



## Questions / Answers

Question 01 (dated 23/12/2015):

Would it be possible to send us a Word format of Annex 5 please? It would be easier to populate details in a Word format.

Answer to question 01:

Dear Sir/Madam,

We regret to inform you that we will not be publishing the word format of Annex 5.

Question 02 (dated 06/01/2016):

I have a question related to your tender procurement procedure 'ratings and Research services'

We are very interested to reply to this procedure. We have a doubt about the selections criteria point c) 'Evidence that the tenderer is registered or certified in accordance with Regulation (EC) no 1060/2009 of the European parliament.'

Does this mean that only rating agencies can participate to this tender procedure?

Answer to question 02:

In line with our requirements, only tenderers fulfilling all the exclusion and selection criteria will pass to the award. If for some exceptional reason the tenderer is unable to provide the evidence requested in point c, he or she may prove his or her economic and financial capacity by any other document which the SRB considers appropriate. We refer you to read the full paragraph of point 12.c of the Tender Specifications.

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Requests for additional information regarding this tender should be sent by e-mail to the following address [SRB-PROCUREMENT@ec.europa.eu](mailto:SRB-PROCUREMENT@ec.europa.eu). The Contracting Authority is not bound to reply to requests for additional information received less than five working days before the final date for submission of tenders.

The deadline for submission of the bids of this tender is **18/01/2016**

Responsibility for monitoring the Agency's website for replies to queries and/or further information remains with potential applicants.