National Aeronautics and
Space Administration

John F. Kennedy Space Center
Kennedy Space Center, FL 32899

Reply to Attn of: OP-LS

July 10, 2013

TO: Prospective Offerors

SUBJECT: NASA Launch Services II 2013 On-Ramp Request for Proposal (RFP) 10-99-0021 Rev. G

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) Launch Services II (NLS II) contract contains an innovative on-ramp provision that accommodates proposal submissions at least once a year from new launch service providers desiring an NLS II contract and for new technology from current NLS II contractors. As a result, NASA invites you to submit a proposal for the NLS II contract. The following documents are included with the RFP: Matrix of RFP Changes and Executive Summary. The Matrix of RFP Changes identifies updates to the Solicitation that have occurred since Revision E was issued. The Executive Summary provides an overview of the requirements contained in the subject solicitation. The Executive Summary also conveys NASA's intent to utilize commercial provider's capabilities and processes to the maximum extent possible.

Proposals should be submitted to:

NASA, John F. Kennedy Space Center
Attention: Leslie M. Solum, Contracting Officer
Operations and Checkout Building, Bldg M7-0355, Room 3142A
Kennedy Space Center, FL 32899

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This acquisition is restricted to domestic sources. Eligibility requirements are set forth in Attachment E3, Paragraph 1.0 of this RFP.

The time and date required for receipt of proposals is on or before close of business, 4:30 p.m. local time, August 30, 2013.

Your proposal must be signed by an official of the company who is authorized to bind the company. Your proposal must also contain a statement that the offer is firm for a period of 180 days from the closing date indicated above. You must provide the company name and complete address (including street, city, state, and zip code) and the Data Universal Numbering System number applicable to that name and address.

The RFP does not commit the Government to award a contract nor does it obligate the Government to pay for any cost incurred in the preparation and submittal of proposals or in anticipation of a contract. The Government reserves the right to reject any and all proposals should such action be in the best interest of the Government.

The attachments to this RFP are an integral part hereof. If you fail to receive any part of the RFP, promptly notify Leslie M. Solum at 321-867-0299.

NLS II acquisition information can be obtained at http://prod.nais.nasa.gov/cgi-bin/eps/bizops.cgi?gr=D&pin=76.

The Government is encouraging, but not requiring, the existing NLS II contractors provide price proposals for their existing Launch Vehicle Configuration(s), Non-Standard Services, and Task Assignment Fixed Price Labor Rates through 2018 on a Not to Exceed basis.

Offerors are hereby notified that funds are not presently available for this effort. The Government's obligation is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payment for contract purposes can be made. It is anticipated that adequate funds, for the contract minimum, will be available at the time of contract award.

On or before July 31, 2013, written questions may be submitted by potential Offerors to the Government for review and written response. Questions received after that date will be considered, but may not be answered. Since answers and associated questions are provided to all Offerors eligible for award, questions should not include any proprietary or sensitive information that the questioner does not wish to be disclosed to other offerors. Questions shall be e-mailed to Leslie.M.Solum@nasa.gov.

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Contracting Officer

Enclosures