

LCN Fund Full Submission

Supplementary Answer Form

Tick if this answer is Confidential: ☐

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Project code:	WPD-T2-04	Question Number	WPD036
Question date	27.09.2012	Answer date	02.10.2012
Submission section question relates to	3		
Topic	Project Business Case		
Question	Are you definitely going out to tender for fault level monitors as part of Method Beta? If not, how will you encourage the existing supplier to make a financial contribution to the project?		
Notes on question			
Answer	<p>Yes.</p> <p>All equipment that is not currently part of a WPD framework procurement agreement will be procured through a competitive tender process. This includes the Fault Level monitors as part of Method Beta.</p> <p>Requests for Information (RfIs) were sent to targeted manufacturers and suppliers (through Achilles' Utilities Database and industry technology scanning), as part of the bid preparation from ISP to FSP. We are now positioning ourselves for project readiness by producing Invitation to Tender (ITT) documents prior to the award notification date.</p> <p>We are focussed on delivering the best value for money to distribution customers. Every chosen supplier will be required to make a financial contribution to the project whether that is in the form of a discounted product or investment of individuals' time.</p>		
Attachments			

Verbal Clarifications (Consultants)	
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