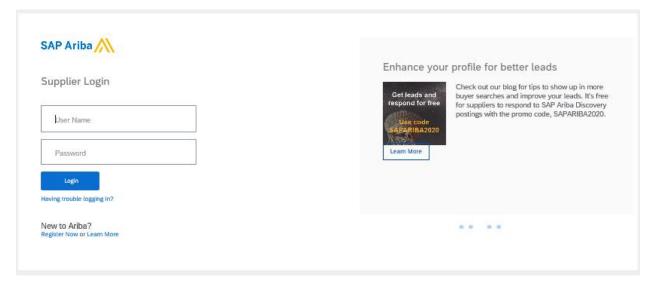
## 1. How to Participate in a Collaboration Request

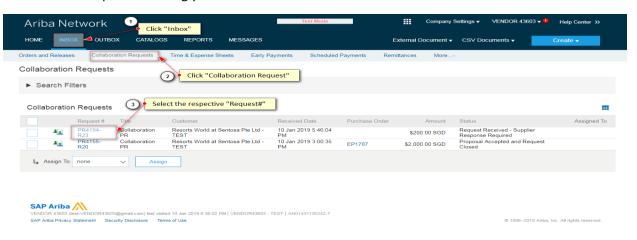
A Collaboration Request is the document by which RWS works with you as a Supplier to find, evaluate and obtain goods and/or services. During the collaboration process, RWS sends information about collaboration requests to Supplier online Inbox on the Ariba Network. The Quick Links panel on your Home Dashboard indicates you have received a new collaboration request. In your online Inbox, you can view collaboration requests, assign collaboration requests and search for specific collaboration requests.

#### Supplier log-in to submit quote:

https://service.ariba.com/Supplier.aw/125003089/aw?awh=r&awssk=yyAY0hte&dard=1

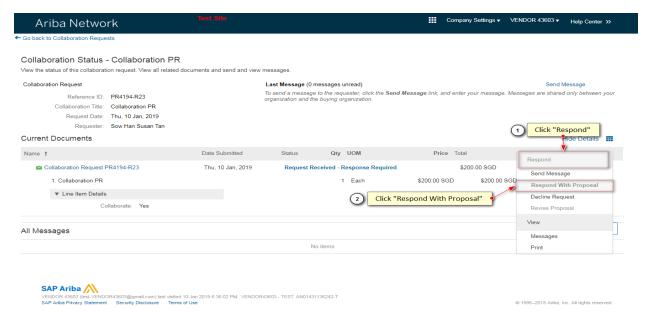


From the Home page, click on "Inbox" and you can see under the Collaboration Requests to view the collaboration requests needing your attention.

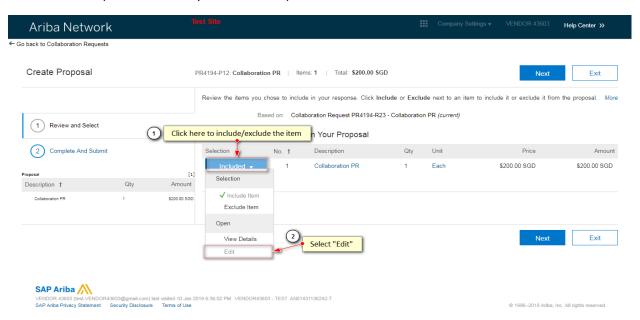


#### Respond with Proposal

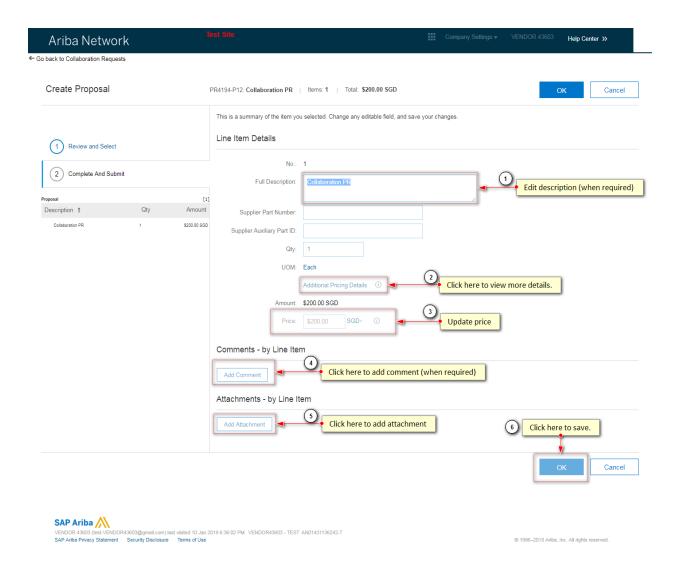
To respond with a proposal, simply click on "Respond" and select "Respond with Proposal".



