

## **EXPLANATION OF THE COMPETITION TERMS AND CONDITIONS NO. 2**

*Správa železnic, státní organizace, with its registered office at Dlážděná 1003/7, Prague 1, Postcode 110 00, Czech Republic, ID No.: 709 94 234 (the "**Contracting Authority**"), commenced a procurement procedure regarding the design competition entitled "**PRAGUE EAST TERMINAL**", published in the Tenders Electronic Journal under registration no. Z2020-031279 (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 has received a written request for explanation of the Competition Terms and Conditions pursuant to Section 144(2) of the PPA from a prospective participant interested in participating in the Design Competition. The Contracting Authority hereby provides an explanation of the Competition Terms and Conditions in both Czech and English languages including the exact wording of the request for explanation of the Competition Terms and Conditions, without identification details of the prospective participant who has requested the explanation.*

The Contracting Authority also publishes an explanation of the Competition Terms and Conditions without the prior request of the prospective participant.

	<b><i>Request of the participant where the explanation was provided based on a request for explanation</i></b>	<b><i>Explanation of the Contracting Authority</i></b>
<b>1.</b>	<p>We would like to ask you to consider an extension of the deadline for submission of competition entries in the Prague-East Terminal competition.</p> <p>Reasons:</p> <p>/ A competition of this extent and with such assignment comprises a large number of issues to be discussed which require a plenty of time to be elaborated in a competition entry of high quality. However, the time is rather limited due to the competition deadlines.</p> <p>/ In addition, the extension could be justified due to the current complicated situation as the design teams often work from home due to quarantine. Such work is therefore difficult to coordinate.</p>	<p>The Contracting Authority hereby extends the deadline for submission of competition entries.</p> <p><b><u>The deadline for submission of the competition entries (both in hard-copy and electronic form) is now 30 November 2020 at 5:00 pm CET (Central European Time).</u></b></p>
<b>2.</b>	N/A	The Contracting Authority reminds that all prospective participants wishing to successfully file their participation applications must be registered in the

		<p>EZAK electronic tool at: <a href="https://zakazky.spravazeleznic.cz/registrace.html">https://zakazky.spravazeleznic.cz/registrace.html</a>.</p> <p>The Contracting Authority states that prospective participants can register either in the electronic tool or request pre-registration in the Contracting Authority's electronic tool by sending a completed form titled "Žádost o předregistraci do elektronického nástroje" (Request for pre-registration in the electronic tool; "<b>Request</b>"), which is attached to this Explanation, by email to: <a href="mailto:zakazky@spravazeleznic.cz">zakazky@spravazeleznic.cz</a>.</p> <p>The Contracting Authority points out that the above-stated <b>Request must be signed by the applicant using its advanced electronic signature</b> based on a qualified certificate; otherwise the Request cannot be granted.</p> <p>The Contracting Authority strongly recommends that any prospective participant send the aforesaid Request <b>well in advance</b> before the deadline for the competition entries submission.</p> <p>The Contracting Authority processes duly completed Request forms signed by advanced electronic signature and delivered <b>on business days by 3 p.m.</b> on the same day. Requests delivered at a later point of time will be processed on the following business day. The Contracting Authority will send information about the pre-registration and data for accessing the electronic tool to the email address of the to the prospective participants from which they submitted the Request.</p>
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