

Hydro One Networks Inc.

Request for Prequalification

Hydro One Networks Inc. invites companies to submit responses to its Request for Pre-qualification (RFPQ). Companies responding are required to demonstrate their capability to provide Engineering, Furnished and Installed for Wide Area Network and Dense Wavelength Division Multiplexing Solutions and their ability to project manage and assume responsibility and accountability for an end-to-end solution.

The responses to this Request for Pre-Qualification will include technical, non-technical and budgetary pricing information. The responses will allow Hydro One to select the appropriate technology and scope for its needs, establish a list of pre-qualified vendors that a future Request For Proposal (RFP) will be directed to, establish a business case and develop the RFP documentation. The scope of the future RFP is expected to include the assessment, engineering, supply, installation and commissioning of the equipment.

Further details are available in the RFPQ documents. Prior to the RFPQ document being released, interested companies must duly sign and return a [Confidentiality Agreement](#) available for download by clicking the link. Signed Confidentiality Agreements are to be returned **via fax# 416-345-5449. Please ensure RFPQ# 1000040178 is referenced on your fax cover sheet.**

Once you have faxed the Confidentiality Agreement, please contact the buyer via email at rfp.documents@hydroone.com using the subject line “**RFPQ 1000040178 – WAN Architecture Initiative**”, providing confirmation that the Confidentiality Agreement has been signed and returned. Include your company name, mailing address, and contact name, telephone number & email address. The RFPQ will be released via email upon receipt of the fax and email Confidentiality Agreement confirmation.

Responses are due **Thursday, December 18, 2008** before **3:01 PM EST.**