

Copernicus Information Day Clarification

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Introduction

ECMWF has issued the following clarification to the Procurement process presentation and the Q&A presentation given in Brussels on 2 February 2015.

The second paragraph of slide 9 of the Procurement process presentation and the first half of the answer to Question 7 in the Q&A presentation should be replaced by:

“ECMWF will only enter into a contract with a single legal person/entity. Due to the need to include performance and compliance obligations in the contract, ECMWF will contract only with a single legal person or entity which is competent to undertake and commit to these obligations.

ECMWF recognises that some bids will involve a number of organisation which may wish to work together to deliver the contract requirements. In such cases, these organisations must identify a lead contractor who will sign the contract with ECMWF and who will be responsible for putting in place legal arrangements to ensure that it can guarantee that all other organisations will also meet the contract obligations.

ECMWF will not enter into multiple contracts with individual members of consortia or groups of service providers.”

