Question and answer #1

Q1. Part 5, para 2.1 states "The Contractor must, at all times during the performance of the Contract, hold a valid Security Clearance at the level of SECRET." Please advice which of the following conditions are acceptable for the proposed resources:

Resources MUST:

1. Hold the clearance at the time of bid closure, or

2. Show proof that the request for clearance/clearance update has been submitted at the time of bid closure, or

3. Hold the clearance prior to accessing any SECRET documents.

A1. Please refer at Part1 – General information, 2. Security requirement at page 6 where it is mentioned that at closing date of Request for Standing Offer, the security requirement stipulated in the Part 5 must be met.