



Canadian International  
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CANADIAN  
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TRADE TRIBUNAL

# Procurement

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## DETERMINATION

File PR-2024-038

ADGA Group Consultants Inc.

v.

Department of Public Works and  
Government Services

*Determination issued  
Monday, January 20, 2025*

IN THE MATTER OF a complaint filed by ADGA Group Consultants Inc. pursuant to subsection 30.11(1) of the *Canadian International Trade Tribunal Act*;

AND FURTHER TO a decision to conduct an inquiry into the complaint pursuant to subsection 30.13(1) of the *Canadian International Trade Tribunal Act*.

**BETWEEN**

**ADGA GROUP CONSULTANTS INC.**

**Complainant**

**AND**

**THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND GOVERNMENT  
SERVICES**

**Government  
Institution**

**DETERMINATION**

Upon reviewing the evidence and materials filed, and for more detailed reasons to follow, the Canadian International Trade Tribunal concludes as follows:

- (1) The evaluation of the bid submitted by ADGA Group Consultants Inc. (ADGA) for Workstreams 3 and 5 of the solicitation at issue was reasonable, having regard to the deferential standard of review that the Tribunal is required to apply.
- (2) ADGA's grounds for complaint that the bid of the successful bidder for Workstreams 3, 4 and 5 should have been disqualified are, on the facts of this case, matters of contract administration, which falls outside the Tribunal's jurisdiction.

Accordingly, and pursuant to subsection 30.14(2) of the *Canadian International Trade Tribunal Act* (CITT Act), the Tribunal determines that the complaint is not valid.

Pursuant to section 30.16 of the CITT Act, the Tribunal may make an award of costs. The parties may make submissions on costs within 15 days of the issuance of the Tribunal's statement of reasons.

Susan D. Beaubien

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Susan D. Beaubien  
Presiding Member

The statement of reasons will be issued at a later date.