

This is a Small Business Reserve Solicitation for which award will be limited to certified small business vendors. Only businesses that meet the statutory requirements set forth in State Finance and Procurement Article, §§14-501—14-505, Annotated Code of Maryland, and that are certified by the Department of General Services Small Business Reserve Program are eligible for award of a contract.

For the purposes of a Small Business Reserve Solicitation, a small business is a for-profit business, other than a broker, that meets the following criteria:

- A. It is independently owned and operated;
- B. It is not a subsidiary of another business;
- C. It is not dominant in its field of operation; and
- D.1 With respect to employees:
 - (a) Its wholesale operations did not employ more than 50 persons in its most recently completed 3 fiscal years;
 - (b) Its retail operations did not employ more than 25 persons in its most recently completed 3 fiscal years;
 - (c) Its manufacturing operations did not employ more than 100 persons in its most recently completed 3 fiscal years;
 - (d) Its service operations did not employ more than 100 persons in its most recently completed 3 fiscal years;
 - (e) Its construction operations did not employ more than 50 persons in its most recently completed 3 fiscal years; and
 - (f) The architectural and engineering services of the business did not employ more than 100 persons in its most recently completed 3 fiscal years; and

D.2 With respect to gross sales:

- (a) The gross sales of its wholesale operations did not exceed an average of \$4,000,000 in its most recently completed 3 fiscal years;
- (b) The gross sales of its retail operations did not exceed an average of \$3,000,000 in its most recently completed 3 fiscal years;
- (c) The gross sales of its manufacturing operations did not exceed an average of \$2,000,000 in its most recently completed 3 fiscal years;
- (d) The gross sales of its service operations did not exceed an average of \$10,000,000 in its most recently completed 3 fiscal years;
- (e) The gross sales of its construction operations did not exceed an average of \$7,000,000 in its most recently completed 3 fiscal years; and
- (f) The gross sales of its architectural and engineering operations did not exceed an average of \$4,500,000 in its most recently completed 3 fiscal years.

Note: If a business has not existed for 3 years, the employment and gross sales average or averages shall be the average for each year or part of a year during which the business has been in existence.

Further information on the certification process is available at eMaryland Marketplace.

KEY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET

This CATS+ TORFP is issued to obtain the services necessary to satisfy the requirements defined in Section 3 - Scope of Work. All CATS+ Master Contractors approved to perform work in the Functional Area under which this TORFP is released shall respond to this TORFP with either a Task Order (TO) Proposal to this TORFP or a Master Contractor Feedback form (See Section 4).

Solicitation Title:	Foreclosure Systems Enhancement Project		
Solicitation Number (TORFP #):	P00B7400010		
Functional Area:	Functional Area Two – Web and Internet Systems		
Issue Date:	09/15/2016		
Questions Due Date and Time:	10/7/2016 at 2:00 P.M.		
Closing Date and Time:	10/18/2016 at 2:00 P.M.		
TO Requesting Agency:	Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation (DLLR)		
Send Proposals to:	DLLR 1100 N. Eutaw Street, Room Baltimore, MD, 21202Attention: Sean Watson		
Send Questions to (e-mail only)	sean.watson@maryland.gov		
TO Procurement Officer:	Sean Watson Office Phone Number: 410-767-2595 Office Fax Number: 410-767-8899		
TO Manager:	Meredith Mishaga Office Phone Number: 410-230-6099 Office Fax Number: 410-333-3866 e-mail address: Meredith.Mishaga@maryland.gov		
TO Type:	Time and materials		
Period of Performance:	One (1) year, with the option to renew for two (2) additional years		
MBE Goal:	0 %		
VSBE Goal:	0%		
Small Business Reserve (SBR):	Yes		
Primary Place of Performance:	DLLR 1100 N. Eutaw Street, Room 303 Baltimore, MD 21201		
TO Pre-proposal Conference:	DLLR 1st Floor Training Room 101 1100 North Eutaw Street, Baltimore, MD 21201 9/27/2016 at :10:00 a.m. See Attachment 6 for directions		

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1 ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

1.1 TORFP SUBJECT TO CATS+ MASTER CONTRACT

In addition to the requirements of this TORFP, the Master Contractors are subject to all terms and conditions contained in the CATS+ RFP issued by the Maryland Department of Information Technology (DoIT) and subsequent Master Contract Project Number 060B2490023, including any amendments.

All times specified in this document are local time, defined as Eastern Standard Time or Eastern Daylight Time, whichever is in effect.

1.2 ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Personnel roles and responsibilities under the TO:

- A. <u>TO Procurement Officer</u> The TO Procurement Officer has the primary responsibility for the management of the TORFP process, for the resolution of TO Agreement scope issues, and for authorizing any changes to the TO Agreement.
- B. <u>TO Manager</u> The TO Manager has the primary responsibility for the management of the work performed under the TO Agreement, administrative functions, including issuing written directions, and for ensuring compliance with the terms and conditions of the CATS+ Master Contract.
 - The TO Manager will assign tasks to the personnel provided under this TORFP and will track and monitor the work being performed through the monthly accounting of hours deliverable for work types; actual work produced will be reconciled with the hours reported.
- C. <u>TO Contractor</u> The TO Contractor is the CATS+ Master Contractor awarded this TO. The TO Contractor shall provide human resources as necessary to perform the services described in this TORFP Scope of Work.
- D. <u>TO Contractor Manager</u> The TO Contractor Manager will serve as primary point of contact with the TO Manager to regularly discuss progress of tasks, upcoming tasking, historical performance, and resolution of any issues that may arise pertaining to the TO Contractor Personnel. The TO Contractor Manager will serve as liaison between the TO Manager and the senior TO Contractor management.
- E. <u>TO Contractor Personnel</u> Any official, employee, agent, Subcontractor, or Subcontractor agents of the TO Contractor who is involved with the TO over the course of the TO period of performance.
- F. <u>Key Personnel</u> A subset of TO Contractor Personnel whose departure during the performance period, will, in the State's opinion, have a substantial negative impact on TO performance. Key personnel proposed as part of the TO Proposal shall start as of TO Agreement issuance unless specified otherwise in this TORFP or the Offeror's TO Technical Proposal. Key Personnel may be identified after TO award.

1.3 TO AGREEMENT

Based upon an evaluation of TO Proposal responses, a Master Contractor will be selected to conduct the work defined in Section 3 - Scope of Work. A specific TO Agreement, Attachment 3, will then be entered into between the State and the selected Master Contractor, which will bind the selected Master Contractor (TO Contractor) to the contents of its TO Proposal, including the TO Financial Proposal.

1.4 TO PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS

The TO Procurement Officer will not accept submissions after the date and exact time stated in the Key Information Summary Sheet above. The date and time of an e-mail TORFP submission is determined by the date and time of arrival of all required files in the TO Procurement Officer's e-mail inbox. In the case of a paper TO Proposal submission, Offerors shall take such steps necessary to ensure the delivery of the paper submission by the date and time specified in the Key Information Summary Sheet and as further described in Section 4.

Requests for extension of this date or time will not be granted. Except as provided in COMAR 21.05.03.02F, Proposals received by the TO Procurement Officer after the due date will not be considered.

1.5 ORAL PRESENTATIONS/INTERVIEWS

All Offerors and proposed staff will be required to make an oral presentation to State representatives in the form of interviews. Significant representations made by a Master Contractor during the oral presentation shall be submitted in writing. All such representations will become part of the Master Contractor's proposal and are binding, if the TO is awarded to the Master Contractor. The TO Procurement Officer will notify Master Contractor of the time and place of interviews.

Interviews, which are a type of oral presentation, will be performed by phone and/or internet (e.g., Skype, GoToMeeting, WebEx) <u>or</u> in person for all Offerors meeting minimum qualifications. All candidates shall be interviewed in substantially the same manner.

The Procurement Officer shall, for each round of interviews, determine whether phone/internet or inperson interviews will be utilized.

In the event that more than ten (10) qualified proposals are received, the TO Procurement Officer may elect to follow a down-select process as more fully described in Section 5.3.

1.5.1 QUESTIONS

All questions must be submitted via e-mail to the TO Procurement Officer no later than the date and time indicated in the Key Information Summary Sheet. Answers applicable to all Master Contractors will be distributed to all Master Contractors who are known to have received a copy of the TORFP.

Answers can be considered final and binding only when they have been answered in writing by the State.

1.6 TO PRE-PROPOSAL CONFERENCE

A pre-proposal conference will be held at the time, date and location indicated on the Key Information Summary Sheet. Attendance at the pre-proposal conference is not mandatory, but all Master Contractors are encouraged to attend in order to facilitate better preparation of their proposals.

Seating at the pre-proposal conference will be limited to two (2) attendees per company. Attendees should bring a copy of the TORFP and a business card to help facilitate the sign-in process.

The pre-proposal conference will be summarized in writing. As promptly as is feasible subsequent to the pre-proposal conference, the attendance record and pre-proposal conference summary will be distributed via e-mail to all Master Contractors known to have received a copy of this TORFP.

In order to assure adequate seating and other accommodations at the pre-proposal conference, please email the TO Procurement Officer indicating your planned attendance no later than three (3) business days prior to the pre-proposal conference. In addition, if there is a need for sign language interpretation and/or other special accommodations due to a disability, please contact the TO Procurement Officer no later than five (5) business days prior to the pre-proposal conference. The TO Requesting Agency will make reasonable efforts to provide such special accommodation.

1.7 CONFLICT OF INTEREST

The TO Contractor shall provide IT technical and/or consulting services for State agencies or component programs with those agencies, and shall do so impartially and without any conflicts of interest. Each Offeror shall complete and include with its TO Proposal a Conflict of Interest Affidavit and Disclosure in the form included as Attachment 4 of this TORFP. If the TO Procurement Officer makes a determination that facts or circumstances exist that give rise to or could in the future give rise to a conflict of interest within the meaning of COMAR 21.05.08.08A, the TO Procurement Officer may reject an Offeror's TO Proposal under COMAR 21.06.02.03B.

Master Contractors should be aware that the State Ethics Law, Md. Code Ann., General Provisions Article, Title 5, might limit the selected Master Contractor's ability to participate in future related procurements, depending upon specific circumstances.

By submitting a Conflict of Interest Affidavit and Disclosure, the Offeror shall be construed as certifying all personnel and subcontractors are also without a conflict of interest as defined in COMAR 21.05.08.08A.

1.8 LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

The TO Contractor's liability is limited in accordance with Section 27 of the CATS+ Master Contract. TO Contractor's liability under Section 27(c) of the CATS+ Master Contract for this TORFP is limited to one (1) times the total TO Agreement amount.

1.9 CHANGE ORDERS

If the TO Contractor is required to perform work beyond the scope of Section 3 of this TORFP, or there is a work reduction due to unforeseen scope changes, a TO Change Order is required. The TO Contractor and TO Manager shall negotiate a mutually acceptable price modification based on the TO Contractor's proposed rates in the Master Contract and scope of the work change. No scope of work changes shall be performed until a change order is approved by DoIT and executed by the TO Procurement Officer.

1.10 TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT

Expenses for travel and other costs shall be reimbursed only with prior approval by the TO Manager.

Expenses for travel performed in completing tasks for this TORFP shall be reimbursed in accordance with the CATS+ Master Contract.

1.11 MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (MBE)

This TORFP has no MBE goals or sub-goals as stated in the Key Information Summary Sheet above.

1.12 VETERAN OWNED SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (VSBE)

This TORFP has no VSBE goal as stated in the Key Information Summary Sheet above.

