



Request for Quotation
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Quotation must be received no later than: 10:00 AM	Send Quotation to above address at Attention of: Tracy Fountain	Solicitation Number: USC-RFQ-3492-TF	Posting Date: 05 14 2019
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Questions regarding this solicitation must be received no later than **05-17-2019 10:00 A.M.** Answers to vendor questions will be posted to the Purchasing Department’s website in an amendment to the solicitation: purchasing.sc.edu/sa.php

Please quote your lowest delivered price of the item(s) listed below. The Purchasing Department reserves the right to reject any or all quotes and to waive any or all technicalities.

1. All Quotes must be signed by the vendor’s representative per the terms noted. Failure to comply with these instructions may result in disqualification of the quote.
2. Faxed (803) 777-2032 or E-mailed (fountai3@mailbox.sc.edu) Quotes are acceptable and preferred.
3. This solicitation conforms to the provisions of Procurement Code Section 11-35-1550.

Vendor Name			
Vendor Address			
Phone Number		E-mail	
FEIN/SSN		SC Minority Cert No.	
Print Name		Signature	

Item	Unit	Description of Supplies	Total Price
1	Lot	Furnish and Deliver CFX Connect™ Real-Time PCR Detection System and CFX Maestro Software as specified in bid schedule. Price to include all shipping & handling fees.	\$
		Award will be made to one vendor. Quote only as specified. Do not include sales tax.	

Deliveries shall be FOB Destination. A faxed or e-mailed quote is acceptable.

Buyer: Tracy Fountain Phone: (803) 777-4115 E-mail: fountai3@mailbox.sc.edu
Emailed quotes and/or questions without the solicitation number in the subject line may not be discovered before the deadlines.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

All amendments to and interpretation of this Request For Quotes shall be in writing. The procurement officer shall not be legally bound by any amendment or interpretation that is not in writing.

Any contract entered into by the University of South Carolina or its agencies resulting from this quotation shall be subject to cancellation at the end of any fiscal or appropriated year unless otherwise provided by law.

Payment will be made in accordance with Section 11-35-45 of the South Carolina Consolidated Procurement Code and Disbursement Regulations. Delay in receiving invoices, as well as errors and omissions on the invoices, will be considered just cause for withholding payment without losing discount privileges. The University reserves the right to withhold payment or make such deductions as may be necessary to protect the University from loss or damage because of defective work, claims, damages, or to pay for repair of correction of materials furnished hereunder.

Unit prices will govern over extended prices unless otherwise stated. Quoted prices must remain firm for a period of thirty days beyond the Request for Quotation deadline.

Award will be made in accordance with Section 11-35-1550 of the South Carolina Consolidated Procurement Code. Award will be made to one offeror for the complete lot.

All materials and products offered must be guaranteed to meet and comply with the requirements of all specifications, terms, and conditions indicated in this solicitation.

The University reserves the right to: (1) reject any and all quotations and to cancel the solicitation; (2) waive any and all technicalities; (3) reject any quotation in which the delivery time indicated is of substantial length to cause disruption and/or delay in operation for which the item(s) is/are intended; (4) reject ambiguous quotations which are uncertain as to terms, delivery, quantity, or compliance with specifications.

The successful bidder assumes sole responsibility and shall hold harmless the University of South Carolina, its directors, officers, employees, and agents from and against any and all claims, actions, or liabilities of any nature which may be asserted against them by third parties in connection with the performance of the successful bidder, its directors, officers, employees, and agents under this agreement. The University of South Carolina agrees to accept responsibility for claims, actions, or liabilities resulting from negligent acts of its employees occurring within the scope of their employment which may be asserted against them by third parties in connection with the performance of the University of South Carolina, its members, directors, officers, employees, and agents under this agreement.

Contractor agrees not to refer to award of this contract in commercial advertising in such a manner to state or imply that the products or service provided are endorsed or preferred by the user.

