

IMI notification No 305335 by Hungary (22/06/2021)

Questions from the European Commission

1. Please elaborate on why the provision of hardware, as stated in last sentence of section 43(2) of Government Decree No 94/2018, is needed to protect the function of state services and the security of state owned dated as mentioned in the explication of the necessity for state services?
2. HU authorities state that standard IT services are contracted by NISZ to IT service suppliers. Please specify why the provision of these standard services to public authorities has to be carried out via NISZ in the first place?
3. In view of the principle of proportionality, could HU please specify why it considers that providing all IT service to the concerned public authorities is proportionate?
4. Please specify why no other way of providing the services would ensure the same results of stability of service provision?
5. Please specify how NISZ is procuring basic IT services and hardware.
6. HU specified that the exemption from Dir. 2014/24/EU is based on Article 11. Please elaborate on why you consider that this article applies to the specific case where only a limited list of budgetary bodies or 100% state-owned companies use the services of NISZ, as opposed to these services being applicable generally?