



NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE

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SUPPLY, INSTALLATION, AND COMMISSIONING OF SERVERS AND STORAGE

ADDENDUM NO. 1

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CLARIFICATION:

LOT1

Question 1. Internal Storage has been mentioned as follows
Using 1.2 TB SAS with SSD compatibility and 29TB using 1.8TB SAS 15k
Hard drives What capacity should be used?

Answer: Use 1.2 TB SAS with SSD Compatibility

Question 2 Processor has been specified to have 24 Cores 3.5GHZ. We don't have 24Core with 3.5GHZ speed. We can offer 24Core 3.0GHZ which has a turbo frequency of 4.0GHZ which can be set permanently in the BIOS can we offer this option

Answer: Use Intel Xeon processors 24 cores 3.0 GHz or latest

Question 3: How Many SAN Ports for Fibre Connectivity are required?

Answer: As per vendor design.

Question 4: Do the Servers require Operating systems and which one? if Microsoft should they be Volume licenses?

Answer **Volume Licensing-Windows Server 2016/2019 R2, Service Pack 3
Datacentre, quantity 2 or equivalent**

LOT2

Question 1: The Xeon E5-2603 v4 processors Technology has Transitioned to the New Intel Xeon Silver 4208 8C 85W 1GHz Processor.

Answer: **Use Intel Xeon processors 24 cores 3.0Ghz or latest**

Question 2: The 10gb Connectivity should it be Base-T or SFP Based.

Answer: **10gb connectivity should be SFP-Based.**

Question 3: Can we offer the latest Vmware Vsphere 7 instead of Vmware 6?

Answer **Vmware VER 6 or latest**

NB: ALL OTHER CONDITIONS REMAIN THE SAME.



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