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**Answers to the questions from the interested suppliers
in open competition "Rail Baltica Infrastructure Management Study" ID. No RBR
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RB Rail AS presents the following answers to the questions received until 2 August 2017 from the interested suppliers:

No	Question	Answer
1.	There are not many studies of this nature being carried out which exclusively deal with Infrastructure Maintenance Management. Would it be possible to extend the period of eligible projects to 5 years and to reduce the contract sum to 200,000€ (two hundred thousand Euros each)?	The Procurement commission would like to stress that infrastructure maintenance is key but not the only elements to be analysed during the study. It should be noted that Clause 7.4. of the Procurement regulations provide for a possibility for the Tenderer to prove its technical and professional ability by referencing completed studies of a materially similar subject matter – related to railway infrastructure management.
2.	Rail Baltic Estonia recently awarded a contract for a 'Preliminary Study on Technical and Spatial Needs of Maintenance Depot of Railway Infrastructure'. Will there also be appropriate integration of this project?	RB Rail AS as the Central coordinator of the Rail Baltica project ensures synergy between studies carried out for the benefit of the project.

Procurement commission
Chairman



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