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TENDER FOR THE PROVISION OF A DLT (DISTRIBUTED LEDGER TECHNOLOGY) SOLUTION FOR LOCAL GOZITIAN PRODUCE IN ORDER TO ENABLE AUTHENTICATION AND TO PROVE AUTHENTICITY AND CERTIFICATION THAT THE PRODUCT IS LOCALLY PRODUCED (GOZITAN)

CLARIFICATION

Question 1: The DLT functionality listed in pg. 41 is quite sizable when compared to the 3 marks assigned to the frontend functionality aspect that this system shall be based on. Can you provide further justification on why this is the case given that the tender is centred around the development of a DLT solution?

Answer 1: It is the prerogative of the Contracting Authority to determine the technical requirements and the corresponding Criteria for Award.

Question 2: Are the 2000+ txs per artisan per month (estimate), each required to be timestamped on a public blockchain individually?

Answer 2: Yes, to fulfill the scope of the tender, each registered artisan is to be timestamped on a public blockchain individually.

Question 3: Are all documents to be uploaded on the blockchain as whole files?

Answer 3: It depends on the blockchain used by your solution as well as the design of the system you intend to use. All must be documented and compliant with Section 3 – Terms of Reference of the Tender Document.

Question 4: Is wallet handling part of the scope of the solution required?

Answer 4: Yes, it is part of the scope of the tender and in line to all other requirements of the tender dossier.

Question 5: Section 4.2.1 - Backend - Point 1 d. - Are there specifications on the reports that should be issued from the system? If not, is there a defined number of reports that need to be created

Answer 5: Reports should be customisable and should be created by the Administration functionality.



Question 6: Section 4.2.2 - Alert System - What are the conditions that should trigger an alert? Should the alert be triggered whenever an invalid barcode is scanned? And how should the alert be sent?

Answer 6: The system should provide alerts for instances related to physical or digital counterfeiting. Alerts should be customisable and created by the Administration functionality.

Question 7: How will the wallet be topped to execute transactions on the blockchain? Will this be external to the system? And is this an operation cost, separate from the project cost?

Answer 7: Wallet transactions are part of the system and should be handled by the supplier in agreement with the contracting authority. These are part of the operation cost of the system.

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

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