



## Clarifications for Tender ref. DUB-MEV-39473

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#	Question	Answer
1	The TOR indicates that evaluators should travel to at least two countries of GOAL operation to conduct data collection. To obtain data from additional countries, would the approach of the evaluators sending data collection tools to GOAL staff in additional countries be considered?	Should data be needed for the additional countries, it is expected that the evaluators collect the information themselves via online surveys, interviews, or focus groups for example. GOAL can help promote, disseminate the survey or organize the interviews or focus groups for the evaluators, but not collect data for the evaluators.
2	The TOR states that in-country site visit costs should be covered by the consultancy team; however, it also states that GOAL will support logistics for data collection. Is the consultancy team expected to pay the data collection staff in country? What about transport costs related to data collection?	GOAL can support (at no cost) transporting the consultancy team for field visits, interviews, focus groups. GOAL can also help with booking accommodation for the consultants but not pay for it. All data must be collected by the consultancy team; GOAL cannot provide staff for this.
3	For Annex 2, "Past Evaluations or Research Completed," is this expected to contain the products created by past projects (final reports, etc)? If these products are not publicly available, can the projects simply be listed (with references)?	If the reports are not publicly available, a copy can be provided to GOAL, marked 'confidential' if necessary and GOAL will not use it for any other purpose rather than assess its quality for this consultancy application.