

ProServices Supply Arrangement Overview

The Government of Canada purchases professional services through contract vehicles such as standing offers (SO) and supply arrangements (SA). In some cases, the use of an SO or SA is mandatory. For professional services contracts under \$106,000, the ProServices SA is an essential contract vehicle and will be for years to come. The other related mandatory contract vehicles include the Task and Solutions Professional Services (TSPS) Task-Based SO, the TSPS Task-Based SA, the Task-Based Informatics Professional Services (TBIPS) SO, the TBIPS SA, the TSPS Solutions-Based SA, and the Solutions-Based Informatics Professional Services (SBIPS) SA.

Supply Arrangement (SA) Name and Description

ProServices SA

The ProServices Supply Arrangement is a mandatory procurement tool for most purchases of professional services under the NAFTA threshold (\$106,000 from January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2019). In 2014, ProServices replaced PS Online for contracts under the NAFTA threshold.

ProServices is based on three other Government of Canada Methods of Supply:

- TBIPS SA
- TSPS Task-Based SA
- Alternative Dispute Resolution SO (newly added)

ProServices includes both IT and non-IT categories. See Tables 1 and 2 below.

By qualifying for ProServices, your firm becomes eligible to provide services to the federal government for contracts valued at \$106,000 and under. Specific contracts are typically awarded using a best value (technical + financial) evaluation.

Solicitation Highlights

The most recent ProServices RFSA was posted on October 27th, 2017 and had a due date of December 6th, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. The solicitation can be found at:

https://buyandsell.gc.ca/procurement-data/tender-notice/PW-ZT-002-31910

It is anticipated that a ProServices Refresh RFSA will be posted in the Spring of 2018.

Key Criteria:

- One (1) year in business
- A reference client contact (no project write-up necessary) for categories you have supplied in the past five (5) years.
- Security clearance (prior to SA award)

A proposal requires both an email submission (to be provided when requested) and the entry of data into the Centralized Professional Services System (CPSS).



Table 1: ProServices Categories (IT)

1. Application Services		2. Ge	omatics Services	3. IM/IT Services	
1.1 1.2 1.3 1.4 1.5 1.6 1.7 1.8 1.9 1.10 1.11 1.12 1.13 1.14 1.15 1.16	Application/Software Architect ERP Functional Analyst ERP Programmer Analyst ERP System Analyst ERP Technical Analyst Programmer/Software Developer Programmer/Analyst System Analyst System Auditor Test Coordinator Tester WEB Architect WEB Designer WEB Developer WEB Graphics Designer WEB Multimedia Content Consultant Webmaster	2.1 2.2 2.3 2.4 2.5 2.6 2.7 2.8 2.9 2.10 2.11	Geomatics Analyst Geomatics Specialist GIS Applications Analyst GIS Applications Architect GIS Data Architect GIS Infrastructure Architect GIS Programmer/Analyst GIS Project Manager GIS System Architect GIS Web Mapping Developer Mapping Technician	3.1 3.2 3.3 3.4 3.5 3.6 3.7 3.8 3.9 310 3.11	Data Conversion Specialist Database Administrator Database Analyst Database Modeller / IM Modeller IM Architect Network Analyst Platform Analyst Storage Architect System Administrator Technical Architect Technology Architect

4. Bu	siness Services	5. Pro	oject Management Services (IT)
4.1	Business Analyst	5.1	Change Management Consultant
4.2	Business Architect	5.2	Enterprise Architect
4.3	Business Consultant	5.3	HR Consultant
4.4	Business Continuity/Disaster Recovery Specialist	5.4	Organizational Development Consultant
4.5	Business Process Re-engineering (BPR) Consultant	5.5	Project Executive
4.6	Business System Analyst	5.6	Project Administrator
4.7	Business Transformation Architect	5.7	Project Coordinator
4.8	Call Centre Consultant	5.8	Project Leader
4.9	Courseware Developer	5.9	Project Manager
4.10	Help Desk Specialist	5.10	Project Scheduler
4.11	Instructor, IT	5.11	Quality Assurance Specialist/Analyst
4.12	Network Support Specialist	5.12	Risk Management Specialist
4.13	Operations Support Specialist	5.13	Independent IT Project Review Team
4.14	Technical Writer		Leader
		5.14	Independent IT Project Reviewer

