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FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT FOR THE PROVISION OF FUMIGATION SERVICES TO GOZO CHANNEL (OPERATIONS) LIMITED VESSELS AND TERMINALS

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Question 1: Please advise if it would be possible to submit a tender with our imported product which only needs applying every 30 days. We are MCCA registered and conform to everything else.

Answer 1: In line to the terms and conditions of the tender document, bidders must offer a fixed rate (€/mtr²) for the fumigation service. The areas which may need fumigation will vary from case to case and fumigation services may be requested either on the vessels and/or Cirkewwa/Mgarr terminals, always according to the exigencies of the Gozo Channel Operations Ltd. No other type of method of service/offer other than that as stated will be accepted.

Bidders are to align and provide solutions in line to what is being strictly requested in the tender document. In line to terms of reference, article 4.2 (a) the Contracting Authority is aware that different providers may have different pricing systems. However, for the sake of fair comparison between offers, adherence to price scheduling as per financial bid form is required.

For reference purposes only, currently the Contracting Authority is fumigating its vessels on a daily basis and its terminals on an alternative basis, however this is subject to change as per Company's exigencies.

All other tender documents, conditions and requirements, which are not superseded by this Clarification, remain in place.