

Clarifications_2nd part - RFP GVA26/002352 - Frame Agreement for Consultancy Services - Wathab

No.	Request for Clarification	Answer
1	Reference: Annex C (War Risk Insurance); ToR Section 3.5. Annex C describes Lloyd's war risk insurance taken out by ICRC for "Consultant staff who will go to the site of the Project." Could ICRC confirm whether this cover extends equally to (a) nationally-recruited experts engaged directly by the Consultant, and (b) personnel of disclosed local sub-contractors deployed to the same field sites, or whether separate arrangements are required for either category?	War risk insurance coverage can be applied for any consultant engaged in the Project, including nationally recruited experts and sub-contractors. However, the insurance covers only the mission days, and does not cover for personal leisure activities during weekends or other non-mission-related circumstances
2	Reference: Annex C (War Risk Insurance). Annex C indicates that Lloyd's war risk cover applies to consultants up to 70 years of age. Could ICRC advise whether an alternative arrangement exists for experts proposed for field missions above this age threshold?	No alternative arrangements possible
3	Our public liability insurance provides coverage for third party property damage and/or bodily injury. Interference, trespass, loss of amenities, nuisance, infringement, obstruction is not excluded in so far as it relates to property damage. Pure financial loss is not covered under public liability insurance. Please confirm Schedule 9 article 2.1 sub iii relates to property damage only.	We confirm Schedule 9 article 2.1 sub iii relates to property damage only.
4	Could you please confirm whether the ICRC benefits from an exemption or immunity from withholding tax in Kenya? Our understanding is that, if such an exemption applies, no Kenyan withholding tax would be deducted from payments made to the Consultant	ICRC does benefit from exemption from withholding tax in Kenya. This tax is, however, not applicable for companies registered outside of Kenya. Also, we don't foresee any future project to be implemented in Kenya