

2. Amendment/Modification No. Amendment 0015	3. Effective Date January 20, 2006	4. Requisition/Purchase Req. No. NAAX1000-5-00002	5. Project No. (if applicable)
6. Issued By NOAA's HIGH PERFORMANCE COMPUTING ACQUISITION STAFF 1315 EAST WEST HIGHWAY, ROOM 9734 SILVER SPRING, MD 20190 William L. Voitk (301) 713-3525 ext 196		7. Administered By (If other than Item 6) Code	

8. Name and Address of Contractor (No., Street, County, and Zip Code) TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES	(X)	9A. Amendment of Solicitation No. DG133A-05-RP-1038
	X	9B. Date (See Item 11) Jan 13, 2005
		10A. Modification of Contract/Order No.
		10B. Date (See Item 13)

Code	Facility Code
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11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS

The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of Offers is extended is not extended. Offers must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended, by one of the following methods:
 (a) By completing items 8 and 15, and returning 1 copies of the amendment; (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the offer submitted; or (c) By separate letter or telegram which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by telegram or letter, provided each telegram or letter makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.

12. Accounting and Appropriation Data (if required) \$

**13. THIS ITEM APPLIES ONLY TO MODIFICATIONS OF CONTRACT/ORDERS.
IT MODIFIES THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14.**

(x)	A. This change order is issued pursuant to: (Specify authority) The changes set forth in item 14 are made in the Contract Order No. in item 10A.
	B. The above numbered Contract/Order is modified to reflect the administrative changes (such as changes in paying office, appropriation date, etc.) Set fourth item 14, pursuant to the authority of FAR 43.103 (b)
	C. This supplemental agreement is entered into pursuant to authority of:
	D. Other (Specify type of modification and authority)

E. IMPORTANT: Contractor is not, is required to sign this document and return copies to the issuing office.

14. Description of Amendment/Modification (Organized by UCF section headings, including solicitation/contract subject matter where feasible.)

1. The iJet and eJet systems at the Forecast Systems Laboratory, previously offered as Government-Furnished Equipment (GFE) by Modification 0014, are no longer available as GFE. Section C is amended to reflect this change. Furthermore, Sections B and L are amended to reflect a reduction in available FY2007 funding (\$290K) for Workstreams 7 through 9. Accordingly, the RFP is revised as follows:

Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in item 9A or 10A, as heretofore changed, remains unchanged and in full force and effect.

15A. Name and Title of Signer (Type or Print)	16A. Name and title of Contracting Officer (Type or Print)
15B. Contractor/Offeror (Signature of person authorized to sign)	15C. Date Signed
16B. United States of America (Signature of Contracting Officer)	16C. Date Signed

SECTION B

Section B, NOTE A – The funding profile in Section B has been revised to reflect the approximately \$290K reduction in FY2007 for Workstreams 7-9. The funding profile for FY2007 is reduced from \$20.28 million to \$20.00 million and the Base Contract Total has been reduced from \$61.26 million to \$60.98 million. Page 5 from Section B should be removed and replaced with the attached Page 5.

SECTION C

C.4.3, Funding Profile is revised to reflect reduction in FY2007 funding for Workstreams 7-9. Page 7 of Section C should be removed and replaced with the attached Page 7.

C.11, Appendix B – Available Government Facilities, second paragraph is revised to delete iJet and eJet systems as offered Government-Furnished Equipment (GFE). Page 73 of Section C should be removed and replaced with the attached Page 73.

C.11.11, Projected Availability of Floor Space, Power, and Cooling, under Assumptions for Projections, Available Raised Floor Space, Note (2)(3) for BLDR has been revised to HSMS GFE only. Page 97 of Section C should be removed and replaced with the attached Page 97.

C.11.11, Projected Availability of Floor Space, Power, and Cooling, under Assumptions for Projections, Available Power, under BLDR, the following has been deleted: “(2) eJet uses ~125kVA of power and iJet uses ~ 125kVA of power.” Page 98 of Section C should be removed and replaced with the attached Page 98.

C.12, Appendix C – Government Furnished Equipment, under Boulder, CO, the Site-Constrained GFE has been revised to delete the Data Direct S2A6000 and S2A6200 as offered GFE. Page 102 of Section C should be removed and replaced with the attached Page 102 and 102A.

C.12, Appendix C – Government Furnished Equipment, under Boulder, CO, all of the Unrestricted GFE has been deleted. Page 103 of Section C should be removed and replaced with the attached Page 103.

SECTION L

L.6.2.5, Funding Profiles, has been revised to reflect the reduction in FY2007 funding for Workstreams 7-9. Page 16 of Section L should be removed and replaced with the attached Page 16.

2. This Amendment also responds to vendor’s questions received since issuance of the Solicitation. These responses are included as an attachment to this Amendment. NOTE: The questions and answers are also posted to the NOAA R&D HPCS web site at: <http://rdlhpcs.noaa.gov>

If there are any disparities between the questions and answers on the web site and this Amendment, this Amendment shall prevail