January 5, 2006

ADDENDUM NO. 2

Bid #27-06 Police Department Upgrade Access Control System

Portsmouth Police Department
PORTSMOUTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE

NOTICE TO ALL BIDDERS

The attention of all vendors submitting bids for the "Police Department Upgrade Access Control System" project scheduled to be submitted on January 31, 2006 at 2:00pm.

This addendum #2 will become part of the original bid.

Please acknowledge receipt of this addendum within your proposal. Failure to do so may subject a bidder to disqualification.

Addendum #2 consists of questions asked and answered provided by the Police Department. The questions and answers are as follows:

1. Do we have drawings (blue prints) of the system?

We do not. You can download floor plans of the city hall complex at http://12.30.15.90

2. What is the total number of readers?

49 readers.

3. Will all existing cable be replaced, or will it be up to the contractor to determine if certain cable needs to be replaced?

It would be up to the contractor to determine which cables need to be replaced. Any cable being replaced in the Basement and the first floor of the police department need to be plenum rated.

4. What are the problems with the system now?

Our system was installed over 15 years ago as a DOS product. Over the years several different vendors have maintained our system. Several panels are now obsolete, the software license that we have may not be a current license, what we

have was installed to solve a problem. There are power-related issues at some doors and some magnetic door releases.

5. **Can Police Dept. provide a schedule of existing panels?**

There are 26 control panels on the system, located throughout the three floors of the police department.

6. **Will all panels be replaced?**

18 of the 26 panels need to be replaced, they are older BLP-60's. I am told that the remaining 8 panels (BLP-190's) can be converted with an EPROM update.

7. **Is the software compatible with proximity readers? Provide version of software?**

MAXxess Systems, Axxess 202- 4.0.2.0 It is not clear the status of the license that we have with MAXxess, an upgrade may be required as part of your bid.

8. **How many cards?**

We would want 500 Proximity cards. We are ok with using a sticker on existing cards, but we will want 500 cards.

9. **How many locks on how many doors and do they all need to be replaced?**

There are 49 doors on the system, we believe that none of them need to be replaced at this time.

10. **Are all egress devices staying?**

Yes

11. **Requirements to centralize?**

We would like this, however we recognize the lack of available space to do so, so this is not a requirement. We will want a print of where equipment is installed as part of the proposal.

12. **Does the police department want blue prints at the end of the job?**

Yes, this is part of the scope of the project as outlined on page 4 of the Bid Proposal package.

13. Video security system?

We are currently using a Dictaphone Freedom Vision Digital Video Recorder. We would like the software to work with the DVR. You can contact Dictaphone at 800-677-7928 if you need information on their product.

14. CCTV be included with package?

We would like to be able to use the CCTV part of the MAXxess software. This proposal is not for the install of any additional cameras.

15. What does Dictaphone do?

Dictaphone is just the vendor that sold our DVR equipment. The unit itself has a 32 camera input, records on a hard drive. Remote playback is available on our LAN.

16. What our the Police Dept.'s expectations?

To have an access control system that is up to date that will run for another 10-15 years with a minimum of maintenance.

17. How many cameras?

We have 26 cameras installed

18. If MAXXess doesn't list Dictaphone then what?

Dictaphone did not manufacture the DRV. www.openeye.net is the corporation that actually made the unit. It might be available under a different name. If this is the case, please advise.

19. Will police dept. replace operating system?

We will replace the headend of the system with a new computer.

20. Are they stand alone – remote desk tops?

The license that we had allowed for 5 remote desktops.

21. Are there any specifications on the proximity cards at this time?

We do not want to us a product that is propriety to one company. We would want to install HID reader format, similar to Wiegand Standard.

22. Does the City own any other access systems?

Not that we know of.

23. Can we have a list of all the doors and locations?

We have 49 doors that are located throughout the three floors of the police department. Due to security concerns, we do not wish to release this information at this time.

24. Schedule of existing doors? Physical locations?

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25. What are the working hours that the contractor can be at the police dept?

We are a 24-hour facility, and will work with the vendor to determine work hours. If there is any loud drilling or noises, this work will need to be done during the hours that city hall is closed. We are ok with most work being done during normal business hours.

26. Will this be awarded to one vendor? "yes"

Yes, one vendor

27. The RFP called for training. How many hours of training and for how many people.

We want to be able to be as self sufficient as possible. Any training would be in the operation of the headend software and troubleshooting of the systems involved.