Question: You stated the tags must be able to survive extreme conditions but it says less

than a \$1.00 per tag is this a typo error or do you really think you can get a tag

like that for less than a \$1.00

Answer: The conditions under which tags must be able to survive are described in the

RFP document. As stated in the RFP, the cost of RFID tags must not exceed

\$1.00 per tag.

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Question: Please confirm that we don't have to attend any mandatory conference so that

we don't miss any deadlines.

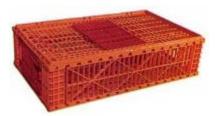
Answer: There is no mandatory conference.

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Question: Do you have a photo of the crate it self and what are dimensions of the crate.

The dimensions of a typical crate are 35" x 23 ½" x 10 ¼". Below is a picture of a

typical poultry crate (transportation coop).



Question: Will the dimensions of the crate and possibly a photo of the crate be made

available?

Answer: See answer to similar question above.

Question: Would NYS Dept of Agriculture consider a more expensive tag that can hold

more complete crate chain of custody data on the RFID tag itself?

Answer: As stated in the RFP, we are seeking RFID tags that cost less than \$1.00 each. If

none of the bidders are able to meet this requirement, then proposals received by the Department indicating a higher cost per tag may be given consideration.

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Question: Does the department have any plans to integrate the location information from

the origin farm, distribution or market locations into any GIS-based applications at this time, as a part of this project? The Department's GIS resources are within the Division of Information Systems, correct? If so, would the department please

provide more details on that planned integration?

Answer: There are no plans at this time to integrate location information into a GIS-based

application at this time, as part of this project. The Department's GIS resources

are within the Division of Information Systems.