

Dear Madam / Sir,

through the adoption of Government Resolution No. 161/2017 of 5 April 2017, the Ministry of Health of the Slovak Republic (the “Ministry of Health”) presented the Concept of the New University Hospital in Bratislava (“nUHB”) that involved the construction of a new university hospital at the Rázsochy site, reconstruction of the university hospital in Ružinov, and the process of optimisation of the medical profile of other health care facilities managed by the Ministry of Health. The proposed subject-matter of the public tender was to procure the services of a “health care manager” and the delivery of the works under the aforementioned activities.

Following a thorough assessment by potential bidders (health care facility operators, health care consultancy companies), the Ministry of Health has decided to amend the subject-matter and scope of the public procurement.

At the same time, the Ministry of Health has adopted a decision to remove the existing building skeleton whose construction, technical and functional layout is dissatisfactory. Based on the Ministry of Health’s decision, the separate public tenders will have following subject-matters:

1. Public tender – New University Hospital Rázsochy (“nUHB RA”):

The Ministry of Health concluded a contract with AT Osborne on the provision of advisory and consultancy services involving the preparation of a flexible and variable programme of functional and spatial requirements, Programme of Requirements (PoR) 1.0, for the nUHB RA.

The subject-matter of the public tender with respect to the New University Hospital Rázsochy will be the procurement of a contractual partner to deliver:

- i. Programme of Requirements – PoR 2.0 which will elaborate further on the PoR 1.0 and will be based on interactive cooperation with the health care consultancy company
- ii. Architectural study
- iii. Project documentation for all stages of the project

A general contractor for the construction works will be procured separately. The hospital will be operated by the state.

2. Public tender - New University Hospital Ružinov (“nUHB RU”):

The subject-matter of the public tender with respect to the New University Hospital Ružinov will be the procurement of a contractual partner to deliver:

- i. Architectural study
- ii. Project documentation for all stages of the project

Sincerely,

Project team of New University Hospital in Bratislava