
REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA

MOLDOVA RURAL CONNECTIVITY PROJECT - P180153

NATIONAL ROAD ADMINISTRATION

**CLARIFICATION DOCUMENT No.1
TO CONSULTANTS' QUESTIONS ON RFP**

Consulting Services for Construction Supervision of:

The Rehabilitation of Corridor 24:

**Lot 1: Section 1: road G133:G132-Tartaul-Gotesti-R34, km 0+000-
km 14+920 and Section 2: road G132:R35-Baimaclia-Taraclia
de Salcie-R32, km 14+220-km 20+350**

**Lot 2: Section 1: road G131:R35-Bobocica-G132, km 0+000-km
12+000, and Section 2: road G131:R35-Bobocica-G132, km 12+000-
km 22+110**

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Question 1

Section 7. Terms of Reference

Regarding the RfP, Section 7. Terms of Reference, part 4. Consultant's Qualification, Team Composition, Staffing Input & Qualification Requirements, on the table of expert's person-month table, we would like to request you to increase the person-month inputs of short-term experts from 10 to 15 for proposing better team composition in this tender. We kindly ask you to clarify this statement for the complete submission of the Proposal.

Answer

Consultants are directed attention that the input specified in the ToR for Non-Key Staff/Technical Support Staff is only a Client's estimation of the necessary time.

The ToR is express in further stating that "the exact estimation of the input of the non-key specialists remains at the Consultant's discretion.

In any case, the minimum total person-months established for each expert should correspond to the amount required in the ToR."

Therefore, should Consultants consider that performance of the assignment under their approach and methodology requires a greater input than the Client's estimation, Consultants are free to propose their input.

Question 2

Section 2. Instructions to Consultants. E. Data Sheet ITC 14.1.4

We kindly request to know the maximum budget.

Answer

As per the published Procurement Plan, the estimated budget for this consultancy assignment is EUR 1.500.000,00.

Question 3

Section 2. Instructions to Consultants. E. Data Sheet ITC 11.1. "Participation of Sub-consultants, Key experts and Non-Key Experts in more than on Proposal in permissible: Yes"

We understand that the company we were considering as a local sub-consultant is currently

engaged as the Designer's Representative. In this case, would there be any issue if the same company participates as a sub-consultant during the construction supervision stage? We would like to confirm whether this situation would constitute a Conflict of Interest.

Answer

The details of the Designer's Representative is purposefully provided in the ANNEX A to the ToR and the respective firm shall be retained to execute the specific statutory role as described in the Task 8: Compliance with the Urban Planning and Construction Code. Therefore, the firm assigned the role of Designer's Representative shall not be proposed in other sub-consultant's role.