



DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY

DEFENSE ENERGY SUPPORT CENTER
8725 JOHN J. KINGMAN ROAD, SUITE 4950
FORT BELVOIR, VA 22060-6222

IN REPLY
REFER TO:

DESC-PLC

14 September 2004

Dear Prospective Offeror:

Solicitation SP0600-04-R-0148 is being issued today and should be posted to the DESC website no later than close of business 15 September 2004 at <http://www.desc.dla.mil/DCM/DCMPage.asp?LinkID=DESCPLCCOG7>. The Defense Energy Support Center (DESC) will close and consider offers for the sale of approximately 2,150,000 USG of Fuel Oil, Reclaimed (FOR) on **07 October 2004 at 3:00 p.m.** local time. Offers, including Exhibit A and Certification Section H, are to be addressed to:

**ATTN: BID CUSTODIAN, DESC-PLC
DEFENSE ENERGY SUPPORT CENTER (DESC)
8725 JOHN J. KINGMAN RD STE 4950
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Offers may also be submitted by facsimile. Offerors should use the facsimile number: **(703) 767-8506**. Please refer to the enclosed instructions for submitting offers under this solicitation.

The Government stipulates that FOR for Sale will meet or exceed MIL-PRF-24951B, however, please note, **"All product listed herein is offered for sale "AS-IS". "AS-IS" means the Government makes no warranty, express or implied, as to quantity, kind, character, quality, weight, size, or description of any of the product, or its fitness for any use or purpose. The product will be sold in United States Gallons (USG)." The Offeror is invited and encouraged to inspect and sample the product currently available on-site for an idea of the general characteristics of the fuel to be sold at FISC and Navy {PWC facilities in San Diego.** The successful contractor may sample fuel throughout the year to verify the characteristics of the fuel it will be picking-up on site. Arrangements for such sampling can be made with the Point of Contact on-site, designated in A.1.

The format for this solicitation is "negotiated", which allows the Government to discuss issues regarding price, removal period, quantity, prompt payment discounts, or any other provisions of this solicitation before making a contract award decision. However, the Government may award a contract without discussions with Offerors. ***The Government reserves the right to cancel this solicitation in its entirety if offered prices are determined to be not in the best interest of the Government.*** Therefore, each initial offer should contain the Offeror's **best** terms from a cost or price standpoint.

Thank you for your interest in the Defense Energy Support Center sales program. Should you have any concerns or questions regarding this sales initiative please contact Ms. Patti Burke, Contract Specialist, (703) 767-9503, pburke@desc.dla.mil, or the undersigned at (703) 767-9511, kriso@desc.dla.mil.

Sincerely,

/signed/

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Contracting Officer
Ground Fuels Division II
Direct Delivery Fuels