

CLARIFICATION NOTE #1

Procurement procedure: GSA/OP/09/16 – “Provision of specialised support to GSA’s market development”

Question #1: With regards to criterion F2, in case a tenderer wishes to submit a proposal for more than one lot, but with different configurations (e.g., different consortia or consortia/ sole bidder) can you please clarify in detail how yearly turnover threshold will be evaluated? Furthermore, are also subcontractors included in the evaluation of such threshold?

Answer: According to section 3.2.3 of the tender specifications the threshold set in criterion F2 applies to all consortium members cumulatively (respectively if there is no consortium - to the sole prime bidder), not taking into account subcontractors’ turnover.

Tenderer’s turnover will be evaluated separately for each lot, irrespective whether some entities, included in the prime organisation (consortium member / single bidder) apply for more than one lot.

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