

EXPLANATION OF THE COMPETITION TERMS AND CONDITIONS NO. 2

On 4 February 2019, Správa železniční dopravní cesty, státní organizace, with its registered office at Dlážděná 1003/7, Prague 1, Postcode 110 00, ID No.: 709 94 234 (the “**Contracting Authority**”) commenced a procurement procedure on the architectural design competition called “**Architectural Design of the Veleslavín railway station**” published in the Tenders Electronic Daily under registration no. Z2019-004321 (the “**Design Competition**”). The Design Competition has been announced as an open design competition pursuant to Section 145 of Act No. 134/2016 Sb., on Public Procurement, as amended (the “**PPA**”).

The Contracting Authority is hereby providing an explanation of the Competition Terms and Conditions pursuant to Section 98(3) of the PPA including the exact wording of the request without identification details of the prospective participant who has requested the explanation.

On 7 February 2019 the Contracting Authority received written request for explanation of the Competition Terms and Conditions pursuant to Section 98(2) of the PPA from a prospective participant. The Contracting Authority provides the explanation of the Competition Terms and Conditions in both Czech and English languages.

	Request of the participant where the explanation was provided based on a request for explanation	Explanation of the Contracting Authority
1.	<p><i>Registration in the system cannot be completed without attaching an electronic signature. Cannot anonymity be compromised, if we register with an electronic signature?</i></p>	<p>In connection with this enquiry the Contracting Authority would like to assure the potential participants that by completing registration with an attached electronic signature the participant’s identity will not be disclosed to the Contracting Authority. All information will remain anonymous for the Contracting Authority.</p> <p>At the same time, the Contracting Authority would like to stress again that any other steps taken in the Design Competition must not involve an electronic signature.</p> <p>At the same time, the Contracting Authority confirms that registration cannot be completed without attaching an electronic signature. If the prospective participant does not possess an electronic signature, they may procure one from authorised providers of certification services, for example at the following internet addresses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • http://qca.postsignum.cz • http://www.eidentity.cz • http://www.ica.cz <p>Also accepted are electronic signatures based on a qualified certificate issued by a <u>foreign provider</u> as per the list published at: http://euts1.3xasecurity.com/tools/index.jsp</p>

		<p>It is also possible to have an electronic signature obtained via a third party on the basis of a power of attorney. All details of such a procedure can be found at the above internet address in the section “JEDNÁNÍ V ZASTOUPENÍ” at: https://www.ica.cz/Dokumenty-kvalifikovany-certifikat-pro-ePodpis.</p> <p>Should for any reason a prospective participant be not interested in obtaining an electronic signature, the Contracting Authority declares that for the purposes of registration in the Contracting Authority’s profile and the subsequent submission of a competition entry the potential participant can be represented based on a power of attorney by a third party possessing an electronic signature.</p>
2.	<p><i>Identification details which participants must not enter in the EZAK system include also the country where a registered office/place of business/residence is situated. The system shows the Czech Republic as the default pre-selected country while it is not possible to choose “none” or to leave the field blank. Is it correct to leave the pre-filled default Czech Republic?</i></p>	<p>Yes, the participant should leave there the default option “Czech Republic”.</p>

For the avoidance of any doubt, the Contracting Authority asserts that the provision of the above explanation does not imply a change in the Competition Terms and Conditions within the meaning of Section 98(5) of the PPA and that the deadline for submission of competition entries remains unaffected.

Prague, 12 February 2019