

UPDATE SUMMARY

Design services Contract (International)

JUNE 2023

1. INVITATION TO REGISTER INTEREST

| Topic/Subject | Reference (if applicable) | Description |
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| Form of Contract | Clauses 1.2 and 16.1(e) | Amendments to reflect the publication of the Design Services Contract (International) (DSCI-2022) on DEQMS. |
| Tender evaluation criteria | Clause 2(iii)(c) | Amendments to align with the updated DSCI-2022 Tender Documents evaluation criteria. |

1. TENDER DOCUMENTS

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| Commonwealth Procurement Rules compliance | Various | Amendments to clarify the operation of the Commonwealth Procurement Rules by removing the option in the Tender Particulars for certain clauses and Tender Schedule J relating to Commonwealth Procurement Rules compliance to either apply or not apply. |
| Evaluation criteria - anti-bribery, corruption and modern slavery compliance | Clause 4(a)(v) | Amendment to the evaluation criterion in respect of anti-bribery, corruption and modern slavery compliance such that evaluation is "*Whether or not the Tenderer has demonstrated…*" (previously, "*The extent to which the Tenderer has demonstrated…*"). |

1. CONTRACT

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| Meetings and Reports Generally | Clause 4.9 (and corresponding Contract Particular) | Amendments to require that the Consultant complies with meeting and reporting obligations in the IPACE Infrastructure Program Plan dated March 2023. |
| Insurance | Clauses 1.1, 5.1, 5.2, 5.3, 5.5 and 5.6 | Amendments to clarify insurance requirements, including in respect of Employers' Liability Insurance. |
| Payment | Clause 11.5 | Amendments to provide that the Commonwealth will pay the Consultant following the issue of a tax invoice by the Contractor to the Contract Administrator. |
| Works Information | Clause 23 | Amendments to provide that the Consultant must fully cooperate with, provide information to and otherwise assist the Other Contractors to comply with their Works Information obligations under the Construction Contract. |
| Early Contractor Involvement | Clause 14 of the Special Conditions | Inclusion of Early Contractor Involvement Special Condition. |
| Submission to Jurisdiction | Clause 13.16 | Amendments to include a submission to jurisdiction clause. |

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