BHARAT HEAVY ELECTRICALS LIMITED

1. PROJECT INFORMATION

BHEL Ashok Nagar Guest House Renovation Works is being done by BHARAT HEAVY ELECTRICALS LIMITED at existing Guest House at Ashok Nagar, Chennai, Tamilnadu, India. The Bidder shall acquaint himself by a visit to the site, if felt necessary, with the conditions prevailing at site before submission of the bid.

1.1	Project Title	:	BHEL Ashok Nagar Guest House Renovation Works
1.2	Owner	:	BHARAT HEAVY ELECTRICALS LIMITED (BHEL)
1.3	Site Address	:	Transit Flat Address: A1 of BHEL Quarters located at 7A, Inner Ring Road, Ashok Nagar, Chennai – 600083 Tamilnadu, India
1.4	Nearest Railway Station	:	Chennai Central at 14 KM Chennai Egmore at 11 KM
1.5	Nearest Airport		Domestic airport at Chennai (10 KM)
1.6	Nearest Seaport		Chennai Port (20 KM)
1.7	Nearest Road access	:	Grand Southern Trunk Road / Jawaharlal Nehru Road

2. SCOPE OF WORKS

The scope of works covers Renovation of BHEL Guest House at Ashok Nagar, Chennai including supply of all materials (excluding the materials supplied by BHEL free of cost), labour & mobilization of tools and plants as per the relevant standards, specification and as per the instruction of Engineer in charge.

The scope of works is as mentioned below. However, the scope of work is indicative only, but not limited to the given below.

a. Civil Works:

- i. Dismantling old plaster or skirting, tile work, windows
- ii. Removing old paint
- iii. Plastering of wall and ceiling
- iv. Laying of vitrified tiles (BHEL shall supply tiles only)
- v. Applying emulsion paint for wall and ceiling
- vi. Applying enamel paint for joineries
- vii. Providing and fixing UPVC window

b. Electrical Works:

- i. Supply and laying of PVC conduits
- ii. Supply and laying of FRLS PVC insulated copper conductor
- iii. Supply and laying of Circuit wiring
- iv. Supply and fixing of Switches and sockets
- v. Supply and fixing of Distribution Board

c. Material Makes:

i. Cement of 53 Grade – Ultra tech / Coromondal / Chettinad /

Equivalent

ii. Tiles grout – MYK Laticrete / Roff / Equivalent

iii. Paints – Asian / Nippon / Berger / Equivalent

iv. PVC Conduits – Finolex / Aeroplast / Equivalent

v. FRLS Copper Conductor – Finolex / Havells / RR Kabel / Equivalent

vi. Switches and Sockets – Havells / Legrand / Anchor / Equivalent

vii. MCB, MCCB, RCCB, ELCB – Havells / Legrand / ABB / Equivalent

- d. The works to be performed under this contract consist of providing all labour, supervision, material, scaffolding, construction equipment's, tools and plants, temporary works, supplies including Petroleum, oil & lubricants (POL), transportation and all incidental items not shown or specified but reasonably implied or necessary for the proper completion of work in all respects.
- **e.** The unit rates shall include all material equipment, fixtures, labour construction plant, temporary works and everything whether of permanent or temporary nature necessary for the completion of job in all respects.
- **f.** The unit rates for various items of B.O.Q shall include all the stipulations mentioned in technical specifications and nothing extra over B.O.Q rates shall be payable.

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- **g.** Bidder shall visit work site for better clarification against present status. The work covered under scope of works shall be taken up on AS IS WHERE IS basis, as applicable in site as per the instructions of BHEL Engineer in charge.
- h. Government order (State/ Center) being issued time to time for protective measures of COVID 19 pandemic shall be complied with strictly until government (State/ Center) declares end of pandemic.
- i. Accommodation, transportation, any other facilities for the bidders' staff and labour shall be in the scope of bidder at bidders' cost.

3. FACILITIES & CONSUMABLES IN THE SCOPE OF CONTRACTOR/ BHEL

3.1 Open Space

Open space as available, will be provided at free of charges to the contractor, for storage and for preparatory works for construction purpose.

3.2 Electricity

- Electricity will be provided to the contractor by BHEL free of charges.
- BHEL is not responsible for any loss or damage to the contractor's equipment as a result of variations in voltage / frequency or interruptions in power supply.

3.3 Water

- Construction Water required for construction purposes will be provided to the contractor by BHEL, free of charges.
- Drinking Water shall be arranged by the bidder at his cost.

3.4 Material Supply

- Supply/ Providing cement, aggregate and all other materials, consumables required for the work are in the scope of the contractor.
- BHEL shall provide only Vitrified Tiles for civil works for incorporation in the permanent work AS FREE SUPPLY. No other construction materials shall be provided by BHEL.
- Fine aggregate source shall be manufactured crushed stone or rock sand (M-sand), excluding fines which are by products/rejects of coarse aggregate production.

4. T&Ps TO BE DEPLOYED BY CONTRACTOR

- All the tools and plants required for satisfactory completion of the work have to be arranged by the contractor.
- BHEL will not provide any tools & plants.

5. TIME SCHEDULE

- The commencement of work at site shall be 3 days from the date of LOI.
- The entire scope of work of Renovation of BHEL Guest House at Ashok Nagar, Chennai for the package as detailed in the Tender Specification shall be completed **within 45 days** from the date of commencement of work.

6. TERMS OF PAYMENT

- Interim bills in the form of monthly running bills prepared by the contractor in soft as well as Hard copies shall be based on the quantities executed and measured.
- 100% item rate shall be released after completion of works certification by Engineer in charge.
- Retention amount applicable be as per GCC.
- Release of retention amount shall be subject to the completion of entire works along with rectification if any, pointed out by BHEL.
- No claim what so ever may be, will be entertained under this contract, after duty signing the final bill along with measurement books and accepted by BHEL.

7. GUARANTEE PERIOD

Not applicable

8. SAFETY

- The contractor shall insure his workmen against all accidents and the policy shall be presented to BHEL Engineer on demand.
- Contractor shall ensure safety of all the workmen, material and equipment either belonging to him or to others working at site. He shall observe safety rules and codes applied by BHEL without exception.

9. TAXES and DUTIES

9.1. Goods and service Tax (GST) & Cess

- 9.1.1. The successful bidder shall furnish proof of GST registration with GSTN Portal in the State in which the Project is being executed, covering the services under this contract. Registration should also bear endorsement for the premises from where the billing shall be done by the successful bidder on BHEL for this project/ work.
- 9.1.2. Contractor's price/rates shall be exclusive of GST & Cess (if applicable) (herein after termed as GST). Contractor shall submit to BHEL the GST compliant tax invoice/debit note/revised tax invoice on the basis of which BHEL will claim the input tax credit in its return. Since this is a works contract, the applicable rate shall be @ 18% GST, as applicable presently.
- 9.1.3. Bidder shall note that the GST Tax Invoice complying with GST Invoice Rules wherein the 'Bill To' details will as below:

BHEL GSTN - 33AAACB4146P2ZL NAME - BHARAT HEAVY ELECTRICALS LIMITED ADDRESS - BHEL PSSR, No: 11, TEK Towers, OMR, Chennai – 97.

- 9.1.4. GST charged in the tax invoice/debit note/revised tax invoice by the contractor shall be released separately to the contractor only after contractor files the outward supply details in GSTR-1 on GSTN portal and input tax credit of such invoice is matched with corresponding details of outward supply of the contractor and has paid the GST at the time of filing the monthly return.
- 9.1.5. In case BHEL has to incur any liability (like interest / penalty etc.) due to denial/reversal / delay of input tax credit in respect of the invoice submitted by the contractor, for the reasons attributable to the contractor, the same shall be recovered from the contractor.
- 9.1.6. Further, in case BHEL is deprived of the Input tax credit due to any reason attributable to contractor, the same shall not be paid or Recovered if already paid to the contractor.
- 9.1.7. Tax invoice/debit Note/revised tax invoice shall contain all such particulars as prescribed in GST law and comply to the timelines for issue of the same. Invoices shall be submitted on time to the concerned BHEL Engineer In Charge.
- 9.1.8. TDS under GST (if/ as & when applicable) shall be deducted at prevailing rates on gross invoice value from the running bills.
- 9.1.9. E-way bills / Transit passes / Road Permits, if required for materials / T&P etc., bought into the project site is to be arranged by the Contractor only.

9.1.10. BHEL shall not reimburse any amounts towards any interest / penalty etc., incurred by contractor. Any additional claim at a later date due to issues such as wrong rates / wrong classification by contractor shall not be paid by BHEL.

9.2. All taxes and duty other than GST & Cess

The contractor shall pay all (except the specific exclusion viz GST & Cess) taxes, fees, license charges, deposits, duties, tools, royalty, commissions, Stamp Duties, or other charges / levies, which may be levied on the input goods & services consumed and output goods & services delivered in course of his operations in executing the contract and the same shall not be reimbursed by BHEL. In case BHEL is forced to pay any of such taxes, BHEL shall have the right to recover the same from his bills or otherwise as deemed fit.

9.3. Statutory Variations

Statutory variations are applicable under the GST Acts, against production of proof. The changes implemented by the Central / State Government during the tenure of the contract viz. increase / decrease in the rate of taxes, applicability, etc. and its impact on upward revision / downward revision are to be suitably paid/ adjusted from the date of respective variation. The bidder shall give the benefit of downward revision in favour of BHEL. No other variations shall be allowed during the tenure of the contract.

9.4. New Taxes/Levies -

In case Government imposes any new levy / tax after submission of bid during the tenure of the contract, BHEL shall reimburse the same at actual on submission of documentary proof of payment subject to the satisfaction of BHEL that such new levy / tax is applicable to this contract.

9.5. Direct Tax

BHEL shall not be liable towards Income Tax of whatever nature including variations thereof arising out of this contract as well as tax liability of the bidder and their personnel. Deduction of tax at source at the prevailing rates shall be effected by BHEL before release of payment as a statutory obligation, unless exemption certificate is produced by the bidder. TDS certificate will be issued by BHEL as per the provisions of Income Tax Act.

10. BOCW Act & BOCW Welfare Cess Act

- 1. The Contractor Should Register their Establishment under BOCW Act 1996 read with rules 1998 by submitting Form I (Application for Registration of Establishment) and Form IV (Notice of Commencement / Completion of Building Other Construction Work) to the respective Labour Authorities i.e.,
 - a) Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central) in respect of the project premises which is under the purview of Central Govt.-NTPC, NTPL etc.
 - Appropriate State authorities in respect of the project premises which is under the purview of State Govt.

- 2. The Contractor should comply with the provisions of BOCW Welfare Cess Act 1996 in respect of the work awarded to them by BHEL.
- 3. The contractor should ensure compliance regarding Registration of Building Workers as Beneficiaries, Hours of work, welfare measures and other conditions of service with particular reference to Safety and Health measures like Safety Officers, safety committee, issue of Personal protective equipments, canteen, rest room, drinking water, Toilets, ambulance, first aid centre etc.
- 4. The contractor irrespective of their nature of work and manpower (Civil, Mechanical, Electrical works etc) should register their establishment under BOCW Act 1996 and comply with BOCW Welfare Cess Act 1996.
- 5. Contractor shall make remittance of the BOCW cess as per the Act in consultation with BHEL as per the rates in force (presently 1%) BHEL shall reimburse the same upon production of documentary evidence. However, BHEL shall not reimburse the Fee paid towards the registration of establishment, fees paid towards registration of Beneficiaries and Contributions of Beneficiaries remitted.
- 6. Non-compliance to provisions of the BOCW Act and BOCW Welfare Cess Act is not acceptable. In case of any non-compliance, BHEL reserves the right to withhold any sum it deems fit. Only upon total compliance to the BOCW Act and also discharge of total payment of Cess under the BOCW Cess Act by the Contractor, BHEL shall consider refund of the amounts.

11. OTHER STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS, AS APPLICABLE

1. PROVIDENT FUND:

- a. The contractor is required to extend the benefit of Provident Fund to the labour employed by you in connection with this contract as per the Employees Provident Fund and Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1952. For due implementation of the same, you are hereby required to get yourself registered with the Provident Fund authorities for the purpose of reconciliation of PF dues and furnish to us the code number allotted to you by the Provident Fund authorities within one month from the date of issue of the letter of intent. In case you are exempted from such remittance an attested copy of authority for such exemption is to be furnished. Please note that in the event of your failure to comply with the provisions of said Act, if recoveries therefore are enforced from payments due to us by the customer or paid to statutory authorities by us, such amount will be recovered from payments due to you.
- b. The final bill amount would be released only on production of clearance certificate from PF / ESI and labour authorities as applicable.
- The Contractor shall submit a copy of Labour License obtained from the Licensing Officer (Form VI) u/r 25 read with u/s 12 of Contract Labour (R&A) Act 1970 & rules and Valid WC Insurance copy or ESI Code (if applicable) and PF code no. along with the first running bill.

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- 3. The contactor shall submit monthly running bills along with the copies of monthly wages (of the preceding month) u/r78(1)(a)(1) of Contract Labour Rules, copies of monthly return of PF contribution with remittance Challans under Employees Provident Fund Act 1952 and copy of renewed WC Insurance policy or copies of monthly return of ESI contribution with Challans under ESI Act 1948 (if applicable) in respect of the workmen engaged by them.
- 4. The Contractor should ensure compliance of Sec 21 of Contract Labour (R&A) Act 1970 regarding responsibility for payment of Wages. In case of "Non-compliance of Sec 21 or non-payment of wages" to the workmen before the expiry of wage period by the contractor, BHEL will reserve its right to pay the workmen under the orders of Appropriate authority at the risk and cost of the Contractor.
- 5. The Contractor shall submit copies of Final Settlement statement of disbursal of retrenchment benefits on retrenchment of each workmen under I D Act 1948, copies of Form 6-A (Annual Return of PF Contribution) along with copies of PF Contribution Card of each member under PF Act and copies of monthly return on ESI Contribution Form 6 under ESI Act 1948 (if applicable) to BHEL along with the Final Bill.
- 6. In case of any dispute pending before the appropriate authority under ID Act 1948, WC Act 1923 or ESI Act 1948 and PF Act 1952, BHEL reserve the right to hold such amounts from the final bills of the Contractor which will be released on submission of proof of settlement of issues from the appropriate authority under the act.
- 7. In case of any dispute prolonged / pending before the authority for the reasons not attributable to the contractor, BHEL reserves the right to release the final bill of the contractor on submission of Indemnity bond by the contractor indemnifying BHEL against any claims that may arise at a later date without prejudice to the rights of BHEL.

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CHAPTER -1

1. GENERAL INSTRUCTION TO TENDERERS

1.1. DESPATCH INSTRUCTION

- The General Conditions of Contract form part of the Tender specifications. All pages of the tender documents shall be duly signed, stamped and submitted along with the offer in token of complete acceptance thereof. (For E-Tender, bidders shall use electronic Signature viz Digital Signature Certificate while uploading on the e-procurement portal. The information furnished shall be complete by itself. The tenderer is required to furnish all the details and other documents as required in the following pages.
- Tenderers are advised to study all the tender documents carefully. Any submission of tender by the tenderer shall be deemed to have been done after careful study and examination of the tender documents and with the full understanding of the implications thereof. Should the tenderers have any doubt about the meaning of any portion of the Tender Specification or find discrepancies or omissions in the drawings or the tender documents issued are incomplete or shall require clarification on any of the technical aspect, the scope of work etc., he shall at once, contact the authority inviting the tender well in time (so as not to affect last date of submission) for clarification before the submission of the tender. Tenderer's request for clarifications shall be with reference to Sections and Clause numbers given in the tender documents. The specifications and terms and conditions shall be deemed to have been accepted by the tenderer in his offer. Non-compliance with any of the requirements and instructions of the tender enquiry may result in the rejection of the tender.
- iii) Integrity pact (IP) shall be applicable for all tenders / contracts if indicated in NIT. This integrity pact shall be issued as part of the Tender documents and shall be submitted by the bidder along with Techno-commercial bid duly filled, signed and stamped by the authorized signatory who signs the bid. Only those vendors / bidders who have entered into such an IP with BHEL shall be considered qualified to participate in the bidding. Entering into this pact shall be a preliminary qualification.

1.2. SUBMISSION OF TENDERS

- 1.2.1 The tenderers must submit their tenders to Officer inviting tender as per instructions in the NIT.
- 1.2.2 Tenders submitted by post (i.e. by 'REGISTERED POST / by COURIER') shall be sent with due allowance for any postal/courier delays. BHEL takes no responsibility for delay, loss or non-receipt of tenders sent by post/courier. The tenders received after the specified time of their submission are treated as 'Late Tenders' and shall not be considered under any circumstances. Offers received by Email shall be considered as per terms of NIT. E-Tenders shall be submitted through E-Procurement portal as per instruction in NIT. Tenderers to upload offers well in advance in order to avoid last minute congestion in e-procurement website. However, after submission of the tender, the tenderer can re-submit revised tender but before due date and time of submission of tender as notified.
- 1.2.3 Tenders shall be opened by Officer of BHEL at the time and date as specified in the NIT, in the presence of such of those tenderers or their authorized representatives who would like to be present (In case of Manual Tenders). BHEL reserves the right to go ahead with opening of the Tender even in case of no representative is present on the specified date and time. For e-tenders, bidders may mark their presence online through provisions available in e-procurement portal.

- 1.2.4 Tenderers whose bids are found techno commercially qualified shall be informed about the date and time of opening of the Price Bids and such Tenderers may depute their representatives to witness the opening of the price bids (In case of Manual Tenders). BHEL's decision in this regard shall be final and binding.
- 1.2.5 Before submission of Offer, the tenderers are advised to inspect the site of work and the environments and be well acquainted with the actual working and other prevalent conditions, facilities available, position of material and labour, means of transport and access to Site, accommodation etc. No claim will be entertained later on the grounds of lack of knowledge of any of these conditions.

The tenderer may get aware about weather conditions, contingencies & other circumstances which may influence or affect their tender prices. Invariable of inspection by the tenderer, the tenderer shall be considered deemed acquainted with all site conditions such as rain patterns, hazardous conditions, soil patterns, local factors etc. Tenderer to have satisfied himself in all respect before quoting his rates and no claim will be entertained later on the grounds of lack of knowledge of any of these conditions.

1.3. LANGUAGE

- 1.3.1 The tenderer shall quote the rates in English language and international numerals. These rates shall be entered in figures as well as in words. Tenderers are requested to refer the clauses of NIT/ Vol-II "Price Bid" for more details. For the purpose of the tenders, the metric system of units shall be used.
- 1.3.2 All entries in the tender shall either be typed or written legibly in ink. Erasing and over-writing is not permitted and may render such tenders liable for rejection. All cancellations and insertions shall be duly attested by the tenderer.

1.4 PRICE DISCREPANCY:

- 1.4.1 **Price Bid opening**: During opening of price bids (submitted through conventional method or through E-Procurement system), if there is any difference between the amount in figures and in words, the amount quoted by the bidder in words shall be taken as correct.
- 1.4.2 **Reverse Auction**: In case of Reverse Auction, the successful bidder shall undertake to execute the work as per overall price offered by him during the Reverse Auction process. (Guidelines as available on www.bhel.com on "supplier registration page".).

