
TO: All Bidders
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SUBJECT: Clarifications No.1 – ITB No. 2021-0024/JIBRIL

Dear Sales Manager,

Please find attached the response to queries raised by an interested bidder in respect of ITB No. 2021-0024/JIBRIL “Procurement of IT Equipment for the National Data Centres' Capacity Building Systems”.

Please take this response into account in the preparation and submission of your bid.

We are looking forward to receiving your bid prior to the submission deadline on 15 April 2021, 17:00 hours, Vienna (Austria) local time.

Kind regards



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Item#	Question	Answer
1	How big should the rack be? Should it only contain the equipment from the tender (only points 1+2 or also 4 to 6 of the ToR)?	Only items listed in Tables 1 and 2 of the ToR should be mounted into a rack. This defines the minimum size of the rack to be chosen.
2	Should the rack be mobile or fixed in the data centre?	Both options must be ensured. The rack should be equipped with rollers so it can be moved in case of need, and it should be possible to fix it, in case the Commission decides so.
3	Should only the systems from the tender be connected to the PDU?	All items must be powered from UPS either by direct connection to UPS's outlet/outputs or through the PDU.
4	Should the PDU be connected directly to the USV (UPS)?	Yes, that is mandatory.
5	What about the second circuit for redundancy (redundant power supplies in the server are required)? Does this run separately, and should it be routed via a second PDU?	CB system configuration doesn't assume additional/backup power supply besides the UPS mentioned in Table 2 of the ToR. The server is supposed to be shut down by the signal from the UPS in case of absence of external power supply and its batteries are discharged to a very low level (see point 2.4).