Q&A – **RFP** - The offshore manager selection panel (Re-Issue).

Q - Should we submit a hardcopy of the RFP document?

A – We only require electronic submissions; the submission may be signed electronically.

- Q Historical breakdown of the current Role
 - a. Is this a position on the panel a new position? No
 - b. If not, who is the current provider for this advisory role? We are unable to disclose current service providers
 - c. How long have they had this position? We are unable to disclose this information as it does not assist service providers with what will be happening going forward.
 - d. Is the EPPF currently happy with the provider? What is the reason for the tender? Yes, the current service providers have vendor satisfactory performance. The reason for issuing the tender is to test the market as required by our policies.
- Q Potential Work type/frame
 - a. How many meetings/panel sessions will be expected within a year? If this is not a fixed value, Is there historical precedence of these meetings? How many have occurred on average per year? – EPPF appoints managers as and when the need arises. This can be necessitated by, among others, the change in our asset liability mix, change in membership and other factors that are include in our internal manager termination policy.
 - b. Who else will be on the panel, and how will decisions be made on this panel?
 The plan is to have three service providers on the panel. The decisions will be made based on the strengths of the service providers.