

# UNIDADE DE GESTÃO DE PROJECTOS ESPECIAIS

Resilient Tourism and Blue Economy Development in Cabo Verde Project

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### **CLARIFICATION #1**

**COUNTRY: CABO VERDE** 

PROJECT: Resilient Tourism and Blue Economy Development in Cabo Verde Project

Credit No.: IDA-71260 PROJECT ID No.: P176981

Assignment Title: REHABILITATION IMPROVEMENTS OF THE ROAD EN1-SL-01, ESPARGOS - SANTA MARIA (ILHA DO SAL)

**Question nº 1:** Is there a deadline for sending the Expression of Interest letter and buying process? If so, what are the dates in question? How much will it cost to purchase the process?

**Answer 1:** Bids must be delivered on or before March 15, 2023 at 3:00 pm (CV time). Electronic Bidding will be permitted.

You do not have to pay for the tender documents; they are available upon request to UGPE by email or downloaded from the UGPE website - https://ugpe.gov.cv/concursos

<u>Question nº 2</u>: No documento PART 1 – Bidding Procedures, Section III – Evaluation and Qualification Criteria, Ponto 3 – Qualification, Ponto 3.1 – Financial Capabilities, encontramos o seguinte ponto:

iii. The audited balance sheets or, if not required by the laws of the Bidder's country, other financial statements acceptable to the Employer, for the last 5 (Five) years shall be submitted and must demonstrate the current soundness of the Bidder's financial position and indicate its prospective long-term profitability.

Gostaríamos de saber concretamente quais os parâmetros utilizados para demonstrar o cumprimento deste ponto através dos Relatórios e Contas dos últimos 5 anos e quais os anos a que se refere, uma vez que não é claro se todos os concorrentes terão nomeadamente o relatório e contas de 2022 fechado a tempo da participação no Concurso.

**Answer 2:** Please consider the year 2021 as the last fiscal year and 2017 as the first year, to present the financial statements for evaluation purposes, (period to consider 2017 - 2021)

Question nº 3: De acordo com as cláusulas, GCC 1.1 (v) - The Intended Completion Date for the Whole of the Works shall be October 2024 e GCC 1.1 (dd) - The start date shall be July 2023, da secção IX do RFB — Particular Conditions of Contract, o empreiteiro fica vinculado a um prazo de execução de 15 meses. Está correta a nossa interpretação?

#### Answer 3:

This date is an estimate however, the end date will be filled in accordingly when the contract is awarded to the successful bidder.



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Question n° 4: What is the meeting point for the site visit to be held on February 15, 2023?

**Answer 4:** The meeting point will be in front of Paços de Conselho (Câmara Municipal do Sal)

<u>Question n°5:</u> Chief Construction Engineer: Civil engineer with knowledge in roads with a minimum Bac + 4 of higher education (No. a)) – We request a clear indication of the requirements necessary for this function, as well as for point number 3.< below (No. d));

### Answer 5:

The Construction Director must be an Engineer with a degree in Civil Engineering,

Question nº 6: Roadway work supervisor / Earthworks / Resident / Sanitation/ of Works: TP or equivalent (No. b)) - the abbreviation TP to which it refers?

### Answer 6:

Means: TP - public works or similar.

<u>Question nº 7</u>: Topographer: Topographer or equivalent, Bac + 2 of higher education (No. d));

**Answer 7:** It should be understood as a technician trained in Surveying, regardless of the level, proven by the educational qualification certificate.

Question nº 8: How should/can the qualification of the different technicians be demonstrated

**Answer 8:** For the demonstration of the qualifications of the different technicians, these must be evidenced by diplomas/certificates of academic training and a declaration of professional experience issued by credible entities.

UGPE - February 8, 2023.