Annex 8 (Rev. A): Tentative Time Schedule & Correspondence Contact

1. The timetable for the RFA events, beginning with publication of the pre-auction notice, is set out below.

Tentative Time Schedule – BSD/Lot14-N.Waziristan/2018	
Event	Calendar Date
Publication of Specific Procurement Notice	Friday, February 9, 2018
Distribution of RFA Document	Friday, February 9, 2018
Deadline for submission of questions by bidders	Friday, March 2, 2018
Answers to questions	Monday, March 5, 2018
Deadline for Registration of Bidders	Monday, March 12, 2018
Deadline for Submission of Proposals	Wednesday, March 28, 2018
Opening of the Qualification & Services Proposals	Wednesday, March 28, 2018
Complete evaluation of Qualification & Services	Thursday, April 12, 2018
Proposals and announcement of Qualified Applicants	
Opening of USF Subsidy Proposal of Qualified	Friday, April 20, 2018
Applicants	
Financial Evaluation and Issue of LOI to the Qualified	Friday, April 27, 2018
Applicant with lowest subsidy offer	
Receipt of Performance bond	Friday, May 4, 2018
Execution of USF Services and Subsidy Agreement and	Friday, May 11, 2018
related transaction documents	

- 2. The sealed Proposal package shall be delivered to USFCo at the address specified in clause 4 of this Annex no later than 1500 hrs on Wednesday, March 28, 2018.
- 3. If the scheduled day of an event falls on a gazetted holiday in Pakistan, the day of the event will be the next working day following the holiday.
- 4. All correspondence shall be addressed to:

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