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**RFP 568/18 Provision of Consultancy to Conduct a public perception survey on
Local Safety and Security in Iraq**

Below is UNDP's response to Bidders' request for clarifications, for your reference.

Query	Response
1. The table on page 25 indicates that the consultants should be present in Baghdad for the preparatory phase of the assessment. Is UNDP looking specifically for a firm that is based in Baghdad?	We expect a representative from the selected consultancy firm to avail him/herself in Baghdad during the preparatory phase to coordinate with UNDP team in Baghdad
2. If travel to Baghdad is necessary, is UNDP able to support in obtaining visas for the international staff in the research team?	No - we do not provide additional travel or logistical support for international staff travel of the selected consultancy firm as we expect the applicant firms to have a presence in Baghdad
3. Is there any specific disaggregation of the sample types UNDP is looking for regarding perceptions on the security sector? a) Are samples supposed to be representative of each governorate UNDP would like to assess?	If referring to the type of respondent samples i.e. Random or Selective? If that is the question the respondent sample needs to be a random sample.
b) What statistical significance level (confidence interval, margin of error) is preferable to or required by UNDP?	Regarding 'margin of error' it will depend on the total sample size because subject to the total sample size we go with the corresponding accepted standard margin of error
4. Is it possible to receive further detail on the locations UNDP would like to target for the assessment?	The target locations are already clearly stated in the ToR
5. Is it possible to receive any additional documents for reference on the specifics of the project the assessment is meant to inform? This will help us to provide a more detailed and targeted proposal for the assessment. - what do you mean by project assessment?	Regarding additional reference documents - given this proposed survey will be a tracker to the survey we conducted previously it is recommended to refer to that survey report which also provides details of the sample size, locations etc. you can find the report on the following link http://www.iq.undp.org/content/iraq/en/home/library/democratic_governance/public-safety-and-security-perception-survey-in-iraq-2017.html

Yours sincerely,



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