

**New Jersey Turnpike Authority
Engineering Department**

**Order for Professional Services No. T3200
Construction Management and Inspection Services Mainline
Interchange 6 to 9 Widening Program**

**Responses to Inquiries
Request for Expressions of Interest**

The following two (2) inquiries were received:

1. Inquiry: "The EOI says the Proposal shall provide a minimum of two SBE firms for each task or work effort. What is the Authority referring to as a specific Task or Work Order?"

Response: First, to clarify the terminology of the inquiry, the word "EOI" should be "RFEOI" (Request for Expression of Interest).

Second, specific tasks or work efforts (not Work Order as stated in the second sentence of the inquiry) are services to be provided by the Consultant as required under the Scope of Services set forth in the RFEOI. Tasks and work efforts are activities such as inspection services, field survey, laboratory testing, scheduling, etc. Consultants shall identify which tasks and work efforts are to be performed by SBE firms.

2. Inquiry: "Ref: OPS Page 23 of 43, Section V, C.4, Resident Engineers Technical Registrations: The OPS establishes the requirement for RE registration as either NICET IV or Professional Engineer NJ. In consideration that NICET is a national certification it would be reasonable that the equivalent would be a Professional Engineer's license (also a national certification) without the New Jersey restriction. The specificity that relates to New Jersey registration "the ability to sign and seal engineering documents in the State of New Jersey" does not apply to the NICET IV and thus seems unduly restrictive without any added benefit to the Authority. In light of the number of RE's required and the need to consider the regions talent, we request the Authority consider revising the requirement to NICET IV certification or Professional Engineer without stipulation of State of licensure."

Response: The Authority will allow non New Jersey Professional Engineers to be submitted in the Technical Proposal and they will be fully considered. It is expected, however, that non New Jersey Professional Engineers that will be engaged for this project will pursue and obtain their New Jersey Professional Engineer's License if the Consultant is selected for this assignment.