1.5 QUALIFICATION OF TENDERERS

- i) Only tenderers who have previous experience in the work of the nature and description detailed in the Notice Inviting Tender and/or tender specification are expected to quote for this work duly detailing their experience along with offer.
- ii) Offers from tenderers who do not have proven and established experience in the field shall not be considered.
- iii) The offers of the bidders who are on the banned/ hold list and also the offer of the bidders, who engage the services of the banned/ hold firms, shall be rejected. The list of **banned/ hold firms** is available on BHEL web site www.bhel.com. (Refer clause 28.0 of NIT)
- iv) Offers from tenderers who do not comply with the latest guidelines of Ministry/Commissions of Govt, of India shall not be considered.

1.6. EVALUATION OF BIDS

i) Technical Bids submitted by the tenderer will be opened first and evaluated for fulfilling the Pre-

Qualification criteria and other conditions in NIT/Tender documents, based on documentary evidences submitted along with the offer.

- ii) In case the same qualifying experience is claimed by more than one agency, then:
 - a. The agency who has executed the work as per documentary evidence submitted shall only be qualified. Scope of qualifying work should be totally with the agency who has executed and in case it is only labour and consumables without T&P, then the credentials of execution is assigned to the first agency and not to the agency who has executed only as labour supply contractor. Further, BHEL reserves the right to ask for any other proof for the said job.
 - b. However, if the same is on account of subletting part of scope by one agency to another agency in a project of BHEL, experience of both the agencies may be considered for the sublet portion of the work provided subletting has been done with the approval of BHEL.
- iii) In case the qualifying experience is claimed by private organizations (sub-agency) based on 'Work Order' and 'Experience Certificates' from a non-BHEL organization (main agency), then it shall be the responsibility of sub-agency to submit (in addition to the experience certificate from main agency) relevant certificate regarding qualifying experience from the end Customer or the Turnkey-Contractor (if any) who has awarded the work to main agency, as a proof for having executed subject qualifying work. BHEL reserves the right to ask for any other proof for the said job.
- iv) Assessing Bidder's Capacity for executing the current tender shall be as per Notice Inviting Tender.
- v) Price Bids of shortlisted bidders shall only be opened either through the conventional/electronic price bid opening with/without Reverse Auction, at the discretion of BHEL. Unless specified otherwise in the tender, the L1 bidder amongst all the shortlisted bidders shall be considered for award. However, the L1 bidder shall have no claim on the award & BHEL reserves the right to award the tender at its sole discretion.
- vi) Price Bids of unqualified bidders shall not be opened. Reasons for rejection shall be intimated in due course after issue of LOI/LOA to successful bidder either through system generated e-mail or through letter/e-mail.
- vii) Bidders are advised to also refer to clause no 2.9.4 regarding evaluation of their performance in ongoing projects for the current tender.

1.7. DATA TO BE ENCLOSED

Full information shall be given by the tenderer in respect of the following. Non-submission of this information may lead to rejection of the offer.

i) INCOME TAX PERMANENT ACCOUNT NUMBER

Certified copies of Permanent Account Numbers as allotted by Income Tax Department for the Company/Firm/Individual Partners etc. shall be furnished along with tender.

ii) ORGANIZATION CHART

The organization chart of the tenderer's organization, including the names, addresses and contact information of the Directors/Partners shall be furnished along with the offer.

- iii) An attested copy of the Power of Attorney, in case the tender is signed by an individual other than the sole proprietor.
- iv) IN CASE OF INDIVIDUAL TENDERER:

His / her full name, address, PAN and place & nature of business.

v) IN CASE OF PARTNERSHIP FIRM:

The names of all the partners and their addresses, A copy of the partnership deed/instrument of partnership dully certified by the Notary Public shall be enclosed.

vi) IN CASE OF COMPANIES:

- a) Date and place of registration including date of commencement certificate in case of Public Companies (certified copies of Memorandum and articles of Association are also to be furnished).
- b) Nature of business carried on by the Company and the provisions of the Memorandum relating thereof.

1.8 AUTHORIZATION AND ATTESTATION

Tenders shall be signed by a person duly authorized/empowered to do so, for which a Power of Attorney is to be submitted along with the tender offer. For company, a Power of Attorney (as per format in Volume-I D) shall be submitted.

1.9 EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT

- 1.9.1 Every tender must be accompanied by the prescribed amount of Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) in the manner described herein.
 - i) EMD shall be furnished before tender opening / along with the offer in full as per the amount indicated in the NIT.
 - ii) The EMD is to be paid only in the following forms:
 - a) Cash deposit as permissible under the extant Income Tax Act (before tender opening).
 - b) Electronic Fund Transfer credited in BHEL account (before tender opening).
 - c) Banker's cheque / Pay order / Demand draft, in favour of 'Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited' and payable at Regional HQ issuing the tender (along with offer).
 - d) Fixed Deposit Receipt (FDR) issued by Scheduled Banks/ Public Financial Institutions as defined in the Companies Act (FDR should be in the name of the Contractor, a/c BHEL) (along with offer). The Fixed Deposit in such cases shall be valid for at least six months from the due date of tender submission.

In case EMD amount is more than Rs. Two Lakhs, Tenderer has the option to submit Rs. Two lakhs in the forms described above in clause no. 1.9.1. (a) to (d) and the remaining amount over and above Rs. Two Lakhs in the form of Bank Guarantee from Scheduled Bank (along with the Offer). The Bank Guarantee in such cases shall be valid for at least six months from the due date of tender submission. The Bank Guarantee format for EMD shall be in the prescribed formats.

- iii) No other form of EMD remittance shall be acceptable to BHEL.
- 1.9.2 EMD by the Tenderer will be forfeited as per NIT conditions, if:
 - i) After opening the tender and within the offer validity period, the tenderer revokes his tender or makes any modification in his tender which is not acceptable to BHEL.
 - ii) The Contractor fails to deposit the required Security deposit or commence the work within the period as per LOI/ LOA/ Contract.
 - EMD by the tenderer shall be withheld in case any action on the tenderer is envisaged under the provisions of extant "Guidelines on Suspension of business dealings with suppliers/ contractors" and forfeited/ released based on the action as determined under these guidelines.
- 1.9.3 EMD shall not carry any interest.

- 1.9.4 EMD given by all unsuccessful tenderers shall be refunded normally within fifteen days of award of work.
- 1.9.5 Cash portion of EMD of successful tenderer will be retained as part of Security Deposit. EMD submitted in the form of Bank Guarantee/ FDR shall be retained by BHEL until the receipt of at least 50% of the Security Deposit.

1.10 SECURITY DEPOSIT

- 1.10.1 Upon acceptance of Tender, the successful Tenderer should deposit the required amount of Security Deposit towards fulfilment of any obligations in terms of the provisions of the contract. The total amount of Security Deposit will be 5% of the contract value.
- 1.10.2 The security Deposit should be furnished before start of the work by the contractor.
 - Note: In case of small value contracts not exceeding Rs. 20 lakhs, work can be started before the required Security Deposit is collected. However, payment can be released only after collection/recovery of initial 50% Security Deposit.
- 1.10.3 The balance amount to make up the required Security Deposit of 5% of the contract value may be accepted in the following forms.
 - i) Cash (as permissible under the extant Income Tax Act).
 - ii) Local cheques of Scheduled Banks (subject to realization)/ Pay Order/ Demand Draft/ Electronic Fund Transfer in favour of BHEL.
 - iii) Securities available from Indian Post offices such as National Savings Certificates, Kisan Vikas Patras etc. (held in the name of Contractor furnishing the security and duly endorsed/ hypothecated/ pledged, as applicable, in favour of BHEL).
- iv) Bank Guarantee from Scheduled Banks/ Public Financial Institutions as defined in the Companies Act. The Bank Guarantee format for Security Deposit shall be in the prescribed formats.
- v) Fixed Deposit Receipt issued by Scheduled Banks/ Public Financial Institutions as defined in the Companies Act (FDR should be in the name of the Contractor, a/c BHEL).
- vi) Security deposit can also be recovered at the rate of 10% of the gross amount progressively from each of the running bills of the contractor till the total amount of the required security deposit is collected. However, in such cases at least 50% of the required Security Deposit, including the EMD, should be deposited in any form as prescribed before start of the work and the balance 50% may be recovered from the running bills as described above.

Note: BHEL will not be liable or responsible in any manner for the collection of interest or renewal of the documents or in any other matter connected therewith.

- 1.10.4 The Security Deposit shall not carry any interest.
- 1.10.5 In case the value of work exceeds the awarded / accepted value, the Security Deposit shall be correspondingly enhanced as given below:
 - i) The enhanced part of the Security Deposit shall be immediately deposited by the Contractor or adjusted against payments due to the Contractor.
 - ii) Contract value for the purpose of operating the increased value of Security Deposit due to Quantity Variation, shall be exclusive of Price Variation Clause, Over Run Compensation and Extra works done on manday rates.

- iii) The recoveries made from running bills (cash deduction towards balance SD amount) can be released against submission of equivalent Bank Guarantee in acceptable form, but only once, before completion of work, with the approval of competent authority of BHEL.
- 1.10.6 The validity of Bank Guarantees towards Security Deposit shall be initially up to the completion period as stipulated in the Letter of Intent/ Award + Guarantee Period + 3 months, and the same shall be kept valid by proper renewal by the contractor till the acceptance of Final Bills of the Contractor by BHEL.
- 1.10.7 BHEL reserves the right of forfeiture of Security Deposit in addition to other claims and penalties in the event of the Contractor's failure to fulfill any of the contractual obligations or in the event of termination of contract as per terms and conditions of contract. BHEL reserves the right to set off the Security Deposit against any claims of other contracts with BHEL.
- 1.10.8 Bidder agrees to submit security deposit required for execution of the contract within the time period mentioned. In case of delay in submission of security deposit, enhanced security deposit which would include interest (Base rate of SBI + 6%) for the delayed period, shall be submitted by the bidder. Further, if security deposit is not submitted till such time the first bill becomes due, the amount of security deposit due shall be recovered as per terms defined in NIT / contract, from the bills along with due interest

1.11 RETURN OF SECURITY DEPOSIT

Security Deposit shall be released to the contractor upon fulfillment of contractual obligations as per terms of the contract including completion of Guarantee Period after deducting all expenses / other amounts due to BHEL under the contract / other contracts entered into with them by BHEL.

1.12 BANK GUARANTEES

Where ever Bank Guarantees are to be furnished/submitted by the contractor, the following shall be complied with

- Bank Guarantees shall be from Scheduled Banks / Public Financial Institutions as defined in the Companies Act. Bank Guarantees issued by Co-Operative Banks/ Financial Institutions shall not be accepted.
- ii) The Bank Guarantees shall be as per prescribed formats.
- iii) It is the responsibility of the bidder to get the Bank Guarantees revalidated/extended for the required period as per the advice of BHEL Site Engineer / Construction Manager. BHEL shall not be liable for issue of any reminders regarding expiry of the Bank Guarantees.
- iv) In case extension/further extensions of any Bank Guarantees are not required, the bidders shall ensure that the same is explicitly endorsed by the Construction Manager and submitted to the Regional HQ issuing the LOI/LOA.
- v) In case the Bank Guarantees are not extended before the expiry date, BHEL reserves the right to invoke the same by informing the concerned Bank in writing, without any advance notice/communication to the concerned bidder.
- vi) Bidders to note that any corrections to Bank Guarantees shall be done by the issuing Bank, only through an amendment in an appropriate non judicial stamp paper.
- vii) The Original Bank Guarantee shall be submitted to Subcontracting Department of the respective Region of BHEL.

1.13 VALIDITY OF OFFER

The rates in the Tender shall be kept open for acceptance for a minimum period of **SIX MONTHS** from latest due date of offer submission (including extension, if any). In case BHEL (Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd) calls for negotiations, such negotiations shall not amount to cancellation or

withdrawal of the original offer which shall be binding on the tenderers.

1.14 EXECUTION OF CONTRACT AGREEMENT

The successful tenderer's responsibility under this contract commences from the date of issue of the Letter of Intent/ Award by Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited.

The successful tenderer shall be required to execute an agreement in the prescribed form, with BHEL, within a reasonable time after the acceptance of the Letter of Intent/Award, and in any case before releasing the first running bill. The contract agreement shall be signed by a person duly authorized/empowered by the tenderer. The expenses for preparation of agreement document shall be borne by BHEL.

1.15 REJECTION OF TENDER AND OTHER CONDITIONS

- 1.15.1 The acceptance of tender will rest with BHEL which does not bind itself to accept the lowest tender or any tender and reserves to itself full rights for the following without assigning any reasons whatsoever:
 - a. To reject any or all of the tenders.
 - b. To split up the work amongst two or more tenderers as per NIT.
 - c. To award the work in part if specified in NIT.
 - d. In case of either of the contingencies stated in (b) and (c) above, the time for completion as stipulated in the tender shall be applicable.
- 1.15.2 Conditional tenders, unsolicited tenders, tenders which are incomplete or not in the form specified or defective or have been materially altered or not in accordance with the tender conditions, specifications etc. are liable to be rejected.
- 1.15.3 Tenders are liable to be rejected in case of unsatisfactory performance of the tenderer with BHEL or tenderer under suspension (hold/banning) by any unit / region / division of BHEL or tenderers who do not comply with the latest guidelines of Ministry/Commissions of Govt of India. BHEL reserves the right to not consider a bidder for further processing of tender in case it is observed that they are overloaded and may not be in a position to execute this job as per the required schedule in line with clause no. 9.0 of the 'NIT'. The decision of BHEL will be final in this regard.
- 1.15.4 If a tenderer who is a proprietor expires after the submission of his tender or after the acceptance of his tender, BHEL may at their discretion, cancel such tender. If a partner of a firm expires after the submission of tender or after the acceptance of the tender, BHEL may then cancel such tender at their discretion, unless the firm retains its character.
- 1.15.5 BHEL will not be bound by any Power of Attorney granted by changes in the composition of the firm made subsequent to the execution of the contract. BHEL may, however, recognize such power of Attorney and changes after obtaining proper legal advice, the cost of which will be chargeable to the contractor concerned.
- 1.15.6 If the tenderer deliberately gives wrong information in his tender, BHEL reserves the right to reject such tender at any stage or to cancel the contract if awarded and forfeit the Earnest Money/Security Deposit/any other money due.
- 1.15.7 Canvassing in any form in connection with the tenders submitted by the Tenderer shall make his

offer liable to rejection.

- 1.15.8 In case the Proprietor, Partner or Director of the Company/Firm submitting the Tender, has any relative or relation employed in BHEL, the authority inviting the Tender shall be informed of the fact as per specified format, along with the Offer. Failing to do so, BHEL may, at its sole discretion, reject the tender or cancel the contract and forfeit the Earnest Money/Security Deposit.
- 1.15.9 The successful tenderer should not sub-contract part or complete work detailed in the tender specification undertaken by him without written permission of BHEL's Construction Manager/Site in charge. The tenderer is solely responsible to BHEL for the work awarded to him.
- 1.15.10 The Tender submitted by a techno commercially qualified tenderer shall become the property of BHEL who shall be under no obligation to return the same to the bidder. However unopened price bids and late tenders shall be returned to the bidders, in case of Conventional/ Paper bid.
- 1.15.11 Unsolicited discount received after the due date and time of Bid Submission shall not be considered for evaluation. However, if the party who has submitted the unsolicited discount/rebate becomes the L-1 party, then the awarded price i.e. contract value shall be worked out after considering the discount so offered.
- 1.15.12 BHEL shall not be liable for any expenses incurred by the bidder in the preparation of the tender irrespective of whether the tender is accepted or not.

1.16 INTIMATION OF CHANGE OF NAME/RE-CONSTITUTION OF THE ORGANIZATION

In the event of the organization (Proprietorship/Partnership/Company) undergoing any change of name or reconstitution, prior intimation of the same shall be given to BHEL. Upon such changes coming into effect, the same is to be intimated to BHEL immediately with supporting documents as applicable.

Further, the new entity has to intimate BHEL in writing that they will honor all the earlier commitments in respect of the subject contract.

CHAPTER-2

- 2.1 <u>**DEFINITION:**</u> The following terms shall have the meaning hereby assigned to them except where the context otherwise requires
- i) BHEL shall mean Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (of the respective Power Sector Region inviting the Tender), a company registered under Indian Companies Act 1956, with its Registered Office at BHEL HOUSE, SIRI FORT, NEW DELHI 110 049, or its Power Sector Regional Offices or its Authorized Officers or its Site Engineers or other employees authorized to deal with any matters with which these persons are concerned on its behalf.
- ii) "EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR" or "GENERAL MANAGER (In- charge)" or "GENERAL MANAGER" shall mean the Officer in Administrative charge of the respective Power Sector Region.
- iii) "COMPETENT AUTHORITY" shall mean BHEL Officers who are empowered to act on behalf of BHEL.
- iv) "ENGINEER" or "ENGINEER IN CHARGE" shall mean an Officer of BHEL as may be duly appointed and authorized by BHEL to act as "Engineer" on his behalf for the purpose of the Contract, to perform the duty set forth in this General Conditions of Contract and other Contract documents. The term also includes 'CONSTRUCTION MANAGER' or 'SITE INCHARGE' as well as Officers at Site or at the Headquarters of the respective Power Sector Regions.
- v) "SITE" shall mean the places or place at which the plants/equipments are to be erected and services are to be performed as per the specification of this Tender.
- vi) "CLIENT OF BHEL" or "CUSTOMER" shall mean the project authorities with whom BHEL has entered into a contract for supply of equipments or provision of services.
- vii) "CONTRACTOR" shall mean the successful Bidder/Tenderer who is awarded the Contract and shall include the Contractor's successors, heirs, executors, administrators and permitted assigns.
- viii) "CONTRACT" or "CONTRACT DOCUMENT" shall mean and include the Agreement of Work Order, the accepted appendices of Rates, Schedules, Quantities if any, Offer submitted by contractor including acceptance to General Conditions of Contract, Instructions to the Tenderers, Drawings, Technical Specifications, the Special Specifications if any, the Tender documents, subsequent amendments /corrigendum to Tender mutually agreed upon and the Letter of Intent/Award/Acceptance issued by BHEL. Any conditions or terms stipulated by the contractor in the tender documents or subsequent letters shall not form part of the contract unless, specifically accepted in writing by BHEL in the Letter of Intent/Award and incorporated in the agreement or amendment thereof.
 - ix) "GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT" shall mean the 'Instructions to Tenderers' and 'General Conditions of Contract' pertaining to the work for which above tenders have been called for

- x) "TENDER SPECIFICATION" or "TENDER" or "TENDER DOCUMENTS" shall mean General Conditions, Common Conditions, Special Conditions, Price Bid, Rate Schedule, Technical Specifications, Appendices, Annexures, Corrigendums, Amendments, Forms, Procedures, Site information etc. and drawings/documents pertaining to the work for which the tenderers are required to submit their offers. Individual specification number will be assigned to each Tender Specification.
- xi) "LETTER OF INTENT/ AWARD" shall mean the intimation by a Letter/Fax/email to the tenderer that the tender has been accepted in accordance with provisions contained in the letter. The responsibility of the contractor commences from the date of issue of this letter and all terms and conditions of the contract are applicable from this date.
- xii) "COMPLETION TIME" shall mean the period by 'date/month' specified in the 'Letter of Intent/Award' or date mutually agreed upon for handing over of the intended scope of work, the erected equipment/plant which are found acceptable by the Engineer, being of required standard and conforming to the specifications of the Contract.
- xiii) "PLANT" shall mean and connote the entire assembly of the plant and equipments covered by the contract.
- xiv) "EQUIPMENT" shall mean equipment, machineries, materials, structural, electricals and other components of the plant covered by the contract.
- xv) "TESTS" shall mean and include such test or tests to be carried out on the part of the contractor as are prescribed in the contract or considered necessary by BHEL in order to ascertain the quality, workmanship, performance and efficiency of the contractor or part thereof.
- xvi) "APPROVED", "DIRECTED" or "INSTRUCTED" shall mean approved, directed or instructed by BHEL.
- xvii) "WORK or CONTRACT WORK" shall mean and include supply of all categories of labour, specified consumables, tools and tackles and Plants required for complete and satisfactory site transportation, handling, stacking, storing, erecting, testing and commissioning of the equipments to the entire satisfaction of BHEL.
- xviii) "SINGULAR AND PLURALS ETC" words carrying singular number shall also include plural and vice versa, where the context so requires. Words imparting the masculine Gender shall be taken to include the feminine Gender and words imparting persons shall include any Company or Associations or Body of Individuals, whether incorporated or not.
- xix) "HEADING" The heading in these General Conditions are solely for the purpose of facilitating reference and shall not be deemed to be part thereof or be taken as instructions thereof or of the contract.
- xx) "MONTH" shall mean calendar month unless otherwise specified in the Tender.
- xxi) 'Day' or 'Days' unless herein otherwise expressly defined shall mean calendar day or days of twenty-four (24) hours each. A Week shall mean continuous period of seven (7) days.

