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Riga, 21 December 2017

***Answers to the questions from the interested suppliers***

***in open competition “Technical expertise of the cut-and-cover railway tunnel” ID. No RBR 2017/32***

RB Rail AS presents the following answers to the questions received until 21 December 2017 from the interested suppliers:

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| **No** | **Question** | **Answer** |
|  | We kindly ask you to clarify if a tenderer bidding for the published tender “Technical expertise of the cut – and – cover railway tunnel” and, as a result, eventually delivering related contractual services would be considered as being in a conflict of interests regarding that tenderer’s participation in any of the upcoming Rail Baltica detailed technical design work procurements and eventual delivery of resulting detailed technical design services (referred to, among others, during meetings with interested suppliers regarding design work procurements [<http://www.railbaltica.org/tenders/meeting-with-interested-suppliers-regarding-design-work-procurements/>])? | It will not exclude the supplier from future design or engineering services within RB Rail AS procurements. |
|  | in case of awarding of the contract related to the technical expertise of the cut and cover railway tunnel the design firm will be allowed to participate to the future tender related to detailed design? |
|  | Are the input data listed on ANNEX 4 chapter 2.3 in Latvian language or English Language? In case of Latvian, who is in charge of translations cost? | All the input data shall be provided in English. Translation will be provided in case of additional data shall be required. |
|  | item 1.4: is 42 000 Euro is the maximum price of the financial proposal or the financial proposal can be quoted on the base of unit prices of experts plus direct cost in order to fulfill the requirements specified on ANNEX 4 chapter 3 (WP)? | Financial resources allocated for subject matter of the Procurement in total are up to EUR 42 000. |