Guidelines for supplying and installation of Scale-out NAS (People's Majlis Datacenter)

Scale-out Network-attached Storage

- Solution must be scale-out, not scale-up.
- Solution must not be a SAN (Storage Area Network) product.
- Bidder to rack and test all hardware.
- Bidder to connect and cable manage according to instructions given by People's Majlis ICT.

Warranty and Use of Spares

- People's Majlis ICT requires on-site spares according to the list provided in the form.
- For delivery to be assumed complete, spares must be handed over to People's Majlis ICT.
- Spares to be replenished within 30 days after faulty component(s) are returned to bidder.

Configurations

- Network configuration at Top-of-Rack switches to be performed by People's Majlis ICT.
- Bidder to configure networking on cluster according to IP addresses given by People's Majlis ICT.
- Basic cluster configuration and testing to be performed by bidder.
- Network integration (AD, DNS etc.) of product to be performed by People's Majlis ICT.
- Snapshot configuration and defining quotas to be performed by People's Majlis ICT.

Migration

- Data migration will be carried out by People's Majlis ICT.
- Project is deemed completed after data migration has been completed and production file storage is officially switched over to new cluster.

Training

 Formal training, orientation and best practice guidelines from solution vendor to be provided to staff selected by People's Majlis ICT after project completion.

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