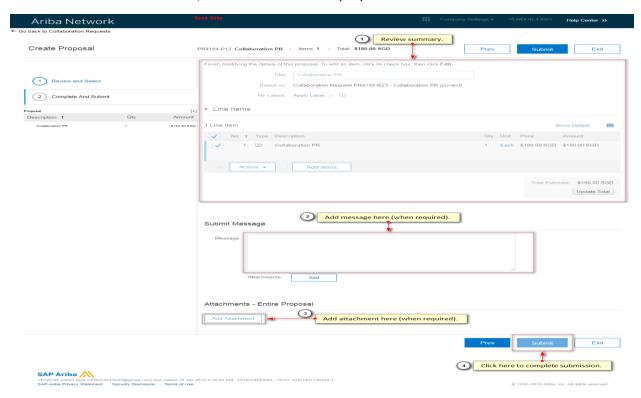
Under Selection, select "Include/Exclude Item", select "Edit" and click on "Next".



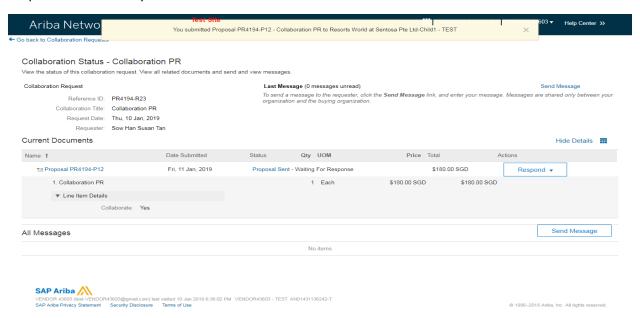
Enter or update the fields accordingly. To proceed, click "OK" to save.



At the summary page, review details entered. You may enter message or attach attachments if required. Once details have been verified, click "Submit" to send proposal.



#### Proposal is successfully submitted.

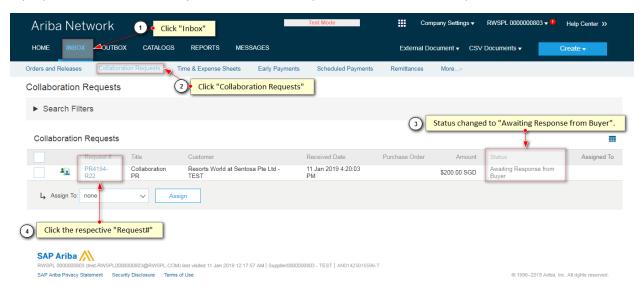


### Respond with Proposal - Edit

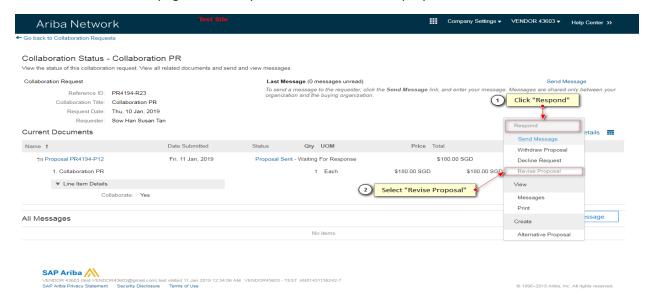
In the event that you want to make changes to the proposal that you have submitted, go to "Inbox", under "Collaboration Requests", click on the Request that you want to amend.

#### Note:

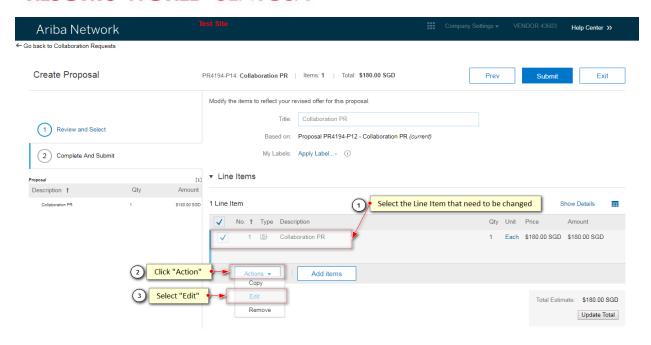
A proposal can be revised only if RWS has not accepted the collaboration request.



