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Reply to Attn CHD

TO: All Prospective Offerors

FROM: CHD/Contracting Officer

Subject: Final Request of Proposals (RFP) NNC08ZRP024R, Advanced Lithium-Based Chemistry Cell Development

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration is soliciting proposals for the subject RFP. The attached final RFP replaces the draft RFP issued June 9, 2008 in its entirety. Industry comments received relative to the draft RFP have been reviewed and considered. All relevant comments deemed pertinent have been addressed in the final RFP. Offerors are advised to read all requirements of the RFP.

This procurement is on a full and open competition basis. A Cost Plus Incentive Fee contract with an estimated basic performance period of 42 months is anticipated as a result of this solicitation.

It is strongly encouraged that organizations interested in responding to this solicitation submit a notice of intent to propose. This notice will be used strictly for planning purposes to determine the number of proposals that can be expected.

Your attention is directed to Section L that outlines the required information to be submitted to the Government and Section M that describes the Government's evaluation and selection process. As provided on the solicitation cover sheet **proposals are due no later than 4:30 p.m. ES, September 8, 2008**. Offerors are required to have a Cage Code that matches the corporate address submitted with their proposal.

Proposals that arrive after the prescribed time for receipt of proposals will be considered late and treated in accordance with FAR 52.215-1, "Instructions to Offerors - Competitive Acquisition".

All questions regarding this RFP must be submitted in writing in accordance with Section L.12 entitled "Communications Regarding This Solicitation". Offerors shall monitor the NAIS website for any changes to the schedule or posting of amendments to this RFP:

/s/

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Contracting Officer