6. Cy	ber Protection Services	7. Te	elecommunications Services
6.1 6.2 6.3 6.4 6.5 6.6 6.7 6.8	Strategic IT Security Planning and Protection Consultant IT Security Methodology, Policy and Procedures Analyst IT Security TRA and C&A Analyst IT Security Product Evaluation Specialist PKI Specialist IT Security Engineer IT security Design Specialist Network Security Analyst	7. 16 7.1 7.2 7.3 7.4 7.5	Radio Frequency (RF) Systems Specialist Satellite Communication Specialist Telecommunication Cable Plant Designer Telecommunication Technician Private Branch Exchange (PBX) Technologist Telecommunication System Specialist Antenna Structure Engineer
6.0 6.10 6.11 6.12 6.13 6.14 6.15 6.16 6.17	IT Security Systems Operator IT Security Installation Specialist IT Security VA Specialist Incident Management Specialist Physical IT Security Specialist IT Security R&D Specialist Computer Forensics Specialist PIA Specialist EMSEC Security Specialist	7.7 7.8 7.9	Radio Frequency (RF) Engineer Lineman Technician



Table 2: ProServices Categories (Non-IT)

8. HU	IMAN RESOURCES SERVICES STREAM	9. BU	SINESS CONSULTING / CHANGE MANAGEMENT STREAM
8.1	Human Resources Consultant	9.1	Business Analyst
8.2	Organizational Design and Classification	9.2	Business Continuity Consultant
	Consultant	9.3	Business Consultant
8.3	Employment Equity Consultant	9.4	Organization Development Consultant
8.4	Employee Relation Consultant	9.5	Business Process Consultant
8.5	Compensation Consultant	9.6	Change Management Consultant
8.6	HR Information System Consultant	9.7	Needs Analysis and Research Consultant
8.7	Leadership Development Consultant	9.8	Business Architect
8.8	Staffing Consultant	9.9	Statistical Analyst
8.9	HR Policy Development Consultant	9.10	Knowledge Management Consultant
8.10	HR Assistant Consultant	9.11	Information/Records Management/ Recordkeeping Specialist
		9.12	Evaluation Services Consultant
		9.13	Performance Measurement Consultant
		9.14	Subject Matter Expert
		9.15	Facilitator Consultant

10. PROJECT MANAGE	MENT SERVICES STREAM 11		EAL PROPERTY PROJECT MANAGEMENT SERVICES STREAM
10.1 Project Administra	tor 11	1.1	Project Administrator for Real Property
10.2 Project Manager	11	1.2	Project Manager for Real Property
10.3 Project Leader/Exe	ecutive 11	1.3	Project Leader for Real Property
10.4 Project Planner	11	1.4	Project Planner for Real Property
		1.5	Financial/Cost Specialist for Real Property
10.6 Risk Management	Specialist 11		Portfolio Planner for Real Property
10.7 Procurement Spec	cialist 11	1.7	Claims Analyst
10.8 Financial Specialis	t		·
10.9 Project Monitor			
10.10 Technical Writer			
10.11 Communications C	Consultant		

12.	TECHNICAL, ENGINEERING AND MAINTENANCE SERVICES STREAM	13. ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION SERVICES (new)
12.1	Draftsperson / Illustrator	13.1 Conflict Coaching
12.2	Technician	13.2 Mediation / Facilitation conversation
12.3	Engineering Graduate	13.3 Group Processes and Work Place Assessment
12.4	Professional Engineer (P.ENG)	13.4 Commercial / Business Disputes: Facilitated
12.5	Clothing Technologist	Discussion / Mediation
12.6	Textile Technologist	13.5 Commercial / Business Disputes: Arbitration
12.7	1 1 1 3 1	13.6 Conflict Management Training
12.8	Nuclear/Biological/Chemical (NBC) Personal Protection Technologist	
12.9	Handwear/Knitted Footwear and Accessories Technologist	
12.10	Footwear Technologist	
12.11	Pattern Design, Development, and Sizing Technologist	
12.12	Clothing and Personal Protection Equipment Design and Prototyping Technologist	
12.13	Badges/Insignia/Ceremonial Accoutrements Technologist	
12.14	Integrated Logistics Support (ILS) Specialist	
12.15	Technical Clerk	
12.16	Life Cycle Management Specialist	