1.13 NON-DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT (TO CONTRACTOR)

Certain system documentation may be required by the TO in order to fulfill the requirements of the TO Agreement. The TO Contractor and TO Contractor Personnel who review such documents will be required to sign a Non-Disclosure Agreement (TO Contractor) in the form of Attachment 10.

1.14 LIVING WAGE

The Master Contractor shall abide by the Living Wage requirements under Title 18, State Finance and Procurement Article, Annotated Code of Maryland and the regulations proposed by the Commissioner of Labor and Industry.

All TO Proposals shall be accompanied by a completed Living Wage Affidavit of Agreement, Attachment 12 of this TORFP.

1.15 IRANIAN NON-INVESTMENT

All TO Proposals shall be accompanied by a completed Certification Regarding Investments in Iran, Attachment 15 of this TORFP.

1.16 CONTRACT MANAGEMENT OVERSIGHT ACTIVITIES

DoIT is responsible for contract management oversight on the CATS+ Master Contract. As part of that oversight, DoIT has implemented a process for self-reporting contract management activities of TOs under CATS+. This process typically applies to active TOs for operations and maintenance services valued at \$1 million or greater, but all CATS+ TOs are subject to review.

Attachment 11 is a sample of the TO Contractor Self-Reporting Checklist. DoIT may send initial checklists out to applicable/selected TO Contractors approximately three months after the award date for a TO. The TO Contractor shall complete and return the checklist as instructed on the form. Subsequently, at six month intervals from the due date on the initial checklist, the TO Contractor shall update and resend the checklist to DoIT.

1.17 MERCURY AND PRODUCTS THAT CONTAIN MERCURY

THIS SECTION IS NOT APPLICABLE TO THIS TORFP.

1.18 PURCHASING AND RECYCLING ELECTRONIC PRODUCTS

THIS SECTION IS NOT APPLICABLE TO THIS TORFP.

1.19 DEFINITIONS

Access	An ability or means to read, write, modify, or communic	cate

	data/information or otherwise use any information system resource	
Business Day	Monday through Friday (excluding State holidays)	
Data Breach	The unauthorized acquisition, use, modification or disclosure of Sensitive Data	
Information System	A discrete set of information resources organized for the collection, processing, maintenance, use, sharing, dissemination, or disposition of information	
Information Technology (IT)	All electronic information-processing hardware and software, including: (a) maintenance; (b) telecommunications; and (c) associated consulting services	
Local Time	Time in the Eastern Time zone as observed by the State of Maryland. Unless otherwise specified, all stated times shall be Local Time, even if not expressly designated as such	
Normal State Business Hours	Normal State business hours are 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday except State Holidays, which can be found at: www.dbm.maryland.gov – keyword: State Holidays	
Notice to Proceed (NTP)	A written notice from the TO Procurement Officer that work on the Task Order, project or Work Order shall begin on a specified date. Additional NTPs may be issued by either the TO Procurement Officer or the TO Manager regarding the start date for any service included within this solicitation with a delayed or non-specified implementation date.	
NTP Date	The date specified in an NTP for work on the Task Order, project or Work Order to begin	
Offeror	A Master Contractor that submits a proposal in response to this TORFP	
Personally Identifiable Information (PII)	Any information about an individual maintained by the State, including (1) any information that can be used to distinguish or trace an individual's identity, such as name, social security number, date and place of birth, mother's maiden name, or biometric records; and (2) any other information that is linked or linkable to an individual, such as medical, educational, financial, and employment information	
Protected Health Information (PHI)	Information that relates to the past, present, or future physical or mental health or condition of an individual; the provision of health care to an individual; or the past, present, or future payment for the provision of health care to an individual; and (i) that identifies the individual; or (ii) with respect to which there is a reasonable basis to believe the information can be used to identify the individual.	

Security Incident	A violation or imminent threat of violation of computer security policies, Security Measures, acceptable use policies, or standard security practices. "Imminent threat of violation" is a situation in which the organization has a factual basis for believing that a specific incident is about to occur.	
Security or Security Measures	The technology, policy and procedures that a) protect and b) control access to networks, systems, and data	
Sensitive Data	Means PII; PHI; information about an individual that (1) can be used to distinguish or trace an individual's identity, such as name, social security number, date and place of birth, mother's maiden name, or biometric records; (2) is linked or linkable to an individual, such as medical, educational, financial, and employment information; or other proprietary or confidential data as defined by the State, including but not limited to "personal information" under Md. Code Ann., Commercial Law § 14-3501(d) and Md. Code Ann., St. Fin. & Proc. § 10-1301(c).	
Service Level Agreement (SLA)	Measurable levels governing TO Contractor performance and establishing associated liquidated damages for failure to meet those performance standards	
State	The State of Maryland	
Subcontractor	An agent, service provider, supplier, or vendor selected by the TO Contractor to provide subcontracted services or products under the direction of the TO Contractor or other Subcontractors, and including any direct or indirect Subcontractors of a Subcontractor. Subcontractors are subject to the same terms and conditions as the TO Contractor.	
System Availability	The period of time the System will work as required including non-operational periods associated with reliability, maintenance, and logistics.	
System Source Materials	Those materials necessary to wholly reproduce and fully operate the most current version of the System in a manner equivalent to the original System including, but not limited to:	
	a) The executable instructions in their high level, human readable form and a version that is in turn interpreted, parsed and or compiled to be executed as part of the computing system ("source code"). This includes source code created by the Contractor or Subcontractor(s) and source code that is leveraged or extended by the Contractor for use in the project.	
	b) All associated rules, reports, forms, templates, scripts, data dictionaries and database functionality.	

	c) All associated configuration file details needed to duplicate the run time environment as deployed in the current deployed version of the system.		
	d) All associated design details, flow charts, algorithms, processes, formulas, pseudo-code, procedures, instructions, help files, programmer's notes and other documentation.		
	e) A complete list of third party, open source, or commercial software components and detailed configuration notes for each component necessary to reproduce the system (e.g., operating system, relational database, and rules engine software).		
	f) All associated user instructions and/or training materials for business users and technical staff		
Task Order (TO)	The scope of work described in this TORFP		
Task Order Agreement	The contract awarded to the successful Offeror pursuant to this Task Order Request for Proposals, the form of which is attached to this TORFP as Attachment 3		
TO Proposal	As appropriate, either or both an Offeror's Technical or Financial Proposal to this TORFP		
TO Request for Proposals (TORFP)	This Task Order Request for Proposal, including any amendments / addenda thereto		
Technical Safeguards	The technology and the policy and procedures for its use that protect Sensitive Data and control access to it		
Total Evaluated Price	The Offeror's total proposed price for products/services proposed in response to this solicitation, included in the TO Price Sheet, and used in the financial evaluation of TO Proposals		
Veteran-owned Small Business Enterprise (VSBE)	A business that is verified by the Center for Verification and Evaluation (CVE) of the United States Department of Veterans Affairs as a veteran-owned small business. See Code of Maryland Regulations (COMAR) 21.11.13 and http://www.vetbiz.gov.		
Work Order	A subset of work authorized by the TO Manager performed under the general scope of this TORFP, which is defined in advance of fulfillment, and which may not require a change order. Except as otherwise provided, any reference to the TO shall be deemed to include reference to a Work Order.		
Working Day(s)	Same as "Business Day"		

1.20 TO AGREEMENT DURATION

In accordance with BPW Advisory 1995-1, in the event there are unspent funds remaining on the TO Agreement, prior to the TO Agreement's expiration date the TO Procurement Officer may modify the TO Agreement to extend the TO Agreement beyond its expiration date for a period up to, but not exceeding, one-third of the base term of the TO Agreement (e.g., eight-month extension on a two-year TO Agreement) for the performance of work within the TO Agreement's scope of work. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, no funds may be added to the TO Agreement in connection with any such extension.

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2 COMPANY AND PERSONNEL QUALIFICATIONS

2.1 MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

2.1.1 OFFEROR'S PERSONNEL MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Only those Master Contractors supplying proposed Key Personnel that fully meet all minimum qualification criteria shall be eligible for TORFP proposal evaluation.

The Key Personnel proposed under this TORFP must meet all minimum qualifications for the labor category proposed, as identified in the CATS + Master Contract Section 2.10 plus the following minimum qualifications. Resumes shall clearly outline starting dates and ending dates for each applicable experience or skill.

- 1) Master Contractors shall only propose **one** (1) **Key Personnel** in response to this TORFP. All other planned positions shall be described generally in the Staffing Plan, and may not be used as evidence of fulfilling company or personnel minimum qualifications.
- 2) Applications Development Expert:
 - A. Must possess a minimum of three (3) years expertise in each of the following technologies:
 - 1. Microsoft Visual Studio.NET 2008 or higher
 - 2. Microsoft Visual Basic.NET 2008 or higher
 - 3. Microsoft ASP.NET
 - 4. Microsoft SQL Server 2008R2 or higher
 - B. Must possess a minimum of one (1) year experience using Team Foundation Server 2010.
 - C. Must possess at least one (1) year experience using an agile framework.
 - D. Must possess at least two (2) years' experience in developing and documenting requirements in an enterprise environment.

2.1.2 OFFEROR'S COMPANY MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Only those Master Contractors that fully meet all minimum qualification criteria shall be eligible for TORFP proposal evaluation. The Master Contractor's proposal and references will be used to verify minimum qualifications.

Only Master Contractor qualifications shall be used to demonstrate meeting company minimum qualifications. The Master Contractor's proposal shall demonstrate that the contractor meets the following minimum requirements:

- 1) Demonstrate at least three (3) years of experience in providing personnel for web development, analysis, requirements gathering, and programming with specific experience in Visual Studio.Net.
- 2) Shall have provided at least two (2) full-time enterprise web application development personnel having a Microsoft.Net development certification within the last five (5) years.

2.2 TO CONTRACTOR AND PERSONNEL PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

An Offeror may be evaluated higher for the personnel experience evaluation factor (Item C in Section 5.2), if it has the preferred qualifications, listed below:

1) Five (5) or more years expertise in each of the following technologies:

- a) Microsoft Visual Studio.NET 2008 or higher
- b) Microsoft Visual Basic.NET 2008 or higher
- c) Microsoft ASP.NET
- d) Microsoft SQL Server 2008R2 or higher
- 2) Experience developing Stored Procedures
- 3) Experience using Functions
- 4) Two (2) or more years' experience using Team Foundation Server 2010
- 5) Two (2) or more years' experience using an agile framework
- 6) Two (2) or more years' experience using agile documentation tools
- 7) Experience with applications related to the regulatory industry for financial services.

3 SCOPE OF WORK

3.1 PURPOSE

DLLR is issuing this CATS+ TORFP to obtain technical staffing services in accordance with the scope of work described in this Section 3.

As part of the evaluation of the proposal for this TO, Master Contractors shall propose exactly one (1) Key Personnel and shall describe in a Staffing Plan how additional resources shall be acquired to meet the needs of the TO Requesting Agency. All other planned positions shall be described generally in the Staffing Plan, and may not be used as evidence of fulfilling company or personnel minimum qualifications.

DLLR expects the proposed Key Personnel to be available as of the start date specified in the Notice To Proceed (NTP).

DLLR will have the option of adding one (1) additional resource to this TO for a maximum total of two (2) resources. All resources beyond the initial one (1) will be requested through a Work Order process (See Section 3.9).

DLLR intends to award this Task Order to one (1) Master Contractor that proposes the resources and a Staffing Plan that will best satisfy the TO requirements.

3.2 REQUESTING AGENCY BACKGROUND

The Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation (DLLR) is committed to safeguarding and protecting Marylanders. We're proud to support the economic stability of the state by providing businesses, the workforce and the consuming public with high quality customer-focused regulatory, employment and training services.

The Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation (DLLR) continues to change Maryland for the better by providing a predictable and inclusive regulatory environment through efficient and responsive processes. DLLR safeguards Maryland's work environments through outreach and educational programs, by establishing partnerships and encouraging ongoing improvements in workplace safety and health. We're fostering economic growth through our collaborative, comprehensive employment and job training programs that best ensure Maryland workers have the skills Maryland employers need to succeed and grow into the future. Our vision for Maryland drives the work of the Department's employees each and every day.

3.3 PROJECT BACKGROUND / EXISTING SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The Office of the Commissioner of Financial Regulation (OCFR) is responsible for oversight and administration of two web-based applications – the Notice of Intent to Foreclose electronic system (NOI) provides customers the ability to electronically submit NOIs; and the Maryland Foreclosed Property Registry (FPR), where customers submit information and fees relating to foreclosure sales of residential property.

The primary users for both applications are external customers. On average, the NOI receives approximately 5,000 new records per month, which are submitted by lenders and their agents or representatives. The FPR receives, on average, approximately 1,300 new records per month. FPR

records are submitted by lenders and their agents or representatives, as well as private individuals or real estate companies. There are fees associated with submission of FPR records.

The only users accessing data from the NOI are a small number of OCFR staff. Alternatively, the FPR has at least 200 different users (and growing) from local and state government exporting data asneeded. Both applications are also used internally by OCFR staff for trend analysis and supervision of licensed entities. These applications are crucial for OCFR to uphold its responsibilities as mandated by the state legislature, and for lenders and foreclosure purchasers to fulfill their obligations as required by Maryland law. With the exception of approved users, the data and records in these systems must be kept secure and confidential.

The NOI and FPR systems were developed in January 2011 and October 2012, respectively, and are in need of enhancement. Both systems undergo heavy usage by both internal and external customers and are in need of enhancements to include data analysis and reporting features, performance improvement, the creation of maintenance options, and other functional improvements identified by OCFR users.

The current environment is Microsoft Windows Server 2012. The development platforms are Visual Studio 2008 (VB.NET) and SQL Server 2012. The source repository is Team Foundation Server 2010.

The Key Personnel obtained through this TORFP process and the resulting Task Order Agreement will be responsible for performing applications development and programming services to support the FPR and the NOI systems, as authorized a Work Order issued by the TO Manager.

3.4 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Any TO Contractor Personnel provided under this TORFP shall maintain any required professional certifications for the duration of the resulting TO.

3.5 REQUIRED POLICIES, GUIDELINES AND METHODOLOGIES

The TO Contractor shall comply with all applicable laws, regulations, policies, standards, and guidelines affecting information technology and technology projects, which may be created or changed periodically.

The TO Contractor shall adhere to and remain abreast of current, new, and revised laws, regulations, policies, standards and guidelines affecting security and technology project execution.

The foregoing may include, but are not limited to, the following policies, guidelines and methodologies that can be found at the DoIT site (http://doit.maryland.gov/policies/Pages/ContractPolicies.aspx).

- A. The State of Maryland System Development Life Cycle (SDLC) methodology
- B. The State of Maryland Information Technology Security Policy and Standards
- C. The State of Maryland Information Technology Non-Visual Access Standards
- D. The TO Contractor shall follow project management methodologies consistent with the Project Management Institute's Project Management Body of Knowledge Guide.
- E. TO Contractor assigned personnel shall follow a consistent methodology for all TO activities.

3.6 CONTRACTOR REQUIREMENTS

At a minimum, TO Contractor personnel under this TORFP shall perform the following:

1. Attend meetings as required by the DLLR TO Manager

- 2. Develop project requirements documentation
- 3. Develop user and technical documentation for any development performed on application(s)
- 4. Develop and test SQL Server databases
- 5. Develop, test, and maintain graphical user interfaces and applications
- 6. Perform other related duties as required
- 7. The TO Contractor staff assigned to the TO shall work on-site at DLLR offices unless approved by the DLLR TO Manager, and shall adhere to DLLR's policies regarding the use of telephones, internet, computer equipment, and DLLR's Human Resources Employment Policies
- 8. The TO Contractor staff assigned shall provide weekly, monthly, and upon request, reports on the status of all active assignments to include work accomplished
- 9. Software developed under this TO shall be considered an integral part of the DLLR systems and owned exclusively by DLLR
- 10. OIT's internal policies governing change management, documentation, maintenance, privacy and security, testing, training, disaster recovery, and data management will apply to all work under this TO. The TO Contractor staff assigned to the TO shall adhere to these policies as directed by the DLLR TO Manager.

3.6.1 TRANSITION-IN REQUIREMENTS

- 11. The TO Contractor shall schedule a Kickoff Meeting within five (5) days of NTP.
- 12. The TO Contractor shall participate in knowledge transfer activities associated with the proposed design, development, and implementation of the system(s) immediately upon NTP.

3.6.2 TRANSITION-OUT REQUIREMENTS

The TO Contractor shall transfer to State personnel all necessary knowledge and materials for the tasks completed, including complete source code, scripts, and other technical resources to maintain the application.

Examples of these activities include a final project debrief meeting, organization and handoff of project materials, documentation, updated work plans, and final invoices.

The TO Contractor shall also:

- 1. At the State's discretion, complete tasks and any unfinished work plan items.
- 2. Document any current risk factors and suggested solutions.
- 3. Submit documentation and data that is current and complete with a hard and soft copy in a format prescribed by the TO Manager.

3.7 PERFORMANCE AND PERSONNEL

3.7.1 WORK HOURS

A. <u>Business Hours Support</u>: The TO Contractor's collective assigned Personnel shall support core business hours (8:00 AM to 5:00 PM), Monday through Friday except for State holidays, Service Reduction days, and Furlough days observed by DLLR. Additionally, services may also involve some evening and/or weekend hours performing planned activities in addition to

- core business hours. Hours performing system upgrades would be billed on actual time worked at the rates proposed.
- B. <u>State-Mandated Service Reduction Days</u>: TO Contractor Personnel shall be required to participate in the State-mandated Service Reduction Days as well as State Furlough Days. In this event, the TO Contractor will be notified in writing by the TO Manager of these details.
- C. <u>Minimum and Maximum Hours:</u> Full-time TO Contractor Personnel shall work a minimum of 40 hours per week with starting and ending times as approved by the TO Manager. A flexible work schedule may be used with TO Manager approval, including time to support any efforts outside core business hours. TO Contractor Personnel may also be requested to restrict the number of hours TO Contractor Personnel can work within a given period of time that may result in less than an eight hour day or less than a 40 hour work week.
- D. <u>Vacation Hours</u>: Requests for leave shall be submitted to the TO Manager at least two weeks in advance. The TO Manager reserves the right to request a temporary replacement if leave extends longer than one consecutive week. In cases where there is insufficient coverage, a leave request may be denied.

3.7.2 DIRECTED PERSONNEL REPLACEMENT

- A. The TO Manager may direct the TO Contractor to replace any TO Contractor Personnel who, in the sole discretion of the TO Manager, are perceived as being unqualified, non-productive, unable to fully perform the job duties, disruptive, or known, or reasonably believed, to have committed a major infraction(s) of law or Contract, or Task Order requirement.
- B. If deemed appropriate in the discretion of the TO Manager, the TO Manager shall give written notice of any TO Contractor Personnel performance issues to the TO Contractor, describing the problem and delineating the remediation requirement(s). The TO Contractor shall provide a written Remediation Plan within three (3) days of the date of the notice. If the TO Manager rejects the Remediation Plan, the TO Contractor shall revise and resubmit the plan to the TO Manager within five (5) days of the rejection, or in the timeframe set forth by the TO Manager in writing. Once a Remediation Plan has been accepted in writing by the TO Manager, the TO Contractor shall immediately implement the Remediation Plan.
- C. Should performance issues persist despite the approved Remediation Plan, the TO Manager will give written notice of the continuing performance issues and either request a new Remediation Plan within a specified time limit or direct the removal and replacement of the TO Contractor Personnel whose performance is at issue. A request for a new Remediation Plan will follow the procedure described in Section 3.7.2B.
- D. In circumstances of directed removal, the TO Contractor shall provide a suitable replacement for TO Manager approval within fifteen (15) days of the date of the notification of directed removal, or the actual removal, whichever occurs first, or such earlier time as directed by the TO Manager in the event of a removal on less than fifteen days' notice.
- E. Normally, a directed personnel replacement will occur only after prior notification of problems with requested remediation, as described above. However, the TO Manager reserves the right to direct immediate personnel replacement without utilizing the remediation procedure described above.

F. Replacement or substitution of TO Contractor Personnel under this section shall be in addition to, and not in lieu of, the State's remedies under the Task Order or which otherwise may be available at law or in equity.

3.7.3 SUBSTITUTION OF PERSONNEL

3.7.3.1 PRIOR TO AND 30 DAYS AFTER TASK ORDER EXECUTION

Prior to Task Order Execution or within thirty (30) days after Task Order Execution, the Offeror may substitute proposed Key Personnel only under the following circumstances: vacancy occurs due to the sudden termination, resignation, or approved leave of absence due to an Extraordinary Personnel Event, or death of such personnel. To qualify for such substitution, the Offeror must describe to the State's satisfaction the event necessitating substitution and must demonstrate that the originally proposed personnel are actual full-time direct employees with the Offeror (subcontractors, temporary staff or 1099 contractors do not qualify). Proposed substitutions shall be of equal caliber or higher, in the State's sole discretion. Proposed substitutes deemed by the State to be less qualified than the originally proposed individual may be grounds for pre-award disqualification or post-award termination.

An **Extraordinary Personnel Event** – means Leave under the Family Medical Leave Act; an incapacitating injury or incapacitating illness; or other circumstances that in the sole discretion of the State warrant an extended leave of absence, such as extended jury duty or extended military service.

3.7.3.2 SUBSTITUTION POST 30 DAYS AFTER TASK ORDER EXECUTION

The procedure for substituting personnel after Task Order execution is as follows:

- A) The TO Contractor may not substitute personnel without the prior approval of the TO Manager.
- B) To replace any personnel, the TO Contractor shall submit resumes of the proposed individual specifying the intended approved labor category within five (5) business days. Any proposed substitute personnel shall have qualifications equal to or better than those of the replaced personnel.
- C) Proposed substitute individual shall be approved by the TO Manager. The TO Manager shall have the option to interview the proposed substitute personnel and may require that such interviews be in person. After the interview, the TO Manager shall notify the TO Contractor of acceptance or denial of the requested substitution. If no acceptable substitute personnel is proposed within the time frame established by the TO Manager, the TO Agreement may be cancelled.

