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## Construction of Zezelj Bridge Access Roads
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| No. | Question | Answer |
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| 1 | What bachelor's degree must have Quality Assurance Engineer? | In line with article 16 - Selection criteria of the Contract notice, professional capacity of a candidate for all its key personnel from the list of the key staff must possess the following: a bachelor's degree (completion of minimum three years full-time course in a tertiary academic institution, or equivalent qualification) in the relevant fields of engineering. |
| 2 | Does Quality Assurance Engineer have to be employed by the Contractor or may be engaged for this project? | Quality Assurance Engineer could be employed or engaged by either of the two. |
| 3 | In the Contract Notice for the superscripted Tender it is written on art. 13: "A recommended site visit will be held at 10:00 hours Central European Time on 7/3/2014 … and information meeting at 12:00h Central European Time on 7/3/2014…" Can you confirm that the referred site visit is not mandatory and the companies that will not attend to this visit will not be eliminated from tender evaluation? | In line with article 13 of the Contract Notice, please note that the site visit scheduled for 7/3/2014 is recommended and not mandatory, and therefore not an eliminatory criterion. However, please note the provisions of article 6.1 of Instructions to Tenderers on the obligation of the Tenderer to visit and inspect the site of the works and its surroundings for the purpose of assessing, at its own responsibility, expense and risk, the factors necessary for preparing its tender and signing the contract for the works. The tenderers should therefore attach to their offers either the certificate of attendance to the site visit or a written statement duly signed that they visited and inspected the site of the works and its surroundings pursuant to sub-clause 6.1. |

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