

Amendment No. 0002 to BAA 07-041

“Anti-Protection of Critical System Elements”

The purpose of Amendment 0002 is to provide answers to questions received in response to BAA 07-041.

1. Question: If an Offeror has more than one solution in response to the BAA, can more than (1) one White Paper be submitted?

Answer: Yes, an offeror can submit more than one (1) White Paper to the BAA.

2. Question: If the Eligibility requirements state that “performer access to classified data is required” does this mean that a security clearance is a prerequisite for all participants?

Answer: Yes, a security clearance is a prerequisite for all participants.

3. Question: If an Offeror does not currently have a security clearance, does that preclude the offeror from a possible award?

Answer: An interim security clearance may not be acceptable depending on the content of the proposal. The Government reserves the right to make that determination. Offeror’s submitting a proposal without properly cleared personnel is done at the proposer’s risk.

4. Question: If an offeror shares an office and lab spaces to conduct the research with non U.S. citizens under BAA 07-041, would this technically disqualify the offeror from award?

Answer: Yes, this could disqualify the offeror from award. However, the Government shall reserve the right to make that determination, and proposals are done at the risk of the proposer.

5. Paragraphs (2) & (5) under Section IV, entitled “**Application and Submission Information and Content and Format of White Papers/Full Proposals**” –**White Paper Format** is revised to correct the submission of White Paper information. The following information is revised to read as follows:

IV. Application and Submission

“2. Content of Format of White Papers/Full Proposals

White Paper Format:

- Paper Size – 8.5 x 11 inch paper
- Margins – 1” inch
- Spacing – single or double-spaced
- Font – Times New Roman, 12 point
- Number of Pages – No more than four (4) single-sided pages (excluding cover page and resumes). White Papers exceeding the page limit may not be evaluated.
- Copies – one (1) original and one (1) electronic copy on CD-ROM (in Microsoft® Word).

and;

5. Submission of White Papers, Oral Presentation Materials and Full Proposals

a. Address for the Hard Copies, Electronic Submission of White Papers, and Oral Presentation Materials for Contracts.

-Hard copies/Electronic copies of White Papers, Oral Presentation Materials for Contracts should be sent to the following email address:

Ms. Shelia Richardson
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875 North Randolph Street
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[E-mail: Shelia_Richardson@onr.navy.mil](mailto:Shelia_Richardson@onr.navy.mil)

b. Address for Submission of Hard Copy Full Proposals.

Hard copies of full proposals for Contracts should be sent to the Office of Naval Research at the following address:

Ms. Shelia Richardson
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** Important Notes -*

1. This is the Official address for ONR. Deliveries should be made to this Suite number. Also, for the submission of white papers, oral presentation materials, and full proposals, please refer to paragraph 5 entitled "Address for the Submission of White Papers, Oral Presentation Materials, and Full Proposals" under Section IV entitled "Application and Submission Information."

2. If the Offeror chooses to use the United States Postal Service (USPS), it needs to use the Official address. Offerors should be aware that they need to allow up to an extra five (5) business days because USPS mail is sent to a central location for special processing before it is delivered to ONR. White papers, proposals, etc. delivered in person, via carrier, or by commercial carriers (e.g. FED-EX) should be sent to the room number identified at the end of Section IV below.

NOTE: FULL PROPOSALS SENT BY FAX OR E-MAIL WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED".