



THE PORT AUTHORITY OF NY & NJ

One Madison Avenue
New York, NY 10010

May 28, 2010

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION NO. 21273 – RELATED TO THE FUTURE ISSUANCE OF A REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS AND SUBSEQUENT REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS TO DESIGN/BUILD/FINANCE & MAINTAIN THE GOETHALS BRIDGE REPLACEMENT PROJECT – ADDENDUM NO. 1

Dear Sir or Madam:

The following changes are made to the subject RFI Document:

In accordance with Section 1.2 of the RFI document, the Authority will schedule individual Industry Input Meetings on Monday June 21, 2010 and Thursday June 24, 2010. In their RFI responses Qualifying Organizations may include time preferences with respect to these dates.

The following questions were received from RFI recipients. The questions, and corresponding Authority answers, are provided for your information and use, as appropriate:

May a foreign company that does not have a branch office or US subsidiary respond to the RFI without a local partner?

Yes, a foreign company that does not have a branch office or US subsidiary may respond.

Could you provide the project prefeasibility study?

No. A prefeasibility/feasibility study was not prepared. As stated in Section 3.2, a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for the Project was prepared and made available for public comment on May 29, 2009.

The Authority wishes to confirm that under the proposed future solicitation to design, build, finance and maintain (“DBFM”) a replacement Goethals Bridge (“the Project”), the DBFM Company would not be directly at-risk for nor compensated through toll revenue and would have no control over toll rates. All toll revenue from the bridge will be collected and retained by the Authority. Rather, payments made to the DBFM Company would be directly linked to the completion, availability and performance of the Project, similar to other availability-payment-based projects in the U.S., Canada and U.K. For this reason, a traffic revenue feasibility study would not be necessary for the project. The RFI contains links to online versions of the Authority’s financial statements.

The due date for receipt of submissions remains 2:00 P.M. on June 11, 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Laurie E. Spencer at <mailto:lspencer@panynj.gov>.

Sincerely yours,

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