



QUESTIONS & ANSWERS (“Q&A”)

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This Q&A document is being issued to respond to questions submitted by Proponents seeking further clarification.

QUESTION 1:

M3 requires bidders to “Confirm resource availability in Ottawa and regional office cities...”. Can IDRC please confirm that bidders are required to have office locations and local resources in the listed regional cities and not simply be willing to send resources to be onsite in those cities when required (i.e. travel from Canada) to meet this mandatory requirement?

ANSWER:

As per section 2.6 and M3, bidders are required to have local resources in regional office cities. Travel to regional office cities will not be reimbursed except in exceptional circumstances approved by the CAE.

END OF Q&A # 2
