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Notification Letter for a service contract

22.10.2023 249 Startups for Advanced Business Co. Ltd <u>mutaz@249startups.com</u>

Our ref: Z8F3C2B5DF

Dear Mr. Mutaz Mohamednour Hassan Mohamed,

Resilience-oriented support to conflict-affected vulnerable women and youth entrepreneurs through the setup of a Fund Manager with TA and Grants services – Gedaref, Kassala, Red Sea States

The above contract will be awarded to you for the amount mentioned in your tender and on the basis of the conditions stipulated in the tender dossier.

The contract value is EUR 418.450,00 (all included).

Please complete a new financial identification form if your bank account details have changed and are different from those submitted with your tender.

For your information, please find below your scores. These scores are based on the average technical scores awarded by the evaluators according to the award criteria. You will also find the composite results of the evaluation:

	Ration ale	Strat egy	Back-up function	Key Expert s' CVs	Timetabl e of activities	Average total technical score	Weighted Tech score x 0.80	Fincl score x 0.20	Overal l score
Your tender	15.7/20	32.7/ 35	14/15	14/15	13/15	90/100	80	20	100

Within **2 days** from today you are kindly requested to submit a statement that all the key experts proposed in your offer are available at the date of **26.10.2023**, indicative date of entry into force of the contract.

In case any of the key experts you proposed in your tender is unavailable, you will propose within **15 days** from today replacement experts who shall have at least equivalent qualifications and experience as the key experts proposed in your tender. A justification for the change of the expert shall be given, but the acceptance will not be limited to specific cases. For your information, the replacement expert may not have

been a key expert proposed by any of the other tenderers in this procedure. Several replacement experts may be proposed for the same position but only one time-period of 15 days will be offered. The contracting authority will choose between these proposed experts.

The replacement expert's total score must be at least as high as the scores of the expert proposed in the tender. It must be emphasised that the minimum requirements for each evaluation criterion must be met by the replacement expert.

In order to proceed with the preparation of your contract at the earliest, we would like to ask you to send us the requested information by **24.10.2023** to the following email address: procurement.sudan@aics.gov.it.

If you do not propose replacement experts within the time limit, or, if the replacement experts are not sufficiently qualified, the contracting authority may annul this award.

To facilitate the contract preparation, could you please confirm that you will request the pre-financing of 40% - 167.380,00 EUR.

The contract will be sent to you for signature if you provide the above requested information within the specified date under the conditions stated above.

The contract must be signed by the two parties by 26.10.2023 at the latest.

Please take note of the possibility – as described in the instructions to tenderers – that the tender procedure may – under certain circumstances – be cancelled by the contracting authority. In no circumstances will the contracting authority be liable for damages, whatever their nature (in particular damages for loss of profits) or relationship to the cancellation of a tender, even if the contracting authority has been informed of the possibility of damage. The publication of a contract notice does not commit the contracting authority to implement the programme or project announced.

Implementation of the tasks may not start before the contract is signed by both parties.

Yours sincerely,

Michele Morana

Head of AICS Khartoum Office