## ECMWF Copernicus Procurement

**Invitation to Tender** 



## **CLARIFICATIONS**

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We are pleased to provide the following clarification responses to questions received:

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According to section 3.3.1 of Volume II of the ITT documents, at the beginning of the contract the successful Tenderer will develop and agree with ECMWF the audit procedure, scope and reporting protocol, based on the analysis of the reference documents (Delegation Agreement, Framework Agreement). ECMWF does not have a prescribed sampling methodology as this is to be developed and agreed as part the aforementioned activities at the beginning of the contract. However, for the purposes of pricing their proposals, Tenderers shall consider a sampling approach based on 20% of each cost category population.