

RfP17/01448

Company / think tank to develop national long-term strategic planning framework of the Republic of Moldova up to 2030

Answer to e-mail enquiry as of 03/03/2017:

Q: Is the requirement for the Team leader *"Fluency in <u>Romanian</u>, Russian and English*" mandatory, or its absence will just decrease the number of points received when evaluating the technical proposal?

A: The requirement **"Fluency in Romanian, Russian and English"** is not a minimum qualification requirement, hence failure to comply will not lead to disqualification, but will result in deduction of points as per **Technical Proposal Evaluation Form** 3 (page 22 of the RfP document). However, bidders must observe section **C. Scope of Services, Expected Outputs and Target Completion – Language Requirements** of the TOR (page 27 of the RfP document), and will bear the costs of translation and interpretation, as required.