



Our Ref: EOI/TSD/M/AUTO/1/2018/004

02 Aug 2018

Dear Tenderers,

**RESPONSE TO TECHNICAL QUERIES NO. 002**

**for Expression of Interest (EOI)**

**TENDER REFERENCE NO. TEN/TSD/2018/001**

Agreement No. TSD 1/2018 (AAS)  
Information Technology (IT) Service on Design, Development and Maintenance  
for the BEAM Plus Assessment Automation System  
for the BEAM Society Limited (the "BSL")

With reference to the captioned EOI, we hereby respond to the technical queries as received from tenderers via details at **Annex A**.

2. If you have any query concerning the above submission, please write to the Procurement Division of the BSL by email or by post for any queries concerning this EOI exercise and its associated Response to Technical Queries as detailed below:

Procurement Division  
The BEAM Society Limited  
1/F, Jockey Club Environmental Building  
77 Tat Chee Avenue  
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China

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Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'C. S. Ho' with a stylized flourish at the end.

(Ir C. S. Ho)  
General Manager of the BSL

Encl.

cc.       The BSL Secretariat  
          The Automation Task Force of the BSL

## Response to Technical Queries

<b>Agreement No.</b>	TSD 1/2018 (AAS)
<b>Subject of Procurement</b>	Information Technology Service on Design, Development and Maintenance for the BEAM Plus Assessment Automation System for the BEAM Society Limited
<b>Submission Deadline</b>	12:00 noon on Friday, 10 August 2018

<b>Item No.</b>	<b>Queries from Tenderers</b>	<b>Response from the BEAM Society Limited</b>
1.	Would the BSL require the ownership of the source code of the tool?	As specified in item 4 of Response to Technical Queries No. 001, the BSL requires unfettered access, deployment, use or liberty with no additional cost commitment to the vendor. The use of Solution shall be limited to the BSL and its designated user groups. The Solution Provider shall not reuse, license or provide third party with the Solution in part or in full without explicit consent from the BSL. The copyright of unmodified original source code/IP shall remain as property of Solution Provider, but any changes/enhancements related to the Project shall be owned by the BSL.
2.	Does the BSL require the IT Solution team members to be Hong Kong Permanent Resident?	The BSL has no preference on staff originality but does require the relevant staff to be actively participated during the project design, development, implementation, testing and maintenance stage during office hours in Hong Kong.
3.	Does the BSL require the project director and development staff to be physically located in Hong	Physical presence in Hong Kong is not a must throughout the contract period.  However, the IT Solution Provider shall exercise

	Kong office throughout the contractual period?	reasonable judgement while establishing its project team, and soliciting the BSL's input prior to finalize and alternate its decision on its project staff arrangement.
4.	Is the contractual period of this project 5 years?	The contractual period shall cover project design, development, implementation, testing plus 5-year subsequent system support, upgrade and maintenance.

**\*\*\*\*\*End of Response to Technical Queries \*\*\*\*\***