



The Early Childhood Commission  
Shops 44-49 Kingston Mall  
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Kingston, Jamaica, W.I

July 30, 2019

**To: Prospective Suppliers**

**Re: Addendum 2- Procurement of Windows Server Software and Hardware  
Upgrades/Equipment– NCB#ECC-2019-07-15**

Reference is made to the captioned procurement opportunity issued on July 15, 2019.

Please find attached additional Requests for Clarifications and Answers.

**All other aspects of the Bidding Document & Addendum 1 remain unchanged.**

Kind regards,

Joleesa Courts (Ms.)  
Director 1 – Public Procurement

**Attachment 1**

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**Requests for Clarifications and Answers**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Questions</b>	<b>Answers</b>
<b>1</b>	Are you okay or open to moving from your current Dell servers to HPE servers?  Or is it that you want to upgrade to a new set of Dell servers ?	We are open to any brand.
<b>2</b>	If you are open to using HPE servers, would you want to have some form of training in order to manage the equipment after installing?	Training option will be considered but it is not a requirement.
<b>3</b>	Will the Dell units remain in the current environment or will they be replaced entirely ?	They will be replaced entirely.
<b>4</b>	Would you want the domain controller to have two smaller drives to house your operating system with a RAID 1 Config ?	No, we require the hard drives to be configured in RAID 5, as per the bidding document.
<b>5</b>	What version of Windows Server is currently in place?	Windows 2003, as per the bidding document.
<b>6</b>	Do users run Windows 7 or Windows 10?	80% Windows 10, 20% Windows 8.1
<b>7</b>	Must services be onsite or can they be remote?	Must be onsite