
TO: All Bidders
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SUBJECT: Clarifications No. 2 – ITB No. 2021-0024/JIBRIL
Extension of the Deadline.

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”. Kindly note that previous queries and corresponding responses have been greyed out.

Please note the deadline for the submission of bids is extended to **Wednesday, 21 April 2021**, 17:00 hours, Vienna (Austria) local time

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 extended deadline for the submission of bids on 21 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).
6	Laptops: a- What inch size is desired?	The specification 4.4 defines only Full HD (1920 x 1080) resolution for the laptop screen that usually corresponds to 15.6 inch.
	b- Is a keyboard with a US International layout mandatory, or will an International English keyboard be accepted?	US International keyboard layout is mandatory.
	c- Is there a preferred manufacturer (HP, Lenovo, etc.)?	There is no preference.
7	Personal Computers (Workstations): a- What case form factor is desired? Tower PC, Mini PC, Small Form Factor?	There is no strict requirement, but the smaller form factor is preferable.
	b- Is a keyboard with a US International layout mandatory, or will an International English keyboard also be accepted?	US International keyboard layout is mandatory.
	c- Is there a preferred manufacturer (HP, Lenovo etc.)?	There is no preference.