- xxii) "COMMISSIONING" shall mean the synchronization testing and achieving functional operation of the Equipment with associated system after all initial adjustments, trials, cleaning, re-assembly required at site if any, have been completed and Equipment with associated system is ready for taking into service.
- xxiii) "WRITING" shall include any manuscript type written or hand written or printed statement or electronically transmitted messages, under the signature or seal or transmittal of BHEL.
- xxiv) "TEMPORARY WORK" shall mean all temporary works for every kind required in or for the execution, completion, maintenance of the work.
- xxv) 'CONTRACT PRICE' or 'CONTRACT VALUE' shall mean the sum mentioned in the LOI/LOA/Contract Agreement subject to such additions thereto or deductions there from as may be made under provisions hereinafter contained.
- xxvi) 'EXECUTED CONTRACT VALUE' shall mean actual value of works executed by the contractor and certified by BHEL. This value shall not include PVC, ORC, Extra Works and Taxes.
- xxvii) "COMMENCEMENT DATE" or "START DATE" shall mean the commencement/start of work at Site as per terms defined in the Tender.
- xxviii) "SHORT CLOSING" or "FORE CLOSING" of Contract shall mean the premature closing of Contract, for reasons not attributable to the contractor and mutually agreed between BHEL and the contractor.
- xxix) "TERMINATION" of Contract shall mean the pre mature closing of contract due to reasons as mentioned in the contract.
- xxx) "DE MOBILIZATION" shall mean the temporary winding up of Site establishment by Contractor leading to suspension of works temporarily for reasons not attributable to the contractor.
- xxxi) "RE MOBILIZATION" shall mean the resumption of work with all resources required for the work after demobilization.

2.2 LAW GOVERNING THE CONTRACT AND COURT JURISDICTION

The contract shall be governed by the Law for the time being in force in the Republic of India. Subject to clause 2.21.1.1 of this contract, the Civil Court having original Civil Jurisdiction at Delhi for PSNR, at Kolkata for PSER, at Nagpur for PSWR and at Chennai for PSSR, shall alone have exclusive jurisdiction in regard to all matters in respect of the Contract.

2.3 ISSUE OF NOTICE

2.3.1 Service of notice on Contractor

Any notice to be given to the Contractor under the terms of the contract shall be served by sending the same by **Registered Post/Speed Post to or leaving the same at** the Contractor's last known address of the principal place of business (or in the event of the contractor being a company, to or at its Registered Office). In case of change of address, the notice shall be served at changed address as notified in writing by the Contractor to BHEL. Such posting or leaving of the notice shall be deemed to be good service of such notice and the time mentioned to the condition for doing any act after notice shall be reckoned from the date so mentioned in such notice.

2.3.2 Service of notice on BHEL

Any notice to be given to BHEL in-charge/Region under the terms of the Contract shall be served by sending the same by post to or leaving the same at BHEL address or changed address as notified in writing by BHEL to the Contractor.

2.4 USE OF LAND

No land belonging to BHEL or their Customer under temporary possession of BHEL shall be occupied by the contractor without written permission of BHEL.

2.5 COMMENCEMENT OF WORK

- **2.5.1** The contractor shall commence the work as per the time indicated in the Letter of Intent/Award from BHEL and shall proceed with the same with due expedition without delay.
- 2.5.2 If the contractor fails to start the work within stipulated time as per LOI/ LOA or as intimated by BHEL, then BHEL at its sole discretion will have the right to cancel the contract. The Earnest Money and/or Security Deposit with BHEL will stand forfeited without any further reference to him without prejudice to any and all of BHEL's other rights and remedies in this regard.
- **2.5.3** All the work shall be carried out under the direction and to the satisfaction of BHEL.

2.6 MEASUREMENT OF WORK AND MODE OF PAYMENT:

- **2.6.1** All payments due to the contractors shall be made by e mode only, unless otherwise found operationally difficult for reasons to be recorded in writing.
- 2.6.2 For progress running bill payments: The Contractor shall present detailed measurement sheets in triplicate, duly indicating all relevant details based on technical documents and connected drawings for work done during the month/period under various categories in line with terms of payment as per contract. The basis of arriving at the quantities, weights shall be relevant documents and drawings released by BHEL. These measurement sheets shall be prepared jointly with BHEL Engineers and signed by both the parties.
- 2.6.3 These measurement sheets will be checked by BHEL Engineer and quantities and percentage eligible for payment under various groups shall be decided by BHEL Engineer. The abstract of quantities and percentage so arrived at based on the terms of payment shall be entered in Measurement Book and signed by both the parties.
- 2.6.4 Based on the above quantities, contractor shall prepare the bills, along with statutory documents, in prescribed format and work out the financial value. These will be entered in Measurement Book and signed by both the parties. Payment shall be made by BHEL after effecting the recoveries due from the contractor.
- **2.6.5** All recoveries due from the contractor for the month/period shall be effected in full from the corresponding running bills unless specific approval from the competent authorities is obtained to the contrary.
- **2.6.6** Measurement shall be restricted to that portion of work for which it is required to ascertain the financial liability of BHEL under this contract.

- **2.6.7** The measurement shall be taken jointly by persons duly authorized on the part of BHEL and by the Contractor.
- 2.6.8 The Contractor shall bear the expenditure involved if any, in making the measurements and testing of materials to be used/ used in the work. The contractor shall, without extra charges, provide all the assistance with appliances and other things necessary for measurement.
- **2.6.9** If at any time due to any reason whatsoever, it becomes necessary to re-measure the work done in full or in part, the expenses towards such re measurements shall be borne by the contractor unless such re measurements are warranted solely for reasons not attributable to contractor.
- 2.6.10 Passing of bills covered by such measurements does not amount to acceptance of the completion of the work measured. Any left out work has to be completed, if pointed out at a later date by BHEL.
- 2.6.11 Final measurement bill shall be prepared in the final bill format prescribed for the purpose based on the certificate issued by BHEL Engineer that entire works as stipulated in tender specification has been completed in all respects to the entire satisfaction of BHEL. Contractor shall give unqualified "No Claim" Certificate. All the tools and tackles loaned to him should be returned in satisfactory condition to BHEL. The abstract of final quantities and financial values shall also be entered in the Measurement Books and signed by both parties to the contract. The Final Bill shall be prepared and paid within a reasonable time after completion of work.

2.7 RIGHTS OF BHEL

BHEL reserves the following rights in respect of this contract during the original contract period or its extensions if any, as per the provisions of the contract, without entitling the contractor for any compensation.

- 2.7.1 To withdraw any portion of work and/or to restrict/alter quantum of work as indicated in the contract during the progress of work and get it done through other agencies to suit BHEL's commitment to its customer or in case BHEL decides to advance the date of completion due to other emergent reasons/ BHEL's obligation to its customer.
 - In case of inadequate manpower deployed by the contractor, BHEL reserves the right to deploy additional manpower through any other agency for expediting activities in the interest of the project. Supplied manpower shall be put on job by the contractor and payments and other statutory compliances related to manpower shall be the contractor's responsibility. In case of contractor's failure to fulfill his obligations in respect of such manpower, BHEL reserves the right to take necessary action as per contract conditions.
- **2.7.2.1** To terminate the contract or withdraw portion of work and get it done through other agency, at the risk and cost of the contractor after due notice of a period of 14 days' (this period can be reduced in case of urgency or increased otherwise) by BHEL in any of the following cases:
 - i). Contractor's poor progress of the work vis-à-vis execution timeline as stipulated in the Contract, backlog attributable to contractor including unexecuted portion of work does not appear to be executable within balance available period considering its performance of execution.
 - ii). Withdrawal from or abandonment of the work by contractor before completion of the work as per contract.
 - iii). Non-completion of work by the Contractor within scheduled completion period as per Contract or as extended from time to time, for the reasons attributable to the contractor.

- iv). Termination of Contract on account of any other reason (s) attributable to Contractor.
- v). Assignment, transfer, subletting of Contract without BHEL's written permission.
- vi). Non-compliance to any contractual condition or any other default attributable to Contractor.

Risk & Cost Amount against Balance Work:

Risk & Cost amount against balance work shall be calculated as follows:

Risk & Cost Amount= $[(A-B) + (A \times H/100)]$

Where,

A= Value of Balance scope of Work (*) as per rates of new contract

B= Value of Balance scope of Work (*) as per rates of old contract being paid to the contractor at the time of termination of contract i.e. inclusive of PVC & ORC, if any.

H = Overhead Factor to be taken as 5

In case (A-B) is less than 0 (zero), value of (A-B) shall be taken as 0 (zero).

* Balance scope of work (in case of termination of contract):

Difference of Contract Quantities and Executed Quantities as on the date of issue of Letter for 'Termination of Contract', shall be taken as balance scope of Work for calculating risk & cost amount

Contract quantities are the quantities as per original contract. If, Contract has been amended, quantities as per amended Contract shall be considered as Contract Quantities.

Items for which total quantities to be executed have exceeded the Contract Quantities based on drawings issued to contractor from time to time till issue of Termination letter, then for these items total Quantities as per issued drawings would be deemed to be contract quantities.

Substitute/ extra items whose rates have already been approved would form part of contract quantities for this purpose. Substitute/ extra items which have been executed but rates have not been approved, would also form part of contract quantities for this purpose and rates of such items shall be determined in line with contractual provisions.

However, increase in quantities on account of additional scope in new tender shall not be considered for this purpose.

NOTE: Incase portion of work is being withdrawn at risk & cost of contractor instead of termination of contract, contract quantities pertaining to portion of work withdrawn shall be considered as 'Balance scope of work' for calculating Risk & Cost amount.

LD against delay in executed work in case of Termination of Contract:

LD against delay in executed work shall be calculated in line with LD clause no. 2.7.9 of GCC, for the delay attributable to contractor. For limiting the maximum value of LD, contract value shall be taken as Executed Value of work till termination of contract.

Method for calculation of "LD against delay in executed work in case of termination of contract" is given below.

- i).Let the time period from scheduled date of start of work till termination of contract excluding the period of Hold (if any) not attributable to contractor = T1
- ii). Let the value of executed work till the time of termination of contract= X
- iii).Let the Total Executable Value of work for which inputs/fronts were made available to contractor and were planned for execution till termination of contract = Y
- iv). Delay in executed work attributable to contractor i.e. T2=[1-(X/Y)] x T1
- v).LD shall be calculated in line with LD clause (clause 2.7.9) of the Contract for the delay attributable to contractor taking "X" as Contract Value and "T2" as period of delay attributable to contractor.

- 2.7.2.2 In case Contractor fails to deploy the resources as per requirement, BHEL can deploy own/hired/otherwise arranged resources at the risk and cost of the contractor and recover the expenses incurred from the dues payable to contractor. Recoveries shall be actual expenses incurred plus 5% overheads or as defined in TCC.
- 2.7.3 Recoveries arising out of Risk & Cost and LD or any other recoveries due from Contractor Following sequence shall be applicable for recoveries from contractor:
 - a) Dues available in the form of Bills payable to contractor, SD, BGs against the same contract.
 - b) Demand notice for deposit of balance recovery amount shall be sent to contractor, if funds are insufficient to effect complete recovery against dues indicated in (a) above.
 - c) If contractor fails to deposit the balance amount to be recovered within the period as prescribed in demand notice, following action shall be taken for balance recovery:
 - Dues payable to contractor against other contracts in the same Region shall be considered for recovery.
 - ii) If recovery cannot be made out of dues payable to the contractor as above, balance amount to be recovered, shall be informed to other Regions/Units for making recovery from the Unpaid Bills/Running Bills/SD/BGs/Final Bills of contractor.
 - iii) In-case recoveries are not possible with any of the above available options, Legal action shall be initiated for recovery against contractor.
- 2.7.4 To terminate the contract or to restrict the quantum of work and pay for the portion of work executed in case BHEL's contract with their customer are terminated for any reason, as per mutual agreement.
- 2.7.5 To effect recovery from any amounts due to the contractor under this or any other contract or in any other form, the moneys BHEL is statutorily forced to pay to anybody, due to contractor's failure to fulfill any of his obligations. BHEL shall levy overheads of 5% on all such payments along with interest as defined elsewhere in the GCC.
- **2.7.6** While every endeavor will be made by BHEL to this end, they (BHEL) cannot guarantee uninterrupted work due to conditions beyond their control. The Contractor will not be normally entitled for any compensation/extra payment on this account unless otherwise specified elsewhere in the contract.
- 2.7.7 BHEL may permit or direct contractor to demobilize and remobilize at a future date as intimated by BHEL in case of following situations for reasons other than Force majeure conditions and not attributable to contractor:
 - i) suspension of work(s) at a Project either by BHEL or Customer, or
 - ii) where work comes to a complete halt or reaches a stage wherein worthwhile works cannot be executed and there is no possibility of commencement of work for a period of not less than three months

In such cases, charges towards demobilization and remobilization shall be as decided by BHEL after successful remobilization by contractor at site, and decision of BHEL shall be final and binding on the contractor. After remobilization, all conditions as per contract shall become applicable. In case Contractor does not remobilize with adequate resources or does not start the work within the period as intimated, then BHEL reserves the right to get the balance works done at the Risk & Cost of the Contractor. Duration of the contract/time extension shall be revised suitably. In case of any conflict, BHEL decision in this regard shall be final and binding on the contractor.

- 2.7.8 In the unforeseen event of inordinate delay in receipt of materials, drawings, fronts etc. due to which inordinate discontinuity of work is anticipated, BHEL on its own or contractor's request at its discretion may consider to short close the contract in any of the following cases:
 - a) The balance works (including but not limited to Trial Operation, PG Test etc.) are minor vis a vis the scope of work envisaged as per the contract.
 - b) There has been no significant work in past 6 months OR no significant work is expected in next 6 months (example in Hydro projects or in projects where work has stopped due to reasons beyond the control of BHEL).
 - c) The balance works cannot be done within a reasonable period of time as they are dependent on unit shut down or on other facilities of customer or any other such reasons not attributable to the contractor.

At the point of requesting for short closure, contractor shall establish that he has completed all works possible of completion and he is not able to proceed with the balance works due to constraints beyond his control. In such a case, the estimated value of the unexecuted portion of work (or estimated value of services to be provided for carrying out milestone/stage payments like Trial Operation/PG Test etc.) as decided by BHEL, shall however be reduced from the final contract value.

Note: The Contractor shall not be eligible for any compensation on account of Quantity Variation arising out of short-closure of contract as per clause no. 2.7.8 (b) above.

2.7.9 LIQUIDATED DAMAGES/PENALTY

At the end of total work completion as certified by BHEL Engineer, and upon analysis of the total delay, the portion of time extensions attributable to (i) Contractor alone, (ii) Force majeure conditions, and (iii) BHEL, shall be worked out. The total period of time extensions shall be the sum of (i), (ii) and (iii) above and shall be equal to period between the scheduled date of completion and the actual date of completion of contract. LD shall be imposed/levied for the portion of time extensions solely attributable to contractor and recoverable from the dues payable to the contractor.

If the contractor fails to maintain the required progress of work which results in delay in the completion of the work as per the contractual completion period, BHEL shall have the right to impose Liquidated Damage/Penalty at the rate of 0.5% of the contract value, per week of delay or part thereof subject to a maximum of 10% of the contract value. For this purpose, the period for which LD is applicable shall be worked out based on portion of time extension granted solely attributable to contractor at the end of the contract. Contract Value for this purpose, shall be the final executed value exclusive of ORC, Extra Works executed on Manday rate basis, Supplementary/ Additional Items and PVC.

In case of LD recovery, the applicable GST shall also be recovered from contractor.

2.8 RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CONTRACTOR IN RESPECT OF LOCAL LAWS, EMPLOYMENT OF WORKERS ETC.

The following are the responsibilities of the contractor in respect of observance of local laws, employment of personnel, payment of taxes etc. The subcontractor shall fully indemnify BHEL against any claims of whatsoever nature arising due to the failure of the contractor in discharging any of his responsibilities hereunder:

- 2.8.1 As far as possible, Unskilled Workers shall be engaged from the local areas in which the work is being executed.
- 2.8.2 The contractor at all times during the continuance of this contract shall, in all his dealings with local labour for the time being employed on or in connection with the work, have due regard to all local festivals and religious and other customs.
- 2.8.3 The contractor shall comply with all applicable State and Central Laws, Statutory Rules, Regulations, Notifications etc. such as Payment of Wages Act, Minimum Wages Act, Workmen Compensation Act, Employer's Liability Act, Industrial Disputes Act, Employers Provident Act, Employees State Insurance Scheme, Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Act, 1970, Payment of Bonus & Gratuity Act, Building and Other Construction Workers (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Service) Act 1996, The Building and Other Construction Workers' Welfare Cess Act 1996 and other Acts, Rules, and Regulations for labour/workers as applicable and as may be enacted by the State Government and Central Govt. during the tenure of the Contract and having force or jurisdiction at Site. The Contractor shall also comply with provisions of and give all such notices to the local Governing Body, Police and other relevant Authorities as may be required by the Law.
- 2.8.4 The Contractor shall obtain independent License under the Contract Labour (Regulations and Abolition) Act, 1970 for engaging contract labour as required from the concerned Authorities based on the certificate (Form- V or as applicable) issued by the Principal Employer/Customer.
- 2.8.5 The contractor shall pay and bear all taxes, fees, license charges, Cess, duties, deposits, tolls, royalties, commission or other charges which may be leviable on account of his operations in executing the contract.
- **2.8.6** While BHEL would pay the inspection fees and Registration fees of Boiler/Electrical Inspectorate, all other arrangements for site visits periodically by the Inspectorate to site, Inspection certificate etc. will have to be made by contractor. However, BHEL will not make any payment to the Inspectorate in connection with contractor's Welders/Electricians qualification tests etc.
- **2.8.7** Contractor shall be responsible for provision of Health and Sanitary arrangements (more particularly described in Contract Labour Regulation & Abolition Act), Safety precautions etc. as may be required for safe and satisfactory execution of contract.
- **2.8.8** The contractor shall be responsible for proper accommodation including adequate medical facilities for personnel employed by him.
- **2.8.9** The contractor shall be responsible for the proper behavior and observance of all regulations by the staff employed by him.
- **2.8.10** The contractor shall ensure that no damage is caused to any person/property of other parties working at site. If any such damage is caused, it is responsibility of the contractor to make good the losses or compensate for the same.
- **2.8.11** All the properties/equipments/components of BHEL/their Client loaned with or without deposit to the contractor in connection with the contract shall remain properties of BHEL/their Client.

