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CONTRACTING AUTHORITY'S CLARIFICATION No. 1**“Technical assistance to support direct grant management in the field of employment policy”****Publication ref.: EuropeAid/133823/DH/SER/RS****Tender no: 12SER01/06/22**

No	Question	Answer
1.	<p>We would be very grateful if you could clarify the following paragraph :</p> <p><i>1. The candidate has provided in the course of the past 3 years (starting from 1.1.2011 up to the deadline for receipt of applications) at least 2 projects (the candidate's proportion equal to or greater than 750 000 EUR for his services in each project) in the fields of expertise described in Article 7. Altogether the eligible projects shall cover both areas of expertise.</i></p> <p>Do you mean that we have to cover 2 areas of expertise such as: “Development and Implementation of active labour market policies at national or local lever” and “Supporting employment/labour/social institutions in EU funds management following PRAG rules and procedures” in the same project or in 2 different projects.</p>	<p>As specified in the quoted paragraph, the eligible projects should <i>altogether</i> (not each of them) cover both fields/areas of expertise described in Article 7 of the Contract Notice.</p> <p>Please note:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- A project may be considered eligible if it covers at least one field of expertise described in article 7 of the Contract Notice, provided the other requirements (in terms of period of implementation and the candidate's proportion) are met;- A candidate may be considered to meet the requirements of the technical capacity criterion (item 21.3).1. of the Contract Notice) if at least two eligible projects are identified <u>and</u> if these eligible projects altogether cover both fields/areas of expertise defined in Article 7 of the Contract Notice.