

Quotation Request //

US Government Printing Office

Agency Publishing Services
732 North Capitol Street, NW
Washington DC 20401-0001

JACKET:351-587

Quotations are Due By:

(Eastern Time)10:00 AM on 01/30/2009

Submit Fax Quotes to:00000000

Contractors must provide mandatory taxpayer information before GPO makes payment.

Please see special notice on <http://contractorconnect.gpo.gov/>.

TITLE: Wanted: Asian Longhorned Beetle Brochure

QUANTITY: 50017 copies, plus 32 QARC's.

TRIM SIZE: 5-1/2 x 8-1/2"

FORM NO: PA 1655

PAGES: 12-page, self-cover.

SCHEDULE:

Furnished Material will be available for pickup by 01/30/2009

Deliver complete (to arrive at destination) by 02/13/2009

F.O.B. destination

QUALITY LEVEL: 2 Quality Assurance Through Attributes (GPO PUB 310.1, effective May 1979 (Rev. 8-02)) applies.

DESCRIPTION:

Circle folios 1 through 12 print type, line matter, and illustrations in four color process, with reversing to white. Circle folios 1 through 12 have full coverage with bleeds on all four sides. After printing, flood coat circle folios 1 through 12 with a non-yellowing gloss varnish.

MATERIAL FURNISHED: Contractor to pickup at GPO. One (1) 700mb CD-Rom.

Platform: Macintosh, System: 10.5

Software Programs: Photoshop CS3, Illustrator CS3, InDesign CS3

All Adobe printer and screen fonts are furnished.

One (1) printed sample.

Note: Prior to image processing, the contractor is responsible for performing a basic check (preflight) of the furnished publishing files to assure accurate output of the required reproduction image. Any errors, media damage or data corruption that might interfere with proper file imaging must be reported to the contract administrator in sufficient time to comply with the shipping schedule. In addition, the contractor is responsible for creating or altering any necessary trapping, setting proper screen angles and screen frequency, and defining file output selection for the imaging device being utilized. All furnished files must be imaged as necessary (to print at min. 175 line screen) to meet assigned quality level.

PAPER: * Must be in accordance with JCP Paper Specification Standards in effect on date of this order
JCP Code* A180, White, Litho (Gloss) Coated Book, Basis Size 25 X 38" Basis Weight 70 lb.

COLOR OF INK:

Four color process, plus gloss varnish.

PRINT PAGE: Head to Head

MARGINS:

Follow electronic media. Circle folios 1 through 12 bleed on all sides.

PROOFS:

Two (2) sets of digital color content proofs for entire brochure. At contractor's option, a film-based

composite blueline may be submitted, provided direct to plate is used to produce the final product. Proofs must be created using the same Raster Image Processor (RIP) that will be used to produce the product. Proofs shall be collated with all elements in proper position (not pasted up), imaged face and back, trimmed and folded to the finished size of the product.

One (1) set of digital one-piece composite laminated color proofs on the actual production stock (Kodak Approval, Screen TrueRite, Dupont Thermal Waterproof, Polaroid PolaProof, CreoSpectrum, or Fuji Final Proof) with a minimum resolution of 2400 dpi is required. At contractor's option, a film-based composite laminated color proof on the actual production stock may be submitted provided direct to plate is used to produce the final product. The make and model number of the proofing system utilized shall be furnished with the proofs.

These proofs must have all elements in press configuration and must indicate margins. Proofs will be used for color match on press and must show dot structure. Inkjet, photographic, and overlay proofs are not acceptable. The proofs must contain color control bars for each color of ink on the sheet. Control bars must be placed parallel to the press's ink rollers. The control bars (such as Brunner, GATF, GRETAG, or RIT) must show areas consisting of minimum 3/16" x 3/16" solid color patches; tint patches of 25, 50 and 75%; dot gain scale; and gray balance patches for process color (if applicable). These areas must be repeated consecutively across the sheet.

Deliver proofs together with the furnished media (copy and electronic files) directly to: USDA, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, OC/Printing, Room 501A, Washington, DC 20250, Attn: Cynthia McNeill 202-720-8089.

Contractor must call GPO Contract Compliance Section at (202) 512-0520 immediately upon sending/delivering proofs and immediately upon notification that the proofs are available for pickup at the department. Proofs will be withheld not more than 3 workdays from receipt in the department to when they are made available for pickup at the department.

The contractor must not print prior to receipt of an "OK to print."

BINDING:

Saddle stitch in 2 places on 8-1/2 inch side.

Trim 3 sides.

