



**ADDENDUM NO. 1  
RFP NO. PSC-25-07**

**VIRTUAL POWER PLANT OR DISTRIBUTED ENERGY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM  
PILOT PROJECT**

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**SECTION I. Questions and Answers**

**Question 1**

Sec. A3 on Eligibility notes that an Offeror's financial disclosure must "confirm that they have not worked for or received funding from Pepco, Exelon, or their subsidiaries and affiliates, and WGL, AltaGas, or their subsidiaries and affiliates in the past three years."

This suggests that Pepco would itself be ineligible to participate in the contract proposal as a part of the team, since it would not be able to meet this provision. The requirements for fully meeting the conditions of a viable proposal would require Pepco's participation in some capacity, since the operation of a VPP is dependent on interconnection with the utility. Can you offer any more definitive opinion on the participation of the utility in a team proposal?

**Answer**

Pepco cannot bid on a pilot project or be part of an offeror's team. However, Pepco can be contacted and consulted by the offeror and is obligated to cooperate with the offeror on the project precisely because the project's operation will be dependent on interconnection and other matters with the utility.

**Question 2**

Does DCPSC (or anyone else) maintain a list of local or preferred SBE/CBE contacts?

**Answer**

Potential offerors are also encouraged to search the DSLBD database at <https://dslbd.dc.gov/service/find-certified-companies> and contact firms that they believe have the required qualifications, capabilities, and past performance to partner with. Offerors may also contact DSLBD via email at [Business-opportunities@dc.gov](mailto:Business-opportunities@dc.gov) or by telephone at 202-727-3900 for further information. See **Exhibit A** for a list of firms that received this RFP.

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