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Answers to the questions provided by the Tenderer in the open competition „Detailed technical design review and design expertise services for Rail Baltica in Latvia”, Id No RBR 2019/16

RB Rail AS presents the following answers to the questions from the Tenderers:

No	Questions	Answers
1.	Considering our willing to deliver a high level offer and taking into account the clarification raised, we kindly ask you to release a time extension of 2 weeks.	Hereby the Procurement Commission informs that it has decided to extend the date for submission of proposals till 22.07.2020. Please follow up the information provided in the E-Tender system and RB Rail AS webpage.
2.	Regulation 15. Submission of a proposal. We would like to kindly request an extension of the submission deadline to an additional 2 weeks. This extension will allow Consultants to produce a more detailed and competitive proposal.	Hereby the Procurement Commission informs that it has decided to extend the date for submission of proposals till 22.07.2020. Please follow up the information provided in the E-Tender system and RB Rail AS webpage.
3.	<p>According to clause 7.4.1 of the Regulations “technical and professional ability”, the tenderer “has provided railway design expertise services or railway design review services in at least 3 railway design projects, with a total value of the provided services not less than 3.000.000,00 EUR.”</p> <p>In case the tenderer provides a contract of works supervision services including design review activities, with a total overall amount major than 3.000.000,00 € and covering all the requirements, could you please clarify if this project reference would be accepted, considering that the 3.000.000,00 € are referred to the whole contract and not only to the design review activities?</p>	<p>The Procurement Commission kindly clarifies that in accordance with clause 7.4.1 of Regulations value of the provided services shall not be less than 3 000 000,00 EUR (three million euros, zero cents), meaning that services are railway design expertise or railway design review services.</p> <p>Railway design expertise or railway design review services can be provided within the same contract where other works have been provided as well, however, the value of the provided railway design expertise or railway design review services shall not be less than 3 000 000,00 EUR (three million euros, zero cents).</p> <p>In addition, the Procurement Commission kindly reminds that, as it is set per clause 7.4.1 of the Regulations, <u>railway design solution supervision, verification of completed railway design solutions, such as railway geometry, structures, geotechnics, stations layout plans etc., will be considered as design review services.</u></p>

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