



Republic of Serbia

MINISTRY OF FINANCE

Department for Contracting and Financing of EU Funded Programmes (CFCU)

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CONTRACTING AUTHORITY'S CLARIFICATIONS No. 1

“Supervision of Construction and upgrading of municipal waste water collection and treatment system in Brus and Blace municipalities”

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No.	Question	Answer
1.	We would like to participate in the subject project's tendering process and thus we kindly request you to provide its TORs/tender documents in reply to this email.	Please note that at the first stage of the restricted procedure, relevant information for potential candidates is provided in the <i>Contact Notice</i> and <i>Additional information about the Contract Notice</i> . Only shortlisted candidates will be provided with the tender dossier and invited to submit detailed tenders for this contract.
2.	We went through the document provided in the "Document Library" section and we didn't find any information on the scope, volume, past performance, and staff requirements; thus, we kindly request you to provide the project documents so that we can prepare our proposal accordingly.	Please refer to Answer No 1
3.	As the deadline for the project is close we kindly request you to provide the tender documents the soonest.	Please refer to Answer No 1

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4.	<p>We kindly ask for information whether the offer can be submitted in electronic form, i.e. signed offer and scanned to PDF version and sent to you via e-mail. Our request is motivated by the limited work of the office and much more efficient preparation of the offer in electronic form due to the pandemic. The state of epidemic which is all over the world in connection with the coronavirus pandemic affects many areas of activity. Due to the significant risk of the spread of the coronavirus, various restrictions have been put in place and many companies are working in a limited direct contact mode. Additionally, the services provided by courier and airline companies also do not guarantee that the foreign bidder's offer will arrive within the specified time frame.</p>	<p>Please note that the application must be submitted in paper form. As per Additional Information, point 23, applications must be submitted in English exclusively to the contracting authority in a sealed envelope either by post or by courier service, or hand delivered by the participant in person or by an agent directly to the premises of the contracting authority.</p> <p>Also, in accordance with point 24, The candidate's attention is drawn to the fact that there are two different systems for sending applications: one is by post or private mail service, the other is by hand delivery.</p> <p>In the first case, the application must be sent before the date and time limit for submission, as evidenced by the postmark or deposit slip, but in the second case it is the acknowledgment of receipt given at the time of the delivery of the application that will serve as proof."</p> <p>So far, the applications submitted by courier service for other public calls have reached the Contracting Authority within the specified deadline.</p>

