

Title: Equity Support through Institutional and Technical Reforms Project to strengthen the Basic Education Strategic Development Program (PARITÉ)

A. AMENDMENT TO THE REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP):

1. In the RFP, page 20, Section 1. Data Sheet, paragraph reference, Definition (ff) :

DELETE the date: "January 31, 2019".

INSERT the date: "February 7, 2019".

B. QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Question 1: In the evaluation criteria, page 87, for requirement # 2, it states: "Only 1 of the 2 sample projects submitted to meet requirement # 1 is acceptable". Can you clarify if this means that for requirement # 2, it is absolutely necessary to repeat the example of one of the projects mentioned to satisfy requirement # 1? In other words, Global Affairs Canada's expectation is to receive 2 examples of projects or 3 examples of projects?

Answer 1: Bidders should use one of the sample projects submitted for the evaluation criteria Requirement # 1 and describe their experience in implementing technical assistance or capacity building activities as indicated in the evaluation criteria for Requirement # 2, on page 87. DFATD is expecting to receive 2 examples of projects.

Question 2: Can Global Affairs Canada consider the possibility of extending the deadline for submission of the proposal, given the break in activities in Burkina Faso during the holiday season, which has delayed consultations with local actors?

Answer 2 : DFATD has decided to postpone the Closing Date of this RFP. See Amendment 1 to this Addendum 2 for more details.

Question 3: In Section 1, Section 10.13, it is stated that the Bidder must indicate separately the estimated total amount of applicable taxes in the financial proposal. However, it is not specified exactly where in the FIN-1 form. Please tell us exactly where to submit the total estimated taxes.

Answer 3: DFATD suggests that bidders include a summary page with the total estimated taxes at the end of the financial proposal to indicate separately the estimated amount of Applicable Taxes, as defined under "Applicable Taxes" set out in Section 1 "Instructions to Bidders", Definitions.

Question 4: Please confirm that local taxes (such as payroll taxes and income taxes) should be excluded from personnel fees as mentioned in section 1, section 10.15.

Answer 4: DFATD confirms that bidders are requested to exclude local taxes (including but not limited to value added or sales tax, social charges or income taxes on non-resident Personnel, duties, fees, levies) as stipulated in Section 1, paragraph 10.15.

C. ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED.