

**Bidder Clarifications - Published on Contracts Finder on 18 Jan 2017**

In regard to the proposed training contract for core intelligence analysis at the Charity Commission, we would like clarification on the following points.

**Clarification A.** What are the industry standards the Charity Commission is aiming to achieve in the two training subjects (core intelligence analysis and IBM i2 Analyst Notebook)?

***Charity Commission Response:***

***We would be looking for the Intelligence Analysis course to meet the National Occupational Standards for Intelligence Analysts and to be broadly consistent with NIAT.***

***Our staff are currently using iBase and ANB v8.  We are not aware of any industry standards relating to training in the use of the system.***

**Clarification B**. What are the accreditation/qualification target levels for the analysts on each of the two training subjects?

***CC Response:***

***We are not specifically seeking accreditation, more to provide our staff with the skills to better perform their role.***

**Clarification C**. What are the current knowledge, experience and accreditation levels of the analysts due to attend each of the two training subjects?

***CC Response:***

***Intelligence Analysis Training:***

* ***4x Analysts, 3 of whom have previously attended Initial Analytical Techniques Course / ANACAPA (however, some of these courses were attended over 10 years ago).***
* ***3x Intelligence Support Officers with no former Intelligence training.***

***ANB training:***

* ***All staff are experienced in using iBase as well as ANB v8 to produce charts.  We are looking to enhance knowledge of use of ANB to give staff the skills to use ANB to analyse the data contained.***

**Clarification D**. Can it be assumed that the Charity Commission is able to provide in-house training facilities for the delivery of the 3 modules?

***CC Response:***

***Yes – Bootle and London have available facilities for providing the training.***

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