

Limited Tendering Exceptions

Awarded Supplier	Description	Contract Start	Award Value	LTE Code
Canadawide Scientific Limited 2300 Walkley Road Ottawa, ON, K1G 6B1	Automation-Ready Centrifugal Evaporator & Lyophilizer	2026-08-01	\$200,000.00	LTE-B-iii
Enid Slack Consulting Inc. Institute on Municipal Finance and Governance School of Cities University of Toronto 149 College Street, Suite 402 Toronto, ON M5T 1P5	Policy Papers & Presentation on Municipal Finance Content	2026-08-01	\$909,805.68	LTE-C
Matrix Video Communications Corp 1626-115 Avenue NE Unit 103 Calgary, AB, T3K 2E4	Classroom Audio-Visual Equipment	2026-07-17	\$337,253.55	LTE-A-i
Ivey Business School Foundation 1255 Western Road London, ON, N6G 0N1	Specialized Business Teaching Cases Materials	2026-07-01	\$1,096,250.00	LTE-B-ii
Cohere Inc. 200-171 John Street Toronto, ON, M5T 1X3	Enterprise License & Professional Services for Cohere North	2026-06-18	\$21,361,200.00	LTE-B-iii
Canadian Advanced Therapies Training Institute (CATTI) Inc. CP 22128 BP Iberville Montreal, H1Y 3K8, QC	Advanced Therapies GMP Training Program	2026-04-01	\$216,000.00	LTE-B-iii
SAP Canada Inc. 222 Bay Street Suite 2000 Toronto, ON M5K 1B7	SAP Asset Manager Annual Licence Renewal	2026-03-31	\$127,982.88	LTE-B-ii
Richard Powers Consulting Inc 1 Bedford Rd, Suite 314 Toronto, ON, M5R 2B5	Design and Delivery of Program Curriculum	2025-09-01	\$197,370.00	LTE-B-iii

Procurement Policy Exemptions: Limited Tendering and Non-Application Codes

CFTA Chapter 5 / CETA Chapter 19 / OQTCA Chapter 9

Limited Tendering Exception Codes

A	i. If no tenders or quotations were submitted or no suppliers requested participation; ii. If no tenders or quotations that conform to the essential requirements of the tender or quotation documentation were submitted; iii. If no suppliers satisfied the conditions for participation; iv. If the submitted tenders were collusive;
B	If the goods or services can be supplied only by a particular supplier and no reasonable alternative or substitute goods or services exist for any of the following reasons: i. the requirement is for a work of art; ii. the protection of patents, copyrights, or other exclusive rights; iii. due to an absence of competition for technical reasons; iv. the supply of goods or services is controlled by a supplier that is a statutory monopoly; v. to ensure compatibility with existing goods or to maintain specialized goods that must be maintained by the manufacturer of those goods or its representative; vi. work is to be performed on property by a contractor according to provisions of a warranty or guarantee held in respect of the property or the original; vii. work is to be performed on a leased building or related property, or portions thereof, that may be performed only by the lessor; viii. the procurement is for subscriptions to newspapers, magazines, or other periodicals;
C	For additional deliveries by the original supplier of goods or services that were not included in the initial procurement, if a change of supplier for such additional goods or services: (i) cannot be made for economic or technical reasons such as requirements of interchangeability or interoperability with existing equipment, software, services, or installations procured under the initial procurement; and (ii) would cause significant inconvenience or substantial duplication of costs for the procuring entity;
D	If strictly necessary, and for reasons of urgency brought about by events unforeseeable by the procuring entity, the goods or services could not be obtained in time using open tendering;
E	For goods purchased on a commodity market;
F	If a procuring entity procures a prototype or a first good or service that is developed in the course of, and for, a particular contract for research, experiment, study, or original development. Original development of a first good or service may include limited production or supply in order to incorporate the results of field testing and to demonstrate that the good or service is suitable for production or supply in quantity to acceptable quality standards, but does not include quantity production or supply to establish commercial viability or to recover research and development costs;
G	For purchases made under exceptionally advantageous conditions that only arise in the very short term in the case of unusual disposals such as those arising from liquidation, receivership, or bankruptcy, but not for routine purchases from regular suppliers;
H	If a contract is awarded to a winner of a design contest provided that: (i) the contest has been organized in a manner that is consistent with the principles of this Chapter, in particular relating to the publication of a tender notice; and (ii) the participants are judged by an independent jury with a view to a design contract being awarded to a winner;
I	If goods or consulting services regarding matters of a confidential or privileged nature are to be purchased and the disclosure of those matters through an open tendering process could reasonably be expected to compromise government confidentiality, result in the waiver of privilege, cause economic disruption, or otherwise be contrary to the public interest.