3.7.4 PREMISES AND OPERATIONAL SECURITY

A) Prior to commencement of work, TO Contractor Personnel to be assigned to perform work under the resulting Task Order shall be required to submit background check certification to DLLR from recognized Law Enforcement Agencies, including the FBI. TO Contractor shall be responsible for ensuring that TO Contractor Personnel background check certifications are renewed annually, and at the sole expense to the TO Contractor. DLLR reserves the right to disqualify any TO Contractor employees or subcontractors whose background checks suggest conduct, involvements, and/or

- associations that DLLR determines, in its sole discretion, may be inconsistent with the performance and/or security requirements set forth in this TORFP. DLLR reserves the right to perform additional background checks on TO Contractor Personnel.
- B) Further, TO Contractor Personnel may be subject to random security checks during entry and exit of State secured areas. The State reserves the right to require TO Contractor Personnel to be accompanied while on secured premises.
- C) TO Contractor Personnel shall, while on State premises, display their State issued identification cards without exception.
- D) TO Contractor Personnel shall follow the State of Maryland IT Security Policy and Standards throughout the term of the TO Agreement.
- E) The State reserves the right to request that the TO Contractor submit proof of employment authorization for non-United States citizens, prior to commencement of TO Contractor Personnel work under the Task Order.
- F) TO Contractor shall remove any TO Contractor Personnel from working on the resulting TO Agreement where the State of Maryland determines that said TO Contractor Personnel has not adhered to the security requirements specified herein.
- G) The cost of complying with all security requirements specified herein are the sole responsibility and obligation of the TO Contractor and its subcontractors and no such costs shall be passed through to or reimbursed by the State or any of its agencies or units.
- H) TO Contractor shall complete a criminal background check prior to any individual TO Contractor Personnel being assigned work on the project. TO Contractor shall provide a Criminal Background Check Affidavit (Attachment 17) prior to any work commencing on the Task Order.

3.7.5 WORK SPACE, WORKSTATIONS, NETWORK CONNECTIVITY AND SOFTWARE

The TO REQUESTING AGENCY will provide all necessary office space, network connectivity and required workstation/development hardware/software necessary to complete the requirements of this Task Order.

3.8 DELIVERABLES

3.8.1 DELIVERABLE SUBMISSION

For every deliverable, the TO Contractor shall request that the TO Manager confirm receipt of that deliverable by sending an e-mail identifying the deliverable name and date of receipt.

Unless specified otherwise, written deliverables shall be compatible with Microsoft Office versions 2007 or later. At the TO Manager's discretion, the TO Manager may request one hard copy of a written deliverable.

A standard deliverable review cycle will be elaborated and agreed-upon between the State and the TO Contractor. This review process is entered into when the TO Contractor completes a deliverable.

3.8.2 DELIVERABLE ACCEPTANCE

A final deliverable shall satisfy the scope and requirements of this TORFP for that deliverable, including the quality and acceptance criteria for a final deliverable as defined in Section 3.8.4 Deliverable Descriptions/Acceptance Criteria.

The TO Manager shall review a final deliverable to determine compliance with the acceptance criteria as defined for that deliverable. The TO Manager is responsible for coordinating comments and input from various team members and stakeholders. The TO Manager is responsible for providing clear guidance and direction to the TO Contractor in the event of divergent feedback from various team members.

In the event of rejection of a deliverable, the TO Manager will formally communicate in writing any deliverable deficiencies or non-conformities to the TO Contractor, describing in those deficiencies what shall be corrected prior to acceptance of the deliverable in sufficient detail for the TO Contractor to address the deficiencies. The TO Contractor shall correct deficiencies and resubmit the corrected deliverable for acceptance within the agreed-upon time period for correction.

At the TO Manager's discretion, subsequent project tasks may not continue until deliverable deficiencies are rectified and accepted by the TO Manager or the TO Manager has specifically issued, in writing, a waiver for conditional continuance of project tasks.

3.8.3 MINIMUM DELIVERABLE QUALITY

The TO Contractor shall subject each deliverable to its internal quality-control process prior to submitting the deliverable to the State.

Each deliverable shall meet the following minimum acceptance criteria:

- A) Be presented in a format appropriate for the subject matter and depth of discussion.
- B) Be organized in a manner that presents a logical flow of the deliverable's content.
- C) Represent factual information reasonably expected to have been known at the time of submittal.
- D) In each section of the deliverable, include only information relevant to that section of the deliverable.
- E) Contain content and presentation consistent with industry best practices in terms of deliverable completeness, clarity, and quality.
- F) Meets the acceptance criteria applicable to that deliverable, including any State policies, functional or non-functional requirements, or industry standards.
- G) Contains no structural errors such as poor grammar, misspellings or incorrect punctuation.

A draft written deliverable may contain limited structural errors such as incorrect punctuation, and shall represent a significant level of completeness toward the associated final written deliverable. The draft written deliverable shall otherwise comply with minimum deliverable quality criteria above.

3.8.4 DELIVERABLE DESCRIPTIONS / ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA

The TO Contractor may suggest other subtasks, artifacts, or deliverables to improve the quality and success of the assigned tasks.

ID#	Deliverable Description	Acceptance Criteria	Due Date / Frequency
3.8.4.1	Kick-off Meeting	Meeting with DLLR project management staff and agency representatives to accomplish the following: a. Introductions b. Project explanations and deliverable strategy c. Project administrative and project management related responsibilities and plans	Initial Delivery: NTP+ 5 days
3.8.4.2	The TO Contractor shall participate in knowledge transfer activities associated with the proposed design, development, and implementation of the system	A written report including information on how the TO Contractor shall attain a working knowledge of the current system environment and platforms as well as the general business practices.	Initial Delivery: NTP+15 days
3.8.4.3	The TO Contractor shall complete a preliminary Work Breakdown Structure (WBS)	Submission of WBS, in Microsoft Excel format, indicating each task to be completed including due dates	Initial Delivery: NTP+30 days Weekly updates

3.9 WORK ORDER PROCESS

- A) Additional resources will be provided via a Work Order process. A Work Order may be issued for time and materials (T&M) pricing. T&M Work Orders will be issued in accordance with preapproved Labor Categories with the fully loaded rates proposed in Attachment 1.
- B) The TO Manager shall e-mail a Work Order Request (See Attachment 16) to the TO Contractor to provide services or resources that are within the scope of this TORFP. The Work Order Request will include:
 - 1) Technical requirements and description of the service or resources needed
 - 2) Performance objectives and/or deliverables, as applicable
 - 3) Due date and time for submitting a response to the request
 - 4) Required place(s) where work must be performed
- C) The TO Contractor shall e-mail a response to the TO Manager within the specified time and include at a minimum:
 - 1) A response that details the TO Contractor's understanding of the work;
 - 2) A price to complete the Work Order Request using the format provided in Attachment 16;

- 3) A description of proposed resources required to perform the requested tasks, with CATS+ labor categories listed in accordance with Attachment 1;
- 4) An explanation of how tasks shall be completed. This description shall include proposed subcontractors and related tasks;
- 5) State-furnished information, work site, and/or access to equipment, facilities, or personnel; and
- 6) The proposed personnel resources, including any subcontractor personnel, to complete the task.
- D) For a T&M Work Order, the TO Manager will review the response and will confirm the proposed labor rates are consistent with this TORFP. For a fixed price Work Order, the TO Manager will review the response and will confirm the proposed prices are acceptable.
- E) The TO Manager may contact the TO Contractor to obtain additional information, clarification or revision to the Work Order, and will provide the Work Order to the TO Procurement Officer for a determination of compliance with the TO and a determination whether a change order is appropriate. Written TO Procurement Officer approval is required before Work Order execution by the State.
- F) Proposed personnel on any type of Work Order shall be approved by the TO Manager. The TO Contractor shall furnish resumes of proposed personnel specifying the labor category from the CATS+ Labor Categories proposed in the TO Proposal. The TO Manager shall have the option to interview the proposed personnel and, in the event of an interview or not, shall notify the TO Contractor of acceptance or denial of the personnel.
- G) Performance of services under a Work Order shall commence consistent with an NTP issued by the TO Manager for such Work Order.

3.10 INVOICING

Invoice payments to the TO Contractor shall be governed by the terms and conditions defined in the CATS+ Master Contract.

Proper invoices for payment shall be submitted to the TO Manager for payment approval as described below. Invoices shall be submitted monthly.

3.10.1 INVOICE SUBMISSION PROCEDURE

- A) Proper invoices for payment shall contain the TO Contractor's Federal Tax Identification Number, "DLLR" as the recipient, date of invoice, TO Agreement number, invoiced item description, invoiced item number (e.g., "2.7.4.1."), period of performance covered by the invoice, a total invoice amount, and a TO Contractor point of contact with telephone number.
- B) All invoices submitted for payment shall be accompanied by signed notice(s) of acceptance as described below. Payment of invoices will be withheld if the appropriate signed acceptance form documentation is not submitted.
 - 1) To be considered a proper T&M invoice (for Task Order requirements and for T&M Work Orders issued under this Task Order) the TO Contractor shall include with the signed invoice a signed timesheet as described in 3.10.3. Include for each person covered by the invoice the following, individually listed per person: name, hours

worked, hourly labor rate, invoice amount and a copy of each person's timesheet for the period signed by the TO Manager.

- C) The TO Contractor shall e-mail the original of each invoice and signed notice(s) of acceptance to the TO Requesting Agency at: dllraccountspayable@maryland.gov, with a copy to the TO Manager.
- D) Invoices for final payment shall be clearly marked as "FINAL" and submitted when all work requirements have been completed and no further charges are to be incurred under the TO Agreement. In no event shall any invoice be submitted later than 60 calendar days from the TO Agreement termination date.

3.10.2 For the purposes of this Task Order an amount will not be deemed due and payable if:

- A) The amount invoiced is inconsistent with the Task Order Agreement.
- B) The proper invoice has not been received by the party or office specified in the Task Order Agreement.
- C) The invoice or performance under the contract is in dispute or the TO Contractor has failed to otherwise comply with the provisions of the Task Order Agreement
- D) The item or services have not been accepted.
- E) The quantity of items delivered is less than the quantity ordered.
- F) The items or services do not meet the quality requirements of the Task Order
- G) If the TO Agreement provides for progress payments, the proper invoice for the progress payment has not been submitted pursuant to the schedule contained in the agreement
- H) If the TO Agreement provides for withholding a retainage and the invoice is for the retainage, all stipulated conditions for release of the retainage have not been met.
- I) The Contractor has not submitted satisfactory documentation or other evidence reasonably required by the TO Procurement Officer or by the TO Agreement concerning performance under the Task Order Agreement and compliance with its provisions.

3.10.3 TIME SHEET SUBMISSION AND ACCEPTANCE

Time sheets shall be submitted to the TO Manager prior to invoicing. The TO Manager shall sign the timesheet to indicate authorization to invoice.

3.11 RETAINAGE

THIS SECTION IS NOT APPLICABLE TO THIS TORFP.

3.12 SOC TYPE II AUDIT

THIS SECTION IS NOT APPLICABLE TO THIS TORFP.

3.13 INSURANCE

Offeror shall confirm that, as of the date of its proposal, the insurance policies incorporated into its Master Contract are still current and effective at the required levels (See Master Contract Section 2.7).

The Offeror shall also confirm that any insurance policies intended to satisfy the requirements of this TORFP are issued by a company that is licensed to do business in the State of Maryland.

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4 TO PROPOSAL FORMAT AND SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

4.1 REQUIRED RESPONSE

Each Master Contractor receiving this CATS+ TORFP shall respond no later than the submission due date and time designated in the Key Information Summary Sheet. Each Master Contractor is required to submit one of two possible responses: 1) a proposal; or 2) a completed Master Contractor Feedback Form. The feedback form helps the State understand for future contract development why Master Contractors did not submit proposals. The form is accessible via the CATS+ Master Contractor login screen and clicking on TORFP Feedback Response Form from the menu.

A TO Proposal shall conform to the requirements of this CATS+ TORFP.

4.2 SUBMISSION

4.2.1 PAPER SUBMISSION

4.2.1.1 TO Proposal Volume Packaging

Volume I – Technical Proposal and Volume II – Financial Proposal shall be sealed separately from one another. It is preferred, but not required, that the name, e-mail address, and telephone number of the Offeror be included on the outside of the packaging for each volume. Each Volume shall contain an unbound original, so identified, and four (4) copies.

