QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS BY POTENTIAL BIDDERS FOR RFP #2025-01 (Legal Research)

Ouestion 1.

RFP Section 1.0 on page 2 indicates JBE currently utilizes Westlaw, and the contract expires Jan. 31. How much does JBE currently pay annually pursuant to this contract?

Answer 1.

The Shasta County Superior Court pays \$3,264.02 monthly for the final year of the contract with Westlaw. The total amount paid for the final year will be \$39,168.24.

Question 2.

As part of the evaluation process, we would like to provide trial IDs to members of the Evaluation Committee. Please provide a list of names and email addresses so we can set up the trial IDs.

Answer 2.

The Court will provide the contact information for the Evaluation Committee when the Court and vendor schedule the video presentations identified in Section 2.0 of the Request for Proposals. The Court intends on scheduling the video presentations after the proposals have been received.

Ouestion 3.

Could you please clarify your artificial intelligence (AI) request outlined in Section 2 (page 2)? Specifically, while AI capabilities are already integrated into many legal research platforms, including your current solution, we want to understand if your requirement focuses on a generative AI legal assistant.

Including a generative AI legal assistant would be a significant advancement in your legal research solution and could impact pricing. Therefore, confirming the specific type of AI capabilities you are seeking will help us tailor our proposal to your needs.

Answer 3.

The Court is seeking AI assisted research. For example, a search engine that uses AI to produce a response to an inquiry and supporting authority. The Court is not requesting generative AI services.