



To: All Bidders

Subject: **RFP-RBAS-008/2018- Provision of** Assessing Future Knowledge using real-time data

Dear Sirs,

Please find enclose **Addendum No. 01** for the subject RFP, which includes the following:

1. Amend the deadline to read 29 July , 2018 at 13:pm (Amman time)
2. UNDP responses on Bidders' queries and clarifications (Q&A) as follows:
  - Could you define what is meant by 'digital technologies?' And should part b (the future skills) be seen as independent or linked with the three emerging technologies outlined in part a (artificial intelligence, blockchain, biotechnology)  
**By 'digital technologies', we mean the emerging technologies, i.e. AI, Blockchain and Biotechnology.**  
  
**As for the future skills, they should be seen as an independent dimension that is cross-cutting the emerging technologies. They are the skills needed to cope with and grasp the opportunities offered by the emerging technologies**
  - The project is requesting the analysis of real-time data, but given the short time frames for data collection (maximum of 10 weeks), could you please confirm that the definition of real-time is limited by the date range of outputs 2 and 3 only (page 26 of RFQ). **The estimated duration to complete the deliverables will follow the table on page 26 of the RFQ. As for the extracted data, it should go back to 6 months or 1 year (for example from Jan 1 till June 30 of 2018). It is therefore not limited to 10 weeks.**
  - 3. With regards to the country profiles, is the RFQ requiring purely an analysis of the ecosystems related to the three nominated technologies, or is the RFQ requesting a wider analysis of country demographics, education system, system of governance etc.? **We require an analysis of the countries in terms of the 3 emerging technologies and this based on the real-time big data which you will be extracting. The effect of these technologies on education, economy, ICT and RDI shall be studied as well.**
  - Regarding the requirement that "the company shall organize three monthly meetings at 'its' premises" - Can you confirm that this refers to the bidder's premises? Could you clarify number of attendees.

**Yes, this refers to the bidder's premises. The number of attendees will be around 5 from our side.**

Please acknowledge receipt of this Addendum.

Thank you and best regards.

**United Nations Development Programme**

**Iraq (Amman Office)**



Acknowledged receipt:

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