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Reference: Letter No. GOS/PDD/SI-WBP/11/EEPF/2023/33, Dated: 25/04/2025

Subject: Clarifications to queries/suggestions received for RFP – For Hiring a Technical Support Agency to support Planning and Development Department, Government of Sikkim on the 'Employment and Entrepreneurship Promotion Facility' under 'Sikkim: Integrated Service Provision and Innovation for Reviving Economies' (INSPIRES) Program (RFP Ref no. IN-PMU-393632-CS-QCBS)

In Continuation to the responses to the Pre-bid Queries published earlier vide the notice referred above, the following entries were inadvertently missed. The same is provided below along with the response. Interested firms are requested to take note of this.

S. No.	Query / Suggestions from the Prospective Consultants	Clause / Reference of RFP	Page Number	Content of Para / Clause under Reference as per RFP	Response/Clarifications
14	Request for two weeks extension for tender submission deadline	Clause 17.4	Pg 31	The Proposals must be uploaded on the e-procurement portal specified in ITC 1(m) no later than: Date: 9th May 2025 Time: 15:00 hours local time	No Extension
19	We request you to kindly reconsider the requirement of submitting payslips, as these are sensitive and confidential HR documents. Moreover, in many cases, the proposed professionals may be newly onboarded or engaged specifically for this project, making it unfeasible to provide their past payslips.	Consultant's Representations Regarding Costs and Charges	Pg 60	(b) attached are true copies of the latest pay slips of the Experts listed;	Required only at the time of negotiation of Contract