



## **Answers to clarification request**

### **RFP23-4972 – Technical assistance for building a Fisheries Science vessel for the Pacific**

**Date:** February 8, 2023

**Question:** Is this tender for the initial concept design only?

**Answer:** Yes.

**Question:** Is the contract period for the services involved in this tender about 3 months in total?

**Answer:** Yes, we estimated the services could be completed in 60 working days.

**Question:** The design (General, Basic and Detailed) of the vessel will be part of the later shipbuilding contract, which means that the choice of design will be in the hands of the successful shipyard?

**Answer:** Yes, we are just asking about a “detailed functionality study”, built on the RV capacities we need, and that will contain all technical specifications shipyards will understand so they could decide if they have the capabilities to design and build such vessel.