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QUESTION:

- 1. The Procurement Website has a list of Japanese Suppliers Pre-Approved by PIFS. Does Panasonic have to be on this list to submit for this tender?*
- 2. How does Panasonic get on the list of Japanese Suppliers Pre-Approved by PIFS?*
- 3. The document only covers the PV modules. Can you confirm if a document has been released for the supply of batteries?*

RESPONSE:

1. The list as provided are not Pre-Approved Suppliers except for those who have previously have been contracted as suppliers for other Pacific Environmental Community Fund projects in the region.
2. Panasonic is required to meet the criteria as set out in the Schedule of Qualification Criteria for Tenderers Page 24 of the Tender Document. There is no requirement for pre-approval.
3. The supply of batteries contract will be part of a further tender that will be issued in late September of early October this year.

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Tangi Tereapii
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