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Response to questions for:
RFP 26_105 Switch – Router Equipment

- 1) In the Equipment list in the RFP document (page 18), Part number of the requested DNA license is corresponding to Advantage license tier, but in the description of the same license Essentials license tier is mentioned.
Can you please advise which type of license do you prefer? Also, please specify if other term than 3 years is requested. **C9500-48Y4C-EDU - We need Advantage Licensing for Layer 3 routing please. The EDU SKU should cover it.**
- 2) Are redundant power supplies needed for requested Cisco switch? **If they're eligible yes, in the past they weren't eligible**
- 3) Do you need Cisco Smartnet for requested switch? If you do, please advise on desired SLA (8x5xNBD, 24x7x4, etc.) and duration (1Y, 3Y, etc.). Are Cisco onsite services needed as well? **Please confirm what is included in the EDU SKU, this should provide the answer.**
- 4) Do you need Embedded Storage Module (SSD) to be included in the Cisco switch configuration? **NO**
- 5) Do you need any optical modules with the requested switches? If you do, please advise on type and quantities. **NO**