

№	Question	Answer
1.	Could you please explain the background of the recent postponement of the bid submission date as you have stated on 18.01.2019 no further extensions are foreseen (in response to an interested party seeking an extension to March 11, 2019)?	The reason for the extension is Art. 94 of the Concessions Act. Meanwhile, on 28 January 2019 a formal letter was received from the Ministry's consultant – the International Finance Corporation, part of the World Bank Group, calling for changes to the Concessions Act, related to the limitation of the joint and several liability, the termination compensations, as well as for making the texts concerning arbitration on disputes on the implementation of the Concession Agreement more precise.
2.	If and to the extent any amendments related to the bid documentation are intended, could you please elaborate on the areas of such amendments? Provided the Tender Documents are changed (except for the bid data sheet) is a further postponement of the bid submission date required (i.e. by at least 7 days) and what is the expected date/time-line for the publication of an amended documentation?	Please refer to the answer of the previous question. In case of further amendments to the Tender Documents, the procedure under Article 79, paragraph 5 of the Concessions Act will be respected, and a new applications and offers submission deadline will be set.
3.	Please kindly clarify if the Q&A process is resumed again and questions can be posted until March 20, 2019 at the latest (or any other date that you envisage).	Please refer to the Tender Documents amended with Decision № PK-1 from 01.02.2019, published on the project's official website – <a href="https://www.concession-sof.bg/">https://www.concession-sof.bg/</a> .