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Health Security Program in Western and Central Africa Project

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Project Name: Health Security Program in Western and Central Africa Project

PROJECT ID N°: P179078

Contract Title: Procurement of Equipment and Supplies for Zoonotic Inspection at Points of Entry (POEs): Lot I – Computer Equipment; Lot II - Cold Chain and PPEs

RFQ Reference N°: RFQ -015/HSP/UGPE

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CLARIFICATION No.3

QUESTION N° 4: *For the Lot 2. more than 70% of the products are only available by distributors and/or resellers (even at on-line shops) and not available from the manufacturers. So to obtain these Authorizations is not possible especially when we are talking about low-value products.*

"Authorization is only needed when applicable, as per Clause 15". According your clarification, Authorizations are needed for all the products.

Answer N°. 4: As stated in our previous response, a Manufacturer' s Authorization is required only when applicable, as per Clause 15 of the bidding documents.

In cases where the products are commonly available through distributors or resellers, and direct authorization from the manufacturer is not feasible, the bidder may provide alternative supporting documentation to demonstrate the legitimacy and origin of the products. This may include, but not limited to:

- Proof of purchase from an authorized distributor,
- A valid reseller certificate, or
- Other equivalent documents confirming authenticity.

The evaluation committee will assess the adequacy of the submitted documentation in line with the procurement requirements.

UGPE, August 22, 2025