



EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OFFICE

## CLARIFICATION N°1

**Call reference:** GP/EFSA/ED/2022/01

**Call title:** NAM projects in the areas of AOP development and transcriptomics for risk assessment

**Question 1:** Is it possible to subcontract to a university outside EU? The involvement is foreseen only for assistance tasks and will respect all the requirements listed in point 1.6 of the call.

**Answer:**

Unless specified otherwise, the rules on access to the market do not apply to subcontractors, therefore entities from outside EU could be involved as subcontractors.

Please note that as stated in section 1.6 of the call for proposal, core tasks such as coordination of the project and core experimental data generation must not be subcontracted. Only ancillary and assistance tasks can be subcontracted.

Also in case of subcontracting, the attention of candidates is drawn on the protection of personal data and the necessity of the compliance with article II.7 of the draft grant agreement and point 1.16 of the call for proposal.