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ADDENDUM NO 1 FOR TENDER NO: KEBS/T023/2018/2019

OUR REF: **KEBS/T023/2018/2019**

30th April 2019

TO: ALL INTERESTED BIDDERS – ADDENDUM NO.1 CLARIFICATIONS AND RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS

Reference is made to the above tender for SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION, IMPLEMENTATION AND COMMISSIONING OF WIDE AREA NETWORK AND DEDICATED INTERNET CONNECTIVITY which we would like to make the following clarifications:

QUESTION 1

Under the technical requirements, Namanga site is without a backup links ; Confirm if this is factual.

ANSWER

Namanga site is without backup links as per tender document

QUESTION 2

Confirm the capacities required for HQ primary and backup links -100Mbps or 50Mbps

ANSWER

HQ Primary and Backup Links is 100 Mbps.

QUESTION 3

Share coordinates for all sites.

ANSWER

Use below contacts for regional branches in case of any queries on sites under them.

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QUESTION 4

Public Holiday:

Confirm if the surveys scheduled for 1st of May (Public Holiday) are to be extended to a working day .

ANSWER

The site visit will be 2-3rd May

QUESTION 4

Extension of Survey Timelines:

Kindly consider the scope of work envisioned in the tender and the days allocated for the surveys to reach of the regions. Some regions like Coast, Nairobi and North Eastern need more than the 2 days given considering the number of sites in each and the distances to be covered in surveying remote sites.

Surveys for Nairobi and Mt Kenya

Kindly consider opening a survey window for the week 29th -3rd May

ANSWER

The site visits to remain as scheduled

QUESTION 5

Overall Extension of Tender timelines

This is to re-emphasize and propose the need for another 2 or 3 weeks extension of this tender. The tender was advertised on 23rd April was uploaded online on 24th April this week .Physical Surveys for 55 sites ,some of which are far apart in North Eastern and requiring logistical preparation are to be done within 5 days from the coming week (1st May) is a public Holiday .This leaves us with technically 7 days to survey 55 sites and submit our proposal on 7th May .The current timelines of 7 days for overall tender preparation are honestly not realistic and may compromise the quality of the proposal .

Please see below our compilation of the sites involved in our case and especially note the timelines versus sites per region

In this regard, it is our kind request that KEBS consider extending the tender duration.

ANSWER

The tender opening/closing date remain as schedule and there will be no extension.

ALL OTHER CONDITIONS REMAIN THE SAME.

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