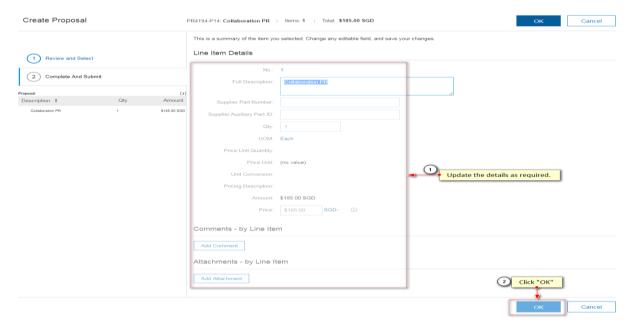
At the Collaboration PR page, click "Respond" and select "Revise proposal".



Select on the line item that needs to be changed, click on "Action" and select "Edit".



Make the required changes and click on "Ok" after changes are done. Add messages or attachments if applicable. Click "Submit" to complete the resubmission.

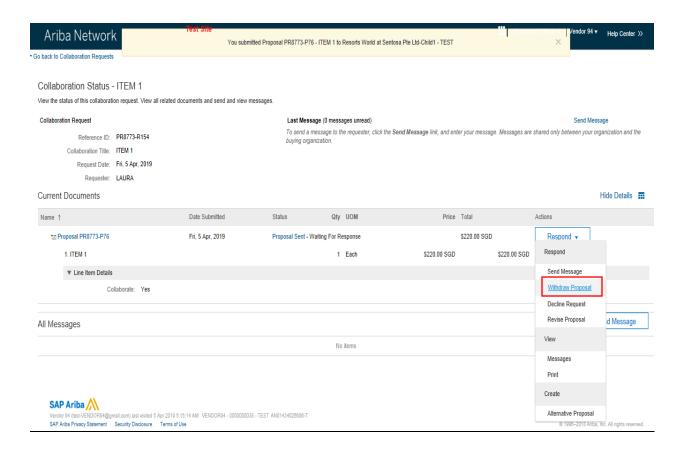


Respond with Proposal - Withdraw

After a proposal has been submitted to RWS, it can be withdrawn by you.

Click "Withdraw Request" from the Respond Menu.

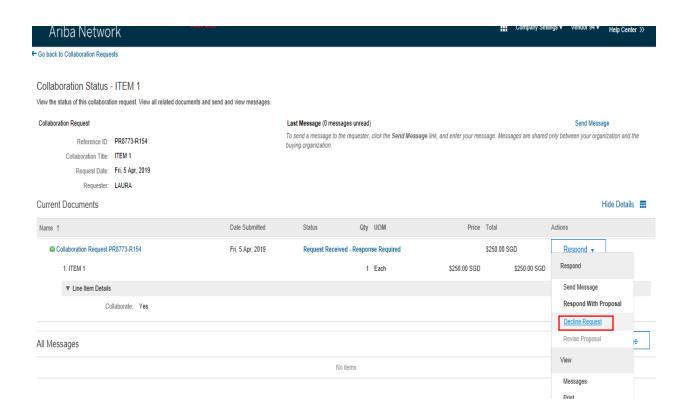
Enter a withdraw reason and comments. Click "OK".



#### Respond with Proposal - Decline

To decline a proposal, click on "Respond" and select "Decline Request".

Enter a decline reason and a comment. Click "OK".



#### **Transaction Status**

Status	Description
Request Received – Supplier Response Required	A new Collaboration request is in your Inbox. The
	Buyer is awaiting your response.

Awaiting Response from Buyer	The Buyer is reviewing the proposal submitted.
Proposal Accepted By Buyer	The Buyer has accepted all line items on the proposal submitted. Note: Proposal Accepted may require additional approval within the buying organization. This indicates an intent to pursue the proposal, but is not finalized.
Proposal Rejected By Buyer	The Buyer has rejected the entire proposal submitted. The supplier may choose to resubmit a revised proposal until the request has been closed.
Proposal Withdrawn By Supplier	You have decided to withdraw a proposal which you had submitted. You declined to submit a proposal to the Buyer's request.
Request Declined By Supplier	You declined to submit a proposal to the Buyer's request.
Request Canceled By Buyer	The Buyer has decided to cancel the request. No further action is allowed.
Request Closed	The request has been closed through the Buyer's selection of an alternative proposal. No further action is allowed.
Proposal Accepted and Request Closed	The Buyer has accepted your proposal and therefore closed the request. No further action is allowed.