

# **THE PORT AUTHORITY OF NY & NJ**

**PROCUREMENT DEPARTMENT  
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150 GREENWICH STREET, 21<sup>ST</sup> FL.  
NEW YORK, NY 10007**

7/11/2016

## **ADDENDUM # 5**

To prospective Bidder(s) on Bid # 46210 - Supply and Deliver Copper Bare Counterpoise Cable, as Specified, to John F. Kennedy International Airport:

**Due back on 7/19/2016, no later than 11:00AM**

### **I. CHANGES/MODIFICATIONS**

**The following changes/modifications are hereby made to the solicitation document:**

Delete the material description in its entirety and replace it with the following:  
“COUNTERPOISE, BARE COPPER, #6 AWG. WIRE SHALL BE SUPPLIED ON  
NON-RETURNABLE WOOD REELS, 2500 LF OF WIRE PER REEL.  
OVERDELIVERY TOLERANCE: 5.0%, UNDERDELIVERY TOLERANCE: 0.0%.  
PER PA SPECIFICATION 16000, 16129, 16450.”

### **II. BIDDER'S QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

The following information is available in response to questions submitted by prospective Bidders. The responses should not be deemed to answer all questions which have been submitted by Bidders to the Port Authority. It addresses only those questions which the Port Authority has deemed to require additional information and/or clarification. The fact that information has not been supplied with respect to particular questions asked by Bidders does not mean or imply, nor should it be deemed to mean or imply, any meaning, construction, or implication with respect to the terms.

The Port Authority makes no representations, warranties or guarantees that the information contained herein is accurate, complete or timely or that such information accurately represents the conditions that would be encountered during the performance of the Contract. The furnishing of such information by the Port Authority shall not create or be deemed to create any obligation or liability upon it for any reason whatsoever and each Bidder, by submitting its Bid, expressly agrees that it has not relied upon the foregoing information, and that it shall not hold the Port Authority liable or responsible therefor in any manner whatsoever. Accordingly, nothing contained herein and no representation, statement or promise, of the Port Authority, its Commissioners, officers,

agents, representatives, or employees, whether made orally or in writing, shall impair or limit the effect of the warranties of the Bidder required by this Bid or Contract and the Bidder agrees that it shall not hold the Port Authority liable or responsible therefor in any manner whatsoever.

The Questions and Answers numbering sequence will be continued sequentially in any forthcoming Addenda that may be issued.

Question #1	The item description includes two different cables “bare copper” and “XHHW insulated”, and the specification Sections do not mention “bare copper” counterpoise. Please clarify.
Answer #1	See above description change. Refer to FAA AC 150/5340-30H, Section 12.5 “Counterpoise (lightning protection system)”.
Question #2	Are drawings available?
Answer #2	No.
Question #3	Can the reels be wood flange and cardboard core?
Answer #3	No.
Question #4	Are pulling grips required?
Answer #4	No.
Question #5	The word “counterpoise” pertains to balancing, but what does it mean in regards to the bid?
Answer #5	Bare Copper Wire is used to install counterpoise (lightning protection) above all ducts/conduits. Refer to FAA AC 150/5340-30H for the difference between counterpoise and ground cable.

This communication should be initialed by you and annexed to your Bid upon submission. In case any Bidder fails to conform to these instructions, its Bid will nevertheless be construed as though this communication had been so physically annexed and initialed.

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SELENE ORTEGA, MANAGER  
COMMODITIES & SERVICES DIVISION

BIDDER'S FIRM NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

INITIALED: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS ADDENDUM MAY BE ADDRESSED TO JOHN SANTIAGO AT [John.Santiago@panynj.gov](mailto:John.Santiago@panynj.gov) OR (212) 435-4613.