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CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE IN MOLECULAR BIO-MEDICINE

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EXPLANATION OF CONTENTS OF TERMS OF REFERENCE Concerns: procedure for a public procurement contract for the delivery of equipment for Zebrafish (*Danio rerio*) husbandry Case reference ADZ-23-29/2011

Referring to the questions received on 30th of November and 1st of December 2011 concerning the content of terms of references, International Institute of Molecular and Cell Biology, hereinafter called Contracting Authority, acting pursuant to the article 38 section 1 and to Public Procurement Act of 29 January 2004, provides under mentioned explanation.

Contractor's questions:

1. Will the Contracting Authority allow the central filtration unit to be 2,10 x 1,0 x 2,2 meter (L x W x H)?
2. In order to be possible to deliver an offer for a straightforward system design, I would like to ask if it is possible to make an adaptation of the requested 5 racks connected to a central filtration system. What I would like to offer is one single rack and two "double racks".
3. In the description of the subject of the contract (point III Terms of References) at point 3e it is mentioned that the offered goods must be accompanied with a CE marking. In our case the systems as a whole are not accompanied with CE marking, but the electrical parts of the systems are. All the pumps, UV-C lights etc. are accompanied with CE marking from the manufacturer. Is this a problem hampering our tender bid?

Contracting Authority's answers:

Ad. 1:

- **YES**, the Contracting Authority allows the central filtration unit to be 2,10 x 1,0 x 2,2 meter (L x W x H).

Ad. 2:

- **YES**, the Contracting Authority allows the option to make an adaptation of the requested 5 racks connected to a central filtration system as a one single rack and two "double racks" but only under condition that this will not affect the total capacity of all racks and that all requirements of the Contracting Authority regarding the properties of the racks as specified in the Terms of References point III option 1 point 1, point 3, point 9-12 and point III option 2 point 1, point 3-7 are met.

Ad. 3:

- The Contracting Authority accepts CE marking from the manufacturers for each parts of the system.

These explanations are an integral part of the terms of references. All other contents of terms of references remain unchanged.