Upon award of a contract under this solicitation, the person, partnership, association, or corporation to whom the award is made must comply with the laws of South Carolina that require such person or entity to be authorized and/or licensed to do business in this State. Notwithstanding the fact that applicable statutes may be exempt or exclude the successful offeror from requirements that it be authorized and/or licensed to do business in this State, by submission of this signed quote, the quoter agrees to subject itself to the jurisdiction and process of the courts of the State of South Carolina as to all matters and disputes arising or to arise under

the contract and the performance thereof, including any questions as to the liability for taxes, licenses, or fees levied by the State.

The University of South Carolina requires all contractual activities to be performed in a manner that is consistent with all applicable federal, state and local laws, regulations, rules, rulings, and ordinances.

These include, but are not limited to: the Occupational safety and Health Act, The Environmental Protection Act, The South Carolina Hazardous Waste Management Act.

QUESTIONS FROM BIDDER: Any prospective offeror desiring an explanation or interpretation of the solicitation, drawings, specifications, etc., must request it in writing. Questions must be received by the Procurement Officer **no later than May 17, 2019 at 10:00 AM EST**. Submit any communication regarding this solicitation to the Procurement Officer and include the solicitation number and description. Oral explanations or instructions will not be binding. Any information given to a prospective offeror concerning this solicitation will be furnished to all other prospective offerors as an Amendment to the solicitation if that information is necessary for submitting offers or if the lack thereof would be prejudicial to other prospective offerors. The State seeks to permit maximum practicable competition. Offerors are urged to advise the Procurement Officer as soon as possible regarding any aspect of this procurement, including this solicitations, that unnecessarily or inappropriately limits full and open competition.

Information for Submitting Questions

Buyer: Tracy Fountain

Via email to **fountai3@mailbox.sc.edu**

Fax Number: (803)777-2032

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Subject: USC-RFQ-3492-TF

ACQUIRE SUPPLIES / EQUIPMENT (JAN 2006): The purpose of this solicitation is to establish a source or sources of supply for the purchase of new supplies and/o equipment as listed. [01-1015-1]

CODE OF LAWS AVAILABLE (JAN 2006):

The South Carolina Code of Laws, including the Consolidated Procurement Code, is available at: <http://www.scstatehouse.gov/code/statmast.php> The South Carolina Regulations are available at: <http://www.scstatehouse.gov/coderegs/statmast.php> [02-2A040-2]

COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS (JAN 2006): During the term of the contract, contractor shall comply with all applicable provisions of laws, codes, ordinances, rules, regulations, and tariffs. [07-7B035-1]

DEFAULT

The state may terminate this contract, or any part hereof, for cause in the event of any default by the contractor, or if the contractor fails to comply with any contract terms and conditions, or fails to provide the state, upon request, with adequate assurances of future performance. In the event of termination for cause, the state shall not be liable to the contractor for any amount for supplies or services not accepted, and the contractor shall be liable to the state for any and all rights and remedies provided by

law. If it is determined that the state improperly terminated this contract for default, such termination shall be deemed a termination for convenience. In case of default by the contractor, the University of South Carolina reserves the right to purchase any or all items in default in the open market, charging the contractor with any additional costs. The defaulting contractor shall not be considered a responsible bidder until the assessed charge has been satisfied.

DELIVERY / PERFORMANCE LOCATION – PURCHASE ORDER (JAN 2006): After award, all deliveries shall be made and all services provided to the location specified by the Using Governmental Unit in its purchase order. [03-3015-1]

DISPUTES (JAN 2006): (1) Choice-of-Forum. All disputes, claims, or controversies relating to the Agreement shall be resolved exclusively by the appropriate Chief Procurement Officer in accordance with Title 11, Chapter 35, Article 17 of the South Carolina Code of Laws, or in the absence of jurisdiction, only in the Court of Common Pleas for, or a federal court located in, Richland County, State of South Carolina. Contractor agrees that any act by the government regarding the Agreement is not a waiver of either the government’s sovereign immunity or the government’s immunity under the Eleventh Amendment of the United States Constitution. As used in this paragraph, the term “Agreement” means any transaction or agreement arising out of, relating to, or contemplated by the solicitation. (2) Service of Process. Contractor consents that any papers, notices, or process necessary or proper for the initiation or continuation of any disputes, claims, or controversies relating to the Agreement; for any court action in connection therewith; or for the entry of judgment on any award made, may be served on Contractor by certified mail (return receipt requested) addressed to Contractor at the address provided as the Notice Address on Page Two or by personal service or by any other manner that is permitted by law, in or outside South Carolina. Notice by certified mail is deemed duly given upon deposit in the United States mail. [07-7A025-1]

