



Clarification (1)

Reference: CONTRACT NOTICE COP-2526-001 Security Guarding Services to EUPOL COPPS premises in Ramallah

1. Answers to request for clarifications.

No.	Question	Answer
1	In the Additional information about the Contract Notice (COP-2526-001), it is specified under the clause 18. 2. (Selection criteria, Professional capacity) that to be eligible to this contract, the tenderer shall "has a professional certificate appropriate to this contract, such as certificate of official registration and operating licence as a Private Security Company". Could you specify which official documents shall be presented to the Contracting Authority in order to justify our compliance with this criteria ?	“A tenderer must be able to present an official document, provided by the competent authorities in the matter – Palestinian Ministry of Interior and Ministry of Finance, that it is registered as an operating security company in the West Bank. In case a tenderer opts for using a local sub-contractor, the latter must provide the required registration documents from the local authorities. Otherwise, it will be impossible for it to legally carry out the responsibilities, tasks and actions required under the contract.”
2	In the Contract Notice COP-2526-001, the contract value is expressed in EUR (cf. clause II.1.5. Estimated maximum contract value). Could you please specify whether the payment for the services would be proceeded locally (i.e. from a bank account in Palestine) or from Europe (i.e. from a bank account in Europe) ?	The payments for delivered services/goods are paid locally to the local companies, and from EU account to non-local companies.
3	In the Contract Notice COP-2526-001, the contract value is 3,120,000.00 EUR (cf. clause II.1.5. Estimated maximum contract value). In the same Contract Notice, it is specified that the FWC could last up to 4 years (cf. clause II.1.4. Short description of the contract). Could you please clarify whether the contract value (3,120,000.00 EUR) is for the initial contract duration only (1 year) or if it covers the three potential renewals (4 years) ?	The stated contract value of 3.120.000,00EUR is for the whole 4-year duration of the planned Framework Contract. Maximum yearly contract value is not to exceed 780.000,00EUR.