



Federal Board of Revenue
Revenue Division – Government of Pakistan

Addendum No. 1 to Request for Bids Goods

(One-Envelope Bidding Process)

Procurement of Microsoft Azure DevOps Server

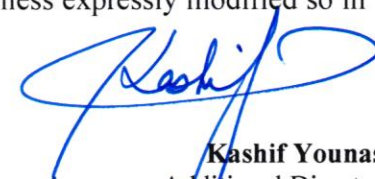
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Sr #	Section	Clause No /Page No	Initial Requirements/ Specifications of the RFB	Revised Requirements/ Specifications of the RFB
01	Para 7 of the published Specific Procurement Notice (SPN). & Section II – Bid Data Sheet (BDS)	Para 7 of Published SPN ITB 22.1 and 25.1 BDS (Page 37 & 38 of RFB)	<u>Existing Text</u> SPN: Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 11:30 AM dated 31st May, 2023 RFB: The deadline for Bid submission is: Date: 31st May, 2023 Time: 11:30 AM	RFB: The deadline for Bid submission is: Date: 16th November, 2023 Time: 10:30 AM The Bid opening shall take place at: Date: 16th November, 2023 Time: 11:00 AM
02	Section VII – Schedule of Requirements	Para 02 of Published SPN Technical Specifications (Page 73 of RFB)	<u>Existing Text</u> 1. Microsoft Azure DevOps Server Version:2022 Basic Plan (On Premises) Period: 05 Years. 2. Microsoft Azure DevOps Server Version:2022 Basic + Test Plans (On Premises) Period: 05 Years.	<u>Updated Text</u> 1. Microsoft Azure DevOps Server Version:2022 Basic Plan (On Premises) <u>Period: 03 Years.</u> 2. Microsoft Azure DevOps Server Version:2022 Basic + Test Plans (On Premises) <u>Period: 03 Years.</u>
03	Section IX - Special Conditions of Contract	GCC 18.1	<u>Existing Text</u> A Performance Security shall be required. The amount of the Performance Security shall be: Ten (10%) of the Contract(s) Price in the shape of an unconditional and irrevocable Bank Guarantee issued by any scheduled bank in Pakistan as per applicable template valid for a period of sixty (60) days beyond the 05 years support period or any extended period of 05 years original support period	<u>Updated Text</u> A Performance Security shall be required. The amount of the Performance Security shall be: Five (05%) of the Contract(s) Price in the shape of an unconditional and irrevocable Bank Guarantee issued by any scheduled bank in Pakistan as per applicable template valid for a period of sixty (60) days beyond the 03 years support period or any extended period of 03 years' original support period

04			<p><u>Existing Text</u> Installation, Configuration and Implementation (to be completed by vendor)</p>	<p><u>Updated Text</u> Installation, Configuration and Implementation (FBR is seeking a qualified and experienced vendor to assist us in our DevOps transformation journey, with the objective of enhancing our software development and IT operations efficiency. Scope of work will include: Adapting the current Azure DevOps configuration to offer higher management a comprehensive view of portfolio-level activities while enabling middle management to access in-depth project-level insights. Setting up / configure / re-configure End-to-End DevOps Platform on premises, along with Container Orchestration Layer comprised of Licensed or Open Source (only with Commercial Support) tools to ensure continuous everything i.e., Continuous Planning, Continuous Development, Continuous Integration, Continuous Delivery, Continuous Deployment, Continuous Testing, Continuous Monitoring, Continuous Operation, Continuous Feedback. The solution will comprise of Projectcentric reporting, complemented by a portfolio-level dashboard for enhanced visibility. Establishment of CI/CD Pipelines, Deployment of Apps/ Databases through CI/CD pipelines. Implementation of security measures at both the code repository and system levels. Utilizing Git for version control across various technology-based projects, including .Net, Java, iOS, and Android. Transforming monolithic applications into micro services and deploying them on Azure Kubernetes Service (AKS) using Continuous Integration/Continuous Deployment (CI/CD). Managing infrastructure using tools such as Terraform and Ansible.</p>
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				Continuous Security Tool(s) should be omnipresent throughout the SDLC (Software Development Life Cycle), so that security is built into the product rather than applied to the finished product).
05	Section IX - Special Conditions of Contract	GCC 28.5, GCC 28.6	<p><u>Existing Text</u></p> <p>Post-Sales warranty:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Post-sales support for the solution (hardware and software and licenses) and associated equipment/ services should be provided directly by the OEM (or via authorized partner/ bidder) for the duration of five (05) years. • Firmware/ software/ patches upgrades of equipment must be done proactively during the warranty coverage period. This should be done when stable release of major/ minor firmware/ software/ patches are available. This should also be analyzed (and done) at least once a year. 	<p><u>Updated Text</u></p> <p>Post-Sales warranty:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Post-sales support for the solution (hardware and software and licenses) and associated equipment/ services should be provided directly by the OEM (or via authorized partner/ bidder) for the duration of three (03) years. • Firmware/ software/ patches upgrades of equipment must be done proactively during the warranty coverage period. This should be done when stable release of major/ minor firmware/ software/ patches are available. This should also be analyzed (and done) at least once a year.

This Addendum forms an integral part of the Request for Bids (including minutes of the pe-bid meeting with clarifications already uploaded on FBR website) and shall be read and executed so. All other terms and conditions and specifications of the RFB remain unchanged until and unless expressly modified so in writing.



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