

Release 16: What's new?

- **Upgraded, simpler process for generating procurement and WTO statistics:**

SECO is obliged to keep statistics on public procurement (Government Procurement Agreement GPA).

To make it easier to generate these statistics, completion of the statistics form (prior to the issuing of the publication of award) is **now** mandatory, i.e. the total price of the procurement transaction must be provided (see Screenshots 1 and 2).

Screenshot 1

Project : 139371 - Patch_01_2020

Procurement transaction statistics

With * marked fields are mandatory fields.

Enter the total cost for the procurement transaction:

Total cost*: CHF 10'000'000.00 with 2.5% VAT

These data will not be published. SECO will use them solely for statistical purposes (e.g. for WTO statistics).

Continue

Cancel

Screenshot 2

Project : 139397 - Retest02062020

Procurement transaction statistics - combined lots 1, 2

With * marked fields are mandatory fields.

Enter the total cost of the combined lots 1, 2 for the procurement transaction:

Total cost*: CHF 1'200'000.00 without VAT

These data will not be published. SECO will use them solely for statistical purposes (e.g. for WTO statistics).

Continue

Cancel

This information will not appear in the publication of award.

To simplify the process, a 'Fill out the statistics form' prompt will appear after the award information has been entered (see Figure 3):

Screenshot 3


Project : 139395 - Retest02062020

User: Beschaffung012020








Fill out the statistics form

If the total price of the procurement/individual lots/combined lots has already been provided in the award information, it will appear automatically in the statistics form. However, if the contract has been awarded to more than one bidder, the total price field will be empty. The same applies if no price or a price range was provided in the award information. In these instances, the total price of the procurement transaction must be entered manually.

As previously stated, the provision of this information is mandatory, which means that the publication of award cannot be issued until these statistics have been provided.

If the button (see Figure 3) "Fill in later" is selected, the price statistics must be entered before the publication of award is released. The following button –  Procurement transaction statistics – has therefore been added to 'Functions' on the Project Manager page (see Screenshot 4).

Screenshot 4

Publications						
Status 	Updated	Document no.	Type 	Language	Pub. date	Functions
Created	17.06.20, 14:54	913757	Adjudication	IT	18.06.20	    

These statistics can still be amended after the publication of award has been issued.

Generation of statistics

An overview of **WTO Statistics 5** is now provided in an Excel sheet (5 a, b, c) (see Screenshot 5).

Screenshot 5

Entités adjudicatrices	Valeur en CHF Wert in CHF	CPV Code
Beschaffungsstellen	TOTAL	
Office fédéral de l'informatique et de la télécommunication	1'000'000	
Secrétariat d'Etat à l'économie	1'000'000	
Secrétariat d'Etat à l'économie	888'888	
TOTAL	2'888'888	

* Relatif au Code CPV / bezogen auf CPV Code

Statistique indiquant les marchés limités (procédure de gré à gré) lettre b).

lettre a) | lettre b) | **lettre c)** | +

SDRs are no longer shown in the WTO statistics; all price information is given in CHF.

- **Change to the 'Additional information' section of the standard 'Bidder data' form**

From the wording in the 'Additional information' section of the standard 'Bidder data' form (see Screenshot 6), it was not clear whether the 'Number of employees' included apprentices or not. In the interests of clarity, the wording of the following fields have been amended in line with the terminology used in the legislation:

Previously: 'Number of employees'; new: "Number of employees (FTE), incl. apprentices".

Previously: 'Number of apprentices'; new: "Number of apprentices in training".

Screenshot 6

Type of service:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Service <input type="checkbox"/> Delivery <input type="checkbox"/> Construction work
Certificates (ISO Certification, etc.) ¹ :	<input type="text"/>
No. of employees (FTE), incl. apprentices:	<input type="text"/>
No. of apprentices in training:	<input type="text"/>
Agencies, branch offices, parent companies, subsidiaries, partner firms:	<input type="text"/> ⓘ
Sales turnover in most recent financial year:	<input type="text"/>
Sales turnover in the year before last:	<input type="text"/>
What collective bargaining agreements (GAV) are you bound by?:	<input type="text"/> ⓘ

- **Individual correction/revocation reference number for each language version of the original publication:**

Previously, when corrections or revocations were made to the original publication, the different language versions used the reference number assigned to the original. From now on, each language version will be assigned its own correction/revocation reference number.

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