

## Call for tenders No SRB/OP/2/2016

### Serie 7: Answer to Question 16

#### Question 16 (dated 6/10/2016 at 05:11):

With regards to your open tender SRB/OP/2/2016, and according to the instructions issued on the “Invitation to Tender” letter dated 18/08/2016, we would like to ask for additional information with the purpose of clarifying the scope and extent of the dry-run exercise area of the scope, as described in section 2.d.ii and 4.3 of the Tender Specifications document.

Through the document, “dry-run exercise” is referred mostly in the singular form, but occasionally (section 2.g.i, answer 6, Q&A document 2) we have seen it referred also in plural. Are we correct to assume that, as per the title and main text of the tender specifications, the dry-run exercise will be run as one integrated exercise covering the whole of the scope? Or does this mean, from the point of view of the execution of the orders under the FWC, that there is going to be more than one dry-run exercise, be it in the form of several targeted dry-run exercises or through the implementation of separate phases, each one with its own timing and separate orders?

#### Answer to question 16:

The tender specifies dry-run exercise as one service area to be performed under the FWC. Under this specific service area, the contractor may be requested to assist in the preparation and implementation of several dry-run exercises of different nature.

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

The deadline for submission of the bids of this tender is **31/10/2016**

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