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INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR ELECTORAL SYSTEMS RFA-18-058- Campaign Finance Monitoring for Nigeria's Elections

Questions and Answers

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CLARIFICATION: Please note, the original RFA stated in error that respondents should plan to:

"Engage / deploy trained field monitors to each state, and the FCT, before and during the elections, with a minimum of <u>one monitor per LGA</u>, for a total of at least <u>774</u> monitors."

Please **disregard** this specific text and replace that line in the scope of work with the following correction:

"Engage / deploy trained field monitors to each state, and the FCT, before and during the elections, with a minimum of one monitor per senatorial zone, for a total of at least 108 monitors."

Question 1: Please explain the following if the grant will be allocated to one organization or some organizations as I saw the project will take place in all the 36 states of the federation need more clarification on the number of organization to engage on the project

Also, is the thirty-six million (36,000,000) budget is for one state or for the whole 36 states of the federation need more light on these?

IFES Response: With regard specifically to this campaign finance-focused Request for Applications (RFA), IFES intends to issue only one grant to one organization, with the scope of work encompassing all 36 states. IFES has simultaneously issued a separate RFA (#18-057) focused on electoral violence education and resolution, which is expected to encompass six different organizations—one per each of Nigeria's geopolitical zones.

The budget ceiling of 36 million Nigerian Naira for this RFA applies to the entire grant, encompassing all 36 states.