HIPAA LAW

The Contractor agrees that to the extent that some or all of the activities within the scope of this Contract are subject to the Health Insurance Portability Accountability Act of 1996, P.L. 104-91, as amended (“HIPAA”), or its implementing regulations, it will comply with the HIPAA requirements and will execute such agreements and practices as the University of South Carolina may require to ensure compliance. Additional information may be viewed at: <http://www.sa.sc.edu/shs/hipaa/>

MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP (JAN 2006): Unless otherwise specifically provided in this contract, all equipment, material, and articles incorporated in the work covered by this contract are to be new and of the most suitable grade for the purpose intended. [07-7B120-1]

PAYMENT & INTEREST (FEB 2015) (a) The State shall pay the Contractor, after the submission of proper invoices or vouchers, the prices stipulated in this contract for supplies delivered and accepted or services rendered and accepted, less any deductions provided in this contract. Unless otherwise specified herein, including the purchase order, payment shall not be made on partial deliveries accepted by the Government. (b) Unless otherwise provided herein, including the purchase order, payment will be made by check mailed to the payment address on “Page Two.” (c) Notwithstanding any other provision, payment shall be made in accordance with S.C. Code Section 11-35-45, or Chapter 6 of Title 29 (real property improvements) when applicable, which provides the Contractor’s exclusive means of recovering any type of interest from the Owner. Contractor waives imposition of an interest penalty unless the invoice submitted specifies that the late penalty is

applicable. Except as set forth in this paragraph, the State shall not be liable for the payment of interest on any debt or claim arising out of or related to this contract for any reason. (d) Amounts due to the State shall bear interest at the rate of interest established by the South Carolina Comptroller General pursuant to Section 11-35-45 (“an amount not to exceed fifteen percent each year”), as amended, unless otherwise required by Section 29-6-30. (e) Any other basis for interest, including but not limited to general (pre- and post-judgment) or specific interest statutes, including S.C. Code Ann. Section 34-31-20, are expressly waived by both parties. If a court, despite this agreement and waiver, requires that interest be paid on any debt by either party other than as provided by items (c) and (d) above, the parties further agree that the applicable interest rate for any given calendar year shall be the lowest prime rate as listed in the first edition of the Wall Street Journal published for each year, applied as simple interest without compounding. (f) The State shall have all of its common law, equitable and statutory rights of set-off. [07-7A055-3]

PREFERENCES – A NOTICE TO VENDORS (SEP 2009)

On June 16, 2009, the South Carolina General Assembly rewrote the law governing preferences available to in-state vendors, vendors using in-state subcontractors, and vendors selling in-state or US end products. This law appears in Section 11-35-1524 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. A summary of the new preferences is available at www.procurement.sc.gov/preferences. ALL THE PREFERENCES MUST BE CLAIMED AND ARE APPLIED BY LINE ITEM, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER AWARD IS MADE BY ITEM OR LOT. VENDORS ARE CAUTIONED TO CAREFULLY REVIEW THE STATUTE BEFORE CLAIMING ANY PREFERENCES. THE REQUIREMENTS TO QUALIFY HAVE CHANGED. IF YOU REQUEST A PREFERENCE, YOU ARE CERTIFYING THAT YOUR OFFER QUALIFIES FOR THE PREFERENCE YOU'VE CLAIMED. IMPROPERLY REQUESTING A PREFERENCE CAN HAVE SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES. [11-35-1524(E)(4)&(6)]

PREFERENCES – SC/US END PRODUCT (SEP 2009)

Section 11-35-1524(B)(4) provides a preference to vendors offering South Carolina end-products or US endproducts, if those products are made, manufactured, or grown in SC or the US, respectively. An endproduct is the tangible project identified for acquisition in this solicitation, including all component parts in final form and ready for the use intended. The terms "made," "manufactured," and "grown" are defined by Section 11-35-1524(A). By signing your offer and checking the appropriate space(s) provided and identified on the bid schedule, you certify that the end-product(s) is either made, manufactured or grown in South Carolina, or other states of the United States, as applicable. Preference will be applied as required by law. Post award substitutions are prohibited. See "Substitutions Prohibited - End Product Preferences (Sep 2009)" provision.

