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TO: Potential Bidders

DATE: 23 March 2020

SUBJECT: Questions and Answers Amendment #1 to Invitation for International Bidding IFIB-ACT-JFTC 19-61 for Analyst Assistant Contractor Support to the NATO Pre-Deployment Training Events conducted by the Joint Force Training Centre.

Please find below the questions and answers. Published answers shall be regarded as the authoritative interpretation of the SA RFP.

Question 1

In Work Package 1, JFTC is requesting: Building (B): 8x3 (LxWxH) container block (24 containers) while Annex C distinctly shows 10X4 (40 containers). Can you please let us know which requirement is correct. Also, if the 8x3 (LxWxH) container block (24 containers) Requirement is correct, can you please provide us the layout?

Answer 1

Revised on 23 March 2020 Statement of Work provides updated layouts.

Question 2

The picture for the Container Building (B) on page 12 does not match the requirement under section 5.A on Page 1. Please let us know which one is correct.

Answer 2

Revised on 23 March 2020 Statement of Work provides updated layouts.

Question 3

The Drawing for Container Building (A) – First Floor on page 11 shows the Red Team having an area which is larger than 3 containers. If this is correct, how would you like us to divide the containers to obtain this layout?

Answer 3

This shall be done by adjusting/removing the sides of the 3 containers facing “Cyber Server” Room and adding a divider.

Question 4

Under Annex A, paragraph 7.C will the night silence regulations prevent us from operating and HVAC during the specified hours? If so, at what time of the day will the temperature limitation of 20 to 23 degrees Celsius become effective?

Answer 4

The HVAC shall not affect the night silence regulations. This has already been done during pervious exercises without affecting the night silence regulations

Question 5

Is the contractor expected to keep the container building B up During Work Package? We did not find a provision for removal of the container building after WP1 in the pricing document.

Answer 5

Bldg "B" is required only for WP1. For WP2 only constructions A,C,E are required. Everything else (B, D) must be removed after the end of WP1.

Question 6

Under Annex A paragraph 7.B. We need to know the following:

- a. Distance from the tent to the JTFC power source
- b. JTFC power source connections
- c. Power requirements inside the tent.

Answer 6

For power requirements at this moment, we can provide tentative details as follows:

	Servers	Workstations	Server Power(W)	People
Bldg.A-Ground Floor	118	179	55756	180
Bldg.A First Floor	7	38	10750	60
Bld. B	6			
Tent C	105		135400	
Tent D		12		14

Note: Requirements for Bldg.A Ground Floor and Tent C are close to final numbers.

For power source connections and distance from the tent to the JFTC power source the answer will be provided separately.

Question 7

Will the current situation of the COVID-19 outbreak influence this bidding and contract execution?

Answer 7

Yes, it may affect the bidding or contract execution. The JFTC reserves the right to cancel, suspend or withdraw for re-issue at a later date, at any time, this SA RFP either partially or in its entirety. No legal liability on the part of the JFTC shall be considered for recovery of costs in connection to bid preparation. All efforts undertaken by any bidder shall be done considering and accepting, that no costs shall be recovered from the JFTC.

The JFTC reserves the right to amend or delete any one or more of the requirements, terms, conditions or provisions of this Sa RFP prior bid closing. A solicitation amendment or amendments shall announce such action.

Amendments issued before the established time and date for receipt of offers shall be issued to all parties receiving the solicitation.

Amendments issued after the established time and date for receipt of offers shall be issued to all bidders that have not been eliminated from the competition, provided that the reasons for the elimination are not material in the changes.

The COVID-19 outbreak may influence the contract execution as well. It's too early to make affirmative decisions.

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