## **Request for Proposal (RFP)**

## The Solomon Islands Peace Building Fund II Perception Survey

## **The Clarification Note to Bidder's queries**

Ref No: UNDP-SOI-RFP-2019-013

Reference to the above RFP, UNDP has received the below queries from bidder and we would like to share the clarification as below:

No.	Questions	Answers
1	In the RFP there is a mention of govt counterparts of solomon islands based in the field who would administer the survey - we would like to know their exact role in the survey would.they also collect the data and conduct interviews or they would administer the data collection process done by third party data collectors.	The exact role of government counterparts in the survey will depend on the survey tools you as the contractor intend to employ. Government is one of the key partners for this perception survey. Government will be providing administrative support for this survey. The support might include; facilitate in field planning & identification of locations, tools review, coordination with communities for interviews/FGDs and support in monitoring etc. Government counterparts would require some level of training to extend their administrative support. We would strongly suggest that more advanced activities of the perception survey such as data collection, interviews, FGDs and monitoring should be done by Locally Trained Researchers (especially those who are good at local language) engaged by the contractor.
2	The target locations provided are specific to the peace building project fund however the reference population involves the entire population of the province hope we can still use that as reference.	Point well taken, in that the previous 2017 survey was intended to measure the perceptions of entire population of the province. This current 2019 survey will be more limited in scope, so we hope to see a sampling method which attempts to extrapolate results from a smaller group focusing on 4 locations, Honiara, Weather Coast of Guadalcanal, Western Province and Malaita Province.
3	Can we get any references where we can read more about the activities pertaining to the peace building fund project so that the questionnaires are more structured.	Please refer to the Solomon Islands PBF fund website: http://mptf.undp.org/factsheet/project/00108055  Also here is a copy of the previous 2017 Public Perception Survey for your reference: http://www.pacific.undp.org/content/pacific/en/home/library/eg/unnational-perceptions-survey-on-peacebuilding-for-soi.html

No.	Questions	Answers
		UN National Perceptions Survey on Peacebuilding for Solomon Islands   UNDP in the Pacific  Summary. The National Perceptions Survey on Peacebuilding for Solomon Islands provides a fresh insight into people's perceptions of peacebuilding immediately after the withdrawal of the Regional Assistance Mission to Solomon Islands (RAMSI), and in the wake of recent efforts through the UN supported peacebuilding programme.  www.pacific.undp.org
		supported peacebuilding programme.