



INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR ELECTORAL SYSTEMS

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Questions and Answers

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1. As per the Taxes exemption letter I have the project should end by 30/04/2019 is this right or you have extension letter?

IFES Respond: IFES has a Value Added Tax (VAT) exemption letter from the government of Egypt. The current project of IFES ends on April 30, 2019 with the possibility of extension. If the VAT is ever applied to IFES, the contract with the selected hotel will be amended.

2. Due to the busy time you are requesting the event and the limited banquet space I have anything I will send to you be subject to hotel availability at the time you required to book.

IFES Respond: Yes. Booking will be subject to hotel's availability.

3. As for the room accommodation how many rooms you are expecting to need as my price will depend on the number and the date

IFES Respond: According to the RFQ (page 2), "If your hotel anticipates any increases during certain periods, please provide prices for these periods." If the hotel would like to provide brackets for number of rooms [for example: up to 10 room, price will be X, up to 20 room, Price will be Y], this is acceptable, but IFES can't provide a fixed number of rooms at this stage. Lodging prices for Cairo, including applicable taxes and charges, must not exceed the approved US government ceiling (as stated in the RFQ page 2).