- 2.8.12 The contractor shall use such properties for the purpose of execution of this contract. All such properties/equipments/components shall be deemed to be in good condition when received by the contractor unless he notifies within 48 hours to the contrary. The contractor shall return them in good condition as and when required by BHEL/their Client. In case of non-return, loss, damage, repairs etc. the cost thereof as may be fixed by BHEL Engineer will be recovered from the contractor.
- **2.8.13** In case the contractor is required to undertake any work outside the scope of this contract, the rates payable shall be those mutually agreed upon if the item rates are not mentioned in existing contract.
- **2.8.14** Any delay in completion of works/or non-achievement of periodical targets due to the reasons attributable to the contractor, the same may have to be compensated by the contractor either by increasing manpower and resources or by working extra hours and/or by working more than one shift. All these are to be carried out by the contractor at no extra cost.
- **2.8.15** The contractor shall arrange, coordinate his work in such a manner as to cause no hindrance to other agencies working in the same premises.
- 2.8.16 All safety rules and codes applied by the Client/BHEL at site shall be observed by the contractor without exception. The contractor shall be responsible for the safety of the equipment/material and works to be performed by him and shall maintain all light, fencing guards, slings etc. or other protection necessary for the purpose. Contractor shall also take such additional precautions as may be indicated from time to time by the Engineer with a view to prevent pilferage, accidents, fire hazards. Due precautions shall be taken against fire hazards and atmospheric conditions. Suitable number of Clerical staff, watch and ward, store keepers to take care of equipment/materials and construction tools and tackles shall be posted at site by the contractor till the completion of work under this contract.

The contractor shall arrange for such safety devices as are necessary for such type of work and carry out the requisite site tests of handling equipment, lifting tools, tackles etc. as per prescribed standards and practices.

Contractor has to ensure the implementation of Health, Safety and Environment (HSE) requirements as per directions given by BHEL/Customer. The contractor has to assist in HSE audit by BHEL/Customer and submit compliance Report. The contractor has to generate and submit record/reports as per HSE plan/activities as per instruction of BHEL/Customer.

- 2.8.17 The contractor will be directly responsible for payment of wages to his workmen. A pay roll sheet giving all the payments given to the workers and duly signed by the contractor's representative should be furnished to BHEL site for record purpose, if so called for. Contractor shall create awareness amongst their workforce by helping & encouraging in opening bank accounts and to encourage them to adopt digital mode of transactions. While releasing wages/ salary to their workers/ supervisors/ staff, Contractor shall comply with the GOI's guidelines for maximizing such transactions through Non-Cash / digital means.
- 2.8.18 In case of any class of work for which there is no such specification as laid down in the contract, such work shall be carried out in accordance with the instructions and requirements of the Engineer.

- **2.8.19** Also, no idle charges will be admissible in the event of any stoppage caused in the work resulting in contractor's labour and Tools & Plants being rendered idle due to any reason at any time.
- **2.8.20** The contractor shall take all reasonable care to protect the materials and work till such time the plant/equipment has been taken over by BHEL or their Client whichever is earlier.
- 2.8.21 The contractor shall not stop the work or abandon the site for whatsoever reason of dispute, excepting force majeure conditions. All such problems/disputes shall be separately discussed and settled without affecting the progress of work. Such stoppage or abandonment shall be treated as breach of contract and dealt with accordingly.
- 2.8.22 The contractor shall keep the area of work clean and shall remove the debris etc. while executing day-to-day work. Upon completion of work, the contractor shall remove from the vicinity of work, all scrap, packing materials, rubbish, unused and other materials and deposit them in places specified by the Engineer. The contractor will also demolish all the hutments, sheds, offices etc. constructed and used by him and shall clean the debris. In the event of his failure to do so, the same will be arranged to be done by the Engineer and the expenses recovered from the contractor.
- 2.8.23 The contractor shall execute the work in the most substantial and workman like manner in the stipulated time. Accuracy of work and timely execution shall be the essence of this contract. The contractor shall be responsible to ensure that the quality, assembly and workmanship conform to the dimensions and clearance given in the drawings and/ or as per the instructions of the Engineer.
- 2.8.24 The Contractor to note that some of BHEL's T&Ps/MMDs may not be insured. The Contractor will take necessary precautions and due care to protect the same while in his custody from any damage/ loss till the same is handed over back to BHEL. In case the damage / loss is due to carelessness/ negligence on the part of the contractor, the Contractor is liable to get them repair/ replaced immediately and in case of his failure to do so within a reasonable time, BHEL will reserve the right to recover the loss from the contractor.
- **2.8.25** For all works having contract value of Rs. 5,00,000/- or above, BHEL shall recover the amount of compensation paid to victim(s) by BHEL towards loss of life/ permanent disability due to an accident which is attributable to the negligence of contractor, agency or firm or any of its employees as detailed below.
 - a) Victim: Any person who suffers permanent disablement or dies in an accident as defined below.
 - b) Accident: Any death or permanent disability resulting solely and directly from any unintended and unforeseen injurious occurrence caused during the manufacturing/ operation and works incidental thereto at BHEL factories/ offices and precincts thereof, project execution, erection and commissioning, services, repairs and maintenance, trouble shooting, serving, overhaul, renovation and retrofitting, trial operation, performance guarantee testing undertaken by the company or during any works/ during working at BHEL Units/ Offices/ townships and premises/ Project Sites.

- c) Compensation in respect of each of the victims:
- i. In the event of death or permanent disability resulting from Loss of both limbs: Rs. 10,00,000/- (Rs. Ten Lakh).
- ii. In the event of other permanent disability: Rs.7,00,000/- (Rs. Seven Lakh)
- d) Permanent Disablement: A disablement that is classified as a permanent total disablement under the proviso to section 2 (I) of the Employee's Compensation Act, 1923.
- **2.8.26** Contractor shall be fully responsible for their T&Ps and other material mobilized at site. In any case, BHEL shall not be liable for any damage/loss/misuse of any item(s) belong to the contractor.

2.9 Void

2.10 TIME OF COMPLETION

- **2.10.1** The time schedule shall be as prescribed in the Contract. The time for completion shall be reckoned from the date of commencement of work at Site as certified by BHEL Engineers.
- 2.10.2 Time being the essence of the contract, the entire work shall be completed by the contractor within the time schedule or within such extended periods of time as may be allowed by BHEL under clause 2.11.

2.11 EXTENSION OF TIME FOR COMPLETION

- **2.11.1** If the completion of work as detailed in the scope of work gets delayed beyond the contract period, the contractor shall request for an extension of the contract and BHEL at its discretion may extend the Contract.
- 2.11.2 Based on the F-14 formats, the works balance at the end of original contract period less the backlog attributable to the contractor shall be quantified, and the number of months of 'Time extension' required for completion of the same shall be jointly worked out. Within this period of 'Time extension', the contractor is bound to complete the portion of backlog attributable to the contractor. Any further 'Time extension' or 'Time extensions' at the end of the previous extension shall be worked out similarly.
- 2.11.3 However, if any 'Time extension' is granted to the contractor to facilitate continuation of work and completion of contract, due to backlog attributable to the contractor alone, then it shall be without prejudice to the rights of BHEL to impose penalty/LD for the delays attributable to the contractor, in addition to any other actions BHEL may wish to take at the risk and cost of contractor.
- **2.11.4** Planning, progress monitoring, monthly review and performance monitoring shall be carried out as per Clause 2.9 of GCC.
- 2.12 OVERRUN COMPENSATION Not Applicable
- 2.13 INTEREST BEARING RECOVERABLE ADVANCES Not Applicable

2.14 QUANTITY VARIATION

2.14.1 Variation in Final Executed Contract Value

The quantities given in the contract are tentative and may change to any extent (both in plus side and minus side). No compensation becomes payable in case the variation of the final executed contract value is within the limits of Minus (-) 15% of awarded contract value. Also, no compensation becomes payable in case the contract gets partially executed/ short closed/

terminated/ work withdrawn under Rights of BHEL mentioned in Clause 2.7 of GCC. In case of work terminated / short closed under clause 2.7.4 of GCC, compensation may be considered only if BHEL receives compensation from customer.

Compensation due to variation of final executed contract value in excess of the limits defined in clause above, shall be as follows:

- i) In case the finally executed contract value reduces below the lower limit of awarded Contract Value due to quantity variation specified above, the Contractor will be eligible for compensation @ 15% of the difference between the lower limit of the awarded contract value and the actual executed contract value.
- ii) In case the finally executed contract value increases above the awarded Contract Value due to quantity variation, the Contractor is not eligible for any compensation

2.14.2 Variation in Individual Quantities of BOQ Item(s)

The quantities given in the contract are tentative and may change to any extent (both in plus side and minus side). No compensation becomes payable in case the variation of the quantity of individual BOQ item(s) is within the limits of Plus (+) 100% of the quantity in the original price schedule.

In case executed quantity for a particular BOQ item(s) exceeds two times the quantity in the original price schedule (100% increase), then the revision in rates for such BOQ item(s) for the quantity in excess of two times the quantity in the original price schedule including any subsequent increase in quantity, may be considered based on request from the Contractor, however, BHEL decision in this regard shall be final. Revised rates for subject BOQ item (s) shall be worked out on the basis of prevailing market rates mutually agreed between BHEL and Contractor. PVC/ ORC will not be applicable for these revised rates.

BHEL, however, retains the right to arrange the excess quantity through any other source for expediting activities in the interest of the Project.

- Note: (a) Revision in rates under clause 2.14.2 will remain admissible in those cases also, where, the Contractor is eligible for compensation under clause 2.14.1 i).
 - (b) The value of work executed at revised rates due to variation in Individual Quantities of BOQ Item(s) shall be included while calculating the finally executed contract value in clause no. 2.14.1 above.

2.15 EXTRA WORKS

- 2.15.1 All rectifications/modifications, revamping and reworks required for any reasons not due to the fault of the contractor, or needed due to any change in deviation from drawings and design of equipments, operation/maintenance requirements, mismatching or due to damages in transit, storage and erection/commissioning and other allied works which are not very specifically indicated in the drawings, but are found essential for satisfactory completion of the work, will be considered as extra works.
- **2.15.2** Extra works arising on account of the contractor's fault, irrespective of time consumed in rectification of the damage/loss, will have to be carried out by the contractor free of cost. Under such circumstances, any material and consumable required for this purpose will also have to be arranged by the contractor at his cost.
- **2.15.3** All the extra work should be carried out by a separately identifiable gang, without affecting routine activities. Daily log sheets in the pro-forma prescribed by BHEL should be maintained and shall be

signed by the contractor's representative and BHEL engineer. No claim for extra work will be considered/entertained in the absence of the said supporting documents i.e. daily log sheets. Signing of log sheets by BHEL engineer does not necessarily mean the acceptance of such works as extra works.

- **2.15.4** BHEL retains the right to award or not to award any of the major repair/ rework/modification/rectification/fabrication works to the contractor, at their discretion without assigning any reason for the same.
- **2.15.5** After eligibility of extra works is established and finally accepted by BHEL engineer/designer, payment will be released on competent authority's approval at the following rate.

MAN-HOUR RATE FOR ELIGIBLE EXTRA WORKS: Single composite average labour man-hour rate, including overtime if any, supervision, use of tools and tackles and other site expenses and incidentals, consumables for carrying out any major rework/ repairs/ rectification/ modification/ fabrication as certified by site as may arise during the course of erection, testing, commissioning or extra works arising out of transit, storage and erection damages, payment, if found due will be at Rs 108/- per man hour.

- 2.15.6 The above composite labour man hour rate towards extra works shall remain firm and not subject to any variation during execution of the work. PVC will not be applicable for extra works. Rate revision, Over Run Charges/compensation etc. will not be applicable due to on extra works.
- 2.15.7 Extra Works for Civil Packages shall be regulated as follows
 - i) Rates for Extra Works arising due to (1) non availability of BOQ (Rate Schedule), OR (2) change in Specifications of materials/works (3) rectification/modification/dismantling & re-erecting etc. due to no fault of Contractor, shall be in the order of the following:
 - a) Item rates are to be derived from similar nature of items in the BOQ (Rate Schedule) with applicable escalation derived from All India Consumer Price Index for Whole Sale Commodities.
 - b) As per latest edition of CPWD-DSR with applicable escalation derived from All India Consumer Price Index for Whole Sale Commodities OR Notification issued by the office of CPWD for 'Cost Index' in that Region where the project is being executed with applicable escalation derived from All India Consumer Price Index for Whole Sale Commodities, whichever is less.
 - c) Item rates are to be worked out on the basis of market rates prevailing on the date of execution mutually agreed between BHEL and Contractor.
 - ii) PVC and ORC will not be applicable for (i) above.

2.16 SUPPLEMENTARY ITEMS

2.16.1 For NON Civil Works

Supplementary items are items/works required for completion of entire work but not specified in the scope of work. Subject to certification of such items/works as supplementary items by BHEL Engineer, rates shall be derived on the basis of any one of the following on mutual agreement:

- i) Based on percentage breakup/rates indicated for similar/nearby items.
- ii) In case (i) above does not exist, then BHEL/site may derive the percentage breakup/rates to suit the type of work.

2.16.2 For Civil Works

- i) Rates for Supplementary Works/Additional Works arising out due to additions/alterations in the original scope of works as per contract subject to certification of BHEL Engineer shall be worked out as under:
- a) Item rates which are available in existing BOQ (Rate Schedule) shall be operated with applicable escalation derived from All India Consumer Price Index for Whole Sale Commodities
- b) Items of works which are not available in existing BOQ shall be operated as an 'Extra Works' and rate shall be derived as per clause no 2.15.7
- ii) Execution of Supplementary Works/Additional Works through the Contractor shall be at the sole discretion of BHEL, and shall be considered as part of executed contract value for the purpose of Quantity Variation as per clause 2.14
- iii) BHEL Engineer's decision regarding fixing the rate as above is final and binding on the contractor.
- iv) PVC and ORC will not be applicable for (i) above.

2.17 PRICE VARIATION COMPENSATION – Not Applicable

2.18 INSURANCE

- 2.18.1 BHEL/their customer shall arrange for insuring the materials/properties of BHEL/customer covering the risks during transit, storage, erection and commissioning.
- 2.18.2 It is the sole responsibility of the contractor to insure his materials, equipment, workmen etc. against accidents and injury while at work and to pay compensation, if any, to workmen as per Workmen's compensation Act. The work will be carried out in a protected area and all the rules and regulations of the client /BHEL in the area of project which are in force from time to time will have to be followed by the contractor.
- 2.18.3 If due to negligence and or non-observation of safety and other precautions by the contractors, any accident/injury occurs to the property / manpower belong to third party, the contractor shall have to pay necessary compensation and other expense, if so decided by the appropriate authorities.
- 2.18.4 The contractor will take necessary precautions and due care to protect the material, while in his custody from any damage/ loss due to theft or otherwise till the same is taken over by BHEL or customer. For lodging / processing of insurance claim, the contractor will submit necessary documents. BHEL will recover the loss including the deductible franchise from the contractor, in case the damage / loss is due to carelessness / negligence on the part of the contractor. In case of any theft of material under contractor's custody, matter shall be reported to Police by the contractor immediately and copy of FIR and subsequently police investigation report shall be submitted to BHEL for taking up with insurance. However, this will not relieve the contractor of his contractual obligation for the material in his custody.

2.19 STRIKES & LOCKOUT

- 2.19.1 The contractor will be fully responsible for all disputes and other issues connected with his labour. In the event of the contractor's labour resorting to strike or the Contractor resorting to lockout and if the strike or lockout declared is not settled within a period of one month, BHEL shall have the right to get the work executed through any other agencies at risk and cost of contractor under Clause
- 2.19.2 For all purposes whatsoever, the employees of the contractor shall not be deemed to be in the employment of BHEL.

2.20 FORCE MAJEURE

- 2.20.1 "Force Majeure" shall mean circumstance which is: a) beyond a party's control, b) The party could not reasonably have provided against before entering into the contract, c) Having arisen, such party could not reasonably have avoided or overcome, and d) Is not substantially attributable to the other party. Such circumstances include but not limited to
 - i) Exceptionally adverse climatic conditions at the site which are unforeseeable having regard to climate data available or published in the country for the geographical location of the site.
 - ii) War, hostilities (whether war be declared or not), invasion, act of foreign enemies.
 - iii) Rebellion, terrorism, revolution, insurrection, military or usurped power, or civil war.
 - iv) Riot, commotion or disorder by persons other than the contractor's personnel and other employees of the contractor and sub-contractors.
 - v) Strike or lockout not solely involving the contractor's personnel and other employees of the contractor and sub-contractors.
 - vi) Encountering munitions of war, explosive materials, ionizing radiation or contamination by radioactivity, except as may be attributable to the contractor's use of such munitions, explosives, radiation or radio- activity.
 - vii) Natural catastrophes such as earthquake, tsunami, volcanic activity, hurricane or typhoon, flood, fire, cyclones etc.
- 2.20.2 The following events are explicitly excluded from Force Majeure and are solely the responsibilities of the non-performing party: a) any strike, work-to-rule action, go-slow or similar labour difficulty (b) late delivery of equipment or material (unless caused by Force Majeure event) and (c) economic hardship.
- 2.20.3 If either party is prevented, hindered or delayed from or in performing any of its obligations under the Contract by an event of Force Majeure, then it shall notify the other in writing of the occurrence of such event and the circumstances thereof within 15 (fifteen) days after the occurrence of such event
- 2.20.4 The party who has given such notice shall be excused from the performance or punctual performance of its obligations under the Contract for so long as the relevant event of Force Majeure continues and to the extent that such party's performance is prevented, hindered or delayed. The Time for Completion shall be extended by a period of time equal to period of delay caused due to such Force Majeure event.
- 2.20.5 Delay or non-performance by either party hereto caused by the occurrence of any event of Force Majeure shall not
 - i) Constitute a default or breach of the Contract.
 - ii) Give rise to any claim for damages or additional cost expense occasioned thereby, if and to the extent that such delay or non-performance is caused by the occurrence of an event of Force Majeure.
- 2.20.6 BHEL at its discretion may consider short closure of contract after 1 year of imposition of Force Majeure in line with extant guidelines. In any case, Contractor cannot consider deemed shortclosure after 1 year of imposition of Force Majeure.

2.21 ARBITRATION & CONCILIATION

2.21.1 ARBITRATION:

2.21.1.1 Except as provided elsewhere in this Contract, in case Parties are unable to reach amicable settlement (whether by Conciliation to be conducted as provided in Clause 2.21.2 herein below or

otherwise) in respect of any dispute or difference; arising out of the formation, breach, termination, validity or execution of the Contract; or, the respective rights and liabilities of the Parties; or, in relation to interpretation of any provision of the Contract; or. in any manner touching upon the Contract (hereinafter referred to as the 'Dispute'), then, either Party may, commence arbitration in respect of such Dispute by issuance of a notice in terms of section 21 of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996 (hereinafter referred to as the 'Notice'). The Notice shall be addressed to the Head of the Power Sector Region issuing the Contract and shall contain the particulars of all claims to be referred to arbitration in sufficient detail and shall also indicate the monetary amount of such claim. Within 60 days of receipt of the complete Notice, the Head of the BHEL Power Sector Region issuing the Contract shall offer names of three proposed Arbitrators to the invoking Party advising to choose any one of the three names to be appointed as Sole Arbitrator. On getting confirmation from the invoking Party regarding the Arbitrator chosen from among the names so offered, the Head of the BHEL Power Sector Region issuing the Contract, shall appoint such chosen person as the Sole Arbitrator for conducting the arbitration. The language of arbitration shall be English.

