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Subject: APS No.: APS-OAA-16-000001 Addendum Ukraine Health

Amendment No. 01 NOFO No.72012119RFA00001

Dear Prospective Applicants:

The purpose of Amendment No. 01 is to:

1. Provide answers to the questions received to the Notice of Funding Opportunity Number: No.72012119RFA00001; and
2. Provide DRAFT Ukraine CDCS Results Framework.

Thank you for your interest in USAID projects.

Sincerely,

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PART I OF THE AMENDMENT NO. 01

Answers to Questions submitted for Addendum to the Global Development Alliance (GDA) Annual Program Statement (APS), No. APS-OAA-16-000001 (the GDA APS), NOFO No.72012119RFA00001:

Q1. NCDs are estimated to account for 90% of total deaths in Ukraine and the risk of premature mortality due to NCDs is at 28% (probability of dying between ages 30 and 70 years from the 4 main NCDs) (Source: http://www.who.int/nmh/countries/ukr_en.pdf?ua=1). Given the high burden of NCDs in Ukraine, would USAID have a favorable view of proposed programs that stimulate innovation in the health sector by focusing exclusively on NCDs, or focus partially on NCDs as part of an integrated approach?

A.1 The goal of this program is to stimulate innovation in the health sector and to drive broader innovation supporting more inclusive, sustainable growth in Ukraine. There are no limitations on proposed programs aimed at stimulating innovation focused on non-communicable diseases (NCDs). The funding for this program is not Global Health Program (GHP), therefore, it is not subject to GHP earmark limitations.

Q2. May bidders submit more than one concept note in response to this APS?

A.2 USAID welcomes the opportunity to consider multiple private-public alliances. Please see the Addendum and the APS for further discussion on eligibility and submission instructions.

Context: Page 1 references: *USAID/Ukraine is making a special call for the submission of Concept Papers focused on stimulating innovation in the health sector through public-private alliances, and to drive broader innovation supporting more inclusive, sustainable growth in Ukraine, specifically in areas relevant to USAID's 2018-2023 Country Development Strategy.*

Q3: Where can we find the USAID 2018-2023 CDCS? It is does not seem to be available on the www.usaid.gov/ukraine website. The website <https://www.usaid.gov/ukraine/cdcs> has the CDCS for the period 2012-2016

A.3 The 2018-2023 CDCS is not finalized at this time. Please see the latest draft Results Framework attached.

Context: We have reviewed the USAID GDA APS No. APS-OAA-16-000001, which the Addendum Ukraine Health references as all terms and conditions as applying.

Q4 Could USAID/Ukraine please confirm that concept papers from U.S. based businesses with appropriate private sector partners would be eligible to submit a concept paper to USAID/Ukraine?

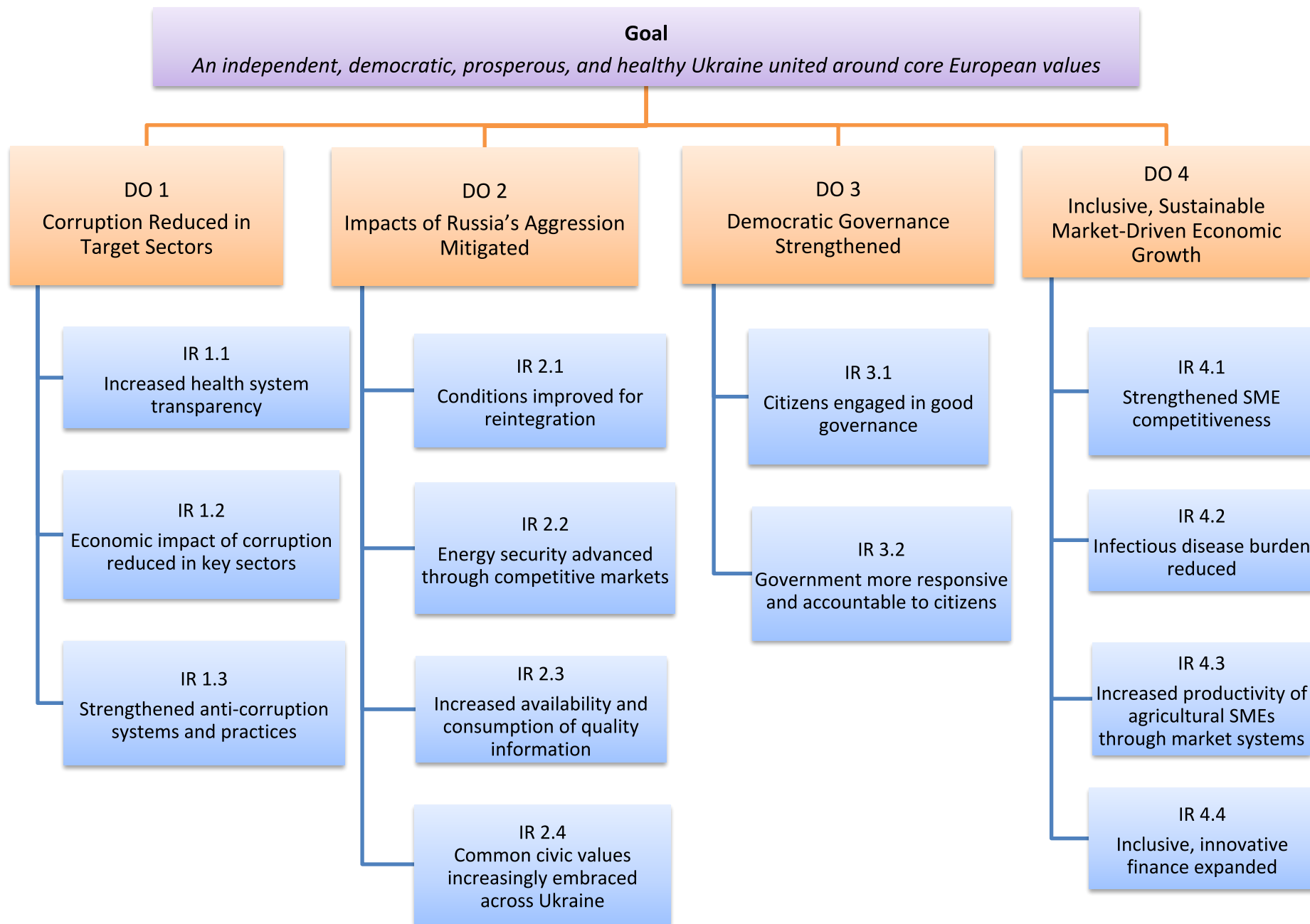
A.4 Yes, but we recommend that you review the eligibility requirements listed in APS No: APS-OAA-16-000001, Section VIII. PURPOSE OF APS, APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY AND AWARD CONSIDERATIONS. Applicants are also reminded, among other guidance from the aforementioned APS, that this APS does not satisfy the requirements for competition for procurement of goods and services through acquisition instruments.

Q.5 Unrestricted means open to small business, individuals?

A.5 Please see APS No: APS-OAA-16-000001, Section VIII. PURPOSE OF APS, APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY AND AWARD CONSIDERATIONS, Sub-Section A. Eligible Applicants. Please review the eligibility guidance and instructions in full. Specially, this section states:

USAID welcomes applications from many types of organizations including U.S. and non-U.S. private businesses, business and trade associations, foundations, U.S. and non-U.S. Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs), faith-based organizations, international organizations, U.S. and non-U.S. colleges and universities, civic groups, regional organizations, etc. All applicants must be legally recognized organizational entities under applicable law. An individual cannot apply as an applicant

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