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Addendum # 4

RFP # 7449702

Title: Drug & Alcohol Testing (C.D.L.) – MPA # 220

Submission Deadline: 4 June 2012 @ 10:00 AM (EDT)

On page 4-5 of the revised RFP, it requests the need for ALL Samples taken ONSITE. Then later on pg 7, it asks for both collection fees for ONSITE and local COLLECTION SITES. My questions are:

- a. Would you like pricing for both onsite via a mobile unit, onsite using your facilities, as well as collection sites around the state?
- b. How often will a mobile testing unit be utilized vs collections done using a bathroom at your locations by an onsite collector vs local collection sites?
- c. There are local collection sites open from as early as 6:30am to as late as 8pm or 10pm, and full days on weekends as well. Knowing this ahead of time, how will this affect, if any, the use of an onsite collection using your facilities or the need for a mobile testing unit?

Response:

- a. Most of our field locations are not equipped for onsite testing using our facilities, therefore, we are not soliciting pricing for this type of testing. We are seeking pricing for onsite testing via a mobile unit and for some collections at a local collection site. Based upon necessity, we would need the option of having our pre-employment, reasonable suspicion, and/or other emergency testing done at local collection sites. This is the reason we requested pricing information on both testing options.
- b. Our goal is to do at least 85% of our testing via a mobile testing unit.
- c. Again, we are not requesting onsite collections using our own facilities. This RFP is reflective of the state's initiative to move away from sending personnel to testing facilities.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jerome D. Moynihan".

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