The Arbitrator shall pass a reasoned award.

Subject as aforesaid, the provisions of Arbitration and Conciliation Act 1996 (India) or statutory modifications or re-enactments thereof and the rules made thereunder as in force from time to time shall apply to the arbitration proceedings under this clause. The seat of arbitration shall be Chennai (the place from where the contract is Issued). The Contract shall be governed by and be construed as per provisions of the laws of India. Subject to this provision 2.21.1.1 regarding ARBITRATION, the principal civil court exercising ordinary civil jurisdiction over the area where the seat of arbitration is located shall have exclusive jurisdiction over any DISPUTE to the exclusion of any other court.

2.21.1.2 In case of Contract with Public Sector Enterprise (PSE) or a Government Department, the following shall be applicable:

In the event of any dispute or difference relating to the interpretation and application of the provisions of commercial contract(s) between Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs)/ Port Trusts inter se and also between CPSEs and Government Departments/Organizations (excluding disputes concerning Railways, Income Tax, Customs & Excise Departments), such dispute or difference shall be taken up by either party for resolution through AMRCD (Administrative Mechanism for Resolution of CPSEs Disputes) as mentioned in DPE OM No. 4(1)/2013-DPE(GM)/FTS-1835 dated 22-05-2018 as amended from time to time.

- 2.21.1.3 The cost of arbitration shall initially be borne equally by the Parties subject to the final allocation thereof as per the award/order passed by the Arbitrator.
- 2.21.1.4 Notwithstanding the existence of any dispute or differences and/or reference for the arbitration, the Contractor shall proceed with and continue without hindrance the performance of its obligations under this Contract with due diligence and expedition in a professional manner unless the dispute inter-alia relates to cancellation, termination or short-closure of the Contract by BHEL.

2.21.2 **CONCILIATION**:

If at any time (whether before, during or after the arbitral or judicial proceedings), any Disputes (which term shall mean and include any dispute, difference, question or disagreement arising in connection with construction, meaning, operation, effect, interpretation or breach of the

agreement, contract), which the Parties are unable to settle mutually, arise inter-se the Parties, the same may, be referred by either party to Conciliation to be conducted through Independent Experts Committee (IEC) to be appointed by competent authority of BHEL from the BHEL Panel of Conciliators.

Notes:

- 1. No serving or a retired employee of BHEL/Administrative Ministry of BHEL shall be included in the BHEL Panel of Conciliators.
- 2. Any other person(s) can be appointed as Conciliator(s) who is/are mutually agreeable to both the parties from outside the BHEL Panel of Conciliators.

The proceedings of Conciliation shall broadly be governed by Part-III of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act 1996 or any statutory modification thereof and as provided in Procedure 2.3 to this GCC. The Procedure 2.3 together with its Formats will be treated as if the same is part and parcel hereof and shall be as effectual as if set out herein in this GCC.

The Contractor hereby agrees that BHEL may make any amendments or modifications to the provisions stipulated in the Procedure 2.3 to this GCC from time to time and confirms that it shall be bound by such amended or modified provisions of the Procedure 2.3 with effect from the date as intimated by BHEL to it.

2.21.3 No Interest payable to Contractor

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any other document comprising in the Contract, no interest shall be payable by BHEL to Contractor on any moneys or balances including but not limited to the Security Deposit, EMD, Retention Money, RA Bills or the Final Bill, or any amount withheld and/or appropriated by BHEL etc., which becomes or as the case may be, is adjudged to be due from BHEL to Contractor whether under the Contract or otherwise.

2.22 RETENTION AMOUNT

- 2.22.1 Retention Amount shall be 5% of executed contract value and shall be recovered at the rate of 5% from each Running Bill admitted, including PVC Bills. Alternatively, BG, in line with clause 1.12 of GCC, equivalent to 5% of Contract Value against Retention Amount can also be submitted before payment of first RA Bill. The validity of the said BG shall be initially for the contract period & shall be extended, if so required, up to acceptance of final bill. In case of increase in contract value, additional BG for 5% of differential amount shall be submitted by Contractor before payment of next RA Bill due. In case, contractor opts cash deduction from RA bills in the beginning & subsequently offers to submit BG later on, then refund of deducted retention amount may be permitted against submission of equivalent BG only once during the contract period.
- 2.22.2 Refund of retention amount shall be as follows:

100% of Retention Amount/ BG against Retention Amount shall be released along with Final Bill after deduction all expenses/ other amounts due to BHEL under the contract/ other contracts entered into with them (contractor) by BHEL.

2.23 PAYMENTS

Payments to Contractors are made in any one of the following forms: -

2.23.1 Running Account Bills (RA Bills)

- i) These are for interim payments when the contracts are in progress. The bills for such interim payments are to be prepared by Contractor in prescribed formats (RA Bill forms).
- ii) Payments shall be made according to the extent of work done as per measurements taken up to the end of the calendar month and in line with the terms of payments described in the Tender documents.
- iii) Recoveries on account of electricity, water, statutory deductions etc. are made as per terms of contract.
- Full rates for the work done shall be allowed only if the quantum of work has been done as per the specifications stipulated in the contract. If the work is not executed as per the stipulated specifications, BHEL may ask the contractor to redo the work according to the required specifications, without any extra cost. However, where this is not considered necessary 'OR' where the part work is done due to factors like non-availability of material to be supplied by BHEL 'OR' non availability of fronts 'OR' non availability of drawings, fraction payment against full rate, as is considered reasonable, may be allowed with due regard for the work remaining to be done. BHEL decision in this regard will be final and binding on the contractor.
- v) In order to facilitate part payment, BHEL at its discretion may further split the contracted rates/percentages to suit site conditions, cash flow requirements according to the progress of work, subject to following:
 - a) Provided no 'part' payment is recommended till 25% of work in the item rate is executed.
 - b) Payment of item rate to be made in not more than three instalments, last stage payment to be not lower than 20% of the item rate.

2.23.2 Final Bill

Final Bill' is used for final payment on closing of Running Account for works or for single payment after completion of works. 'Final Bill' shall be submitted as per prescribed format after completion of works as per scope and upon material reconciliation, along with the following:

- i) 'No Claim Certificate' by Contractor
- ii) Clearance certificates where ever applicable viz. Clearance Certificates from Customer, various Statutory Authorities like Labour department, PF Authorities, Commercial Tax Department etc.
- iii) Indemnity Bond as per prescribed format.

BHEL shall settle the final bills after deducting all liabilities of Contractor to BHEL.

2.24 PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE FOR WORKMANSHIP

- 2.24.1 Even though the work will be carried out under the supervision of BHEL Engineers the Contractor will be responsible for the quality of the workmanship and shall guarantee the work done for a period of Twelve months from the date of commencement of guarantee period as defined in Technical Conditions of Contract, for good workmanship and shall rectify free of cost all defects due to faulty erection detected during the guarantee period. In the event of the Contractor failing to repair the defective works within the time specified by the Engineer, BHEL may proceed to undertake the repairs of such defective works at the Contractor's risk and cost, without prejudice to any other rights and recover the same from the Security Deposit.
- 2.24.2 BHEL shall release the Security Deposit subject to the following
 - i) Contractor has submitted 'Final Bill'
 - ii) Guarantee period as per contract has expired
 - iii) Contractor has furnished 'No Claim Certificate' in specified format
 - iv) BHEL Site Engineer/Construction Manager has furnished the 'No Demand Certificate' in specified

format

v) Contractor has carried out the works required to be carried out by him during the period of Guarantee and all expenses incurred by BHEL on carrying out such works is included for adjustment from the Security Deposit refundable.

2.25 CLOSING OF CONTRACTS

The Contract shall be considered completed and closed upon completion of contractual obligations and settlement of Final Bill or completion of Guarantee period whichever is later. Upon closing of Contract, BHEL shall issue a performance/ experience certificate as per standard format, based on specific request of Contractor as per extant BHEL guidelines.

2.26 SUSPENSION OF BUSINESS DEALINGS

BHEL reserves the right to take action against Contractors who either fail to perform or Tenderers/Contractor who indulge in malpractices, by suspending business dealings with them in line with BHEL guidelines issued from time to time.

2.27 LIMITATION ON LIABILITY:

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement or the Work Order or any other mutually agreed document between the parties, the maximum liability, for damages, of the contractor, its servants or agents, shall under no circumstances exceed an amount equal to the Price of the Agreement or the Work Order. The Supplier shall not in any case be liable for loss of profit or special, punitive, exemplary, indirect or consequential losses whatsoever. This shall not be applicable on the recoveries arising out of Risk and Cost, recoveries made by Customer from BHEL on account of Contractor, any other type of recoveries for workmanship, material, T&P etc. due from the contractor.

2.28 OTHER ISSUES

- 2.28.1 Value of Non judicial Stamp Paper for Bank Guarantees and for Contract Agreement shall be not less than Rs 100/- unless otherwise required under relevant statutes.
- 2.28.2 In case of any conflict between the General Conditions of Contract and Special Conditions of Contract, provisions contained in the Special Conditions of Contract shall prevail.
- 2.28.3 Unless otherwise specified in NIT, offers from consortium/ JVs shall not be considered.
- 2.28.4 BHEL may not insist for signing of Contract Agreements in respect of low value and short time period contracts like providing services for Hot water flushing, Chemical Cleaning, Transportation, Geo-Technical works, Hiring of T&Ps/ Vehicles/ Equipments etc. and work shall be executed as per the terms of LOI/LOA/Work Order. BHEL may not insist for signing of Contract Agreements in respect of works costing upto Rs. 2 lakhs (upto Rs. 5 lakhs in case scheduled completion period is not more than 3 months).

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OFFER FORWARDING LETTER / TENDER SUBMISSION LETTER

Form No: F-01

OFFER FORWARDING LETTER / TENDER SUBMISSION LETTER

(To be typed and submitted in the Letter Head of the Company / Firm of Bidder)

Offer Reference No:
(Write Name & Address of Officer of BHEL inviting the Tender) Dear Sir, Sub: Submission of Offer against Tender Specification No:
Dear Sir, Sub : Submission of Offer against Tender Specification No:
Sub : Submission of Offer against Tender Specification No:
I / We hereby offer to carry out the work detailed in the Tender Specification issued
by Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited, Power Sector - Southern Region. Chennai, in accordance with the terms and conditions thereof.
I/We have carefully perused the following listed documents connected with the above work and agree to abide by the same.
 Amendments/Clarifications/Corrigenda/Errata/etc issued in respect of the Tender documents by BHEL Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) Price Bid Technical Conditions of Contract General Conditions of Contract Forms and Procedures
Should our Offer be accepted by BHEL for Award, I/we further agree to furnish 'Security Deposit' for the work as provided for in the Tender Conditions within the stipulated time as may be indicated by BHEL.
I / We further agree to execute all the works referred to in the said Tender documents upon the terms and conditions contained or referred to therein and as detailed in the appendices annexed thereto.
I/We have deposited/depositing herewith the requisite Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) as per details furnished in the Check List.
Authorised Representative of Bidder
Signature :
Name :
Address : Place:
Date:

DECLARATION BY AUTHORISED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER

Form No: F-02 (Rev 00)

DECLARATION BY AUTHORISED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER

(To be typed and submitted in the Letter Head of the Company/Firm of Bidder)
To,
(Write Name & Address of Officer of BHEL inviting the Tender)
Dear Sir,
Sub: Declaration by Authorised Signatory Ref: 1) NIT/Tender Specification No:, 2) All other pertinent issues till date
I/We, hereby certify that all the information and data furnished by me with regard to the above Tender Specification are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I have gone through the specifications, conditions, stipulations and all other pertinent issues till date, and agree to comply with the requirements and Intent of the specification.
I further certify that I am authorised to represent on behalf of my Company/Firm for the above mentioned tender and a valid Power of Attorney to this effect is also enclosed.
Yours faithfully,
(Signature, Date & Seal of Authorized Signatory of the Bidder)
Date:
Enclosed : Power of Attorney

NO DEVIATION CERTIFICATE

(To be typed and submitted in the Letter Head of the Company/Firm of Bidder)

To, (Write Name & Address of Officer of BHEL inviting the Tender)

Dear Sir,

Sub: No Deviation Certificate

Ref: 1) NIT/Tender Specification No:.....,

2) All other pertinent issues till date

We hereby confirm that we have not changed / modified / materially altered any of the tender documents as downloaded from the website/ issued by BHEL and in case of such observance at any stage, it shall be treated as null and void.

We also hereby confirm that we have neither set any Terms and Conditions and nor have we taken any deviation from the Tender conditions together with other references applicable for the above referred NIT/Tender Specification.

We further confirm our unqualified acceptance to all Terms and Conditions, unqualified compliance to Tender Conditions and opening of price bid submitted in the E-tendering portal https://eprocurebhel.co.in.

We confirm to have submitted offer in accordance with tender instructions and as per aforesaid references.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

(Signature, date & seal of authorized representative of the bidder)

DECLARATION CONFIRMING KNOWLEDGE ABOUT SITE CONDITIONS

Form No: F-04 (Rev 00)

DECLARATION CONFIRMING KNOWLEDGE ABOUT SITE CONDITIONS (To be typed and submitted in the Letter Head of the Company / Firm of Bidder) To, (Write Name & Address of Officer of BHEL inviting the Tender) Dear Sir, Sub: Declaration confirming knowledge about Site conditions Ref: 1) NIT/Tender Specification No: 2) All other pertinent issues till date I / We. hereby declare confirm that we have visited the Project Site as referred in BHEL Tender Specifications and acquired full knowledge and information about the Site conditions including Wage structure, Industrial Climate, the Law & Order and other conditions prevalent at and around the Site. We further confirm that the above information is true and correct and we shall not raise any claim of any nature due to lack of knowledge of Site conditions. I/We, hereby offer to carry out work as detailed in above mentioned Tender Specification, in accordance with Terms & Conditions thereof. Yours faithfully, (Signature, Date & Seal of Authorized Representative of the Bidder) Date:

Place:

DECLARATION FOR RELATION IN BHEL

Form No: F-05 (Rev 00)

DECLARATION FOR RELATION IN BHEL

(To be typed and submitted in the Letter Head of the Company/Firm of Bidder failing which the offer of Bidder is liable to be summarily rejected)

To.

(Write Name & Address of Officer of BHEL inviting the Tender)

Dear Sir,

Sub: Declaration for relation in BHEL

Ref: 1) NIT/Tender Specification No:

I/We hereby submit the following information pertaining to relation/relatives of Proprieter/Partner(s)/Director(s) employed in BHEL

Tick($\sqrt{}$) any one as applicable:

 The Proprieter, Partner(s), Director(s) of our Company/Firm DO NOT have any relation or relatives employed in BHEL

OH

- 2. The Proprieter, Partner(s), or Director(s) of our Company / Firm HAVE relation / relatives employed in BHEL and their particulars are as below:
 - (i)

(ii)

Signature of the Authorised Signatory

Note:

- 1. Attach separate sheet, if necessary.
- 2. If BHEL Management comes to know at a later date that the information furnished by the Bidder is false, BHEL reserves the right to take suitable against the Bidder / Contractor.

NON DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE

Form No: F-06 (Rev 00)

NON DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE

(To be typed and submitted in the Letter Head of the Company/Firm of Bidder)

NON DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE
I/We understand that BHEL PSSR is committed to Information Security Management System as per their Information Security Policy.
Hence, I/We M/s
To maintain confidentiality of documents & information which shall be used during the execution of the Contract.
The documents & information shall not be revealed to or shared with third party which shall not be in the business interest of BHEL PSSR.
(Signature, date & seal of Authorized Signatory of the bidder)
Date:

FORMS & PROCEDURES BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS FOR E-PAYMENT

Form No: F-07 (Rev 00)

BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS FOR E-PAYMENT

•	•		ny /Firm of Bidder, and ENDORSED
	IGNED & STAMPED) BY THE BANK ectronic Fund Transfer (EFT/RTGS)	to ena	able BHEL release payments through
1.	Beneficiary Name		:
2	Danafisiany Assayat No		
2.	Beneficiary Account No.		·
3.	Bank Name & Branch	:	
4.	City/Place :		
5.	9 digit M ICR Code of Bank Branch	:	
6.	IFSC Code of Bank Branch	:	
7	Beneficiary E-mail ID		
••	(for payment confirmation)	•	

NOTE: In case Bank endorsed certificate regarding above has already been submitted earlier, kindly submit photocopy of the same.

FORMAT FOR SEEKING CLARIFICATION

Form No: F-08 (Rev 00)

FORMAT FOR SEEKING CLARIFICATION

(To be typed and submitted in the Letter Head of the Company/Firm of Bidder)						
To,	To,					
(Write Name & Address of Officer of BHEL inviting the Tender)						
Dear	Dear Sir,					
Sub: Request for Clarification Ref: 1) NIT/Tender Specification No:, 2) All other pertinent issues till date						
SI no	Reference clause of Tender Document	Existing provision	Bidder's query	BHEL's clarification		
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no	of Tender Document	provision	Bidder's query	clarification
1				
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Yours faithfully,

(Signature, date & seal of Authorized Representative of the Bidder)

Form No: F-10 (Rev. 00)

BHARAT HEAVY ELECTRICALS LIMITED

(A Government of India Undertaking)
Power Sector – Southern Region
Chennai

CONTRACT AGREEMENT

AGREEMENT NO	
NAME OF WORK	
NAME OF THE CONTRACTOR WITH FULL ADDRESS	
VALUE OF WORK AWARDED	
LETTER OF INTENT NO.	
TIME ALLOTTED FOR COMPLETING THE WORK (DATE OF COMPLETION)	
SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR	(SIGNATURE OF BHEL OFFICER)
CONTR	RACT AGREEMENT
BHARAT HEAVY ELECTRICALS L Company incorporated under the	DAY OF between IMITED (A Government of India Enterprise) a Companies Act, 1956, having its Registered w Delhi- 110049 (herein after called BHEL) of
M/S	AND
	tractor') of the SECOND PART.

