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Attention: Project Managers

**RE: INVITATION TO TENDER
MINI EXCAVATOR 2018
AMENDMENT #1**

Dear Madame(s) or Sir(s),

The intent of this addendum is to advise of a question and answer that has been issued for the above mentioned tender.

1. Question: page 12 at the bottom - Down Force - Down force of what?
Answer: Down force is also known as break out force.
2. Question: and Boom Swing - Is this a yes or no? Machine has it or do we have to stipulate the angles?
Answer: Yes, we are looking for the abilities and the working range of the proposed machine.
3. Question: page 13 is asking for 2 days training, one for operator and one mechanical. How in depth are they looking for as far as mechanical?
Answer: We in the shop would prefer a Qualified Technician as this is a new machine for our group.
4. Question: Page 10 , "state which type and what is displayed" – I'm assuming these items are required, but "which type and displayed" I'm not sure of what this means or what info is required?
Answer: We would like to see either a full set of gauges or a digital display of gauges. We are not sure what your company is capable of. Please state what type (gauge or digital display) and then what will be displayed on the digital display if that is what you are providing.
5. Question: Page 13 two things. "Hydraulic quick attach shall be able to interchange from all manufacturers". Unfortunately most/all mini excavator manufacturers all have their own quick attach systems. Only on the skid steer loaders have all manufacturers adopted the Bobcat universal quick attach system.
Answer: We were under the impression that if you bought different attachments you could buy the mounting 'ears' (mounting lugs) and weld them on to that attachment and use it with the mini excavator. If this is not possible please state that.
6. Question: Page 14 also asks for the hydraulic quick attach to be a separate cost option, so is it mandatory spec or separate cost?
Yes, the hydraulic quick attach is only to be priced as an *option*.

7. Question: Would you be interested in receiving any pricing on Used Mini-Ex's?
Answer: We would be looking at those as alternatives; however, you must quote on the specifications that we are asking for first.

Please note on your submission the inclusion of same.
Should you need further information, or have any other questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at 250-632-8928.

Yours truly,



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