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TO: All potential tenderers

Ref: PP_Giarmata_IOP_07

JOUE: Contract notice 2020/S 114-275903

Subject: Response to Clarification request

Dear all,

Following the Clarification Request submitted for the public procurement procedure **Firefighting equipment and vehicles, monitoring devices and other intervention equipment's**

Lot 1: Multi-function intervention vehicle with extras

Lot 2: Firefighting vehicle and Vehicle for quick interventions

Lot 3: Environment Monitoring Devices

Lot 4: Intervention equipment's,

the contracting authority, Giarmata commune publishes the relevant responses in the table below.

Thank you for your time and consideration

Doina Fratila

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Project eMS: RORS - 375

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1	<p>The INSTRUCTION OF TENDERERS document mentions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Art. 20.4, lit. c) Unless specified otherwise, the purpose of the financial evaluation process is to identify the tenderer offering the lowest price. Where specified in the technical specifications, <u>the evaluation of tenders may take into account not only the acquisition costs but, to the extent relevant, costs borne over the life cycle of the supplies (such as for instance maintenance costs and operating costs), in line with the technical specifications.</u> In such case, the Contracting Authority will examine in detail all the information supplied by the tenderers and <u>will formulate its judgment on the basis of the lowest total cost, including additional costs</u> - Art. 20.6 Award criteria - <u>The sole award criterion will be the price.</u> The contract will be awarded to the lowest compliant tender. - The technical offer from mentions, for lot 1 and lot 2 the following <<Delivery conditions>> - At delivery, the equipment must be accompanied by the following: - <u>A list of the spare parts and consumables recommended by the manufacturer>></u> - The financial offer form has the mention <<<u>Spare parts with detailed annex including unit prices; Consumables with detailed annex including unit prices; Life cycle costs detailed annex including unit prices</u>>> <p>The question is: The financial proposal form submitted by the bidder must present the prices for <<Spare parts with detailed annex including unit prices; Consumables with detailed annex including unit prices; Life cycle costs detailed annex including unit prices>></p>	<p>As it is mentioned in Art. 20.6 Award criteria from INSTRUCTION OF TENDERERS, <u>the sole award criteria will be the price.</u></p> <p>Also, at point 4.3.3.1. Supply contracts not including ancillary services from Procurement and Grants for European Union external actions - A Practical Guide Applicable as of 15 January 2016, it is mentioned</p> <p>“Price is the sole award criterion for awarding supply contracts not including ancillary services (such as after-sales services and training). All non-compliant tenders having already been eliminated, <u>the contract is awarded to the tenderer submitting the least expensive, compliant tender.</u> Where specified in the technical specifications, the financial evaluation may take into account not only the acquisition costs but, to the extent relevant, costs borne over the life cycle of the supplies (such as for instance maintenance costs and operating costs), in line with the conditions set out in article 20.4 c) of the instructions to tenderers. If so, the procurement dossier must in advance indicate the data to be provided by the tenderers and the method which will be used to determine the life-cycle costs on the basis of those data.”</p> <p>In the ANNEX II + III: TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS + TECHNICAL OFFER, it is mentioned:</p> <p>DELIVERY CONDITIONS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - [...] - <u>At delivery, the equipment must be accompanied by the following:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Operating and maintenance manual

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<p>detailed annex including unit prices; Life cycle costs with detailed annex including unit prices<< considering the requirements of the Technical Proposal Form?</p> <p><u>IF YES</u>, the winning bidder will be established according to the total value of costs, respectively value of equipment (delivery, installation, commissioning, personal training - included) + value of spare parts/24 months (warranty) + value of consumables/24 months (warranty) + value of the equipment life costs?</p> <p><u>IF NO</u>, will the winning bidder be established according to the lowest price offered for the equipment (delivery, installation, commissioning, personal training - included)?</p>	<p><u>consumables recommended by the manufacturer</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ CE declaration of conformity▪ Warranty and quality certificate <p>- There will be provided a training proposal for the personnel regarding the equipment exploitation and maintenance</p>
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