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RE: Notice of Corrective Action - B-417951.1, B-417951.2, Protest of Perspecta Enterprise Solutions LLC

Dear Ms. Weiner:

This letter provides notice to the Government Accountability Office (GAO) that the General Services Administration (GSA or the Agency) intends to take corrective action in the above referenced protest.

Upon dismissal of Perspecta Enterprise Solutions LLC's (Perspecta) protest, GSA intends to amend the Request For Quotes (RFQ) to address changes in requirements to ensure the RFQ accurately reflects the Government's current needs and intends to allow the offerors an opportunity to submit a revised quote. Following the opportunity to submit revised quotes, the Agency may confer with offerors to clear up quote details consistent with the RFQ. During this process the Agency shall ensure fair and consistent treatment of offerors in conferring with offerors. The Agency expects to evaluate the revised quotes under the non-price factors consistent with the RFQ which shall remedy errors. Based on these corrective measures, the Agency will conduct a new tradeoff analysis to determine the quote that presents the best value. GSA will either re-affirm the original awardee or cancel the BPA and select a new awardee as applicable. Additionally, the Agency expects to complete its fact-finding and make determinations regarding the Protester's allegations of unfair competitive advantage and Organizational Conflicts of Interest, and notify the parties of those determinations prior to the Agency making a best value determination.

GSA asserts that the above outlined corrective action addresses Protester's claims, will remedy any flaws in the process that in GSA's view require correction, and renders Perspecta's protest moot. Accordingly, GSA respectfully requests that GAO dismiss the protest as academic. See Dyna-Air Eng'g Corp., B-278037 (1997).

GSA further asserts that no recommendation for the award of costs is warranted because the agency acted promptly in taking corrective action. GAO has held that it considers the agency's action prompt in those cases where the action is taken prior to the due date for the agency report. See Kertzman Contracting, Inc., B-259461.2, B-259461.3 (1995). In this instance, GSA has promptly taken corrective as GSA's agency report filing in response to the protest identified above is not due until Monday, October 9, 2019. Therefore, the Agency requests that GAO should not recommend the payment of costs.

Should you have any questions, please contact us.

Respectfully submitted,

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