PREFERENCES – RESIDENT VENDOR PREFERENCE (SEP 2009)

To qualify for the RVP, you must maintain an office in this state. An office is a nonmobile place for the regular transaction of business or performance of a particular service which has been operated as such by the bidder for at least one year before the bid opening and during that year the place has been staffed for at least fifty weeks by at least two employees for at least thirty five hours a week each. In addition, you must either: (1) maintain at a location in South Carolina at the time of the bid an inventory of expendable items which are representative of the general type of commodities for which the award will be made and which have a minimum total value, based on the bid price, equal to the lesser of fifty thousand dollars [\$50,000] or the annual amount of the contract; or (2) be a manufacturer headquartered and having an annual payroll of at least one million dollars in South Carolina and the

end product being sold is either made or processed from raw materials into a finished end product by that manufacturer or its affiliate (as defined in Section 1563 of the Internal Revenue Code).

PREFERENCES – BID SCHEDULE

All preferences must be claimed by initialing in the space provided in the bid schedule. Preferences are applied by line item whether the award is to be made by line item or lot. If you request a preference, you are certifying that your offer qualifies for the preference you have claimed. If you qualify for a preference but do not request it, you are not entitled to receive preference applications per 11-35-1524.

QUALITY – NEW (JAN 2006): All items must be new. [03-3060-1]

RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES (JAN 2006): Neither party is an employee, agent, partner, or joint venturer of the other. Neither party has the right or ability to bind the other to any agreement with a third party or to incur any obligation or liability on behalf of the other party. [07-7B205-1]

SHIPPING / RISK OF LOSS

FOB Destination. Destination is the shipping dock of the University of South Carolina’s designated receiving site, or other location, as specified herein.

STATE OFFICE CLOSINGS (JAN 2004)

If an emergency or unanticipated event interrupts normal government processes so that offers cannot be received at the government office designated for receipt of bids by the exact time specified in the solicitation, the time specified for receipt of offers will be deemed to be extended to the same time of day specified in the solicitation on the first work day on which normal government processes resume. In lieu of an automatic extension, an Amendment may be issued to reschedule bid opening. If state offices are closed at the time a pre-bid or pre-proposal conference is scheduled, an Amendment will be issued to reschedule the conference. Useful information may be available at: <http://www.scemd.org/planandprepare/disasters/severe-winter-weather>

TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE – SHORT FORM (JAN 2006)

The Procurement Officer may terminate this contract in whole or in part, for the convenience of the State. In such a termination, the Procurement Officer may require the contractor to transfer title and deliver to the State in the manner and to the extent directed by the Procurement Officer: (a) any completed supplies; and (b) such partially completed supplies and materials, parts, tools, dies, jigs, fixtures, plans, drawings, information, and contract rights (hereinafter called “manufacturing material”) as the contractor has specifically produced or specially acquired for the performance of the terminated part of this contract. Upon such termination, the contractor shall (a) stop work to the extent specified, (b) terminate any subcontracts as they relate to the terminated work, and (c) be paid the following amounts without duplication, subject to the other terms of this contract: (i) contract prices for supplies or services accepted under the contract, (ii) costs incurred in performing the terminated portion of the work, and (iii) any other reasonable costs that the contractor can demonstrate to the satisfaction of the State, using its standard record keeping system, have resulted from the termination. The contractor shall not be paid for any work performed or costs incurred that reasonably could have been avoided. As a condition of payment, contractor shall submit within three months of the effective date of the termination a claim specifying the amounts due because of the termination. The absence of an appropriate termination for convenience clause in any subcontract shall not increase the obligation of the state beyond what it would have been had the subcontract contained such a clause.

