

Clarification No. 1
UNDP SO-ITB-2018-012
Provision of Security Services in Somalia

Query Reference	Clarification Requested	UNDPs Response to the Request for Clarification
ANNEX 1 - Statement of Requirement for the Provision of Armed and Unarmed Security Guards to the United Nations Common Compounds in Garowe, Puntland (Lot 1) and Hargeisa, Somaliland (Lot 2)	<p>This RFP refers to security services for UN Common Compounds and specifically the use of Private International Armed Guards to secure said compounds.</p> <p>It is understood that the UN Common Compounds are predominately used by UN Humanitarian Agency's as opposed to the UN Mission in Somalia and by extension UNSOS.</p> <p>Given the wish of UN Humanitarian Agency's to maintain neutrality in any and all conflict within Somalia (and therefore distance themselves from AMISOM and its activities) the previous UNDP RFP and other UN Humanitarian Agency RFPs for Security Services have stipulated that International Armed Guards must not originate from Troop Contributing Nations to AMISOM. This is in order to mitigate the perception that UN Humanitarian Agency's are working with AMISOM.</p> <p>Please can you confirm that this is no longer the case and that International Armed Guards can originate from any country?</p>	<p>This is correct. They can originate from any country. There are no AMISOM deployed to either Somaliland or Puntland.</p>

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