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Clarification No 1

Reference: Open call for tenders No EEA/MDI/14/005

Title: IT and GIS consultancy services on implementation of Copernicus

Reference Data Access (RDA) Component and on supporting EEA in

other Copernicus related activities (2 lots)

Question 1

With reference to section 7.4. (Place of delivery/performance of the services) of the tender specifications, could you provide a rough estimation on the ratio between extramural and intramural services for Lot1 and Lot2?

Answer 1

For Lot1 and Lot2 rough estimation of the ratio between extramural and intramural services is respectively 1/3 of extramural services and 2/3 of intramural services. However, this is subject to change depending on the specific contracts and the nature of the tasks, therefore the given indications are non-binding.

Question 2

With reference to section 10.3.1. of the tender specifications, award criterion 1.1 on technical merit for Lot1, could you please clarify how to apply the ten-page limit: does it refer to that award criterion or to each of the criterion listed?.

Answer 2

The ten pages limit applies to the award criterion 1.1.

Question 3

With reference to section 7.1. of the tender specifications the table describes the deliverables to be provided for 12 months when the tender refers to a framework contract(s) for an initial period of 24 months. Could you clarify this?

Answer 3

The deliverables listed under section 7.1. are to be provided within 12 months for the tasks and services described respectively in sections 6.3.1. and 6.3.2. Framework contract(s) for an initial period of 24 months is/are addressing tasks and services also described under section 6.3.3 which are to be provided in 2015 and beyond.