



NEW JERSEY TURNPIKE AUTHORITY  
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December 4, 2018

**RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES # 1 FOR PUBLIC BID RM-144190**

**PAR 56 LED BULBS**

**BID OPENING DATE December 11, 2018 AT 11:00 AM**

The Authority has received the following questions regarding the above referenced bid. Responses are as follows:

**Question #1.** I have been in touch with the manufacturer of the PAR56 lamps, and have received their CE certificates documentation for review since these lamps are not UL, Energy Star or Lighting Facts listed. UL is in progress. I am curious to know if any test installations were done on site, and what type of fixture they will be installed in. Could you provide some background information?

**Answer #1:** The Authority has purchased and tested a nominal quantity of these lamps. The lamps will sit in a Mogul prong fixture and will be run 24/7 to help illuminate camera images.

**Question #2.** Is the intention to procure one order of 1,000 lamps, and receive them in one shipment, or will there be partial releases? Would the award be a commitment to purchase a minimum of 1000 units in the first year?

**Answer #2:** The Authority has estimated the annual procurement for this product to be approximately 1,000 lamps. The Authority intends to procure these lamps in quantities of no less than 200 at a time.

**Section II, Paragraph C, Line 3 of the Bid Specification states:**

**The Authority will purchase amounts of any given item as needed, at the sole discretion of the Authority and shall not be bound by any quantities listed. The Authority reserves the right to make reasonable increases to line item quantities.**

**Question #3:** Is the last awarded price available?

**Answer #3:** There has been no previous award for this item. (First time publicly bid)

**Question #4:** Can we bid on an equal brand?

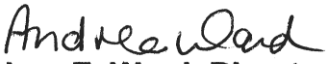
**Answer #4:**

**Section II, Paragraph B, Line 6 of the Bid Specification states:**

**The Authority will accept Approved Equivalent items on this Bid. If a Bidder is basing the RFB on items other than what is specified, and wishes the items proposed to be considered as an "Approved Equivalent", the Bidder shall enter a price on the Bid sheet then submit on the Exception Form in the exact format of the line item on the RFB contained herein, the item number, an item description including manufacturers name, model number, informational brochure(s), and packaging quantities of those items that the Bidder proposes to substitute. (Samples of proposed lamp may be requested in this case).**

Receipt of Addendum / Inquiry # 1 must be acknowledged in writing at / or prior to opening of bids. Failure to acknowledge receipt of Addendum may be considered as grounds for rejection of bid by the Authority, however, in the discretion of the Authority, submission of the signed bid may be treated as acknowledgement of receipt of this Addendum. There are no other changes. All Other Data Remains In Effect.

**Very truly yours,**

  
**Andrea E. Ward, Director**  
**Purchasing Department**