VENDOR IDENTIFICATION

The University must have your Federal ID Number (company) or Social Security Number (individual) before processing any invoices for payment. Failure to provide this information will result in delay of payments until this information is received. Please include this information with your quote.

WARRANTY – STANDARD (JAN 2006)

Contractor must provide the manufacture’s standard written warranty upon delivery of product. Contractor warrants that manufacturer will honor the standard written warranty provided.

MINORITY PARTICIPATION (DEC 2015)

Is the bidder a South Carolina Certified Minority Business? Yes No

Is the bidder a Minority Business certified by another governmental entity? Yes No

If so, please list the certifying governmental entity: _____

Will any of the work under this contract be performed by a SC certified Minority Business as a subcontractor? Yes No

If so, what percentage of the total value of the contract will be performed by a SC certified Minority Business as a subcontractor? _____

Will any of the work under this contract be performed by a minority business certified by another governmental entity as a subcontractor? Yes No

If so, what percentage of the total value of the contract will be performed by a minority business certified by another governmental entity as a subcontractor? _____

If a certified Minority Business is participating in this contract, please indicate all categories for which the Business is certified:

- Traditional minority
- Traditional minority, but female
- Women (Caucasian females)
- Hispanic minorities
- DOT referral (Traditional minority)
- DOT referral (Caucasian female)
- Temporary certification
- SBA 8 (a) certification referral
- Other minorities (Native American, Asian, etc.)

(If more than one minority contractor will be utilized in the performance of this contract, please provide the information above for each minority business.)

The Department of Administration, Division of Small and Minority Business Contracting and Certification, publishes a list of certified minority firms. The Minority Business Directory is available at the following URL: <http://osmba.sc.gov/directory.html>

SCOPE OF WORK / SPECIFICATIONS

The purpose of this solicitation is to **Furnish and Deliver CFX Connect™ Real-Time PCR Detection System and CFX Maestro Software as specified** for the University of South Carolina. Quote the items indicated in the Bidding Schedule.

All items must be new. **Award will be made by lot.**

After award, all deliveries shall be made to the location specified by the University of South Carolina in its purchase order. Deliveries shall be FOB Destination, freight prepaid, with all fuel surcharge **handling fees.**

Delivery Location: University of South Carolina Columbia Campus, South Carolina.

Proposed equal products must meet all specification requirements of Basis of Design equipment including dimensions and quantities. Proposed substitutions shall be submitted with full details for review.

Required feature of quoted product must include:

The Peltier-based reaction of block for precise and reliable qPCR data acquisition, and CFX Maestro Software associated with machine for 1-way and 2-way ANOVA analysis on the data.

Lot 1

Furnish and Deliver CFX Connect™ Real-Time PCR Detection System and CFX Maestro Software

The CFX Connect real-time PCR detection system incorporates industry-leading optics and a Peltier-based reaction block for precise and reliable qPCR data acquisition. The CFX Connect system is compatible with several commonly used fluorescent technologies for real-time PCR amplification. **It can detect up to two fluorophores in a single reaction well, or one fluorophore when using the SYBR Green/FAM channel or FRET channel option for data acquisition.** A thermal gradient can be easily generated across the 96-well reaction block to support rapid optimization of real-time PCR assays. CFX Maestro™ software supports data acquisition, viewing, and analysis of data generated by the CFX96 Touch system and supports real-time PCR applications such as PCR quantification, melt curve analysis, end point analysis, allelic discrimination, and gene expression analysis.

Design and performance specifications of the CFX Connect real-time PCR detection system:

1. System requires a computer and CFX Maestro Software to perform real-time PCR experiments.
2. System includes an automated lid that opens, closes, and can apply sealing force to reaction wells.
3. **Thermal gradient enables optimization of multiple temperatures in a single assay. Temperature differences of up to 24°C front-to-back can be created.**
4. Peltier-driven thermal cycler features a maximum ramping speed of 5°C/sec, with an average ramp rate of 3.3°C/sec.
5. Has a thermal block operational range of 0–100°C.

