

28th March, 2024

Addendum No. 1

To All Bidders,

REF: OPEN NATIONAL TENDER FOR SUPPLY, DELIVERY AND INSTALLATION OF NETWORK SWITCHES TENDER NO: CA/SCM/OT/72/2023-2024

Please refer to the above-mentioned Tender that appeared in MY GOV on 19th March 2024.

Pursuant to Section 75 of the Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act, 2015 and clause 7.1 of the Tender document uploaded to our website, and the Supplier's Portal, the Authority wishes to amend the Tender Document as follows:

NO.	BIDDER'S QUERY	CA RESPONSE			
1.	What is the existing MACsec network?	<p><i>As per the Technical Compliance Requirement on Security item eleven (11) on the Tender Document as extracted below remains unchanged.</i></p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>11.</td> <td>Security</td> <td>Enhanced security with AES-128 minimum MACsec encryption, policybased segmentation and Encrypted Traffic Analytics (ETA)</td> </tr> </table> <p><i>NB: The bidder shall not be required to configure the Network Switches.</i></p>	11.	Security	Enhanced security with AES-128 minimum MACsec encryption, policybased segmentation and Encrypted Traffic Analytics (ETA)
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2.	Do you have an existing NMS system and if yes, kindly let us know which one for integration efforts estimation?	<i>The Authority has an existing Network Monitoring System (NMS). However, integration of the Network Switches with the NMS is Not in scope of this tender.</i>			
3.	Is the existing network Point to Point or Point to Multi-point?	<i>Clarification sought Not applicable to this tender</i>			
4.	Is the existing network based L2VPN or VPLS protocol?	<i>Clarification sought Not applicable to this tender</i>			

ALL other conditions of the tender remain unchanged.



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