RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS

- 1. In order to respond to section **3.17 Financial Capability of the Bidder** (page 10) we will need to provide our financial statement separately. Please confirm that our financial statement may be provided directly to the DCA at the address listed on page 5.
 - Your financial statement may be provided separately, as noted.
- 2. Section 4.1.1 states that "DCA has completed a tiered Environmental Assessment document which includes a Tier 1 Programmatic Environmental Assessment (Tier 1) and a Tier 2 Site-Specific Environmental Assessment (Tier 2) Checklist for the HARP and SRRP for each of the 12 (twelve) identified MID counties." Will the State provide a link to the Broad Review checklist?
 - The State <u>will not</u> provide a link to the Broad Review or Site-specific checklist prior to proposal submission.
- 3. How shall the cost of publication for public notice documents (required on Page 13, Section 4.1.3.G, 4.1.3.H.c and 4.1.3.H.d) be captured in the cost proposal?
 - If public notice activities are necessary, expenses will be billed separately and are not a part of the proposal.
- 4. If there are any circumstances beyond our control, for example Agency consultations, are the Liquidated Damages waived? (For example: section 4.1.4 "DCA expects that the Tier 2reviews will be completed within thirty (30) days")
 - Each situation will be evaluated based on all applicable circumstances before Liquidated Damages are assessed.
- 5. Will all project staff need to be physically located in New Jersey, even non-field staff? It is not required for project staff including non-field staff to be located in New Jersey; however, travel/accommodation expenses are not reimbursable.