6. **Sample block temperature accuracy is +/-0.2°C of programmed target at 90°C, with a uniformity of +/-0.4°C well-to well within 10 sec of arrival at 90°C.**
7. **Optical system allows excitation and detection of up to two fluorescent dyes in a single reaction well.**
8. **Optics shuttle independently illuminates and detects fluorescence from each well. The system uses three filtered LEDs for illumination and differentially detects emission using three filtered photodiodes (one for each channel).**
9. **Fixed optical path, directly over each well, eliminates the need to normalize for positional bias.**
10. **Optics shuttle excites fluorescent dyes with absorption spectra in the 450–535 nm range; optimally detects dyes with emission spectra in the 515–580 nm range.**
11. **One channel is dedicated for FRET experiments — illuminate dyes with absorption spectra in the 450–490 nm range and detect dyes with emission spectra in the 560–580 nm range.**
12. System reads all 96 wells in all channels within 12 sec.
13. In fast scan mode, the system reads all 96 wells within 3 sec.
14. Has a linear dynamic range of 10 orders of magnitude for detection of input samples.
15. Detects one copy of target sequence in human genomic DNA.
16. Reaction volumes from 1–50 µL can be used, 10–25 µL recommended.
17. Detects ≤ 10 fmol of fluorescein.
18. **Will continue to run and complete a run if the software is stopped or interrupted. This prevents run data from being list in case if there is unintentional interruption of the software. This function is especially valuable for precious or limited samples, whereby all data is not lost for a run that was interrupted.***

CFX Maestro Software specifications:

1. Multiplex amplification of up to two fluorophores in a single reaction well can be performed followed by quantitative, gene expression, melt curve, or end-point analysis.
2. Multiple experiments can be analyzed and reports generated from a single plate using the Well Groups feature.
3. Additional thermal cycler repeat steps can be added to a GOTO loop.
4. **Run results can be displayed in a customizable configuration so that multiple panes of information may be viewed in a single window.**

5. Multiple standard curves can be simultaneously viewed when a common fluorophore is used for multiple targets.
6. **PCR quantification by standard curve features automated calculations of reaction efficiencies with y-intercept.**
7. Automated allelic discrimination can use end-point fluorescence or quantification cycle (Cq) values.
8. **Gene expression analysis can be performed by relative quantity (ΔCq) or normalized expression ($\Delta\Delta Cq$).**
9. If reaction efficiencies are present, these will be automatically utilized in gene expression analysis.
10. Multiple reference genes can be assigned in normalized expression ($\Delta\Delta Cq$) analysis.
11. Individual reaction efficiencies can be used in normalized expression ($\Delta\Delta Cq$) analysis.
12. Reference Gene Selector Tool displays gene stability for selection of ideal reference genes.*
13. **Up to 5,000 Cq values from different data files can be compared for gene expression analysis.**
14. Multiplex data can be displayed for up to two fluorophores.
15. Data graphs and tables can be exported into Microsoft Excel or printed from software menus.
16. Premier license for qbasePLUS software offers wizard-guided statistical analysis, advanced copy number variation analysis, global mean normalization methods, and Minimum Information for Publication of Quantitative Real-Time PCR Experiments.
17. (MIQE) annotation for streamlined publication submission.
18. Embedded reports tool can be customized by the user to export run information, data tables, graphs, and analysis parameters in a specified order to PDF or other file formats.
19. Exported data type and format can be customized.
20. Integrate with any laboratory information management system (LIMS) using built-in LIMS file management.
21. Optional CFX Maestro Software, Security Edition provides secure user log-in, detailed audit trail reporting, and electronic record-keeping tools for compliance with U.S. FDA 21 CFR Part 11 regulations.
22. The software can be set up to email run files to a specified user after runs are completed.
23. Help information is contextual to the active window in the software.

