

## BOND COUNSEL NEW JERSEY HIGHER EDUCATION STUDENT ASSISTANT AUTHORITY TO SERVE FOR A THREE-YEAR PERIOD (2024, 2025 AND 2026)

1. Is this a fair and open process under the Election Transparency Act?

No, this RFQ was not issued pursuant to a fair and open process under the Elections Transparency Act.

2. The cover page of the RFQ states the proposals are due on September 20, 2023 but does not include a deadline time for the submission to be considered not late. Section 7 – Proposal Submission, also does not address the time. I note that the OAG/Division of Law's webpage does include deadline time. Please clarify that Proposals are due by 4pm on the due date.

As stated on the webpage, proposals are due by 4:00 pm on September 20, 2023.

3. Section 6.2(E) makes reference to a subsequent Section, specifically 6.3(D). Is this the correct reference or should it be previous section 6.2(D)?

The second sentence in paragraph 6.2(E) should refer to paragraph 6.2(D) and not paragraph 6.3(D). This correction has been made to the online RFQ application and the PDF read-only version of the RFQ.