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Reference: Notice of Funding Opportunity  
Request for Application (RFA) Number. 72062122RFA00002

Subject: Amendment No. 2: Changes to Dun and Bradstreet and SAM Requirements

Dear Interested Parties:

The United States Agency for International Development (USAID) Mission in Tanzania is issuing this amendment to address changes the US Government is making in regard to its unique identifier code, currently the “DUNS number” that is being changed to “Unique Entity Identifier (UEI). The DUNS number and SAM registration is a requirement in Section D.6 (g) of the RFA. The change from DUNS to UEI is effective from April 15, 2022.

Please review this website for additional guidance, including a video that explains how to get a UEI:

<https://www.workwithusaid.org/blog/changes-coming-soon-to-duns>

Existing implementing partners of USAID and other organizations that have done business with the US Government that already have DUNS numbers should automatically receive a UEI, but it is each applicant's responsibility to verify this. Entities that are new to doing business with the US Government should acquire a UEI. A DUNS number will no longer be required. For those not registered yet, a GSA video [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4Hqs\\_L0B5kI](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4Hqs_L0B5kI) titled “Get a Unique Entity ID (SAM)” explains which organizations should undertake the full SAM registration process and which may just need to obtain their UEI.

Applicants must have either a DUNS number or a UEI to submit an application and receive an award.

This amendment in no way obligates USAID to make an award nor does it commit USAID to pay any cost incurred in the preparation and submission of an application. Furthermore, the Government reserves the right to reject any and all applications if such action is considered to be in the best interest of the Government.

Best Regards,

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