

IRANIAN ENERGY SECTOR DIVESTMENT

1. By submitting a response to this solicitation, the bidder hereby represents that said bidder is in compliance with New York State General Municipal Law Section 103-g entitled “Iranian Energy Sector Divestment”, in that said bidder has not:
 - (a) Provided goods or services of \$20 Million or more in the energy sector of Iran including, but not limited to, the provision of oil or liquefied natural gas tankers or products used to construct or maintain pipelines used to transport oil or liquefied natural gas for the energy sector of Iran; or
 - (b) Acted as a financial institution and extended \$20 Million or more in credit to another person for forty-five days or more, if that person’s intent was to use the credit to provide goods or services in the energy sector of Iran.
2. Any bidder who has undertaken any of the above and is identified on a list created pursuant to Section 165-a (3)(b) of the New York State Finance Law as a person engaging in investment activities in Iran shall not be deemed a responsible bidder pursuant to Section 103 of the New York State General Municipal Law.
3. Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, every respondent submitting a response to this solicitation must certify and affirm the following under penalties of perjury:
 - (1) “By submission of this response to solicitation, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint response, each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each respondent is not on the list created pursuant to NYS Finance Law Section 165-a (3)(b).”
4. Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, a bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made where the condition set forth in subdivision (1) above has not been complied with; provided, however, that if any case the bidder cannot make the foregoing certification, the bidder shall so state and shall furnish with the bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefore. The Greater Tompkins County Municipal Health Insurance Consortium reserves the right, in accordance with General Municipal Law Section 103-g, to award a bid to a bidder who cannot make the certification on a case-by-case basis under the following circumstances:
 - (1) The investment activities in Iran were made before April 12, 2012, the investment activities in Iran have not been expanded or renewed after April 12, 2012, and the bidder has adopted, publicized and is implementing a formal plan to cease the investment activities in Iran and to refrain from engaging any new investments in Iran; or

The Greater Tompkins County Municipal Health Insurance Consortium has made a determination that the goods and services are necessary for the County to perform its functions and that, absent such an exemption, the Greater Tompkins County Municipal Health Insurance Consortium would be unable to obtain the goods or services for which the bid is offered. Such determination shall be made by the County in writing and shall be a public document.

Authorized Signature: _____

Date: _____