



City of Richmond

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**Business and Financial Services
Department
Finance Division**
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Attention: To All Bidders

Dear Sir/Madame:

Re: Request for Quotation 4251Q SUPPLY & DELIVERY OF TWO (2) TANDEM AXLE CAB AND CHASSIS C/W DUMP BOX, FRONT PLOUGH TRUCKS - Addendum No. 1

This Addendum includes items of clarification, forms part of the Contract Documents and shall be read, interpreted and coordinated with all other parts. Please review and consider the following information in the preparation of your quotation:

Q1. 1/ In Part "A" Section 13 it states that "Brand names are intentionally omitted". However on page 52 Section 6 Central Hydraulics item "C" it asks for a "**Vickers** Sander control valve and a **Counter Point (Dickey John) computer** sander control".

Does this mean that no other systems are acceptable?

A1. The specific brand name is identified because the City would like to maintain consistency with our existing systems for inserts on the tandems, for ease of training and parts availability. Alternatives can be proposed as requested in the RFQ document.

Q2. Also having the plow control system operated by air controls and the electric controls for the sander does not make for a clean installation. Air systems are old technologies. Can we quote an all electric system with supporting documentation?

A2. Yes as per the RFQ document.

Bidders must sign and include this Addendum with their submission.

Signature, Name and Title

Yours truly,

Sumita Dosanjh
Buyer II - Contracting Specialist

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