PACKING:

Identify shipping container with Title, Quantity, Form, Jacket, and Requisition Numbers.

Shrink Film Pack in units of 100. Pack suitably per shipping container.

DISTRIBUTION:

Deliver 10,000 copies (including 125 Departmental Random Blue Label copies) to: USDA/APHIS, Print Office, 4700 River Road, Loading Dock, Riverdale, MD 20737. Attn: Ed Lawson (301) 734-5523. Inside delivery required.

Deliver 10,000 copies to: USDA/APHIS/PPQ, Asian Longhorn Beetle Cooperative Eradication Program, National Guard Armory, 50 Skyline Drive, Worcester, MA 01605-2898. (866) 702-9938. Inside delivery required.

Deliver 2,000 copies to: USDA/APHIS/PPQ, Asian Longhorn Beetle Cooperative Eradication Program,

2300 Devon Avenue, Suite 210, Des Plaines, IL 60016. (847) 298-3136 ext. 240. Inside delivery required.

Deliver 5,000 copies to: New York ALB Cooperative Eradication Program, 320 Merrick Road, Amityville, NY 11701. Attn: Marlene Bombara. Inside delivery required.

Deliver 3,000 copies to: New Jersey ALB Cooperative Eradication Program, 1447 Pinewood Street, Rahway, NJ 07065. Inside delivery required.

Deliver 8,000 copies to: State Plant Health Director - CT/MA/RI, USDA, APHIS, PPQ, 900 Northrop Rd., Suite C, Wallingford, CT 06492. Attn: Ms. Patricia M. Douglass. Inside delivery required.

Deliver 4,000 copies to: State Plant Health Director - VT/NH, USDA, APHIS, PPQ, 617 Comstock Rd., Suite 3, Berlin, Vermont 05602. Attn: Mr. Mark Michaelis 802-828-4490. Inside delivery required.

Deliver 1,000 copies to: Press Secretary, Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation, 251 Causeway St., Suite 600, Boston, MA 02114. Attn: Wendy Fox, 617-626-1453. Inside delivery required.

Deliver 5,000 copies to: Public Affairs Specialist, USDA Forest Service, Office of Communication, 11 Campus Blvd., Suite 200, Newtown Square, PA 19073 Inside delivery required.

Deliver 2,000 copies to: State Plant Pest Survey Coordinator, Massachusetts Department of Agricultural Resources, 251 Causeway St., Suite 500, Boston, MA 02114-2151. Attn: Jennifer Forman Orth, Ph.D., 617-626-1735. Inside delivery required.

Deliver 2 copies, marked Depository Copies, Item 0014-A to the U.S. Government Printing Office, Depository Receiving Section, 44 H Street, NW Loading Dock, Room A-150, Washington, D.C. 20401.

Deliver 15 copies, marked File Copies to the Library of Congress, Madison Building, Anglo-American Acquisition Division, Government Documents Section, C Street (between 1st & 2nd), SE, Washington, D.C. 20540.

Deliver one (1) sample and government furnished materials to: USDA, OC Printing Division, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 501A, Washington, DC 20250. Attn: Cynthia McNeill (202) 720-8189.

Deliver one (1) sample to: U.S. Government Printing Office, Customer Services Department, Agency Publishing Services, AST 3, Attn: Kevin Hodges, Mail Stop CSAPS, Room C838, 732 North Capitol Street, NW, Washington, DC 20401

QUALITY ASSURANCE LEVELS AND STANDARDS: The following levels and standards shall apply to these specifications:

Inspection Levels (from ANSI/ASQC Z1.4):

(a) Non-destructive Tests -- General Inspection Level I.

(b) Destructive Tests -- Special Inspection Level S-2.

Specified Standards-- The specified standards for the attributes requiring them shall be:

ATTRIBUTE

SPECIFIED STANDARD

P-7. Type Quality and Uniformity

Approved Proofs/Electronic Media

QUALITY ASSURANCE RANDOM COPIES: The contractor will be required to sign a statement furnished by GPO certifying that copies were selected as directed. Business Reply Mail labels will be furnished for mailing the quality assurance random copies. The copies are to be mailed at the same time as the first scheduled shipment. A U.S. Postal Service approved Certificate of Mailing, identified by Jacket and Purchase Order numbers, must be furnished with billing as evidence of mailing.

DISPUTES: GPO Publication 310.2, GPO Contract Terms, Contract Clause 5. Disputes, is hereby replaced with the June 2008 clause found at <http://www.gpo.gov/printforms/pdf/contractdisputes.pdf>. This June 2008 clause also cancels and supersedes any other disputes language currently included in existing contractual actions.