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ADDENDUM 1
RFB #18-0075
CLEAN SCREEN COLUMNS

November 2, 2018

The following is to ensure that vendors have complete information prior to submitting a bid. Here are some clarifications regarding the proposal for bids for Clean Screen Columns for the **Regional Forensic Science Center**.

Questions and/or statements of clarification are in **bold** font, and answers to specific questions are *italicized*.

1. What are Clean Screen Columns?

Answer: A clean screen column is an extraction column that has the capability of holding at least a 6mL sample volume. A clean screen extraction column is used for the extraction of drugs from biological materials in laboratory testing.

2. The bid does not mention the type of cartridges needed (i.e. volume, sorbent bed size, specific media needs). Could you tell me what particular product is needed for this bid?

Answer: The Regional Forensic Science Center utilizes a 200 mg size, 6mL column for their Clean Screen Columns. For further detailed information please see the current html link (<https://sampleprep.unitedchem.com/clean-screen-dau>) paraphrased of what a Clean Screen DAU is from the manufacturer below:

CLEAN SCREEN® DAU is a copolymerized sorbent, utilizing both a reverse (C8) phase and an ion exchange (benzenesulfonic acid) phase bonded to the same particle. The mixed mode nature allows for maximum selectivity for the extraction of acids, neutrals, and bases. This flexibility and versatility is ideal for both screening and confirmation analyses of virtually all drug categories.

Chemical Phase = C8 + BCX

Organic Loading = 12.4%

Average Pore Size = 60Å

Cation Exchange = 0.077 meq/g

Surface Area = 500 m²/g

Pore Volume = 0.77 cm³/g

Firms interested in submitting a bid, must respond with complete information and **deliver on or before 1:45 p.m. CST, November 13th, 2018**. Late bids will not be accepted and will not receive consideration for final award.

“PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS ADDENDUM ON THE BID RESPONSE PAGE.”

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