

**NOTICE**  
**Request For Proposals For Special Litigation Counsel**

**Bid Number: GO-SLC07172012**

**Bid Closing: July 17, 2012; 3:00 p.m. ET**

The State of Delaware is seeking expedited responses to the Request for Proposals ("RFP") issued by the Office of the Governor ("Office"). The Office seeks to engage a law firm to act as Special Litigation Counsel ("Special Litigation Counsel") to represent the Governor in *Nichols, et al. v. Markell, et al.*, C.A. No. 1:12-cv-00777-CJB, pending in the United States District Court for the District of Delaware (the "Litigation"). In the Litigation, plaintiffs John A. Nichols and FuelCell Energy, Inc. (the "Plaintiffs") assert claims for declaratory and injunctive relief against the Governor and the executive director and commissioners of the Delaware Public Service Commission (the "PSC"). In addition to Governor Jack Markell, the individual defendants are William O'Brien, in his capacity as Executive Director of the PSC, and individual commissioners of the PSC, Jaymes B. Lester, Joann Conaway, Dallas Winslow and Jeffrey Clark (collectively, the "Defendants").

The RFP is available at the following web sites:

<http://bids.delaware.gov>  
<http://attorneygeneral.delaware.gov>

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**RFP Schedule**

ID	Date/Time	Activity
1	July 9, 2012	Request for Proposal issued, posted on the State's website at <a href="http://bids.delaware.gov">http://bids.delaware.gov</a> and the Attorney General's website at <a href="http://attorneygeneral.delaware.gov">http://attorneygeneral.delaware.gov</a> .
2	<b>July 17, 2012 - 3:00 p.m. ET</b>	<b>RFP Response due date</b> (the "Closing Date")
3	July 18, 2012	Contract awarded (subject to change)