

CLARIFICATION NOTE 3

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<u>NOTA BENE</u>: Applicants are reminded that questions concerning this Call for Proposals shall be addressed to the GSA's functional mailbox <u>gnss-grants@gsa.europa.eu</u> and the subject of the email shall read "GSA/GRANT/03/2018 Enhanced Receiver for autonomous driving/navigation". Processing of emails which do not bear this subject line may be delayed.

Question no.11: The GSA has clarified that "each affiliated entity must submit an individual budget table (C1 form) separate from the one submitted by the applicant to which it is affiliated", however the file "C1 form" does not contain a sheet for the affiliated entity; please clarify this aspect.

Moreover, in the case whereby the co-applicant and the affiliated entity bring own resources (e.g. personnel staff costs) but all the expenses will be supported by the co-applicant, how should the C1 forms be filled in?

Lastly, in case of award of the project, please confirm whether the budget pertaining to the coapplicant and its affiliated entity will be transferred only to the co-applicant.

Answer: Any of the sheets named "co-applicant" in the C1 form may be used for declaring the costs of an affiliated entity.

With regard to the second part of the question, it is stressed that the co-applicant and the affiliated entity must each fill in a separate C1 form with each entity declaring its own costs (e.g. the personnel costs of the affiliated entity's staff must be declared in a separate C1 form, not in the same C1 form that will be filled in by the co-applicant, while the co-applicant itself will declare its own costs not including those of its affiliated entity).

Lastly, payments under the grant agreement are issued by the GSA only to the coordinator of the consortium who will be responsible for distributing to all the co-applicants; affiliated entities do not receive any direct payments from the GSA nor from the coordinator.