SADC SECRETARIAT RESPONSES TO REQUESTS FOR CLARIFICATIONS

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PROVISION OF ICT SUPPORT SERVICES AT SADC SECRETARIAT

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Question №	Question	SADC Secretariat Response
Nr.1	Would you please extend the lead time,since the Global lead time these days is extending to 30 Weeks plus. The second issue is on price fluctuations of components within the production cycle for storage systems at the time of shipment, would please allow an allowance.	Closing time for this bid is **9 November 2026, at or before 00:00 midnight local Botswana time. The closing time will not be extended.** **As per ITB 13.7**, The prices quoted by the Bidder shall not be adjustable. They will be no allowance for price adjustment.

End of Responses

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