	IEREAS M/sstate they have acquired and possess extensive experience in the field of And			
Whereas in response to an Invitation to Tender No issued by BHEL for execution of the contractor submitted their offer Nodateddated				
And	d whereas BHEL has accepted the offer of the Contractor on terms and iditions specified in the Letter of Intent Nodatedead with the references cited therein.			
	S AGREEMENT WITNESSES AND it is hereby agreed by and between the ties as follows:			
1.	That the contractor shall execute the work ofand more particularly described in Tender Specification Noincluding Drawings and Specifications (hereinafter called the said works) in accordance with and subject to terms and conditions contained in these presents, instructions to Tenderers, General Conditions of Contract, Special Conditions, Annexures, Letter of Intent datedand such other instructions, Drawings, Specifications given to him from time to time by BHEL.			
2.	The Contractor is required to furnish to BHEL Security deposit in the form of cash/ approved securities/ Bank Guarantee valid upto for a sum of Rs towards satisfactory performance and completion of the Contract.			
3.	The Contractor has furnished a Bank Guarantee bearing nodatedfor a sum of Rsexecuted byin favour of BHEL towards Security Deposit valid upto			
	The Contractor has furnished to BHEL an initial Security Deposit of Rs the form of cash / approved Securities/ B.G No dated for Rs			
	OR			
	The contractor has furnished to BHEL an initial Security Deposit of Rs			
4.	The Contractor hereby agrees to extend the validity of the Bank Guarantee for such further period or periods as may be required by BHEL and if the Contractor fails to obtain such extension(s) from the Bank, the Contractor, shall pay forthwith or accept recovery of Rs from the bills in one			

installment and the contractor further agrees that failure to extend the validity of the Bank Guarantee or failure to pay the aforesaid amount in the manner specified above shall constitute breach of contract. In addition to above, BHEL shall be entitled to take such action as deemed fit and proper for recovering the said sum of Rs.------

OR

In case the contractor furnishes the bank guarantee at a later date the contractor hereby agrees to extend the validity of bank guarantee for such further period or periods as may be required by BHEL and if the contractor fails to obtain such extension(s) from the bank, the contractor shall pay forthwith or accept recovery of the amount of bank guarantee given in lieu of security deposit from the bills in one installment and the contractor further agrees that failure to extend the validity of bank guarantee or failure to pay the aforesaid amount in the manner specified above shall constitute breach of contract. In addition to above, BHEL shall be entitled to take such action as deemed fit and proper for recovering the said sum.

- 5. That in consideration of the payments to be made to the Contractor by BHEL in accordance with this Agreement the Contractor hereby covenants and undertakes with BHEL that they shall execute, construct, complete the works in conformity, in all respects, with the terms and conditions specified in this Agreement and the documents governing the same.
- 6. That the Contractor shall be deemed to have carefully examined this Agreement and the documents governing the same and also to have satisfied himself as to the nature and character of the Works to be executed by him.
- 7. That the Contractor shall carry out and complete the execution of the said works to the entire satisfaction of the Engineer or such other officer authorised by BHEL, within the agreed time schedule, the time of completion being the essence of the Contract.
- 8. That BHEL shall, after proper scrutiny of the bills submitted by the Contractor, pay to him during the progress of the said works such sum as determined by BHEL in accordance with this Agreement.
- 9. That this Agreement shall be deemed to have come into force from ------ the date on which the letter of intent has been issued to the Contractor.
- 10. That whenever under this contract or otherwise, any sum of money shall be recoverable from or payable by the Contractor, the same may be deducted in the manner as set out in the General Conditions of Contract or other conditions governing this Agreement.
- 11. That all charges on account of Octroi, Terminal and other taxes including sales tax or other duties on material obtained for execution of the said works shall be borne and paid by the Contractor.

- 12. That BHEL shall be entitled to deduct from the Contractor's running bills or otherwise Income Tax under Section 194 (C) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.
- 13. That BHEL shall be further entitled to recover from the running bills of the Contractor or otherwise such sum as may be determined by BHEL from time to time in respect of consumables supplied by BHEL, hire charges for tools and plants issued (Where applicable) and any other dues owed by the Contractor.
- 14. That it is hereby agreed by and between the parties that non- exercise, forbearance or omission of any of the powers conferred on BHEL and /or any of its authorities will not in any manner constitute waiver of the conditions hereto contained in these presents and the liability of the Contractor with respect to compensation payable to BHEL or Contractor's obligations shall remain unaffected.
- 15. It is clearly understood by and between the parties that in the event of any conflict between the Letter of Intent and other documents governing this Agreement, the provisions in the Letter of Intent shall prevail.

10. The fellowing decamente		
Invitation to Tender Nodocuments specified therein.		and the
2. Contractor's Offer No	dated	
3		_
4		_
5		_
6. Letter of Intent No		
7	shall	also
form part of and govern this Agreement.		
IN WITNESS HEREOF, the parties hereto hapresence of	ive respectively set their sign	atures in the
WITNESS	(CONTRACTOR)	
1.	(to be signed by a person a valid Power of Attorn	_
1.	a valid Fower of Attorn	ey)
2.		
WITNESS 1.	(For and on behalf of BHE	EL)

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2.

The following documents

PROFORMA OF BANK GUARANTEE (in lieu of SECURITY DEPOSIT)

(On non-Judicial paper of appropriate value) (Para 4.7.6 of Works Accounts Manual)

	Bank Guarantee No
	Date
To (Employer's Name and Address)	
In consideration of Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (hereinafter reference expression shall unless repugnant to the context or meaning there permitted assigns) incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956 and BHEL House, Siri Fort, Asiad, New Delhi – 110049 through its unit at B Power Sector Southern Region, Tek Towers, No.11, Old Mahabalipuran Chennai - 600097 having agreed to exempt	eof, include its successors and d having its registered office at Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited, in Road, Okkiyam Thoraipakkam,
Contractor / Supplier) with its registered office at² (hereina	
which term includes supplier), from demand under the terms and co	onditions of the Contract arising
vide Letter of Intent (LOI) reference No	dated ³ valued
at Rs4 (Rupees	_ only) ⁴ (hereinafter called the
said Contract), of Security Deposit for the due fulfilment by the sai	id Contractor of the terms and
conditions contained in the said Contract, on production of a Bank G	uarantee for Rs5
(Rupees only),	
We, the	g our Head Office at Bank), at the request of intor under this Guarantee, do inmediately pay to the Employer,
an amount not exceeding Rs without any demur, in Employer and without any reservation, protest, and recourse and with prove or demonstrate reasons for its such demand	
Any such demand made on the bank, shall be conclusive as regards the Bank under this guarantee. However, our liability under this guarantee amount not exceeding Rs5.	
We undertake to pay to the Employer any money so demanded r disputes raised by the Contractor(s) in any suit or proceeding pending Arbitrator or any other authority, our liability under this present be	before any Court or Tribunal or
The payment so made by us under this guarantee shall be a valid disch hereunder and the Contractor(s) shall have no claim against us for ma	
We, further agree that the guarantee herein contained shall remain in period that would be taken for the performance of the said Contract enforceable till all the dues of the Employer under or by virtue of the paid and its claims satisfied & the Employer certifies that the terms and have been fully and properly carried out by the said contractor(s) of discharge of this guarantee by the Employer, whichever is earlier. This in force upto and including6 and shall be extended from time	and that it shall continue to be be said Contract have been fully d conditions of the said Contract or acceptance of the final bill or s guarantee shall initially remain

on or before the
We,(indicate the name of the Bank) further agree with the Employer that the Employer shall have the fullest liberty without our consent and without affecting in any manner our obligations hereunder to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said Contract or to extend time of performance by the said contractor(s) from time to time or to postpone for any time or from time to time any of the powers exercisable by the Employer against the said contractor(s) and to forbear or enforce any of the terms and conditions relating to the said Contract and we shall not be relieved from our liability by any reason of any such variation or extension being granted to the said contractor(s) or for any forbearance, act or omission on the part of the Employer or any indulgence by the Employer to the said contractor(s) or by any such matter or thing whatsoever which under the law relating to sureties would but for this provision have effect of so relieving us.
The Bank also agrees that the Employer at its option shall be entitled to enforce this Guarantee against the Bank as a principal debtor, in the first instance without proceeding against the Contractor and notwithstanding any security or other guarantee that the Employer may have in relation to the Contractor's liabilities.
This Guarantee shall not be determined or affected by liquidation or winding up, dissolution or change of constitution or insolvency of the Contractor but shall in all respects and for all purposes be binding and operative until payment of all money payable to the Employer in terms thereof. This guarantee will not be discharged due to the change in the constitution of the Bank or the Contractor(s).
We, BANK lastly undertake not to revoke this guarantee during its currency except with the previous consent of the Employer in writing. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained hereinabove:
a) The liability of the Bank under this Guarantee shall not exceed
b) This Guarantee shall be valid up to
We, Bank, have power to issue this Guarantee under law and the undersigned as a duly authorized person has full powers to sign this Guarantee on behalf of the Bank.
Date Day of for (indicate the name of the Bank)
(Signature of Authorised signatory)
 NAME OF VENDOR /CONTRACTOR / SUPPLIER REGISTERED OFFICE ADDRESS OF THE VENDOR /CONTRACTOR / SUPPLIER. LETTER OF INTENT(LOI) REFERENCE NO. WITH DATE CONTRACT VALUE (AS MENTIONED IN LOI) BG AMOUNT IN FIGURES AND WORDS VALIDITY DATE DATE OF EXPIRY OF CLAIM PERIOD (CLAIM PERIOD SHALL BE MINIMUM OF 3 MONTHS AFTER VALIDITY DATE)

Note:

- 1. The BG should be on Non-Judicial Stamp paper/e-stamp paper of appropriate value as per Stamp Act prevailing in the State(s) where the BG is submitted or is to be acted upon or the rate prevailing in the State where the BG was executed, whichever is higher. The Stamp Paper/e-stamp paper shall be purchased in the name of Vendor/Contractor/Supplier /Bank issuing the guarantee.
- 2. In Case of Bank Guarantees submitted by Foreign Vendors
 - a. From Nationalized/Public Sector / Private Sector/ Foreign Banks (BG issued by Branches in India) can be accepted subject to the condition that the Bank Guarantee should be enforceable in the town/city or at nearest branch where the Unit is located i.e. Demand can be presented at the Branch located in the town/city or at nearest branch where the Unit is located.
 - b. From Foreign Banks (wherein Foreign Vendors intend to provide BG from local branch of the Vendor Country's Bank)
 - b.1 In such cases, in the Tender Enquiry/ Contract itself, it may be clearly specified that Bank Guarantee issued by any of the Consortium Banks only will be accepted by BHEL. As such, Foreign Vendor needs to make necessary arrangements for issuance of Counter- Guarantee by Foreign Bank in favour of the Indian Bank's (BHEL's Consortium Bank) branch in India. It is advisable that all charges for issuance of Bank Guarantee/ counter- Guarantee should be borne by the Foreign Vendor. The tender stipulation should clearly specify these requirements.
 - b.2 In case, Foreign Vendors intend to provide BG from Overseas Branch of our Consortium Bank (e.g. if a BG is to be issued by SBI Frankfurt), the same is acceptable. However, the procedure at sl.no. b.1 will required to be followed.
 - b.3 The BG issued may preferably be subject to Uniform Rules for Demand Guarantees (URDG) 758 (as amended from time to time).

FORMS & PROCEDURES FORM for EXTENSION OF VALIDITY OF BANK GUARANTEE

Form No: F-13 (Rev 00)

FORM for EXTENSION OF VALIDITY OF BANK GUARANTEE

- 1. To be typed on non judicial Stamp Papers of value as applicable in the State of India from where the BG has been issued or the State of India where the BG shall be operated
- 2. The non judicial stamp papers shall be purchased in the name of the Party on whose behalf the BG is being issued or the BG issuing Bank

BANK GUARANTEE No: Date:
То
(Write Designation and Address of Officer of BHEL inviting the Tender)
Dear Sir
Sub: Validity of Bank Guarantee No:
At the request of M/s, we Bank, having its branch Office at
Except as provided above, all other terms and conditions of the Original Bank Guarantee No
Kindly treat this extension as an integral part of the original Bank Guarantee to which it would be attached.
Yours faithfully
Signature Name & Designation Power of Attorney / Signing Power No Seal of Bank



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Name of Project	Contract No.	
Name of Work	Name of Contractor	

PART- A: PLAN/ REVIEW OF WORK FOR THE MONTH OF

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Date	or Pian	/ Keview	

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SN.	Description of work	Unit of Measur ement	Unit Rate	(QTY Pla month as p	nnned for the per Part –C of month)	attril contrac	tive Shortfall butable to ctor upto last month er Note 1)	Ac	hieved	to BHE (as per C	attributable L w.r.t Plan ol. 3 of Part- D)	attril Contra	tive Shortfall butable to actor upto & ag this month	REMARKS (Reasons for Shortfall attributable to Contractor.
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)		A		В		C		D	E=A	A+B-C-D	Supporting documents to be kept as record.)
				Phy.	Financial	Phy.	Financial	Phy.	Financial	Phy.	Financial	Phy.	Financial	nope us 10001u.)
	Value of Other Items not mentioned above but planned to be executed in this month													
	Total				ΣΑ		ΣΒ		ΣC		ΣD		ΣΕ	

Note 1: In addition to the work planned as per Col. 'A', Contractor shall also make full efforts to minimize the 'Cumulative shortfall attributable to contractor upto the month' as mentioned in Col. 'B' by enhancing its resources, so as to achieve the completion of activities as per agreed schedule. In case contractor is not able to execute the entire shortfall, then BHEL 'Engineer in-charge', shall decide the priority of work to be executed and it shall be binding on the contractor.

Note 2: Percentage Shortfall attributable to contractor w.r.t. "Plan - Shortfall attributable to BHEL" for the month = $[(\Sigma E - \Sigma B)/(\Sigma A - \Sigma D)]x100$ In case, $(\Sigma E - \Sigma B)$ is negative, then it shall be treated as zero percent."

Note 3: Form 14 should include all items being planned in the current month, and all items against which shortfall was attributable to contractor till previous month. However, for practical reason, if it is not possible to mention some of the items in Form-14 being planned to be executed in this month, then also value of such items shall necessarily be included in calculation of Total Value.

Note 4: In case reason for shortfall attributable to contractor is w.r.t. T&P and Manpower, it should be in conformity with Part B1 and B2.



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Name of Project	Contract No.	
Name of Work	Name of Contractor	

PART – B-1: PLAN/REVIEW OF DEPLOYMENT OF MAJOR T&Ps FOR THE MONTH OF

Date of Plan/ Review

CONTRACTOR'S SCOPE:-

		PLAN			DEPLOYMENT STATUS				
SN.	SN. Major T&P to be deployed as per work planned for the month		Deployment Period (in days)	Weightage assigned to planned T&P (in fraction such that ΣC =1)	Actual Deployed Quantity	Actual Deployment Period (in days)	Weighted T&P Deployed	REMARKS (Works affected due to non-deployment of T&Ps)	
		A	В	С	D	Е	$F=(C \times D \times E) / (A \times B)$		

Note: In case, E>B, it shall be considered as E=B. Similarly, in case D>A, it shall be considered as D=A. Percentage of T&P Deployed = $\Sigma F \times 100$

BHEL SCOPE:-

	PLAN			DEPLOYMENT STATUS				
SN.	Major T&P to be deployed as per work planned for the month	QTY.	Deployment Period (in days)	Actual Deployed Quantity	Actual Deployment Period (in days)	REMARKS (Works affected due to non-deployment of T&Ps)		





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Name of Work Name of Contractor	

PART – B-2: PLAN/ REVIEW OF DEPLOYMENT OF MANPOWER FOR THE MONTH OF Date of Plan/ Review

CONTRACTOR'S SCOPE:-

SN.	Area of Work	Category of Labour	No. of Labour required as per category	Deployment Period (in days)	No. of Labour actually deployed	Actual Deployment Period (in days)	REMARKS (Works affected due to non-availability of labour)
			A	В	С	D	

Percentage of Manpower Deployed= $100 \times \Sigma(CxD)/\Sigma(AxB)$

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Name of Project	Contract No.	
Name of Work	Name of Contractor	

PART – C: PLAN(PHYSICAL) FOR THE NEXT MONTH i.e. Date of Plan

			Planned			T&Ps Required					REMARKS
SN.	Description of work Original Planned Quantity attri	Quantity 1 (excluding Unit of		Unit of Contractor Scope		BHEL Scope				(Reasons for	
		Planned	shortfalls attributable to contractor till date)	Measu-	Major T&P to be deployed as per work planned for the month	Quantity	Major T&P to be deployed as per work planned for the month	Quantity	Category of Labour	No. of Labour required as per Category	difference in Original Planned Quantity w.r.t. Planned quantity to be given)

Note 1: Planned quantity should be based on available/ expected fronts/ inputs in the next month

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Note 2: "Original Planned Quantity" shall be as per latest jointly agreed programme between BHEL and Contractor before commencement of work or at the time of latest Time Extension, as the case may be.





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Name of Project	Contract No.	
Name of Work	Name of Contractor	

PART - D: REASONS FOR SHORTFALL ATTRIBUTABLE TO BHEL IN RESPECT OF PLAN FOR THE MONTH

	Description of Work	ork Quantities Affected Reasons for Shortfall	Agency responsible for	Remarks				
SN.	(from Part-A)	Physical	Unit of Measu-	attributable to BHEL	reasons for shortfall	(Supporting Documents in respect of agency responsible)		
	,	Quantity	rement					
1	2	3		4	5	6		

Note1: Reasons for shortfall shall include non-availability of fronts/ drawings/ materials/ T&P (BHEL Scope)/ clearances etc. and other hindrances for which contractor is not responsible.

Note2: Agency responsible may be BHEL Site/ MUs/ Design Centre/ BHEL Customer etc.

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INDEMNITY BOND

Form No: F-21 (Rev 00)

INDEMNITY BOND

(To be executed on a Non Judicial Stamp Paper of the requisite value as per Stamp Duty prevalent in the respective State)

This Indemnity Bond executed by <name of company> having their Registered Office at <xxxxxxxxxxxx in favour of M/s Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited, a Company incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956, having its Registered Office at BHEL House, Siri Fort, Asiad, New Delhi - 110049 through its Unit at Power Sector- Southern Region, 690, Anna Salai, Nandhanam, Chennai-35, Tamilnadu. (Hereinafter referred to as the Company)

AND WHEREAS under the provisions of GCC further stipulates that the Contractor shall indemnify the Company against all claims of whatever nature arising during the course of execution of Contract including defects liability period of <xx Months > i.e till <xx xx xxxx>

Now this deed witness that in case the Company is made liable by any Authority including Court to pay any claim or compensation etc. in respect of all labourers or other matters at any stage under or relating to the Contract with the Contractor, the Contractor hereby covenants and agrees with the Company that they shall indemnify and reimburse the Company to the extent of such payments and for any fee, including litigation charges, lawyers' fees, etc, penalty or damages claimed against the Company by reason of the Contractor falling to comply with Central/States Laws, Rules etc, or his failure to comply with Contract (including all expenses and charges incurred by the Company).

INDEMNITY BOND

The Contractor further indemnifies the Company for the amount which the Company may be liable to pay by way of penalty for not making deductions from the Bills of the Contractor towards such amount and depositing the same in the Government Treasury.

The Contractor further agree that the Company shall be entitled to with hold and adjust the Security Deposit and/or with hold and adjust payment of Bills of Contractor pertaining to this Contract against any payment which the Company has made or is required to make for which the Contractor is liable under the Contract and that such amount can be withheld, adjusted by the Company till satisfactory and final settlement of all pending matters and the Contractor hereby gives his consent for the same.

The Contractor further agrees that the terms of indemnity shall survive the termination or completion of this contract.

The contractor further agrees that the liability of the contractor shall be extended on actual basis notwithstanding the limitations of liability clause, in respect of :

- 1. breach of terms of contract by the contractor
- 2. breach of laws by the contractor
- 3. breach of Intellectual property rights by the contractor
- 4. breach of confidentiality by the contractor

Nothing contained in this deed, shall be construed as absolving or limiting the liability of the Contractor under said Contract between the Company and the Contractor. That this Indemnity Bond is irrevocable and the condition of the bond is that the Contractor shall duly and punctually comply with the terms and the conditions of this deed and contractual provisions to the satisfaction of the Company.

In witness where of M/s xxxxxxxxxxxx these presents on the day, month and year first, above written at xxxxxxxx by the hand of its signatory Mr. xxxxxxxxxxx.

