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To:**All Participants****Pre-Qualification 478/2021 to Participate in a Tender for the Management of (each of) the
Tel Aviv Metropolitan Metro Lines****Clarifications and Addendum No. 9**

1. Pursuant to the Invitation for Pre-Qualification issued on August 26, 2021 (the "**Invitation**") and in accordance with the provisions thereof, the Participants are hereby informed of the attached clarifications and Addenda to the Invitation.
2. **The Tender Committee hereby postpones the Pre-Qualification Submission Date to February 21, 2022.**
3. The issuance of this Addendum does not derogate from any of NTA's or the Tender Committee's rights and prerogatives under the Invitation or Law.
4. All capitalized terms used and not defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to such terms in the Pre-Qualification Documents.

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Volume 1 (Invitation to Bid)			
1.	Q:	The Tender Committee was requested to clarify that the Members are not required to present their Anticipated Holdings in the Pre-Qualification Submission and that the presentation of such will only be required during the Tender Process.	Section 1.5.3 (The Tender Process and expected Requirements) and 9.6.5.1 (Rejection of the Pre-Qualification Submissions) of the Invitation
	A:	The Tender Committee so confirms and clarifies. The attention of all Participants is referred to clarification no. 42 of Clarification and Addendum 4 and to the deletion of the references to the Anticipated Holdings of the Members from the consolidated amended Invitation issued in Addendum No. 7.	
2.	Q:	The Tender Committee was requested to postpone the Pre-Qualification Submission Date.	Section 1.7 (Anticipated Schedule) of the Invitation – Pre-Qualification Submission Date
	A:	The Tender Committee accepts the request and hereby postpones the Pre-Qualification Submission Date to February 21, 2022.	
3.	Q:	The Tender Committee was requested to confirm that the provisions of the consolidated amended Invitation issued in Addendum No. 7 do not prevent the submission of a Member comprised of a partnership or a joint venture as the Local Manager, provided that the Professional Pre-Qualification Requirements set forth in Section 4.1 of the Invitation will be solely demonstrated by one of the companies in such partnership or joint venture.	Section 4.1 (Project Management Experience in the State of Israel) of the Invitation
	A:	The Tender Committee rejects the request and hereby clarifies: (i) Unless explicitly amended in the consolidated version of the Invitation, the issuance thereof does not exclude explanations and clarifications issues by the Tender Committee in Addendums 1 to 8. (ii) Without derogating from the generality of the foregoing, the attention of all Participants is referred to clarification no. 19 and 28 of Clarification and Addendum 4 (as well as to the provisions of Section 2.10.1 according to which all Addenda will be deemed an integral part of the Invitation). For the avoidance of doubt, the definition of the term "Entity" is hereby amended as follows:	

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4.	Q: The Tender Committee was requested to clarify if the experience of a non Israeli governmental company which was appointed by its government to promote and carry out a referenced project may be presented for purpose of demonstrating the required experience in Construction Management and Design of Metro Projects. A: Whereas the duties, responsibilities and acquired experience of a governmental company appointed and tasked to carry out a project (on behalf of itself) are different from those of a company appointed to manage or design a project on behalf of a client (public or private), the Tender Committee rejects the request. Construction Management and/or Design Management (as applicable) for an unrelated third party is required to be presented.	Section 4.2 (Experience in Construction Management of Metro Projects) and 4.3 (Design Experience in LRT/Metro and Rail Projects) of the Invitation			