



**Solicitation Information
October 1, 2012**

Addendum #1

LOI # 7458062

**TITLE: EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM APPROVAL AND REPORT
CARDS**

Submission Deadline: OCTOBER 10, 2012 AT 10:30 AM (EDT)

**Attached are vendor questions with State responses. No further questions will be
answered.**

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In accordance with information provided by the Rhode Island Department of Education in its "Rhode Island Professional Teaching Standards" (RIPTS) document found at

http://www.ride.ri.gov/educatorquality/DOCS/General_Documents/PDF/RIPTS%20Final%2008-2008.pdf, the RIPTS have replaced the Rhode Island Beginning Teachers Standards (RIBTS). With the RIPTS having been recently developed and now in place, we presume that future revision of the RIPTS is *not* part of the Rhode Island Program Approval Standards revision process requested by the Request for Letters of Interest (RLOI). Rather the *only* standards to be revised based on a contract resulting from the RLOI are the Program Approval Standards themselves. Is this correct? If not, please explain and specifically identify which standards are to be revised and provide a link to the current versions of each.

The revision of the RIPTS is not part of the request contained in the LOI.

The Request for Letters of Interest (RLOI) seeks a contractor to support three major scope of work areas outlined in the table that appears on RLOI pages 4 and 5. May offerors submit RLOI responses that propose to support the state in a subset of the three major scope of work areas (i.e., to propose to perform the services of one or two of the three scope of work areas), provided that the respective offeror's budget is commensurate with a subset of the maximum budget allocation identified in the RLOI?

Yes, we would consider proposals for a subset of work areas.