



International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES)

RFQ/17/031 – Solicitation for Purchase of Nineteen (19) Diesel Generators in Liberia

Questions & Answers (Q&A)

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Q1. please explain what is meant with Wheel-mounted generator; do you need the generator on a trailer or just small casters? Please provide more details.

IFES: Wheel-mounted means that the generators can be moved from one place to other. If castors are strong enough to support the generator, then they are better than a trailer.

Q2. Please confirm the generators required should be single phase or three phases.

IFES: Three phases are preferred, if available.

Q3. You mentioned that we should include delivery and installation so please confirm what will be the materials required for the installation? Cables length, double throw switch, safety switch?

IFES: An average cable length (cost per meter) from generator house to the office should be included as part of installation cost. We have requested for a changeover switch and that should be enough.

Q4. Concerning the RFQ/17/031 I had one enquiry before sending my quotation, which is the “Transportation”. Since here in Liberia not all counties are reachable, due to very bad road conditions, it makes it almost impossible to reach some parts of the country. So can the transportation be excluded?

IFES: Transportation cannot be excluded, as the NEC lacks the capacity to organize and execute the delivery and installation of the generators as the result of the referenced difficult road conditions in Liberia. We seek vendors capable of the required transportation as described in the RFQ.