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No	Question	Answer
1	Section 11 (Eligibility) of the procurement notice states, "Participation is also open to international organisations". Please clarify what this means, i.e. if for example U.S. based firms are able to bid on this assignment.	<p>The meaning of "international organisations" in Article 11 of the Procurement Notice for the abovementioned tender procedure is as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">(a) international public-sector organisations set up by intergovernmental agreements, and specialised agencies set up by such organisations;(b) the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC);(c) the International Federation of National Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies;(d) the European Investment Bank and the European Investment Fund. <p>For a fuller explanation of the rules of participation in the abovementioned tender procedure all applicants are strongly advised to consult the regulation governing the programme namely the Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance (Council Regulation (EC) N° 1085/2006 - OJ L 210/82 of 31.7.2006).</p>