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Capacity Building to implement 'acquis' standards and conventions in nature protection – establishment of Natura 2000

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Tender no: 12SER01/08/11

No	Question	Answer
1.	Who are beneficiaries of the call?	Primary Beneficiaries are the Ministry of Energy, Development and Environmental Protection and the Nature Conservation Institutes of the Republic of Serbia and Autonomous Province of Vojvodina. There is a variety of stakeholders such as the Republic Geodetic Authority and other institutions holding data relevant for the identification of special protected areas and sites of community interest. Some of these may turn into beneficiaries in the course of project implementation depending on their potential contribution to project outputs and which will only be identified during the project inception phase.
2.	Is there a maximum number of consortium partners and minimum number of Serbian partners to include?	No limit on the number of consortium members is defined in the Contract Notice. No minimum or maximum number of Serbian members in a consortium is set in the Contract Notice. Please refer to the provisions of Article 11 of the Contract Notice.
3.	Does candidate's proportion (specified in point 21.3a (technical capacity of candidate)), in case of a consortium, refers to a single partner or consortium as a single candidate?	The candidate's proportion refers to the value of the services carried out by the legal entity mentioned in column 1 of the experience table (section 6 of the Application Form) in the respective reference project. In case the respective project was implemented by the legal entity as a sole contractor, then the proportion is 100%. If the legal entity implemented the respective project as member (leader or not) of a consortium, then only the part the legal entity was responsible for represents the candidate's proportion. The legal entity in column 1 of the experience

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		<p>table may be one (or two or more) of the consortium submitting the application (the candidate) or a third party acting in the sense of the following provisions of article 21 of the Contract Notice: <i>"An economic operator may, where appropriate and for a particular contract, rely on the capacities of other entities, regardless of the legal nature of the links which it has with them. It must in that case prove to the Contracting Authority that it will have at its disposal the resources necessary for performance of the contract, for example by producing an undertaking on the part of those entities to place those resources at its disposal. Such entities, for instance the parent company of the economic operator, must respect the same rules of eligibility and notably that of nationality, as the economic operator"</i>).</p>

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