

**COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES
DIVISION OF SURPLUS PROPERTY MANAGEMENT
SPECIFICATIONS FOR 50 TON LOWBOY EQUIPMENT TRAILER**

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this specification is to establish a purchase requirement for a 50 ton capacity three axle detachable “goose neck” lowboy equipment trailer, for use by the Virginia Department of Surplus Property Management.

SCOPE:

The specifications below describe the general requirements for **ONE (1)** new 50 ton capacity rated lowboy equipment trailer and associated equipment. The trailer supplied must comply with all U.S. Department of Transportation, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Bureau of Motor Carrier Safety, Federal Motor Trailer Safety Standards, and all State of Virginia rules and regulations in effect at the time of purchase.

The following specifications are intended to define the minimum level of quality and performance of the requested product, and are meant to be met or exceeded. The specifications are not meant to be restrictive as to brand name or manufacturer. All equipment bid may be the brand name and model, or shall be **equivalent** to brand names and/or any other specification elements.

BIDDER REQUIREMENTS:

The lowboy trailer and equipment offered in answer to this request for bid must be a new and unused current production model of the equipment required. No prototype, or demonstrator, or rebuilt product will be accepted, and offering of such a product will be cause for bid rejection. All components, unless otherwise required by these specifications, shall be the standard or optional equipment specifically advertised and installed by the manufacturer. All items not specifically mentioned in the specifications, but necessary to furnish a complete unit ready for use shall also be included.

Bidders shall submit complete technical data of the product being offered, with an itemized comparison of the product offered with these specifications. A trailer offered by a bidder may contain equipment that is in addition to the basic trailer equipment required in the specifications below, or which exceeds the basic equipment stated in the specifications below. **Bidder must provide with the bid a completed specifications form with information of the trailer and equipment offered filled in at the appropriate places in the specifications form.** Bidders shall use the lines in the right column across from the specifications to provide information for specific items, or signify conformance to specifications, and/or list deviations and equivalent alternatives. All blank lines in the specifications text must be filled out with appropriate data. The Commonwealth reserves the right to obtain technical data and to request clarification when deemed necessary. **Failure on the part of the bidder/Vendor to provide all requested documentation may be cause to reject the bid/request as non-responsive.**

Bidders shall provide delivery for trailers offered, FOB destination. Deliver to Virginia Department Surplus Management, ___ (Address) ___ between 8:00 AM and 3:30 PM Monday thru Friday. Contact _____ at (xxx) xxx-xxxx ext. xxxx not less than 48 hours prior to delivery. Provide your best delivery lead time after receipt of order (ARO), in the “DELIVERY TIME....” section provided at the end of the specifications.

A final acceptance inspection of the finished trailer shall be conducted at the delivery location after notification by the Contractor to the Agency that the trailer is completed. All transportation of the trailer to the delivery location shall be the responsibility of the Contractor. If defects are found at final inspection, they must be corrected by the Contractor within no greater than fifteen (15) business

