

**PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS AND CONDITIONS – PREQUALIFICATION OF BIDDERS.**

**(REV 3-15-16) (FY 2026-27)**

ARTICLE 2-1 is deleted and the following substituted:

**2-1 Contractor Experience.**

The Department does not require a Contractor to have a certificate of qualification if bidding Maintenance contracts. Maintenance contracts may require potential bidders to have and document certain experience in the type of work required for the contract. If this requirement is applicable to a contract, detailed experience requirements will be listed in the advertisement and a form will be included with the bid package to document such experience. The form must be fully and accurately completed by the potential bidder and received by the Department before or at the opening of the bids.

A person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit the following:

1. A bid on a Contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity.
2. A bid on a Contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work.
3. Bids on leases of real property to a public entity.

A person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017 F.S., for Category Two. All restrictions apply for a period of 36 months from the date of placement on the convicted vendor list.