

Planning Commission

ADDENDUM NO. 1 TO THE
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)
FOR APPOINTMENT OF

TECHNICAL CONSULTANT

Government of India

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FOR SELECTION OF TECHNICAL CONSULTANT
RFP NOTICE NO. 14070/25/10-INFRA OF 28 MARCH 2012**

1. The following are the modifications to the Request for Proposal for Selection of Technical Consultant dated 28 March 2012. The deletions from the earlier text of the Request for Proposal are indicated as strikethroughs and the additions are underlined.

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