



## **UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME**

### **CLARIFICATION #1**

**REF: IC 143637 Provision of ICT support to expand Early Warning Alert and Response System (EWARS) tool to detect, prevent and respond to violence; including violence against women & girls**  
**Date: July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

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The following inquiries have been received in relation to the above-mentioned process:

#### **QUESTION #1:**

Is there a benchmark standard that you are using or the consultant is expected to determine these factors?

#### **ANSWER TO QUESTION #1:**

Yes, there is a benchmark standard.

#### **QUESTION #2:**

What is the requirement for uptime of this service?

#### **ANSWER TO QUESTION #2:**

At least one year post consultancy.

#### **QUESTION #3:**

It is my understanding that a crime information system exists which is GIS-enabled. The assignment then is to add to that system those design elements needed to create an EWARS module which facilitates the tracking and analysis of GBV data. Please advise if this is the scope of the assignment.

**ANSWER TO QUESTION #3:**

This is correct.

**QUESTION #4:**

Are you able to send me any description of the existing systems to which the new module would need to be added?

**ANSWER TO QUESTION #4:**

Unfortunately, no. This is the property of the Jamaica Constabulary Force and can only be shared with the contracted consultant who will sign a contract with confidentiality clauses.

**QUESTION #5:**

I am a Belizean citizen, residing in Belize. I would be prepared to travel to Jamaica for the training and, if needed, during the information collection phase of the assignment. Would I still be eligible for the Consultancy? And, if so, would travel and accommodation costs be eligible for inclusion in the budget?

**ANSWER TO QUESTION #5:**

Yes, travel and accommodation costs are eligible for inclusion in the budget.

**\*End of the clarification\***