The purpose of this solicitation notice is to provide the Request for Proposal (RFP) No. DE-SOL-0006851 to industry for review and comment. **This RFP contains changes made from comments received on the draft RFP, therefore please review the entire RFP.** Release of the RFP in no way commits the Government to procure this requirement.

The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL), is issuing a competitive RFP DE-SOL-0006851 as a small business 8(a) set aside for Site Security Services at the Albany, Oregon; Morgantown, West Virginia; and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania facilities. The resulting contract will be a firm fixed price contract with a base performance period of two (2) years with three (3) 1-year option periods for a potential 5 year total period of performance. It is anticipated that the award date for the resulting contract will have an effective date of December 2014.

The primary functions performed under this service contract will include management and administrative oversight and labor necessary to provide site security services for the NETL facilities in Albany, Oregon; Morgantown, West Virginia; and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The level of effort is determined by security conditions as well as in response to short-term events such as conferences, VIP visits and emergencies. The Contractor shall provide all personnel (to include required screening, supervision and training of those personnel), uniforms, equipment and supplies, as necessary, to perform security services. Competent, trained, uniformed security officers who meet the standards for providing private guard services in the applicable locality and state shall be provided. All required licensing for each state, to include applicable business and security requirements, shall be maintained.

The North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) code for this effort is 561612 with a small business size standard of \$19M. All responsible 8(a) sources may submit a proposal which shall be considered by the agency.

All questions regarding the RFP are required to be submitted electronically through FedConnect. All questions must be submitted no later than Monday, August 25, 2014 by 4:00 pm EST. Proposals must be received by September 12, 2014 no later than 4:00 pm EST. You are encouraged to transmit your proposal well before the deadline in order to prevent any transmission difficulties. To find the RFP, click on "Search Public Opportunities" and search by RFP number, DE-SOL-0006851.

NETL has initiated an electronic reading room as part of the strategy to provide information that may benefit potential offerors in preparing their proposals for the final RFP, when issued. The information is provided to assist the reader in gaining an enhanced understanding of the requirement. The reading room may be accessed at http://www.netl.doe.gov/business/site-support. A FOIA release version of the current NETL support contracts are also posted in the electronic reading room. Offerors requesting a FOIA copy of the current contract will be directed to the reading room to download it from that location. Interested parties should monitor the Federal Business Opportunities website, DOE's Fedconnect website (https://www.netl.doe.gov/business/site-support. A FOIA release version of the current NETL support contracts are also posted in the electronic reading room. Offerors requesting a FOIA copy of the current contract will be directed to the reading room to download it from that location. Interested parties should monitor the Federal Business Opportunities website, DOE's Fedconnect website (https://www.netl.doe.gov/business/site-support) for future announcements regarding this requirement.

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