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ADDENDUM 1

To: All Interested Bidders

From: Lucy Balderama, Inventory Bid Technician

Date: March 13, 2012

Subject: Bid# 12-019, Lease for a Kitchen Ice Machine for the El Paso County Detention Facility

The Purchasing Department recieved the following questions at the pre-bid conference.

1. Is the Machine being leased now?
Yes.
2. Would an air-cooled machine be ok?
Yes.
3. Do we bid on the bin as well?
Yes.
4. Is it an 1800-pound machine?
Yes. It is not a 1500-pound machine. Please make that change from the original specifications.
5. Can you do month to month?
Yes.
6. Will you take back up ice delivery instead of a new machine or 24 hour fixture?
Yes.

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7. **When are we looking to install?**
Bid opens on March 16, 2012. We can estimate May 1, 2012.
 8. **Do you have any issues with HCA payments?**
We invoice and cut a check.
 9. **Who will remove the equipment?**
The other company will remove as the awarded vendor installs.
 10. **What type of approval process is there for the installer?**
Once awarded, all company personnel will be cleared and if we can have a list of equipment we will conduct an inventory check as you enter and exit the facility.
 11. **Is there a floor drain?**
Yes. It is located to the right of the machine.
 12. **Will there be easy access to deliver?**
Yes. Delivery will be made through the basement and we have equipment on sight if needed.
 13. **Is receptacle hard wired?**
Yes.
 14. **Can we install another receptacle?**
Yes.
 15. **Are there valves on the ice machine?**
Yes.
 16. **Do you want the bids mail or e-mailed?**
You may mail or walk them in as long as they are sealed and on time.