

The Economic Ministries Division - Government Procurement Administration

"Nimbus Project"

<u>Central Tender 01-2022 for the Addition of Services to the</u> <u>Government Cloud Marketplace (Round 2) – Tender</u> <u>Administrator's Updates and Clarifications</u>

Greetings,

On February 26, 2023, the Government Procurement Administration (hereinafter: the **"Tender Administrator"**) opened Central Tender 01-2022 for the Addition of Services to the Government Cloud Marketplace (hereinafter: **the "Tender"**), for further submission. The Tender Administrator has made clarifications and updates to the Tender documents, as detailed below:

1. The prices of the offered services:

- 1.1. The listing of an offered service in the service catalog of the Cloud Providers, is required to be <u>fully available</u> for purchase and use by customers in the Overseas Region (as the term is defined in the Tender documents).
- 1.2. The service cannot be offered solely for the Government Cloud Marketplace, or to be limited for purchase or use in any way or form (for example, listing a service while limiting or minimizing the number of pricing options for the service, as compared to the pricing options that are offered by the Manufacturer itself in the Overseas Region, or offering the service in the Overseas Region with an added (built-in) level of local (Israeli) support and integration services).
- 1.3. In a case where there is no listing of the Manufacturer itself (as the term is defined in appendix 6 of the Tender documents "Manufacturer's Statement") in the service catalog of the Cloud Providers, which includes a full and detailed pricing and licensing model for the offered service, the Bidder will include in its bid the full pricelist of the Manufacturer which is valid for customers in the

Overseas Region. The pricelist must be approved by an official representative of the Manufacturer in the Overseas Region.

- 2. Appendix 2 "Affidavit on absence of convictions under the Public Bodies Transactions Law" According to paragraph 2.1.6 of the Tender, The Bidder shall not submit its bid to the Tender in Handwriting. It is to be clarified, that in the signature line in the Attorney's Confirmation part of Appendix 2, Affidavit on absence of convictions under the Public Bodies Transactions Law, and only there, it is possible to sing in handwriting. As for the rest of Tender documents, the rules of paragraph 2.1.6 apply, and they are not to be submitted in handwriting. In addition, if the need arises, it is possible to add a line for a second signature holder and respectively change the wording of the appendix to plural form.
- Updating the Closing Date of the Tender The Closing Date of the Tender has been postponed to May 8, 2023 at 13:00 (Israel Standard Time).
- 4. All the clarifications and changes listed above are an integral part of the requirements and terms listed in the Tender documents.

Respectfully,

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