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## ADDENDUM 1

To: All Interested Proposers

From: Linda Gonzalez, Inventory Bid Technician

Date: November 13, 2008

Subject: Bid # 08-157, Food Products for the County of El Paso

The Purchasing Department received questions relating to the above referenced proposal;

1. "If the bid totals more than \$100,000, the bidder shall furnish a certified cashier's check made payable to the order of El Paso County or a good and sufficient bid bond in the amount of 5% of the total contract price, executed with a surety company authorized to do business in the State of Texas. The bid bond must be included at the time of the opening."

We understand this to mean that we must provide you a check in the amount of \$5,000 at the time of the opening. Is this correct?

No, this is not correct. On this Bid the department is not asking for a total cost. The department is asking for individual pricing. Therefore you do not need to provide a bid bond or cashiers check for this Bid.