

Republic of Zambia



Name of the client: Smart Zambia Institute

Clarifications No. 03: Issue Date: 3rd February 2026

Bid / Reference No. ZM-SZ-505117-GO-RFP

Name of the Request for Proposal (RFP): "System Integrator for Development, Deployment, Customization, and Integration of Foundational Digital ID, CRVS Core Modules Backend Infrastructure and Enrolment Kits"

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Purpose: The purpose of this to provide responses to requests for clarifications that have been received regarding the above-referenced Request for Proposals.

Serial Number	Description of Query	CLARIFICATION/AMENDMENT
1.	PROPOSAL SUBMISSION TIMELINE Various proposers have requested an extension of the proposal deadline submission.	<p>Pursuant to ITP 8 (Amendment of Request for Proposals Document), the Purchaser hereby notifies all Proposers of the following modifications to the procurement schedule and submission requirements:</p> <p>Amendment of Proposal Deadlines and Submission Mode</p> <p>1. Section II - Proposal Data Sheet (PDS): ITP 23.1 and ITP 26.1 The deadline for Proposal submission and the scheduled time for the public opening of Proposals are hereby deleted and replaced with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>"New Submission Deadline: February 19, 2026, at 10:00 hours CAT."</i>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• “New Proposal Opening Time: February 19, 2026, at 10:00 hours CAT. The location for submission and opening remains unchanged as specified in the original PDS.” <p>2. Section II - Proposal Data Sheet (PDS): ITP 7.1 The deadline for the submission of requests for clarification is hereby extended to <i>February 12, 2026</i>.</p> <p>3. Clarification on Submission Mode Proposers are explicitly reminded that only physical submissions shall be permitted. Electronic or online submissions are not authorized for this procurement; any proposal received via electronic means will be deemed non-responsive and rejected.</p>
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