Unless the resulting package will be too unwieldy, the State's preference is for the two (2) sealed Volumes to be submitted together in a single package to the Procurement Officer prior to the date and time for receipt of TO Proposals and including a label bearing:

- A. The TORFP title and number.
- B. Name and address of the Offeror, and
- C. Closing date and time for receipt of TO Proposals

4.2.1.2 Electronic Version of TO Proposal

An electronic version of the TO Technical Proposal in Microsoft Word format (version 2007 or greater) must be enclosed with the original TO Technical Proposal and also one version in searchable Adobe PDF format.

One electronic version of the TO Financial Proposal in Microsoft Word or Microsoft Excel format (version 2007 or greater) must be enclosed with the original TO Financial Proposal and also one version in searchable Adobe PDF format. **Provide no pricing information on the media submitted in the TO Technical Proposal (Volume 1)**. Include pricing information only in the TO Financial Proposal media (Volume II).

Electronic media (CD, DVD, or flash drive) must be labeled on the outside with the TORFP title and number, name of the Offeror, and volume number. Electronic media must be packaged with the original copy of the appropriate TO Proposal (Technical or Financial).

4.2.1.3 TO Proposal Numbering

All pages of both TO Proposal volumes shall be consecutively numbered from beginning (Page 1) to end (Page "x").

4.2.1.4 Delivery Requirements

- A. For U.S. Postal Service deliveries, any TO Proposal that has been received at the appropriate mailroom, or typical place of mail receipt, for the respective procuring unit by the time and date listed in the TORFP will be deemed to be timely. If an Offeror chooses to use the U.S. Postal Service for delivery, DLLR recommends that it use Express Mail, Priority Mail, or Certified Mail only as these are the only forms for which both the date and time of receipt can be verified by DLLR. An Offeror using first class mail will not be able to prove a timely delivery at the mailroom, and it could take several days for an item sent by first class mail to make its way by normal internal mail to the procuring unit.
- B. Hand-delivery includes delivery by commercial carrier acting as agent for the Offeror. For any type of direct (non-mail) delivery, Offerors are advised to secure a dated, signed, and time-stamped (or otherwise indicated) receipt of delivery.

4.3 SUMMARY OF ATTACHMENTS

No attachment forms shall be altered. Signatures shall be clearly visible.

The following signed attachments shall be included with the TO Technical Proposal in PDF format (for e-mail delivery). For paper submissions, submit two (2) copies of each with original signatures.

- A. Attachment 4 Conflict of Interest Affidavit and Disclosure
- B. Attachment 5A and 5B- Attachment 5A Minimum Qualifications Summary and Attachment 5B Personnel Resume Form
- C. Attachment 12 Living Wage Affidavit of Agreement
- D. Attachment 15 Certification Regarding Investments in Iran

The following attachments shall be included with the TO Financial Proposal

A. Attachment 1 Price Sheet

4.4 PROPOSAL FORMAT

A TO Proposal shall contain the following sections in order:

4.4.1 TO TECHNICAL PROPOSAL

Important: A TO Technical Proposal shall include NO pricing information.

- A) Proposed Services
 - 1) Executive Summary: A one-page summary describing the Offeror's understanding of the TORFP scope of work (Section 3) and proposed solution.

- 2) Proposed Solution: A more detailed description of the Offeror's understanding of the TORFP scope of work, proposed methodology and solution. The proposed solution shall be organized to exactly match the requirements outlined in Section 3.
- 3) Assumptions: A description of any assumptions formed by the Offeror in developing the TO Technical Proposal.
- 4) Tools the Master Contractor owns and proposes for use to meet any requirements in Section 3.
- B) Compliance with Offeror's Company Minimum Qualifications

Offerors will complete the following table to demonstrate compliance with the Offeror's Company Minimum Requirements in Section 2.1.2.

Reference	Offeror Company Minimum	Evidence of Compliance
	Requirement	
2.1.2.1	Demonstrate at least three (3) years of experience in providing personnel for web development, analysis, requirements gathering, and programming with specific experience in Visual Studio.Net.	Offeror evidence of compliance here.
2.1.2.3	Shall have provided at least two (2) full-time enterprise web application development personnel having a Microsoft.Net development certification within the last five (5) years	Offeror evidence of compliance here.

- C) Proposed Personnel and TORFP Staffing Offeror shall propose exactly one (1) Key Personnel in response to this TORFP. . Offeror shall:
 - 1) Complete and provide for each proposed resource Attachment 5A Minimum Qualifications Summary and Attachment 5B Personnel Resume Form.
 - 2) Provide evidence proposed personnel possess the required certifications in accordance with Section 2.1.2 Offeror's Personnel Minimum Qualifications.
 - 3) Provide three (3) references per proposed Key Personnel containing the information listed in Attachment 5B.
 - 4) Provide a Staffing Management Plan that demonstrates how the Offeror shall provide resources in addition to the personnel requested in this TORFP, and how the TO Contractor Personnel shall be managed. Include:
 - a) Planned team composition by role (<u>Important!</u> Identify specific names and provide history <u>only</u> for the proposed resources required for evaluation of this TORFP).

- b) Process and proposed lead time for locating and bringing on board resources that meet TO needs
- c) Supporting descriptions for all labor categories proposed in response to this TORFP
- d) Description of approach for quickly substituting qualified personnel after start of TO.
- 5) Provide the names and titles of the Offeror's management staff who will supervise the personnel and quality of services rendered under this TO Agreement.
- D) MBE, SBE Participation and VSBE Participation

The Offeror shall be a Small Business Enterprise (SBE) certified entity.

E) Subcontractors

Identify all proposed subcontractors, including MBEs, and their roles in the performance of Section 3 - Scope of Work.

F) Overall Offeror team organizational chart

Provide an overall team organizational chart with all team resources available to fulfill the TO scope of work.

- G) Master Contractor and Subcontractor Experience and Capabilities
 - Provide up to three examples of engagements or contracts the Master Contractor or subcontractor, if applicable, has completed that were similar to Section 3 - Scope of Work. Include contact information for each client organization complete with the following:
 - a) Name of organization.
 - b) Point of contact name, title, e-mail and telephone number (point of contact shall be accessible and knowledgeable regarding experience)
 - c) Services provided as they relate to Section 3 Scope of Work.
 - d) Start and end dates for each example engagement or contract.
 - e) Current Master Contractor team personnel who participated on the engagement.
 - f) If the Master Contractor is no longer providing the services, explain why not.
 - 2) State of Maryland Experience: If applicable, the Master Contractor shall submit a list of all contracts it currently holds or has held within the past five years with any entity of the State of Maryland.

For each identified contract, the Master Contractor shall provide the following (if not already provided in sub paragraph 1 above):

- a) Contract or task order name
- b) Name of organization.
- c) Point of contact name, title, e-mail, and telephone number (point of contact shall be accessible and knowledgeable regarding experience)
- d) Start and end dates for each engagement or contract. If the Master Contractor is no longer providing the services, explain why not.

- e) Dollar value of the contract.
- f) Indicate if the contract was terminated before the original expiration date.
- g) Indicate if any renewal options were not exercised.

Note - State of Maryland experience can be included as part of Section 2 above as engagement or contract experience. State of Maryland experience is neither required nor given more weight in proposal evaluations.

H) State Assistance

Provide an estimate of expectation concerning participation by State personnel.

I) Confidentiality

A Master Contractor should give specific attention to the identification of those portions of its proposal that it considers confidential, proprietary commercial information or trade secrets, and provide justification why such materials, upon request, should not be disclosed by the State under the Public Information Act, Title 4, of the General Provisions Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland. Master Contractors are advised that, upon request for this information from a third party, the TO Procurement Officer will be required to make an independent determination regarding whether the information may be disclosed.

Offeror shall furnish a list that identifies each section of the TO Technical Proposal where, in the Offeror's opinion, the Offeror's response should not be disclosed by the State under the Public Information Act.

4.4.2 TO FINANCIAL PROPOSAL

- A) A description of any assumptions on which the Master Contractor's TO Financial Proposal is based (Assumptions shall not constitute conditions, contingencies, or exceptions to the Price Sheet);
- B) Attachment 1– Price Sheet, with all proposed labor categories including all rates fully loaded. Master Contractors shall list all key resources by approved CATS+ labor categories in the price proposal.
- C) To be responsive to this TORFP, the Price Sheet (Attachment 1) shall provide labor rates for all labor categories anticipated for this TORFP. Proposed rates shall not exceed the rates defined in the Master Contract for the Master Contract year(s) in effect at the time of the TO Proposal due date.
- D) Prices shall be valid for 120 days.

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5 TASK ORDER AWARD PROCESS

5.1 OVERVIEW

The TO Contractor will be selected from among all eligible Master Contractors within the appropriate Functional Area responding to the CATS+ TORFP. In making the TO Agreement award determination, the TO Requesting Agency will consider all information submitted in accordance with Section 4.

5.2 TO PROPOSAL EVALUATION CRITERIA

The following are technical criteria for evaluating a TO Proposal in descending order of importance. Failure to meet the minimum qualifications shall render a TO Proposal not reasonably susceptible for award:

- A) The ability for the Master Contractor to meet staffing expectations relative to supplying additional personnel for this TORFP meeting qualifications in Section 2.1 and 2.2.
- B) The capability of the proposed resources to perform the required tasks and produce the required deliverables in the TORFP Scope of Work Section 3. Capability will be determined from each proposed individual's resume, reference checks, and oral presentation (See Section 1.5 Oral Presentations/Interviews).
- C) The Master Contractor's overall understanding of the TORFP Scope of Work Section 3. Level of understanding will be determined by the quality and accuracy of the technical proposal in adherence with Section 4.4.
- D) The overall experience, capability and references for the Master Contractor as described in the Master Contractor's TO Technical Proposal.

5.3 SELECTION PROCEDURES

- A) TO Proposals will be assessed throughout the evaluation process for compliance with the minimum qualifications listed in Section 2 of this TORFP, and quality of responses to Section 4.4.1 TO Technical Proposal.
- B) For all TO Proposals deemed technically qualified, interviews of proposed personnel will be performed.

As described in Section 1.5, in the event that more than ten (10) responsive proposals, the TO Procurement Officer may perform a down select. The TO Procurement Officer will notify the Offeror at time of scheduling initial interviews whether subsequent rounds of interviews may be required. When used, the down select procedures to be followed by the TO Procurement Officer are as follows:

- a) Interviews, which are a type of oral presentation, will be performed by phone and/or internet (e.g., Skype, Goto Meeting, WebEx) or in person for all Offerors meeting minimum qualifications. All candidates shall be interviewed in substantially the same manner. The Procurement Officer shall, for each round of interviews, determine whether phone/internet or in-person interviews will be utilized.
- b) An initial interview will be performed for all proposals meeting minimum requirements.

- c) A technical ranking will be performed for all proposals based on the initial interview. Proposals will be ranked from highest to lowest for technical merit based on the quality of the proposals submitted and interview results.
- d) The top ten (10) proposals identified by the technical ranking will be notified of additional interviews. All other Offerors will be notified of non-selection for this TORFP.
- C) For TO Proposals deemed technically qualified, the associated TO Financial Proposal will be opened. All others will be deemed not reasonably susceptible for award and the TO Procurement Officer will notify the Master Contractor it has not been selected to perform the work.
- D) Qualified TO Financial Proposal responses will be reviewed and ranked from lowest to highest price proposed.
- E) The most advantageous TO Proposal considering both the technical and financial submissions shall be selected for TO award. In making this selection, technical merit has greater weight.
- F) All Master Contractors submitting a TO Proposal shall receive written notice from the TO Procurement Officer identifying the awardee.

