

LVC-IA Industry Day Questions and Answers

1. **Q:** Does a small business have to do 50% or 51% of the work?
A: If this is a small-business competition, In accordance with FAR 52.219-14, “the concern shall perform work for at least 50% of the cost of manufacturing the supplies, not including the cost of materials.”
2. **Q:** Can small businesses team to meet the 50% requirement?
A: There have been many questions on the recent change in Section 1651 of the National Defense Authorization Act, however it is the position of the Pentagon HQDA Office of Small Business Programs that the statute must be implemented in the SBA regulation and then the FAR before the change would be effective. Therefore at this time, a single small business must meet the 50% requirement.
3. **Comment:** The LVC-IA program has a requirement to be cloud enabled by FY19. The contractor will be responsible for development/fielding of the LVC-IA cloud based solution as well as defining building and fielding the necessary client software/hardware to each of the 15 sites for Version 3. It is anticipated that this capability will be further enhanced as part of Version 4. The contractor will not be responsible for developing the cloud framework or architecture that will host LVC-IA.
4. **Comment:** In accordance with the Key Performance Parameters established for LVC-IA, improvements that enable a reduction of resources and time required to generate scenarios and plan for the execution of LVC-IA exercises will continue to be a focus area for Versions 3 and 4.
5. **Comment:** It is anticipated that the Transition Phase will be 60-90 days and will allow the successor contractor to observe a fielding of Version 2.
6. **Comment:** The minimum size of the PDSS facility and timeframe to acquire SECRET level accreditation for operation and storage for the PDSS facility will be defined in the draft RFP.
7. **Comment:** Currently, all software for the LVC-IA program is provided with Government Purpose Rights (GPR) or unlimited rights. All software is non-proprietary and/or open source. This is the intent for the future as well.
8. **Comment:** The slides from Industry Day and the Attendee List have been posted to the STRI BOP. It is anticipated that a document repository will be developed before the release of the Draft RFP that will provide the Technical Data Package (TDP) and Government Furnished Property (GFP) List.
9. **Comment:** It is anticipated that a Small Business and/or Lot decision will be posted to the STRIBOP before the Draft RFP is released. The SOW and Sections B, L, and M will be posted with the Draft RFP prior to the end of 2QFY15.

10. **Comment:** There will be a Site Visit Industry Day once the Draft RFP is posted. Attendance will require clearance in the Joint Personnel Adjudication System (JPAS).