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To: All Nominated Prospective Bidders

From: The General Manager, NATO Communications and Information Agency (NCI Agency)

Subject: Request For Quotation (RFQ) No. RFQ-CO-115182-DAVS, Amendment No. 2, Answers to Clarification Request

Provision for Discussion, Audio, and Video Systems (DAVS)

References:

- A. AC/4-DS(2017)0020
- B. Project Serial: 2016/2CM03999-M
- C. NCIA/ACQ/2020/6774 RFQ-CO-115182-DAVS, dated 9 June 2020
- D. NCIA/ACQ/2020/6808 RFQ-CO-115182-DAVS, Amendment 1 dated 16 June 2020

Dear Prospective Bidder:

1. At Reference C your firm was invited, in conformance with the terms of your active Basic Ordering Agreement (BOA) with the NCI Agency to participate in a BOA competition for the DAVS provision.
2. The purpose of this Amendment 2 to the RFQ is to publish the answers to the Clarification Request (CR) received to date for the subject RFQ. The answers provided does not require a revision to the RFQ. The Purchaser provided their response to the CR attached as Annex A to this letter.
3. The RFQ Bid Closing Date has not changed. The closing time for submission of bids in response to this RFQ remains at 13:00 Hours (Brussels Time) on 9 July 2020.
4. The reference for the Request For Quotation is RFQ-CO-115182-DAVS, and all correspondence concerning this RFQ should reference this number.
5. The NCIA Agency sole point of contact (POC) for all information concerning this RFQ is Ms. Eva Benson, Contracting Officer, who may be reached at: eva.benson@ncia.nato.int.



FOR THE DIRECTOR OF ACQUISITION:

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Attachment:

(A) Purchaser answers to the Clarification Request

Distribution List for RFQ-CO-115182-DAVS

All Nominated Prospective Bidders

1 Each

NATO Delegations (Attn: Investment Committee Adviser):

Albania	1
Belgium	1
Bulgaria	1
Canada	1
Croatia	1
Czech Republic	1
Denmark	1
Estonia	1
France	1
Germany	1
Greece	1
Hungary	1
Iceland	1
Italy	1
Latvia	1
Lithuania	1
Luxembourg	1
The Netherlands	1
Norway	1
Poland	1
Portugal	1
Romania	1
Slovakia	1
Slovenia	1
Spain	1
Turkey	1



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Belgian Ministry of Economic Affairs 1

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Belgium 1

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Luxembourg 1

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Poland 1

Portugal 1

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ANNEX E – Clarification Request Forms

DATE HERE: 17 June 2020

TECHNICAL					
Serial Nr	RFQ Book	RFQ Section Ref.	QUESTION	ANSWER	Status
T.1	BOOK II	Part IV SoW page 129 under chapter 1.4.5.3	<p>Regarding the video wall displays, shows a combination of requirement unduly restrictive of competition with regards to the display for the video wall.</p> <p>Question: with reference to 1.4.5.3.1 does NCIA accept a video wall display using an external sensor for auto calibration to keep brightness and color uniform across the entire wall?</p>	<p>NCIA does not agree with the statement that the requirement is unduly restrictive in competition. These products are Commercial off The Shelf (COTS) and compliancy can be achieved utilizing COTS products.</p> <p>Built-In sensors remain a requirement and cannot be external.</p>	Closed Amendment 2