5.4 COMMENCEMENT OF WORK UNDER A TO AGREEMENT

Commencement of work in response to a TO Agreement shall be initiated only upon:

- a. Issuance of a fully executed TO Agreement,
- b. Non-Disclosure Agreement (TO Contractor),
- c. Purchase Order, and
- d. By a Notice to Proceed authorized by the TO Procurement Officer. See Attachment 7 Notice to Proceed (sample).

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LIST OF ATTACHMENTS

Attachment Label	Attachment Name	Applicable to this TORFP?	Submit with Proposal?* (Submit, Do Not Submit, N/A)
Attachment 1	Price Sheet	Applicable	Submit with TO Financial Proposal with password protection
Attachment 2	Minority Business Enterprise Participation (Attachments 1A – 5)	Not Applicable	N/A
Attachment 3	Task Order Agreement (TO Agreement)	Applicable	Do Not Submit with Proposal
Attachment 4	Conflict of Interest Affidavit and Disclosure	Applicable	Submit with TO Technical Proposal
Attachment 5	Labor Classification Personnel Resume Summary	Applicable	Submit with TO Technical Proposal
Attachment 6	Pre-Proposal Conference Directions	Not Applicable	Do Not Submit with Proposal
Attachment 7	Notice to Proceed (Sample)	Applicable	Do Not Submit with Proposal
Attachment 8	Agency Deliverable Product Acceptance Form (DPAF)	Not Applicable	N/A
Attachment 9	Non-Disclosure Agreement (Offeror)	Not Applicable	Do Not Submit with Proposal
Attachment 10	Non-Disclosure Agreement (TO Contractor)	Applicable	Do Not Submit with Proposal
Attachment 11	TO Contractor Self-Reporting Checklist	Applicable	Do Not Submit with Proposal
Attachment 12	Living Wage Affidavit of Agreement	Applicable	Submit with TO Technical Proposal
Attachment 13	Mercury Affidavit	Not Applicable	N/A
Attachment 14	Veteran Owned Small Business Enterprise Utilization Affidavit	Not Applicable	N/A
Attachment 15	Certification Regarding Investments in Iran	Applicable	Submit with TO Technical Proposal
Attachment 16	Sample Work Order	Applicable	Do Not Submit with Proposal
Attachment 17	Criminal Background Check Affidavit	Not Applicable	Do Not Submit with Proposal

^{*}if not specified in submission instructions, any attachment submitted with response shall be in PDF format and signed

ATTACHMENT 1 PRICE SHEET

PRICE SHEET (TIME AND MATERIALS) FOR CATS+ TORFP # P00B7400010

The total class hours (Column B) are not to be construed as "guaranteed" hours; the total number of hours is an estimate only for purposes of price sheet evaluation.

A year for this task order shall be calculated as one calendar year from NTP. **Labor Rate Maximums:** The maximum labor rate that may be proposed for any CATS+ Labor Category shall not exceed the maximum for the CATS+ Master Contract year in effect on the TO Proposal due date.

Job Title from TORFP	CATS+ Labor Category	Hourly Labor Rate (A)	Total Class Hours (B)	Extended Price (C: AxB)
Year 1				
Applications Development Expert	Insert CATS+ Labor Category	\$	2000	\$
		Evaluated Pric	e Year 1	\$
(Option) Year 2				
Applications Development Expert	Insert CATS+ Labor Category	\$	2000	\$
(Option) Year 3				
Applications Development Expert	Insert CATS+ Labor Category	\$	2000	\$
Total Evaluated Price (Years 1)				\$

Authorized Individual Name	Company Name	
Title	Company Tax ID #	
Signature	Date	

The Hourly Labor Rate is the actual rate the State will pay for services and shall be recorded in dollars and cents. The Hourly Labor Rate cannot exceed the Master Contract Rate but may be lower. Rates shall be fully loaded, all-inclusive, i.e., include all direct and indirect costs and profits for the Master Contractor to perform under the TO Agreement.

ATTACHMENT 2 MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE FORMS

The Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) subcontractor participation goal for this solicitation is 0%.

ATTACHMENT 3 TASK ORDER AGREEMENT

CATS+ TORFP# P00B7400010 OF MASTER CONTRACT #060B2490023

This Task Order Agreement ("TO Agreement") is made this day of Month, 20XX by and between ______(TO Contractor) and the STATE OF MARYLAND, Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation (DLLR).

IN CONSIDERATION of the mutual promises and the covenants herein contained and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

- 1. Definitions. In this TO Agreement, the following words have the meanings indicated:
 - a) "Agency" means Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation, as identified in the CATS+ TORFP # P00B7400010.
 - b) "CATS+ TORFP" means the Task Order Request for Proposals # P00B7400010, dated MONTH DAY, YEAR, including any addenda and amendments.
 - c) "Master Contract" means the CATS+ Master Contract between the Maryland Department of Information Technology and TO Contractor dated April 22, 2013.
 - d) "TO Procurement Officer" means Sean Watson. The Agency may change the TO Procurement Officer at any time by written notice.
 - e) "TO Agreement" means this signed TO Agreement between DLLR and TO Contractor.
 - f) "TO Contractor" means the CATS+ Master Contractor awarded this TO Agreement, whose principal business address is _______.
 - g) "TO Manager" means Meredith Mishaga, Director of Foreclosure Administration. The Agency may change the TO Manager at any time by written notice to the TO Contractor.
 - h) "TO Technical Proposal" means the TO Contractor's technical response to the CATS+ TORFP dated date of TO Technical Proposal.
 - i) "TO Financial Proposal" means the TO Contractor's financial response to the CATS+ TORFP dated date of TO Financial Proposal.
 - i) "TO Proposal" collectively refers to the TO Technical Proposal and TO Financial Proposal.
- 2. Scope of Work
- 2.1 This TO Agreement incorporates all of the terms and conditions of the Master Contract and shall not in any way amend, conflict with or supersede the Master Contract.
- 2.2 The TO Contractor shall, in full satisfaction of the specific requirements of this TO Agreement, provide the services set forth in Section 3 of the CATS+ TORFP. These services shall be provided in accordance with the Master Contract, this TO Agreement, and the following Exhibits, which are attached and incorporated herein by reference. If there is any conflict among the Master Contract, this TO Agreement, and these Exhibits, the terms of the Master Contract shall govern. If there is any conflict between this TO Agreement and any of these Exhibits, the following order of precedence shall determine the prevailing provision:
 - a) The TO Agreement,
 - b) Exhibit A CATS+ TORFP
 - c) Exhibit B TO Technical Proposal
 - d) Exhibit C TO Financial Proposal

- 2.3 The TO Procurement Officer may, at any time, by written order, make changes in the work within the general scope of the TO Agreement. No other order, statement or conduct of the TO Procurement Officer or any other person shall be treated as a change or entitle the TO Contractor to an equitable adjustment under this Section. Except as otherwise provided in this TO Agreement, if any change under this Section causes an increase or decrease in the TO Contractor's cost of, or the time required for, the performance of any part of the work, whether or not changed by the order, an equitable adjustment in the TO Agreement price shall be made and the TO Agreement modified in writing accordingly. The TO Contractor must assert in writing its right to an adjustment under this Section within thirty (30) days of receipt of written change order and shall include a written statement setting forth the nature and cost of such claim. No claim by the TO Contractor shall be allowed if asserted after final payment under this TO Agreement. Failure to agree to an adjustment under this Section shall be a dispute under the Disputes clause of the Master Contract. Nothing in this Section shall excuse the TO Contractor from proceeding with the TO Agreement as changed.
- 3. Time for Performance

Unless terminated earlier as provided in the Master Contract, the TO Contractor shall provide the services described in the TO Proposal and in accordance with the CATS+ TORFP on receipt of a Notice to Proceed from the TO Manager. The term of this TO Agreement is for a period of one (1) year commencing on the date the TO Agreement is fully executed and terminating on Month Day, Year. At the sole option of the State, this TO Agreement may be extended for two (2) additional, one (1) year periods for a total TO Agreement period ending on Month, Day, Year.

- 4. Consideration and Payment
- 4.1 The consideration to be paid the TO Contractor shall be done so in accordance with the CATS+ TORFP and shall not exceed \$______. Any work performed by the TO Contractor in excess of the not-to-exceed ceiling amount of the TO Agreement without the prior written approval of the TO Manager is at the TO Contractor's risk of non-payment.
- 4.2 Payments to the TO Contractor shall be made as outlined Section 3 of the CATS+ TORFP, but no later than thirty (30) days after the Agency's receipt of a proper invoice for services provided by the TO Contractor, acceptance by the Agency of services provided by the TO Contractor, and pursuant to the conditions outlined in Section 4 of this Agreement.
- 4.3 Each invoice for services rendered must include the TO Contractor's Federal Tax Identification Number which is ______. Charges for late payment of invoices other than as prescribed by Title 15, Subtitle 1, of the State Finance and Procurement Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, as from time-to-time amended, are prohibited. Invoices must be submitted to the Agency TO Manager unless otherwise specified herein.
- 4.4 In addition to any other available remedies, if, in the opinion of the TO Procurement Officer, the TO Contractor fails to perform in a satisfactory and timely manner, the TO Procurement Officer may refuse or limit approval of any invoice for payment, and may cause payments to the TO Contractor to be reduced or withheld until such time as the TO Contractor meets performance standards as established by the TO Procurement Officer.

Assistant Attorney General

ATTACHMENT 4 CONFLICT OF INTEREST AFFIDAVIT AND DISCLOSURE

- A) "Conflict of interest" means that because of other activities or relationships with other persons, a person is unable or potentially unable to render impartial assistance or advice to the State, or the person's objectivity in performing the contract work is or might be otherwise impaired, or a person has an unfair competitive advantage.
- B) "Person" has the meaning stated in COMAR 21.01.02.01B(64) and includes a bidder, offeror, contractor, consultant, or subcontractor or subconsultant at any tier, and also includes an employee or agent of any of them if the employee or agent has or will have the authority to control or supervise all or a portion of the work for which a bid or offer is made.
- C) The bidder or offeror warrants that, except as disclosed in §D, below, there are no relevant facts or circumstances now giving rise or which could, in the future, give rise to a conflict of interest.
- D) The following facts or circumstances give rise or could in the future give rise to a conflict of interest (explain in detail—attach additional sheets if necessary):
- E) The bidder or offeror agrees that if an actual or potential conflict of interest arises after the date of this affidavit, the bidder or offeror shall immediately make a full disclosure in writing to the procurement officer of all relevant facts and circumstances. This disclosure shall include a description of actions which the bidder or offeror has taken and proposes to take to avoid, mitigate, or neutralize the actual or potential conflict of interest. If the contract has been awarded and performance of the contract has begun, the Contractor shall continue performance until notified by the procurement officer of any contrary action to be taken.

THE CONTENTS OF THIS AFFIDAVIT ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY
KNOWLEDGE, INFORMATION, AND BELIEF.
KNOWLEDGE, INFORMATION, AND BELIEF.

I DO SOLEMNLY DECLARE AND AFFIRM LINDER THE PENALTIES OF PERILIRY THAT

Date:	By:		
	,	(Authorized Representative and Affiant)	

ATTACHMENT 5 LABOR CLASSIFICATION PERSONNEL RESUME SUMMARY (INSTRUCTIONS)

1) For this TORFP,

- a) Master Contractors shall comply with all personnel requirements defined under the Master Contract RFP 060B2490023.
- b) Master Contractors shall propose the resource that best fits the specified CATS+ Labor Category. A Master Contractor <u>may only</u> propose against labor categories in the Master Contractor's CATS+ Master Contract Financial Proposal.
- c) A Master Contractor's entire TO Technical Proposal will be deemed not susceptible for award if any of the following occurs:
 - i) Failure to follow these instructions.
 - ii) Failure to propose a resource for each job title or labor category identified in the TORFP as a required submission.
 - iii) Failure of any proposed resource to meet minimum requirements as listed in this TORFP and in the CATS+ Master Contract.
 - iv) Placing content on the Minimum Qualifications Summary that is not also on the Personnel Resume Form. The function of the Minimum Qualifications Summary is to aid the agency to make a minimum qualification determination. Information on the Minimum Qualification Summary must correspond with information on the Personnel Resume form and shall not contain additional content not found on the other form.
 - v) A resource proposed in response to this TORFP is not available as of TO award. Substitutions prior to award are considered alternate proposals and will not be allowed.
- d) Complete and sign the **Personnel Resume Form** (Attachment 5B) for each resource proposed. Alternate resume formats are not allowed.
 - i) The **Personnel Resume Form** provides resumes in a standard format. Additional information may be attached to each Personnel Resume Summary if it aids a full and complete understanding of the individual proposed.

ATTACHMENT 5 5A – MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS SUMMARY

CATS+ TORFP # P00B7400010

All content on this form <u>must also</u> be on the Personnel Resume Form.

ONLY include information on this summary that supports meeting a minimum qualification.

Proposed Individual's Name and Company/Sub- Contractor:				ed individual meets each requirement by e to relevant entries in Form 5B
LABOR CATEGORY TITLE – (I	NSE:	RT CATS	+ LAB	OR CATEGORY NAME)
Education: Insert the education description from the CATS+ Master Contract RFP from Section 2.10 for the applicable labor category		(Identify school or institution Name; Address; Degree obtained and dates attended.)		
Generalized Experience: Insert the generalized experience description from the CATS+ Master Contract RFP from Section 2.10 for the applicable labor category Provide dates in the format of MM/YY to	ert the generalized experience description in the CATS+ Master Contract RFP from ion 2.10 for the applicable labor category		te compl	ork experiences from the resume that iance with the Master Contract RFP Labor rements for Generalized Experience.) Job Title and Company <insert 5b="" cross-reference(s)="" description="" form="" full="" on="" the="" to=""></insert>
MM/YY		5B:		description on Form 3B>
Specialized Experience: Insert the specialized experience description from the CATS+ Master Contract RFP from Section 2.10 for the applicable labor category Provide dates in the format of MM/YY to MM/YY TORFP Additional Requirements Minimum qualifications and required certifications as defined in Section 2.1 of this TORFP. Provide dates in the format of MM/YY to MM/YY The information provided on this form for this lab		illustra Catego FROM Match to 3 5B:	te complory require TO	ork experiences from the resume that innee with the Master Contract RFP Labor rements for Specialized Experience.) Job Title and Company <insert 5b="" cross-reference="" description="" form="" full="" on="" the="" to=""> d correct to the best of my</insert>
knowledge (Signatures must be included): Master Contractor Representative:				
Signature Proposed Individual:	Date			
Signature	—— Date			

ATTACHMENT 5 5B – PERSONNEL RESUME FORM

CATS+ TORFP # P00B7400010

Instructions: Submit one resume form for each resource proposed. Do not submit other resume formats. Fill out each box as instructed. Failure to follow the instructions on the instructions page and in TORFP may result in the TO Proposal being considered not susceptible for award.

Resource Name:	
Master Contractor:	<insert contractor="" master="" name=""> Sub-Contractor (if applicable):</insert>
Proposed CATS+ Labor Category:	<pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre>
Job Title (As listed in TORFP):	<as described="" in="" this="" torfp=""></as>

Education / Training (start with most recent degree / certificate)

Institution Name / City / State	Degree / Certification	Year Completed	Field Of Study
<add as="" lines="" needed=""></add>			

Relevant Work Experience*

Describe work experience relevant to the Duties / Responsibilities and Minimum Qualifications described in Section 3 of the TORFP. Start with the most recent experience first; do not include experience not relevant to the scope of this TORFP; use Employment <u>History below for full employment history</u>. Enter dates as MM/YY – MM/YY. Add lines as needed.

[Organization]	Description of Work (recommended: organize work descriptions to address
[Title / Role]	minimum qualifications and other requirements)
[Period of Employment / Work	
(MM/YY - MM/YY)]	
[Location]	
[Contact Person (Optional if	
current employer)]	
[Technologies Used]	
[Organization]	Description of Work (recommended: organize work descriptions to address
[Title / Role]	minimum qualifications and other requirements)
[Period of Employment / Work	
MM/YY - MM/YY	
[Location]	
[Contact Person]	
[Technologies Used]	

^{*}Fill out each box. Do not enter "see resume" as a response.

A) References for Proposed Resource (if requested in the TORFP)

List persons the State may contact as employment references. Add lines as needed.

Reference Number:	1
Date From:	<mm yy=""></mm>
Date To:	<mm yy=""></mm>
Organization Name:	<insert name="" organization=""></insert>

FORECLOSURE SYSTE	MS ENHANCEMENT PRO	JECT		P00B7400010
Contact Name: Contact Phone:	<insert contact=""></insert>			
Contact e-mail:	<insert e-mail=""></insert>			
Details:	<insert details=""></insert>			
-	res must be included):		ass is true and co	orrect to the best of my
		Date		
Proposed Individua	al:			
Signature		Date		
Instruction: Sign ea	ch form.			

ATTACHMENT 6 PRE-PROPOSAL CONFERENCE DIRECTIONS

The Pre-Proposal Conference will be held at:

Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation

1100 N. Eutaw, 1st Floor Training Room 101

Baltimore, MD 21201

DIRECTIONS

Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation

1100 N. Eutaw Street, Room 414

Baltimore, MD 21201

Street Parking is available

From Washington DC

- Take the Balt-Wash Pkwy toward Baltimore
- Continue onto S Paca St
- Turn left onto McCulloh St
- Turn right onto Dolphin St
- Take the 2nd right onto N Eutaw St
- Destination will be on the right

From Philadelphia, PA

- I-95 S Entering Maryland
- Continue onto I-895 S
- Take exit 14 for Moravia Rd toward US-40/Pulaski Hwy
- Keep left at the fork, follow signs for Moravia Rd E/Pulaski Hwy
- Turn left onto Moravia Rd
- Take the ramp onto US-40 W
- Turn right onto N Paca St
- Turn left onto McCulloh St
- Turn right onto Dolphin St
- Take the 2nd right onto N Eutaw St
- Destination will be on the right

From Frederick, Maryland

- I-70 E to the exit toward I-695 S
- Keep right at the fork and merge onto I-695 S
- Take exit 15A to merge onto US-40 E/Baltimore National Pike toward Baltimore
- Slight left onto Edmondson Ave
- Turn right onto W Franklin St
- Continue onto US-40 E/W Mulberry St
- Continue to follow US-40 E
- Turn left onto N Martin Luther King Jr Blvd
- Turn left onto McCulloh St
- Turn right onto Dolphin St
- Take the 2nd right onto N Eutaw St
- Destination will be on the right

ATTACHMENT 7 NOTICE TO PROCEED (SAMPLE)

Month Day, Year
TO Contractor Name
TO Contractor Mailing Address
Re: CATS+ Solicitation Number (TORFP #): P00B7400010
Dear TO Contractor Contact:
This letter is your official Notice to Proceed as of Month Day, Year, for the above-referenced Task Order Agreement. Mr. / Ms of Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation (Agency Name) will serve as the TO Manager and your contact person on this Task Order. He / She can be reached at telephone
Enclosed is an original, fully executed Task Order Agreement and purchase order.
Sincerely,
< <to officer="" procurement="">></to>
Task Order Procurement Officer
Enclosures (2)
cc: Meredith Mishaga, TO Manager
Procurement Liaison Office, Department of Information Technology
Project Oversight Office, Department of Information Technology

ATTACHMENT 8 AGENCY DELIVERABLE PRODUCT ACCEPTANCE FORM THIS ATTACHMENT DOES NOT APPLY TO THIS TORFP.

ATTACHMENT 9 NON-DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT (OFFEROR)

THIS ATTACHMENT DOES NOT APPLY TO THIS TORFP.

ATTACHMENT 10 NON-DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT (TO CONTRACTOR)

THIS NON-DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT ("Agreement of the control of the co	eement") is made as of this day of	_, 20,
by and between the State of Maryland ("the State"), acting b	by and through its Department of Labor, Licensing and	
Regulation, DLLR, (the "Department"), and	("TO Contractor"), a corporation with its pri	incipal
business office located at	and its principal office in Maryland located at	
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REG	CITALS	
WHEREAS, the TO Contractor has been awarded Systems Enhancement Project TORFP No. P00B7400010da	a Task Order Agreement (the "TO Agreement") for Forated, (the "TORFP") issued under the	
Consulting and Technical Services procurement issued by the		
WHEREAS, in order for the TO Contractor to perf	form the work required under the TO Agreement, it will	l be
necessary for the State to provide the TO Contractor and the	e TO Contractor's employees and agents (collectively the	ne "TO
Contractor's Personnel") with access to certain confidential	information regarding	
(the "Confidential Information").		

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of being given access to the Confidential Information in connection with the TORFP and the TO Agreement, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which the parties acknowledge, the parties do hereby agree as follows:

- 1. Regardless of the form, format, or media on or in which the Confidential Information is provided and regardless of whether any such Confidential Information is marked as such, Confidential Information means (1) any and all information provided by or made available by the State to the TO Contractor in connection with the TO Agreement and (2) any and all personally identifiable information (PII) (including but not limited to personal information as defined in Md. Ann. Code, State Govt. § 10-1301) and protected health information (PHI) that is provided by a person or entity to the TO Contractor in connection with this TO Agreement. Confidential Information includes, by way of example only, information that the TO Contractor views, takes notes from, copies (if the State agrees in writing to permit copying), possesses or is otherwise provided access to and use of by the State in relation to the TO Agreement.
- 2. TO Contractor shall not, without the State's prior written consent, copy, disclose, publish, release, transfer, disseminate, use, or allow access for any purpose or in any form, any Confidential Information except for the sole and exclusive purpose of performing under the TO Agreement. TO Contractor shall limit access to the Confidential Information to the TO Contractor's Personnel who have a demonstrable need to know such Confidential Information in order to perform under the TO Agreement and who have agreed in writing to be bound by the disclosure and use limitations pertaining to the Confidential Information. The names of the TO Contractor's Personnel are attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit A. Each individual whose name appears on Exhibit A shall execute a copy of this Agreement and thereby be subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement to the same extent as the TO Contractor. TO Contractor shall update Exhibit A by adding additional names as needed, from time to time.
- 3. If the TO Contractor intends to disseminate any portion of the Confidential Information to non-employee agents who are assisting in the TO Contractor's performance of the TORFP or who will otherwise have a role in performing any aspect of the TORFP, the TO Contractor shall first obtain the written consent of the State to any such dissemination. The State may grant, deny, or condition any such consent, as it may deem appropriate in its sole and absolute subjective discretion.
- 4. TO Contractor hereby agrees to hold the Confidential Information in trust and in strictest confidence, to adopt or establish operating procedures and physical security measures, and to take all other measures necessary to protect the Confidential Information from inadvertent release or disclosure to unauthorized third parties and to prevent all or any portion of the Confidential Information from falling into the public domain or into the possession of persons not bound to maintain the confidentiality of the Confidential Information.
- 5. TO Contractor shall promptly advise the State in writing if it learns of any unauthorized use, misappropriation, or disclosure of the Confidential Information by any of the TO Contractor's Personnel or the TO Contractor's former

Personnel. TO Contractor shall, at its own expense, cooperate with the State in seeking injunctive or other equitable relief against any such person(s).

