Republic of Zambia

Name of the client: Smart Zambia Institute
Clarifications No. 04: Issue Date: 1st July 2026
Bid / Reference No. ZM-SZ-531017-NC-RFP
Name of the Request for Proposal (RFP): "Implementation and Roll-out of a Digital Public Infrastructure for Digital Authentication and Verification"

Clarifications No. 05

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.	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: **Amendment of Proposal Deadlines and Submission Mode** 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:

		• *"New Submission Deadline: Friday, 24th July 2026, at 10:00 hours CAT."* • *"New Proposal Opening Time: Friday, 24th July 2026, at 10:00 hours CAT. The location for submission and opening remains unchanged as specified in the original PDS."*

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