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Clarification No 1 for open call for tenders:

Framework service contract for GMES Fast Track Service Precursor on land monitoring

Reference number: EEA/SES/09/003

Question 1:

A EEA has been asked to provide the links to the following documentation, mentioned in the Tender specifications, Section 4 Documentation for tenderers:

1. 38 country delivery reports;
2. The European mosaic delivery report (EEA-FTSP-Sealing_DeliveryReport-EuropeanMosaic Issue 1.0 – issued on 31.10.2008);
3. 31 reports - qualitative assessment (following EEA, 2008, Guidelines for verification of high resolution soil sealing layer – Qualitative assessment) performed by the countries;
4. 6 reports - quantitative assessment (following ETC-LUSI, 2008, Recommendations - Quantitative assessment high-resolution soil sealing layer) performed by the countries;

B In the Tender specifications, section 3.1, member countries verification reports are mentioned. What is the overall difference between these reports and the reports listed in section 4?

Answer 1:

A All documents have been uploaded under 'Information documentation for tenderers' at <http://www.eea.europa.eu/about-us/tenders/eea-ses-09-003>

B The reports under section 3.1 are based on a pure qualitative assessment. These reports are the same as listed under section 4.3 (qualitative assessments). Furthermore, under section 4.4, there are as well 6 reports with a quantitative assessment performed by a limited number of countries.