- 6. TO Contractor shall, at its own expense, return to the Department, all Confidential Information in its care, custody, control or possession upon request of the Department or on termination of the TO Agreement.
- 7. A breach of this Agreement by the TO Contractor or by the TO Contractor's Personnel shall constitute a breach of the Master Contract Agreement between the TO Contractor and the State.
- 8. TO Contractor acknowledges that any failure by the TO Contractor or the TO Contractor's Personnel to abide by the terms and conditions of use of the Confidential Information may cause irreparable harm to the State and that monetary damages may be inadequate to compensate the State for such breach. Accordingly, the TO Contractor agrees that the State may obtain an injunction to prevent the disclosure, copying or improper use of the Confidential Information. The TO Contractor consents to personal jurisdiction in the Maryland State Courts. The State's rights and remedies hereunder are cumulative and the State expressly reserves any and all rights, remedies, claims and actions that it may have now or in the future to protect the Confidential Information and/or to seek damages from the TO Contractor and the TO Contractor's Personnel for a failure to comply with the requirements of this Agreement. In the event the State suffers any losses, damages, liabilities, expenses, or costs (including, by way of example only, attorneys' fees and disbursements) that are attributable, in whole or in part to any failure by the TO Contractor or any of the TO Contractor's Personnel to comply with the requirements of this Agreement, the TO Contractor shall hold harmless and indemnify the State from and against any such losses, damages, liabilities, expenses, and/or costs.
- 9. TO Contractor and each of the TO Contractor's Personnel who receive or have access to any Confidential Information shall execute a copy of an agreement substantially similar to this Agreement and the TO Contractor shall provide originals of such executed Agreements to the State.
- 10. The parties further agree that:
 - a) This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Maryland;
 - b) The rights and obligations of the TO Contractor under this Agreement may not be assigned or delegated, by operation of law or otherwise, without the prior written consent of the State;
 - c) The State makes no representations or warranties as to the accuracy or completeness of any Confidential Information;
 - d) The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this Agreement shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this Agreement;
 - e) Signatures exchanged by facsimile are effective for all purposes hereunder to the same extent as original signatures; and
 - f) The Recitals are not merely prefatory but are an integral part hereof.

TO Contractor/TO Contractor's Personnel:	DLLR:
Name:	Name:
Title:	Title:
Date:	Date:

EXHIBIT A – FOR THE NONDISCLOSURE AGREEMENT (TO CONTRACTOR)

TO CONTRACTOR'S EMPLOYEES AND AGENTS WHO WILL BE GIVEN ACCESS TO THE CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

Printed Name and Address of Employee or Agent		Signature	Date
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ATTACHMENT 11 TO CONTRACTOR SELF-REPORTING CHECKLIST

The purpose of this checklist is for CATS+ Master Contractors to self-report on adherence to procedures for task orders (TO) awarded under the CATS+ Master Contract. Requirements for TO management can be found in the CATS+ Master Contract RFP and at the TORFP level. The Master Contractor is requested to complete and return this form by the Checklist Due Date below. Master Contractors may attach supporting documentation as needed. Please send the completed checklist and direct any related questions to contractoversight.doit@maryland.gov with the TO number in the subject line.

Master Contractor:					
Master Contractor Contact / Phone:					
Procuring State Agency Name:					
TO Title:					
TO Number:					
TO Type (Fixed Price, T&M, or Both):					
Checklist Issue Date:					
Checklist Due Date:					
Section 1 – Task Orders with Invoices Lin	nked to Deliverables				
A) Was the original TORFP (Task Order Request for Proposals) structured to link invoice payments to distinct deliverables with specific acceptance criteria? Yes No (If no, skip to Section 2.)					
B) Do TO invoices match corresponding deliverable prices shown in the accepted Financial Proposal? Yes No (If no, explain why)					
C) Is the deliverable acceptance process being adhered to as defined in the TORFP? Yes No (If no, explain why)					
Section 2 – Task Orders with Invoices Lin	nked to Time, Labor Rates and Materials				
A) If the TO involves material costs, are material costs passed to the agency without markup by the Master Contractor? Yes No (If no, explain why)					
B) Are labor rates the same or less than the rates proposed in the accepted Financial Proposal? Yes No (If no, explain why)					
C) Is the Master Contractor providing times invoices? Yes No (If no, explain why)	sheets or other appropriate documentation to support				
Section 3 – Substitution of Personnel					
A) Has there been any substitution of personnel? Yes No (If no, skip to Section 4.)					
B) Did the Master Contractor request each personnel substitution in writing? Yes \(\subseteq \text{No} \subseteq \text{(If no. explain why)} \)					

C) Does each accepted substitution possess equivalent or better education, experience and									
qualifications than incumbent personnel?									
Yes No (If no, explain why)									
Was the substitute approved by the agency in writing?									
Yes No (If no, explain why)									
Section 4 – MBE Participation									
A) What is the MBE goal as a percentage of the TO value? % (If there is no MBE goal, skip to									
Section 5)									
B) Are MBE reports 2-4A, 2-4B, and 2-5 submitted monthly?									
Yes No (If no, explain why)									
C) What is the actual MBE percentage to date? (divide the dollar amount paid to date to the MBE by									
the total amount paid to date on the TO) %									
(Example - \$3,000 was paid to date to the MBE subcontractor; \$10,000 was paid to date on the TO;									
the MBE percentage is 30% (3,000 ÷ 10,000 = 0.30))									
Is this consistent with the planned MBE percentage at this stage of the project?									
Yes No (If no, explain why)									
Has the Master Contractor expressed difficulty with meeting the MBE goal?									
Yes No									
(If yes, explain the circumstances and any planned corrective actions)									
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SUBMIT AS INSTRUCTED IN TORFP.

ATTACHMENT 12 LIVING WAGE AFFIDAVIT OF AGREEMENT

Contr	ract No
Name	e of Contractor
Addro	ess
City_	StateZip Code
The U	Contract is Exempt from the Living Wage Law Indersigned, being an authorized representative of the above named Contractor, hereby affirms that the act is exempt from Maryland's Living Wage Law for the following reasons: (check all that apply)
	Bidder/Offeror is a nonprofit organization
	Bidder/Offeror is a public service company
	Bidder/Offeror employs 10 or fewer employees and the proposed contract value is less than \$500,000
	$_$ Bidder/Offeror employs more than 10 employees and the proposed contract value is less than $\$100,\!000$
If the A.	Contract is a Living Wage Contract The Undersigned, being an authorized representative of the above named Contractor, hereby affirms our commitment to comply with Title 18, State Finance and Procurement Article, Annotated Code of Maryland and, if required, to submit all payroll reports to the Commissioner of Labor and Industry with regard to the above stated contract. The Bidder/Offeror agrees to pay covered employees who are subject to living wage at least the living wage rate in effect at the time service is provided for hours spent on State contract activities, and to ensure that its Subcontractors who are not exempt also pay the required living wage rate to their covered employees who are subject to the living wage for hours spent on a State contract for services. The Contractor agrees to comply with, and ensure its Subcontractors comply with, the rate requirements during the initial term of the contract and all subsequent renewal periods, including any increases in the wage rate established by the Commissioner of Labor and Industry, automatically upon the effective date of the revised wage rate.
В.	(initial here if applicable) The Bidder/Offeror affirms it has no covered employees for the following reasons (check all that apply):
	All employee(s) proposed to work on the State contract will spend less than one-half of the employee's time during every work week on the State contract;
	All employee(s) proposed to work on the State contract will be 17 years of age or younger during the duration of the State contract; or
	All employee(s) proposed to work on the State contract will work less than 13 consecutive weeks on the State contract.
	commissioner of Labor and Industry reserves the right to request payroll records and other data that the missioner deems sufficient to confirm these affirmations at any time.
Name	of Authorized Representative:
Signa	ture of Authorized Representative
Date:	Title:
	ss Name (Typed or Printed):
Witne	ss Signature and Date:

ATTACHMENT 13 MERCURY AFFIDAVIT

THIS ATTACHMENT DOES NOT APPLY TO THIS TORFP.

ATTACHMENT 14 VETERAN SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PARTICIPATION (VSBE) FOR STATE OF MARYLAND

The VSBE participation goal for this solicitation is 0%.

ATTACHMENT 15 CERTIFICATION REGARDING INVESTMENTS IN IRAN

Authority: State Finance & Procurement, §§17-701 – 17-707, Annotated Code of Maryland [Chapter 447, Laws of 2012.]

List: The Investment Activities in Iran list identifies companies that the Board of Public Works has found to engage in investment activities in Iran; those companies may not participate in procurements with a public body in the State. "Engaging in investment activities in Iran" means:

- A. Providing goods or services of at least \$20 million in the energy sector of Iran; or
- B. For financial institutions, extending credit of at least \$20 million to another person for at least 45 days if the person is on the Investment Activities In Iran list and will use the credit to provide goods or services in the energy of Iran.

The Investment Activities in Iran list is located at: www.bpw.state.md.us

Rule: A company listed on the Investment Activities In Iran list is ineligible to bid on, submit a proposal for, or renew a contract for goods and services with a State Agency or any public body of the State. Also ineligible are any parent, successor, subunit, direct or indirect subsidiary of, or any entity under common ownership or control of, any listed company.

NOTE: This law applies only to new contracts and to contract renewals. The law does not require an Agency to terminate an existing contract with a listed company.

CERTIFICATION REGARDING INVESTMENTS IN IRAN

The undersigned certifies that, in accordance with State Finance & Procurement Article, §17-705:

- (i) it is not identified on the list created by the Board of Public Works as a person engaging in investment activities in Iran as described in §17-702 of State Finance & Procurement; and
- (ii) it is not engaging in investment activities in Iran as described in State Finance & Procurement Article, §17-702.

The undersigned is unable make the above certification regarding its investment activities in Iran due to the following activities:

Name of Authorized Representative:
Signature of Authorized Representative:
Date: Title:
Witness Name (Typed or Printed):
Witness Signature and Date:

ATTACHMENT 16 SAMPLE WORK ORDER

WORK ORDER		7	Work Order #		Contract #						
This Work Order is issued under the provisions of the Task Order. The services authorized are within the scope of services set forth in the <i>Purpose</i> of the Work Order.											
Purpose											
Statement of Work											
Requirements (Uniquely number each requirement):											
<u>Deliverable(s)</u> , <u>Acceptance Criteria and Due Date(s)</u> (<i>Uniquely number each Deliverable</i>):											
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	ct to review and approval by DLL	кр	prior to payme	nt.							
Start Date	(Attach additional sheets if necessary) Start Date End Date										
Cost			Sha Bate								
Description for Task	/ Deliverables		Quantity	Labor Hours Labor Rate		Estimate					
Description for Task	/ Benveragies		(if	(Hrs.)	Labor Rate	Total					
			applicable)	, ,							
1.					\$	\$					
2.					\$	\$					
*Include WBS, schedule and response to requirements.			DLLR shall pay an amount not to \$								
	exceed										
Contractor			Agency Approval								
(Signature) Contractor Authorized Representative (Date)			(Signature) TO Manager (Date)								
POC	(Print Name)		TO Manager	TO Manager (Print Name)							
Telephone No.			Telephone N	o.							
E-mail:			E-mail:								

ATTACHMENT 17 CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK AFFIDAVIT

THIS ATTACHMENT DOES NOT APPLY TO THIS TORFP.