Witness:

1

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REFUND OF SECURITY DEPOSIT

Form No: F-23 (Rev 00)

REFUND OF SECURITY DEPOSIT

To, The Construction Manager BHEL Site Office,	
Dear Sir,	
Sub: Refund of Security Deposit Ref: Contract No:	
I / We have submitted Final Bill in respect of the above Contract/Work vide our letter dated In line with Tender conditions (GCC clause no 1.11), kindly refund the Security Deposit along with Final Bill payments.	
The details of Security Deposit are as below: 1. Cash Portion: 2. BG Portion:	
Thanking You	
Date: Authorised represe	entative of Contractor
To be filled up by BHEL	
 Security Deposit to be refunded: a. Cash Portion: b. BG Portion: Less a. Amount spent by BHEL on behalf of Contractor: b. Payments made by BHEL on behalf of Contractor: c. Other recoveries for Services etc d. Any other recoveries e. Total of 'a' to 'd': Net Amount to be released (1-2): Certified that a. The payment recommended for release is in order and there are no those included in the claim outstanding from the Contractor b. Contract Guarantee period of	
d. A note for refund of Security Deposit has been made in the Measurem Signature of BHEL Engineer Cor Date:	nstruction Manager

REFUND OF GUARANTEE MONEY

Form No: F-24 (Rev 00)

BHARAT HEAVY ELECTRICALS LIMITED POWER SECTOR, SOUTHERN REGION

REFUND OF GUARANTEE MONEY										
Ref	No	:	Date:							
	1.	Name and Address of Contractor								
	2.	Contract Agreement/LOI No	:							
	3.	Date of Contract Agreement/LOI	:							
	4.	Name of the Work undertaken								
	5.	Date of commencement of the Work	:							
	6.	Date of Completion of the Work	:							
	7.	Period of Maintenance (Guarantee Period)								
	8.	Date on which the Final Bill was paid								
	9.	Last date of making good the defect during Maintenance Period								
	10.	Expenditure incurred by BHEL during Maintenance Period, if any, recoverable								
	11.	Date on which Guarantee Money refund falls due as per Contract								
	12.	Amount of Guarantee Money to be refunded								
	13.	Less Amounts recoverable (with details) a. Amount spent by BHEL on maintenance b. Payments made by BHEL on behalf of Contractor: c. Court dues/penalties/compensation d. Other recoveries for Services, etc e. Total of 'a' to 'd'								

	Signature of BHEL Enginee
Date:	

14. Net Amount recommended for release (12-13)

REFUND OF GUARANTEE MONEY

CERTIFICATE TO BE FURNISHED BY THE CONTRACTOR

	o claim or demand outstanding against BHEL, for the or labour or material supplied or any other account arising out of or connected with the
	ment / LOI (No dated)
and the payme	ent of this bill shall be in full and final settlement of all my/our claims and demands eposits' of the Contract Agreement / LOI referred to.
Date:	Signature of Contractor
<u>CERTIFIC</u>	ATE TO BE FURNISHED BY SENIOR ENGINEER/CONSTRUCTION MANAGER
1. Certifie	d that
a.	The payment recommended for release is in order and there are no demands other than those included in the claim outstanding from the Contractor
b.	Maintenance period (Contract Guarantee period) is over and the Contractor has carried out the works required to be carried out by him during the period of maintenance (Guarantee) to our satisfaction, and all expenses incurred by the Company on carrying out such works have been included for adjustment
C.	All objections raised so far have been settled
d.	A note for refund of Guarantee Amount has been made in the Measurement Book and Contract Agreement / Work Order
Signature of Bh	HEL Engineer
Date:	Construction Manager
	FOR USE IN ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT
Passed for Rs_	(Rupees only)
Accountant	Accounts Officer
	ACKNOWLEDGE BY THE CONTRACTOR in full and final settlement of my / our claim
Date:	Signature of Contractor

FORMS & PROCEDURES POWER OF ATTORNEY for SUBMISSION OF TENDER / SIGNING CONTRACT AGREEMENT

Form No: F-25 (Rev 00)

POWER OF ATTORNEY for SUBMISSION OF TENDER / SIGNING CONTRACT AGREEMENT

(To be typ	oed on non judicial Stamp	Papers of appropriate	value as applicable and Notarised)
and appoint Mr true and lawful A 'Company', for sub and to do necessa Power Sector Sout Mahabalipuram Ro	ttorney of M/s mitting Tender/enterir ry lawful acts on beha hern Region, No 11, ⁻ ad,Chennai-97 in con	, whose signal ong into Contract and alf of Company with TEK Towers, Okkiya nection.with	nereby make, nominate, constitute ature given below herewith to be hereinafter called inter alia, sign, execute all papers M/s Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd, am Thoraipakkam, Old
	vide Tender		:
as may be lawfully name of the compa	done by the said att	orney and by or on owers conferred her	acts, deeds, things or proceedings behalf of the company and in the rein and the same shall be binding
	REOF the common sappearing on the doc		has been hereunto affixed in the
Dated at	, this	day of	
Director / CMD / Pa	artner / Proprietor		
		Si	gnature of Mr(Attorney)
Witness		Attested by:	Director/CMD/Partner/Proprietor
			Notary Public

FORMS & PROCEDURES ANALYSIS OF UNIT RATES QUOTED

Form No: F-26 (Rev 00)

ANALYSIS OF UNIT RATES QUOTED

(To be typed and submitted in the Letter Head of the Company/Firm of Bidder)

Offer Reference No: Date:
To,
(Write Name & Address of Officer of BHEL inviting the Tender)
Dear Sir,
Sub : Analysis of Unit Rates Quoted Ref : Tender Specification No:
Analysis of Unit Dates gueted by us in respect of above Tender is as detailed

Analysis of Unit Rates quoted by us in respect of above Tender is as detailed

SI. No.	DESCRIPTION	% OF QUOTED RATE	REMARKS
01	SITE FACILITIES VIZ., ELECTRICITY, WATER OTHER INFRASTRUCTURE.		
02	SALARY AND WAGES + RETRENCHMENT BENEFITS		
03	CONSUMABLES		
04	T&P DEPRECIATION & MAINTENANCE		
05	ESTABLISHMENT & ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES		
06	OVERHEADS		
07	PROFIT		
	TOTAL	100%	

Yours faithfully,

(Signature, Date & Seal of Authorized Representative of the Bidder)

FORMS & PROCEDURES RUNNING ACCOUNT BILL

Form WAM 6

BHARAT HEAVY ELECTRICALS LIMITED

DIVISION.....

Running Account Bill

(Para 4.31.1 of Works Accounts Manual)

Name of the Contractor:

Departmental Bill no:

Name of the Work:

Division:

Dated:

Sub-Division:

Date:

Sanctioned Estimate:

Date of written order to commence the work: Date of commencement of the Work:

Code No: Contract Agreement No:

Due date of completion as per Agreement:

1. ACCOUNT OF WORK EXECUTED

On account payment for work not previously previously measured**		Item No of	,		executed up to	Rate Unit	Unit	Jnit Payment on the basis of actual	Quantity since last running	Payment on the basis of actual measurement	Remarks
Total since As per runn Running accou Account bill bill	ing up to							measure- ment up to date	account bill	since last running account bill	
Rs. Rs.	Rs.					Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.	Rs. P.	
1 2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13

^{**1.} Whenever payment is made on 'on account' basis without actual measurements the amount in whole rupees should be entered in columns 1 to 3 only and not in columns 7 to 12.

^{2.} whenever there is an entry in column 12 on the basis of actual measurement, the whole of the amount previously paid without detailed measurement should be adjusted by a minus entry in column 2 equivalent to the amount shown in column 1, so that the total up to date in column 4 may become nil.

<u> </u>											Form WA	M 6 (contd)
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
					Total value of wo	ork done up	to date		(A)			
					Deduct value of v Running Accou		on the last		(B)			
					Net value of world	k done since	last		(C)			

Form WAM 6 (contd...)

II.MEMORANDUM OF PAYMENTS

			ı	II
		Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.
1.Total value of work actually measured as per Account No. I. Column 10 2.Total up to date 'on account' payment for work covered by approximate	(A)			
Or plan measurements as per Account No. I, Column 3	(B)			
3.Total up to date secured advances on security of materials as per column 8 Of the enclosed Account (Form WAM 10)	(C)			
4.Total up to date payments [(A) + (B) + (C)]	(D)			
5.Total amount of payments already made as per Entry (D) of last Running Account Bill No Datedforwarde to the Accounts				
Office on	(E)			
6.Balance [(D)-(E)]				
7.Payments now to be made:				
a) by cash/cheque				
b) by deduction for value of materials suppliedc) by BHEL vide Annexure A attachedd) by deduction for hire of tools and plant vide				
Annexure B attached				
e) by deduction for other charges vide Annexure C				
Attached				
f)by deduction on account of security deposit				
h) by deduction on account of Income Tax				

Note: Amounts relating to items 4 to 6 above should be entere in column II and those relating to item 7 in column I. The amount shownagainst item 6 and the total of item 7 should agree with each other.

			Form W	VAM 6 (contd)			
		III.CERTIFICATE OF THE ENGINEER		·			
1.			of work executed) are based were made byorded at pagesof Measurement Book No .				
2.	Certified that the methods of measurement are drawings etc, forming part of the contract agr		ut in accordance with the terms and conditions, sche ne deviation statement (Annexure D).	dules, specifications and			
3.	connection with several items and the value of	of the such work is, in no case, less than 'o	cuted as shown in column 10 of Part I, some work has actually been done in an 'on account' payments as per column 3 of Part I, made or proposed to be made f, detailed measurement which will be made as soon as possible.				
	Signature of Contractor Date:		Signature of Engineer in charge Designation:				
			Date:				
		IV. CERTIFICATE OF THE S	SENIOR ENGINEER				
1.	Certified that measurements have been chec at site and also by the undersigned and the re		leasurement book. (vide pages)	(Name and Designation			
2.	Certified that all the measurements recorded	in the measurement book have been corre	ectly billed for				
3.	Certified that all recoberable amounts in resp	ect of materials tools and plant etc, and oth	ner charges have been correctly made vide Annexure	es A to C attached.			
	Certified for payment * of Rs	(Rupees		only)			
	To be paid in cash/by cheque in the presence	e of					
		ALLOCATIO					
	The expenditure is chargeable as under and Ledger Head	to be included in the accounts for Debit (Gross amount)	20 Credit (Deductions)				
	Leuger Heau	Rs. P.	Rs. P.				
		Ν5. г.	N3. F.				
	Total						
* Here	specify the net amount payable.		Signature of Senior Engineer				
			Date:				

							Form WAM	6 (contd
		V.ENTF	RIES TO BE MADE IN THE A	ACCOUN	ITS OFFICE			
Entered in Journal B Passed for Less Deductions	Rs	ted	Estimat Name o Ledger Head		ALLOCATION C: Debit (Gross amount)	Code no: Credit (Deductions)		
(Rupees Payable to Shri/M/s		by cheque/cash		-	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	-	
Assistant Date:	Accountant Date:	Account Officer Date:	-	Total ₋				
	sayments on account of t	(Rupeeshis work.					only) as _l	oer
Signature of witness Address :	S		Revenue Stamp Signature of Contractor					
Date:					Date			
		VII. ENTRIES	TO BE MADE BY TREASU	JRY SEC	TION			
Cash Book entry	No. and date:		Amount paid	Rs				
			Amount unpaid	Rs				
			Total	Rs				
						Signature of C Date:	ashier	

Form WAM 6 (contd...) **ANNEXURE A** Statement showing details of materials issued to the contractor Shri/M/s..... In respect of Contract Agreement NoDated...... SI. Stores Issue Description Quantity Quantity Whether If recoverable from the contractor R No. issue voucher of material actually issued recover-Voucher No. and issued to able Amount incorp-Rate Amount Balance M No. date the from the rated at recoverrecovernow Α which and allotted by contractor in the contracable ed up to recover-R date stores to previous K work tor or recovered the SIV supplied able S bill free Rs. P. Rs. P. Rs. P. Rs. P. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

	Total	
Signature of contractor Date:	Signature of Engineer in Charge Date:	Signature of Senior Engineer Date:

Form WAM 6 (contd...) **ANNEXURE B** Statement showing tools and plant issued to the contractor Shri/M/s..... Description of tools Period for Rate at Amount Amount Balance Remarks No and plant issued which which recoverrecovered now Issued able upto recovered recovery Is to be previous Made bill Rs. P. Rs. P. Ρ. Rs. P. Rs. 3 4 5 6 7 8

	Total	
Signature of contractor Date:	Signature of Engineer in Charge Date:	Signature of Senior Engineer Date:

								Form WAM 6 (contd
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	In respect of Contract							
SI. No	Particulars	Unit	Quantity		Amount recover-able	Amount recovered upto pre-vious bill	Amount now recovered	Remarks
				Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	Empty containers not r	Elec Seig Med Cost	er Charges tricity charges inorage chargi ical charges t of empty gun	es				
				Total				
Sigr Date	nature of contractor e:			Signature of Enç Date:	gineer in Charge		Signature of Ser Date:	nior Engineer

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ANNEXURE D

Name of the Contractor: Contract Agreement No: Name of the Work: Date: Description SI. Unit Quantity Quantity Quantity Total quantity Rate as per further No. of item anticipated as per agreement as Agreement anticipated on completion Rs. Ρ. executed 2 3 7 5 6 8 4

Rate as executed	Amount as per agreement	Amount as executed	Amount further	Total amount anticipated	Difference	Reason for the deviation with
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	anticipated Rs. P.	on completion Rs. P.	Excess savings Rs. P. Rs. I	authority, if any
9	10	11	12	13	14 15	16

Signature of Engineer in Charge Date:

Signature of Senior Engineer Date:

					BHARAT HE	AVY ELECT SION		TED						
						A Of Works Ac	nd Final bill counts Manu	al)						
Name of	Contractor					Department	al Bill no			Date				
Name of	the Work					Division				Division				
Sanctione	Sanctioned Estimate					Date of writt	en order to co	ommence the	work					
Contract A	Contract Agreement/work Order No					Date of com	mencement o	of work						
						Due date of	completion a	s per agreem	ent					
						Date of actu	al completion	of the work						
				!	I. ACCOUN	T OF WOF	RK EXECU	TED						
On Account	payment for	the work not									Payment on			
previously m	neasured **	•									the basis of			
									Payment on		actual			
									the basis of	Quantity	measurement			
Total as per			Item No of						actual	since last	since last			
last running		Total up to	the	Descripti	Quantity as	Quantity			measuremen	running	running			
account bill	account bill		agreement/	on of	per	executed	Rate		t up to date	account	account bill			
Rs.	Rs	Rs	work order	work	agreement	up to date	Rs. P	Unit	Rs P	bill	Rs P	Remarks		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		

_													
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13

Total Value of Work Done up to date	(A)	
Deduct Value of work shown on the last running account bill	(B)	
Net value of work done since last running account bill	(C)	

Rupee	Words)Only	
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II MEMORANDUM OF PAYMENT

				RS.	Р
1	Total Value of work actually measured as per Account no I coloumn 10		(A)		
	Deduct amount of paym,ents already made as per last running account bill No D	ated			
2	Forwarded to the Accounts Office on		(B)		
3	Payments now to be made { (A) - (B)}		(C)		
4 Dedu	ct ammounts recoverable from the contractor on account of :	Rs	`´P		
	a Material suplied by BHEL vide annexure A attached		-		
	b Hire of Tools & Plants vide Annexure B attached				
	c Other charges vide Annexure C attached				
	d Income Tax				
	Total deduction				
5 Balan	nce				
6 Refur	nd of 50% of security deposite on completion of work				
7	Net amount to be paid to the Contractor				
•	That difficult to be paid to the contractor				
	III. CERTIFICATE OF THE ENGINEER IN CHAR	RGE			
The n	neasurement on which the entries in coulmns 7 to 12 of Part I of this bill (Account of work e	executed)	are hased wer	e made by	
1110 11	Todad of the of which the charge in countries 7 to 12 of 1 art 1 of this bill 7 todad of work of	oncourca)	are based wer	e made by	
1	(Name and designation)				
2	A statement showing the quantities of stores issued to the contractor (whether free c	or on reco	overy basis) and	d their disposal	is attached
Date:			Signature of Er	ngineer in charg	10
Date.			Designation	ignicer in charg	,c
		L	Designation		

IV CERTIFICATE OF THE SENIOR ENGINEER

	inspected the work and that the work has been physical rebeen check measured to the prescribed extent by	ly completed on the due date in accordance with the terms and
(Name	& designation). And by the the undersigned at site and	relevent entries have been initiated in the measurement book (vide
2 pages)		
3	Certified that the methods of measurer	nent are correct
4 Certified that t	the measurements have been technically checked with	reference to contract drawings, deviations etc
5 Certified that all the measu	rements recorded in the measurement book have been	correctly billed for at the contract rates or approved rates.
		lectricity charges etc, have been correctly made vide Annexures A
7 Certified that the issues of all store	s as per statement atytached (whether charged to the c	ontractor or direct to the work) have been technically checked and
	(Rupees	(Only). To be paid in
	ALLOCATION	
The expenditure as under and to be	included in the accounts for19	
	Debit	Credit
Ledger Head	(Gross Amount)	(Deduction)
· ·	Rs. P	Rs. P
	Total	
* Here specify the net amount payab	ble	Signature of Senior Engineer Date

V. ENTRIES TO BE MADE IN THE ACCOUNTS OFFICE

Account Bill no		Dated		ALLOCATION	
	•	Dated	Estimate No: Name of the Work		Code No
(RupeesPayable to Shri/M/	'stors' Ledger no	by cheque/cash	Ledger Head	Debit (Gross Amount) Rs P	Credit (Deduction) Rs
Assistant Date:	Accountant Date:	Accounts officer Date:	Total		
VI. Received Rs no further claims o Signature of Witne	f this contract.		Only) in full and final settlement of all	moneys due under this	contract and I / we have
Address	.55				
				evenue Stamp e of Contractor	
		VII . ENTRIES TO BE M	IADE BY TREASURY SECTION		
	Cash bo	ook entry no and date :	Amount Paid Rs Amount unpaid R Total Rs	ls	

Signature of Cashier

Date:

ANNEXURE A

Part I

Sta	atement showi	ng details of ma	iterial issued	to the con	tractor Shri/M/	/s						In respect of Contract
			Agreement/V	Vork Orde	r No		Dated					
			_			Whether		If rec	overable	from contracto	r	Remarks
		Issue voucher	description			recoverabl				Amount		
	Stores	No and date	of material		Quantity	e from the	Rate at	An	nount	recoverable	Balance	
	Issue	alloted by	issued to		actually	contractor	which	Re	coverabl	upto	Now	
	voucher No	stores to the	the	Quantity	incorporated	or supplied	recoverabl	le e		previous bill	recovered	
SI No	and date	SIV	contractor	issued	in the work	free	Rs P	Rs	s P	Rs P	Rs P	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		9	10	11	12

Total

Signature of Contractor Date

Signature of Engineer in charge Date

Signature of Senior Engineer Date

ANNEXURE A

C+-	stomont showi	ng dotails of ma	atorial issued	to the con	tractor Shri/M/	_	rt II				in respect of Contract
Sie										d not covered by the	
SI No 1	Stores Issue voucher No and date 2	Issue voucher No and date alloted by stores to the SIV 3	description of material issued to the contractor 4	Quantity issued 5	Quantity actually incorporated in the work 6			Amount Recoverabl e Rs P 8	•	Balance Now recovered Rs P 10	Remarks 11
						Total					
										•••••	
								=	r applicable)		

Signature of Contractor Date

Signature of Engineer in charge Date

Signature of Senior Engineer Date

ANNEXURE B

State	ement showing TOOLS & Pl	_ANTS issue	ed to the contractor Shri/M	1/s			in respect of Contract
	Agreement/Work	COrder No	Da	ited Amount	an	d not covered by the	he agreement
SI No	Description of tools & plants issued	Period for which issued	Rate at which Recivery is to be made	recoverabl	Amount recoverable upto previous bill Rs P	Balance Now recovered Rs P	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
				Total			
	Signature of Contractor Date			Signatur Date	re of Engineer in charge	Da	Signature of Senior Engineer te

ANNEXURE C

Sr.No	Particulars	Unit	Quantity	Rate Rs. P.	Amount recoverable Rs. P	Amount recovered upto previous bill Rs. P.	Amount now recovered Rs. P.	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

- 1 Water Charges
- 2 Electricity Charges
- 3 Seignorage Charges
- 4 Medical Charges

Cost of

empty

gunny bags

and empty

containers

not

5 returned

6

1

8 9

10

Total

Signature of Contractor Date

Signature of Engineer Incharge Date

Signature of Sr. Engineer Date

ANNEXURE D -

DEVIATION STATEMENT :

Name	of	the Contractor	
Name	of	the Work:	

Contract Agreement/Work Order No. :

Date:

	Descrip-	Unit	Quantity	Quantity	Rate	Rate	Amount	Amount	Diff	erence	Reason for the deviation
No.	of item		as per agree- ment	executed	as per agree- ment	as execu- ted	as per agree- ment	as executed	Excess	Savings	with autho- rity, if any
					Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

Signature of Engineer in Charge Date:

Signature of Senior Engineer Date:

ANNEXURE E

SI. No.	Description of material	Unit	Quantity actually issued	Quantity actually incorpo- rated in the work	Balance	Particulars of disposal of balance	Quantity to be issued as per approved data for work actually done	s consumption chared (Difference between for column 5 and 8) More Less mp if a	Rate charge- able for excess/ short	able for able sexcess/ short consum-	
								More Less	if any		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	Cement Bricks Wood Asbestos Sheet Iron Materials										
	Signature of Cor	itracto	r	Signatu Date :	re of Eng	ineer in Char	ge	Signat Date :		Senior Er	ngineer

- respectively of Annexure A (Part I and II).
 - 2. Data statement of theoretical consumption should be attached in support of quantity specified in column 8.

