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**Re:** CATS+ TORFP #R00B4400069 Addendum #3—Race To The Top (RTTT) Expansion of the Online Instructional Toolkit

*Summary of Questions Submitted*

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Thank You,

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**ADDENDUM #3**

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Hosting:

1. How many environments would you like hosted? Prod, Dev, Test, UAT?  
**One: UAT environment.**
2. Can we use virtualized environments?: **Yes**
3. Is the requirement for this to be hosted on dedicated servers? **The server can be hosted; however, the vendor must provide restricted access to content residing on the environment.**
4. How many total users? How many concurrent users? 150 (both). **The environment will be used by MSDE as a staging area for UAT and will not be provisioned for external use.**
5. Is there an uptime requirement or SLA? **SLAs have not been specified for this environment.**

Website:

1. What is the function of the website? **The primary purpose will be for MSDE to validate the content before migration to the State's Learning Management System**  
What are the major function points? **Content delivery and validation**
2. Does it need security levels? **Yes, but limited to MSDE.** Does it need security roles? **MSDE Reviewer for client facing roles**
3. Is there a preference for .Net or Java? **No preference; however, site must support delivery platforms as required under the TORFP**