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Canadian Numbering Administration Consortium (CNAC)

Vendors are invited to submit proposals for Canadian Numbering Administrator (CNA) Position

OTTAWA – October 7, 2022 — The Canadian Numbering Administration Consortium (CNAC) today issued a Request for Proposals (RFP) from prospective vendors to operate as the Canadian Numbering Administrator (CNA) for the five-year term commencing on January 1, 2024. The deadline for the proposals to be received in answer to this RFP is January 13, 2023.

The CNA is the entity responsible for administering all telecommunications numbering resources in Canada. CNAC and the CNA operate under the regulatory supervision of the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission (CRTC) and are funded by the Canadian telecommunications industry. The CNA role is currently performed by COMsolve Inc. under agreement with CNAC which expires on December 31st 2023.

CNAC is owned by shareholders comprised of various Canadian telecommunications service providers from the Canadian telecommunications industry. The CRTC has delegated to CNAC the responsibility of supervising the administration of numbering resources in Canada. In this role CNAC will contract with the vendor selected to perform the CNA role under a five-year contract commencing 1 January 2024 and ending on 31 December 2028.

Vendors interested in obtaining a copy of the RFP may download it from the CNAC web site at www.cnac.ca where additional information on Canadian numbering administration may be obtained.

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