- 24. Software enables data to be grouped and interpreted by both technical replicates and biological groups.***
- 25. Image export options include DPI selection up to 600DPI, choice of any image size, and color selection using RGB specifications.*
- 26. Image annotation function allows for automatic p-value annotation and addition of arrows, circles, and text directly onto graph images.***
- 27. Software performs t-tests and 1- and 2-way ANOVA calculations.***
- 28. Multiple plates can be grouped and analyzed together.
- 29. Software integrates with PrimePCR for run setup and results analysis. PrimePCR Controls Analysis tool provides interpretation of controls in a run such as positive control, reverse-transcriptase check, and genomic DNA contamination.*
- 30. Software displays data in multiple formats including bar chart, dot plot, box-and-whisker plot, scatter plot, clustergram, and volcano plot.**
- 31. Custom data view allows a user to define the specific information to be displayed in a single view, allowing a user to mouse over a well and see that specific result data.***

*Unique to Bio-Rad CFX

Item No.	Quantity	Product No.	Description
1	1	1855201	CFX Connect Real-Time PCR Detection System Includes 1 year warranty service, installation and training
2	1	1707399	Computer, Laptop, PC
3	1	12004110	CFX Maestro Windows
4	1	12004128	CFX Maestro Mac
5	1	1708840	iScript RT Supermix for RT-qPCR, 25 Rx
6	1	1725271	SsoAdv Univer SYBR GRN SMX 500
7	1	HSP9601	Hard-Shell Thin-Wall 96-Well Skirted PCR Plates. Pkg of 50, white shell/clear well PCR plate, rigid 2-component design
8	1	MSB1001	MICROSEAL B ADHES SEAL, 100/pk
9	1		Blue/Dry Ice
10	1		Freight Charge/Method

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RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Submitted quotes/bids/proposals establish the first impression of the offeror's ability to follow instructions.
2. Responsiveness will be evaluated against the solicitation's specifications and scope of work and evaluation criteria.
3. Save costs associated with printing, binding, and shipping bids and by only submitting the information requested in the solicitation you are responding to.
4. INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS OF RFQ'S TO SUBMIT:
 - a. Page 1
 - b. Bid Schedule
 - c. MINORITY PARTICIPATION (DEC 2015) - page
5. DO NOT INCLUDE:
 - a. Do not include a copy of the solicitation.
 - b. Do not include a copy of any amendment(s) to the solicitation.
 - c. Do not include any of your company's standard contract forms or other legal documents.
 - d. Do not include any exceptions to the solicitation's terms and conditions or specifications.
 - e. Do not include any additional boilerplate contract clauses, unless requested.
6. Instructions regarding how to acknowledge an amendment should appear in all amendments issued.
7. By signing the Cover Page, you agree to be bound by the terms of the Solicitation.
8. Emailed quotes and/or questions without the solicitation number in the subject line may not be discovered before the deadlines.

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BID SCHEDULE

Lot 1

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3	1	12004110	CFX Maestro Windows	
4	1	12004128	CFX Maestro Mac	
5	1	1708840	iScript RT Supermix for RT-qPCR, 25 Rx	
6	1	1725271	SsoAdv Univer SYBR GRN SMX 500	
7	1	HSP9601	Hard-Shell Thin-Wall 96-Well Skirted PCR Plates. Pkg of 50, white shell/clear well PCR plate, rigid 2-component design	
8	1	MSB1001	MICROSEAL B ADHES SEAL, 100/pk	
9	1		Blue/Dry Ice	
10	1		Freight Charge/Method	

Resident Vendor Preference _____
SC End Product Preference _____
US End Product Preference _____

PREFERENCES - ADDRESS AND PHONE OF IN-STATE OFFICE:

Please provide the address and phone number for your in-state office in the space provided below. An in-state office is necessary to claim either the Resident Vendor Preference (11-35-1524(C)(1)(i)&(ii)) or the Resident Contractor Preference (11-35-1524(C)(1)(iii)). Accordingly, you must provide this information to qualify for the preference. An in-state office is not required, but can be beneficial, if you are claiming the Resident Subcontractor Preference (11-35-1524(D)).

_____ In-State Office Address same as Home Office Address
_____ In-State Office Address same as Notice Address (check only one)

Note: The commodity preferences do not apply to a bid for an item of work by the bidder if the annual price of the bidder's work exceeds \$50,000 or the total potential price of the bidder's work exceeds \$500,000. [11.35.1524(E) (3)]

Delivery Date (ARO): No later than 30 days ARO

TOTAL: _____