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Programme

**Stemming Irregular Migration in Northern and Central
Ethiopia (SINCE)**

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Reference: T05-EUTF-HoA-ET-02.1

Deadline for submission of concept notes and full applications:

25 September 2017

Guidelines for grant applicants

Applicants are informed of the following changes to the guidelines for grant applicants:

2.2.3 Deadline for submission of applications

The deadline for the submission of applications is the 24th September, at 16:00 (Addis Ababa local time) as evidenced by the date of dispatch, the postmark or the date of the deposit slip. Any application submitted after the deadline will be rejected.

However, for reasons of administrative efficiency, the Contracting Authority may also reject any application sent in due time but received after the effective date of approval of the first evaluation step (i.e. concept note) (see indicative calendar under section 2.5.2).

Is amended as follows:

2.2.3 Deadline for submission of applications

The deadline for the submission of applications is the **25th September, at 15:00** (Addis Ababa local time) as evidenced by the date of dispatch, the postmark or the date of the deposit slip. Any application submitted after the deadline will be rejected.

However, for reasons of administrative efficiency, the Contracting Authority may also reject any application sent in due time but received after the effective date of approval of the first evaluation step (i.e. concept note) (see indicative calendar under section 2.5.2).

On Page 17, **Eligibility of Applicants**, sub-session **Co-applicant(s)**, the following paragraph:

As a whole, it is suggested the following composition of a consortium:

- one lead applicant;
- at least one medium and big enterprise (co-applicant), with operational presence in the zone/value chain/woreda of intervention, and working in one of the selected value chain sectors of the action; the involvement of the enterprise will be considered an added value;
- at least one Technical school and/or TVET colleges/agency (co-applicant), with operational presence in the zone/woreda of intervention and proven experiences in at least one of value chain sectors of the action as well as experience in providing TVET courses; the involvement of Technical school and/or TVET colleges/agency will be considered an added value;
- at least one Ethiopian CSO registered in Ethiopia.

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