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SEC/RFP/10/2014 **Provision of Evaluation Services of OSCE SALW Assistance Projects Clarification Note 1**

The Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe has received requests for clarification from potential bidders on Wed 04/06/2014 00:28 with regard to Request for Proposal No. SEC/RFP/10/2014. The OSCE would like to provide the following clarifications:

- Q1: "On pg. 6, one of the evaluation questions on "relevance" asks about mélange projects, however a few paragraphs above, it is stated that mélange projects will not be evaluated. Please clarify."
- A1: Melange (rocket fuel) projects will not be evaluated, the focus is on Small Arms and Light Weapons (SALW).
- Q2: "Concerning the series of panel data of different duration would you clarify whether this dataset exists already or the evaluation team has to construct it? If the latter, please indicate what type of information (if any) is available (i.e., repeated cross-sectional data, cohort data, duration data, retrospective questions, or longitudinal data)?"
- A2: No such compiled data set exists, it is up to the evaluators to compile and arrange the data to make it suitable for analysis.

This Clarification Note is dispatched simultaneously to all economic operators known to be interested and can be found at the same time uploaded under the relevant procurement notice on the OSCE's web-site at www.osce.org/procurement/tenders.

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