

ADDENDUM NO. 2

DATE: June 4, 2010
TO: PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS
PROJECT: HYNES CONVENTION CENTER FIRE ALARM REPLACEMENT
Boston, Massachusetts

This Addendum forms part of and modifies the Bidding and Contract Documents, dated May 19, 2010. Acknowledge receipt of this Addendum on the BID FORM.

Where any original item called for in the Project Manual or indicated on the Drawings is supplemented hereby, the supplemental requirements shall be considered as added thereto.

Where any original item is amended, voided, or superseded hereby, the other provisions of such items not specifically amended, voided, or superseded shall remain in effect.

Questions and Answers:

- Q1. On existing devices and equipment that is designated to remain poses a problem if the new system is not simplex but one of the others specified as compatible. Then the existing to remain has to be replaced
- A1. Existing devices that are remaining are limited to non fire alarm components such as door holders and the smoke control graphic panels. All other fire alarm devices shall be new with the exception of the restaurant system.
- Q2. On the riser diagram it is stated that all existing transponder cabinets especially the fan control cabinets are to be removed and replaced, however how can we determine the correct number of relays required if there are no quantity indicated.
- A2. The quantity of fans are indicated in detail 2 on drawing FA.6.1. Include a Start, Stop, damper position, LED on, LED off, damper open LED and damper closed LED relays for each fan. These existing upgraded fire alarm modules are in addition to the new modules required by detail 6 on FA.6.1.
- Q3. In the restaurant being completed by simplex and tying back to the main FACP is fine but if a new system vendor is selected how will that be compatible with simplex?
- A3. The restaurant shall remain Simplex regardless of building system vendor. The new system shall include an alarm, trouble, supervisory and Ansul system discharge signal interface at the existing restaurant panel as well as inputs from the new building system to the existing restaurant system for alarm initiation and paging input.
- Q4. There are numerous places where we have to tie into the existing starter for HVAC equipment, however location of said starts are not indicated nor is there assumed distance to use.
- A4. Include 125 feet per fan of new pipe and wire from an existing upgraded fire alarm module to new modules.