

## **ADDENDUM 1**

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Subject: Addendum 1 to the AAI: Building foundations to equip Indonesians with

21st century skills (Tender: AM5850) STA Request for Tender of 2

November 2020

## Tenderers are advised of the following:

This addendum is openly available to all potential tenderers. It consists of clarifications of and amendments to the Request for Tender documentation.

**REVISION 1:** The tenderers are asked to revise the wording of the fourth learning objective in Section 4.4 of SoS by removing words 'of financing'.

## **Current wording:**

Develop strategies for enhanced inter-agency collaboration for innovations, funding, M&E and oversight of financing between line ministries, provincial and local governments and schools to improve schools' abilities to develop students' 21st century skills

## Revised wording:

Develop strategies for enhanced inter-agency collaboration for innovations, funding, M&E and oversight between line ministries, provincial and local governments and schools to improve schools' abilities to develop students' 21st century skills

**NOTIFICATION 1:** The tenderers are advised **not** to contact any Australian Government agencies regarding their engagement in the AAI STA. The tenderers can include the agencies in the proposed course program without contacting the agencies. As part of the contract negotiations with the preferred tenderer, AAI will develop a plan with the Australian Embassy in Jakarta and the preferred tenderer detailing the communication with the Australian Government agencies.

**NOTIFICATION 2:** The tenderers do not need to include referees in the CVs. CVs do not need to be signed.

**QUESTION 1:** In relation to AM5850 (Building foundations to equip Indonesians with 21st century skills), could Coffey please provide the following clarification:

- On page 15 (section 4.4, Course topic areas/ learning objectives), the 4rth stated learning objective is as follow:

Develop strategies for enhanced inter-agency collaboration for innovations,

funding, M&E and oversight of financing between line ministries, provincial and local governments and schools to improve schools' abilities to develop students' 21st century skills

This proposed learning objective is very different from the rest of the course topics and seems to focus on operational management of relevant Indonesian government bodies. This is a topic that would be out of scope for Australian universities and RTOs.

Please clarify the intention behind this learning objective?

**ANSWER 1:** Regarding the fourth learning objective, the course provider is expected to build into the course program opportunities for the participants to benchmark inter-agency collaboration in Australia. The course will also explore the participants' experiences and proposed future strategies regarding inter-agency collaboration in Indonesia. Based on the Indonesian and Australian experiences the participants will apply relevant lessons learned in their Award Projects (depending on their project topics identified at the pre-course workshop) and develop strategies to improve inter-agency collaboration to help improve students' 21 century skills. Furthermore, please see Revision 1 of this Addendum.

**QUESTION 2:** Could you please advise if the AAI Short Term Award Guidelines November 2019 is the latest version?

**ANSWER 2:** The STA Guidelines document has been updated in November 2020. The November 2020 version is available on AAI website (under Short Term Awards/Tenderer Section).

**QUESTION 3:** I am writing to seek clarification of an issue with regard the recent call for Australia Awards - Short Courses. It concerns the Participants in the Program. We are aware that- the information states that the program is available for 25 participants from various roles and agencies within Indonesia. However in another section it asks us to identify or target participants. Can you please confirm who the participants are and how they are recruited – is this our role or are they already chosen?

ANSWER 3: AAI will provide the preferred tenderer with the list of 25 selected participants. The selection is completed by an independent selection panel. The participant selection will be finalised by 5 February 2021. Please also see SoS 6.1 Coffey is responsible for: Liaison with the agencies to complete the selection of participants and identify the detailed learning objectives; pre-departure arrangements and briefings in Indonesia; administrative arrangements (venue, participant travel and accommodation bookings) for the workshops in Indonesia; the preparation and payment of participants' international travel; and the arrangement of Australian visas for the participants.

All other information as set out in the RFT dated 2 November 2020 remains unchanged.