


## Completed, Signed Execution Page

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| <b>STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA</b><br>Department of Information Technology<br>Statewide IT Procurement Office  | <b>INVITATION FOR BIDS NO. ITS-400277</b>                |
|  | <b>Offers will be publicly opened: December 12, 2017</b> |
|  | <b>IFB Issue Date: November 2, 2017</b>                  |
| <b>Refer ALL inquiries regarding this IFB to:</b><br>Debbie Patterson, Procurement Officer<br><a href="mailto:debbie.patterson@nc.gov">debbie.patterson@nc.gov</a><br>919-754-6619 | <b>Commodity Number: 204</b>                             |
|  | <b>Description: IT Infrastructure Solutions</b>          |
|  | <b>Using Agency: Statewide</b>                           |
| <b>See page 2 for mailing instructions.</b>  | <b>Requisition No.: N/A</b>                              |

**OFFER AND ACCEPTANCE:** The State seeks offers for the goods, software, and/or services described in this solicitation. The State's acceptance of any offer shall be demonstrated by execution of the acceptance found below and any subsequent Request for Best and Final Offer, if issued. Acceptance shall create a contract having an order of precedence as follows: In cases of conflict between documents comprising the contract, the order of precedence shall be (1) Best and Final Offers, if any, (2) special terms and conditions specific to this Invitation for Bids (IFB), (3) specifications, (4) Department of Information Technology Terms and Conditions of this IFB, and (5) the agreed portions of the awarded Vendor's offer.

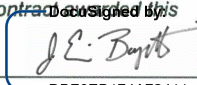
**EXECUTION:** In compliance with this IFB and subject to all the conditions herein, the undersigned offers and agrees to furnish any or all Services or goods upon which prices are offered, at the price(s) offered herein, within the time specified herein. By executing this offer, I certify that this offer is submitted competitively and without collusion.

**Failure to execute/sign offer prior to submittal shall render offer invalid. Late offers are not acceptable.**

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| <b>OFFEROR: Cisco Systems Inc.</b>   |  |   |
| <b>STREET ADDRESS:</b> 170 W. Tasman Drive   | <b>P.O. BOX:</b>                           | <b>ZIP:</b>                                 |
| <b>CITY, STATE and ZIP:</b><br>San Jose, CA 95134  | <b>TELEPHONE NUMBER:</b><br>(408) 526-4000 | <b>TOLL FREE TEL. NO:</b><br>(800) 553-6387 |
| <b>PRINT NAME &amp; TITLE OF PERSON SIGNING:</b> Phil Lozano<br>Director, Finance                                |  | <b>FAX NUMBER:</b> (408) 608-1802           |
| <b>AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE:</b>  | <b>DATE:</b> DECEMBER 19, 2017             | <b>E-MAIL:</b>                              |

Offer valid for one hundred eighty (180) calendar days from date of offer opening unless otherwise stated here: \_\_\_\_\_ calendar days

**ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER:** If any or all parts of the offer are accepted, an authorized representative of NCDIT shall affix their signature hereto and this document and the documents identified above shall then constitute the written agreement between the parties. A copy of this acceptance will be forwarded to the awarded Vendor(s).

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| <b>FOR NCDIT USE ONLY</b>  |                         |
| Offer accepted and contract awarded by _____ day of _____, 2018, as indicated on attached certification,                     | 3/14/2019   5:08 PM EDT |
| by  (Authorized representative of NCDIT). | DBF6EB174A72411...      |