					ANN	EXURE F					
Statement sl	howing detail	of materials iss /Work Order No	ued to the co	ontractor S	hri/M/s	Date	ed				
	Name of wo					FREE OF CO					
Sr.No	voucher No.	ription of ma	Unit	Quantit y issued	Quantity requried as per data	d in the work	Balance(If any)	Nature of disposal for the balance	Rate chargeable for material not returned Rs.P.	Amount recovera ble for material not returned Rs. P	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Total										
	Signature of Contractor Signature of Engineer Date Date				of Engineer Ir	ncharge	Signature of a	Sr. Engineer			
	Note:Data st	tatement of there	otical consu	mption sho	uld be attache	ed in support	of the quantit	y specified in	coloumn 6		

ANNEXURE G

QUESTIONNAIRE TO BE ANSWERED BY ENGINEER IN CHARGE AND SENIOR ENGINEER (Correct particulers and answers to be recorded)									
(Correct particulers and answ	ers to be recorded)								
Name of the work :									
Name of the Contractor :									
Date of commencement of the work:									
Contract agreement/work ordered no. and date:									
Reference to supplementary agreement no,if any:									
Whether adminstrative approval and techanical sanction has been									
accorded by the cmpetent authority? If so ,citc reference									
Whether sanction of the competent authority and financial									
concurrencr of the Accounts Departnment for award of the work									
has been accorded? If so,cite reference.									
Wheter the work has been completed in time ? If not ,wheter									
penalty has been levied or sanction of the competent authority for									
extension of time granted and communicated to the Accounts									
Department with reasons for grant of extension? (Due and actual									
date of completion of the work and reference to letter no. and date									
granting the extension of time should be given)									
(a) Wheter the rates allowed in the bill have been checked with									
the contract agreement? (b) Wheter the rates for									
extra/supplemental items have been approved by the competent									
authority and the sanction communicated to the accounts									
Department together wiht rate analysis? If so,cite reference.									
Wheter deviations have been approved by the competent									
authority? If yes, give reference to the approval; if not, give									
reasons.									
Whether the rates of recovery of stores issued to the contractor									
which are not provided for in the Contract Agreement have been									
settled in counsultation with Finance?									
Whether discrepancies pointed out by the Accounts Department in									
the store statement have been reconciled and accepted by the									
Accounts Department?									

ANNEXURE G

QUESTIONNAIRE TO BE ANSWERED BY ENGINE	
(Correct particulers and answ	ers to be recorded)
Whether materials issued to the contractor in excess of the theoretical requirements have been returned to the Stores Department and the no. and date of such retuened stores vouchers have been shown in stores statement? If not ,whether the cost of such excess material has been recovered at the prescribed rate? Whethre consumption statements in respect of materials chargeabale to the work have been attached to the bill?	
Whether consumption of materials shown has been technicaly checked by Senior Engineer?	
Whether materials is shued and used in the work is not less then that required for consumption in work accroding to our specification? If comsumption is less, whether necessary recovery has been made in the bill?	
Whether mesurments have been checked by the Engineer and Sr. Engineer to the extent required and certificates of check recorded in the mesurments books?	
Whether contractor has signed the bill and the mesurments books without reservations? If not; whether resones have been intimated to the Accounts Department?	
Whethet arithmatical calculations have been checked and certificate recorded in the mesurment books by a person other than the one who calculated initially	
Whether any work was done at the risk and cost of the contractor and whether such cost has been recovered from him? Give particulers.	
Whether all advance payments on running Accounts have been recovered?	
Whether tall the recovries due to services given to the contractor like rent of accommodation, water charges, electricity charges etc. have been recovered and wheather payments made by the company on behalf of the contractor have been adjusted?	
Whether the files containing abstracts from mesurments books/ standared mesurment books have been completed/ updated?	
Whether hire charges of tools and plant have been recovered and the statement of hire charges with full details attached?	

ANNEXURE G

QUESTIONNAIRE TO BE ANSWERED BY ENGINE	ER IN CHARGE AND SENIOR ENGINEER
(Correct particulers and answ	vers to be recorded)
Whether the certificate of workmanship and completion of work according to specifications, drawings etc. is recorded by Engineer/Sr. Engineer and whether recoveries have been made for defective works, if any?	
Whether all corrections in the bill/measurement books etc. have	
been neatly made and attasted and there are no overwriting?	
Whether final measurments have been taken as soon as possibal after completion of work and the cretificate of complition issued? If not, whether resons for delay have been recorded and communicated to Accounts?	
In respect of Quintites reduced in the final bill as compare to the running payment, whether adequate reasons have been recorded and communicated to Accounts	
Whether the Expeinditure has been classified correctly according to heads of Account recorded in the sanctioned estimate?	
Whether the work has been completed within the estimated cost? If not, what is the percentage of excess over thw sanctioned estimate/ addministrative approval? In case the excess is beyond the competency of Sr. Engineer, what action has been taken for the obtaining the approval of the authority complent to sanction the excess?	
(a) If the contractor has furnished bank guarantee in lieu of cash sequrity deposit towards proper exicuation of works and guarantee against defectsduring the maintenance period, whether the period of currency of the bank guarantee cover the entire maintenance period? (b) If not, whether sequrity deposite has been proposed to be recovred from the final bill?	
Whether all the previous audit objections raised on running Account bills have been settled? If so, cite refrence.	
Signature of Engineer in Charge	Signature of Engineer in Charge
Date:	Date:

PROFORMA OF BANK GUARANTEE (in lieu of RETENTION AMOUNT)

(On non-Judicial paper of appropriate value)

	Bank Guarantee No Date
To Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited, Power Sector Southern Region, Tek Towers, No.11, Old Mahabalipuram Road, Okkiyam Thoraipakkam, Chennai – 600097	
In consideration of Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (hereinaft expression shall unless repugnant to the context or meaning permitted assigns) incorporated under the Companies Act, 19 BHEL House, Siri Fort, Asiad, New Delhi – 110049 through Limited, Power Sector Southern Region, Tek Towers, No.11 Thoraipakkam, Chennai – 600097 having agreed to exempt (Name of the Vendor / Contractor / Supplier) with its registered called the said "Contractor" which term includes Supplier), conditions of the Contract reference No. at Rs 4 (Rupees) (here Retention Amount for the due fulfilment by the said Contractor in the said Contract, on production of a Bank Guarar only),	g thereof, include its successors and 256 and having its registered office at a its Unit at Bharat Heavy Electricals, Old Mahabalipuram Road, Okkiyam and office at2 (hereinafter from demand under the terms and dated3 valued reinafter called the said Contract), of of the terms and conditions contained
We (indicate the name and address (address of the Head Office) (hereinafter refer [Contractor(s)], being the hereby irrevocably and unconditionally undertake to forthwith an amount not exceeding Rs without any dem Employer and without any reservation, protest, and recourse prove or demonstrate reasons for its such demand.	red to as the Bank), at the request of Guarantor under this Guarantee, do and immediately pay to the Employer, ur, immediately on demand from the
Any such demand made on the bank, shall be conclusive as re the Bank under this guarantee. However, our liability under the amount not exceeding Rs	
We undertake to pay to the Employer any money so demadisputes raised by the Contractor(s) in any suit or proceeding parbitrator or any other authority, our liability under this present be	ending before any Court or Tribunal or
The payment so made by us under this guarantee shall be payment hereunder and the Contractor(s) shall have no claim a	

We, further agree that the guarantee herein contained shall remain in full force and effect during the period that would be taken for the performance of the said Contract and that it shall continue to be enforceable till all the dues of the Employer under or by virtue of the said Contract have been fully paid and its claims satisfied & the Employer certifies that the terms and conditions of the said

PROFORMA OF BANK GUARANTEE (in lieu of RETENTION AMOUNT)

Contract have been fully and properly carried out by the bill or discharge of this guarantee by the Employer, we remain in force upto and including6 and period as may be desired by the Employer. Unless a son us in writing on or before the ⁷ , we shapper the the thereafter.	hichever is earlier. This guarantee shall initially shall be extended from time to time for such demand or claim under this guarantee is made
We, (indicate the name of the Employer shall have the fullest liberty without our cobligations hereunder to vary any of the terms and corperformance by the said contractor(s) from time to tirtime any of the powers exercisable by the Employer senforce any of the terms and conditions relating to the our liability by any reason of any such variation or exterior any forbearance, act or omission on the part of the to the said contractor(s) or by any such matter or this sureties would but for this provision have effect of so re-	consent and without affecting in any manner our nditions of the said Contract or to extend time of one or to postpone for any time or from time to against the said contractor(s) and to forbear or said Contract and we shall not be relieved from ension being granted to the said contractor(s) or a Employer or any indulgence by the Employer on whatsoever which under the law relating to
The Bank also agrees that the Employer at its option against the Bank as a principal debtor, in the first instant and notwithstanding any security or other guarantee Contractor's liabilities.	ance without proceeding against the Contractor
This Guarantee shall not be determined or affected by of constitution or insolvency of the Contractor but shal and operative until payment of all money payable to will not be discharged due to the change in the constitu	I in all respects and for all purposes be binding the Employer in terms thereof. This guarantee
We, Bank lastly undertake rexcept with the previous consent of the Employer in w	not to revoke this guarantee during its currency riting.
Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained her	reinabove:
a) The liability of the Bank under this Guarantee shall r	not exceed ⁵
b) This Guarantee shall be valid up to ⁶	
c) Unless the Bank is served a written claim or demand guarantee shall be forfeited and the Bank shall be re this guarantee irrespective of whether or not the original	lieved and discharged from all liabilities under
We, Bank, have power t undersigned as a duly authorized person has full po Bank.	o issue this Guarantee under law and the owers to sign this Guarantee on behalf of the
	Date Day of
	for (indicate the name of the Bank

PROFORMA OF BANK GUARANTEE (in lieu of RETENTION AMOUNT)

- ¹ NAME OF THE VENDOR /CONTRACTOR / SUPPLIER.
- ² ADDRESS OF THE VENDOR /CONTRACTOR / SUPPLIER.
- 3 DETAILS ABOUT THE NOTICE OF AWARD/CONTRACT REFERENCE
- ⁴ CONTRACT VALUE
- ⁵ BG AMOUNT IN FIGURES AND WORDS
- ⁶ VALIDITY DATE
- ⁷ DATE OF EXPIRY OF CLAIM PERIOD

Note:

- 1. Units are advised that expiry of claim period may be kept 3-6 months after validity date. It may be ensured that the same is in line with the agreement/ contract entered with the Vendor.
- 2. The BG should be on Non-Judicial Stamp paper/e-stamp paper of appropriate value as per Stamp Act prevailing in the State(s) where the BG is submitted or is to be acted upon or the rate prevailing in the State where the BG was executed, whichever is higher. The Stamp Paper/e-stamp paper shall be purchased in the name of Vendor/Contractor/Supplier /Bank issuing the guarantee.
- 3. In line with the GCC, SCC or contractual terms, Unit may carry out minor modifications in the Standard BG Formats. If required, such modifications may be carried out after taking up appropriately with the Unit/Region's Law Deptt.
- 4. In Case of Bank Guarantees submitted by Foreign Vendors-
- a. From Nationalized/Public Sector / Private Sector/ Foreign Banks (BG issued by Branches in India) can be accepted subject to the condition that the Bank Guarantee should be enforceable in the town/city or at nearest branch where the Unit is located i.e. Demand can be presented at the Branch located in the town/city or at nearest branch where the Unit is located.
- b. From Foreign Banks (wherein Foreign Vendors intend to provide BG from local branch of the Vendor Country's Bank)
- **b.1** In such cases, in the Tender Enquiry/ Contract itself, it may be clearly specified that Bank Guarantee issued by **any of the Consortium Banks only** will be accepted by BHEL. As such, Foreign Vendor needs to make necessary arrangements for issuance of Counter- Guarantee by Foreign Bank in favour of the Indian Bank's (BHEL's Consortium Bank) branch in India. It is advisable that all charges for issuance of Bank Guarantee/ counter- Guarantee should be borne by the Foreign Vendor. The tender stipulation should clearly specify these requirements.
- **b.2** In case, Foreign Vendors intend to provide BG from Overseas Branch of our Consortium Bank (e.g. if a BG is to be issued by SBI Frankfurt), the same is acceptable. However, the procedure at **sl.no. b.1** will required to be followed.
- **b.3** The BG issued may preferably be subject to Uniform Rules for Demand Guarantees (URDG) 758 (as amended from time to time). The BG Format provided to them should clearly specify the same.

PROCEDURE FOR CONDUCT OF CONCILIATION PROCEEDINGS

- 1. The proceedings of Conciliation shall broadly be governed by Part-III of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act 1996 or any statutory modification thereof and as provided herein:
- 2. The party desirous of resorting to Conciliation shall send an invitation/notice in writing to the other party to conciliate specifying all points of Disputes with details of the amount claimed. The party concerned shall not raise any new issue thereafter. Parties shall also not claim any interest on claims/counterclaims from the date of notice invoking Conciliation till the conclusion of the Conciliation proceedings. If BHEL is to initiate Conciliation, then, the invitation to Conciliate shall be extended to the concerned Stakeholder in Format 7 hereto. Where the stakeholder is to initiate the Conciliation, the notice for initiation of Conciliation shall be sent in Format-8 hereto.
- **3.** The party receiving the invitation/notice for Conciliation shall within 30 days of receipt of the notice of Conciliation intimate its consent for Conciliation along with its counter-claims, if any.
- 4. The Conciliation in a matter involving claim or counter-claim (whichever is higher) up to Rs 5 crores shall be carried out by sole Conciliator nominated by BHEL while in a matter involving claim or counter-claim (whichever is higher) of more than Rs 5 crores Conciliation shall be carried out by 3 Conciliators nominated by BHEL. The appointment of Conciliator(s) shall be completed and communicated by the concerned Department/Group of BHEL Unit/Division/Region/Business Group to the other party and the Conciliator(s) within 30 days from the date of acceptance of the invitation to conciliate by the concerned party in the **Format-9**. The details of the Claim, and counter-claim, if any, shall be intimated to the Conciliator(s) simultaneously in **Format-5**.
- **5.** The Parties shall be represented by only their duly authorized in-house executives/officers and neither Party shall be represented by a Lawyer.
- **6.** The first meeting of the IEC shall be convened by the IEC by sending appropriate communication/notice to both the parties as soon as possible but not later than 30 days from the date of his/their appointment. The hearings in the Conciliation proceeding shall ordinarily be concluded within two (2) months and, in exceptional cases where parties have expressed willingness to settle the matter or there exists possibility of settlement in the matter, the proceedings may be extended by the IEC by a maximum of further 2 months with the consent of the Parties subject to cogent reasons being recorded in writing.

- 7. The IEC shall thereafter formulate recommendations for settlement of the Disputes supported by reasons at the earliest but in any case within 15 days from the date of conclusion of the last hearing. The recommendations so formulated along with the reasons shall be furnished by the IEC to both the Parties at the earliest but in any case within 1 month from the date of conclusion of the last hearing.
- **8.** Response/modifications/suggestions of the Parties on the recommendations of the IEC are to be submitted to the IEC within time limit stipulated by the IEC but not more than 15 days from the date of receipt of the recommendations from the IEC.
- **9.** In the event, upon consideration, further review of the recommendations is considered necessary, whether by BHEL or by the other Party, then, the matter can be remitted back to the IEC with request to reconsider the same in light of the issues projected by either/both the Parties and to submit its recommendations thereon within the following 15 days from the date of remitting of the case by either of the Parties.
- **10.** Upon the recommendations by the Parties, with or without modifications, as considered necessary, the IEC shall be called upon to draw up the Draft Settlement Agreement in terms of the recommendations.
- 11. When a consensus can be arrived at between the parties only in regard to any one or some of the issues referred for Conciliation the draft Settlement Agreement shall be accordingly formulated in regard to the said Issue(s), and the said Settlement Agreement, if signed, by the parties, shall be valid only for the said issues. As regards the balance issues not settled, the parties may seek to resolve them further as per terms and conditions provided in the contract.
- **12.** In case no settlement can be reached between the parties, the IEC shall by a written declaration, pronounce that the Conciliation between the parties has failed and is accordingly terminated.
- **13.** Unless the Conciliation proceedings are terminated in terms of para 22 (b), (c) & (d) herein below, the IEC shall forward his/its recommendations as to possible terms of settlement within one (1) month from the date of last hearing. The date of first hearing of Conciliation shall be the starting date for calculating the period of 2 months.
- **14.** In case of 3 members IEC, 2 members of IEC present will constitute a valid quorum for IEC and meeting can take place to proceed in the matter after

seeking consent from the member who is not available. If necessary, videoconferencing may be arranged for facilitating participation of the members. However, the IEC recommendations will be signed by all members. Where there is more than one (1) Conciliator, as a general rule they shall act jointly. In the event of differences between the Members of IEC, the decision/recommendations of the majority of the Members of IEC shall prevail and be construed as the recommendation of the IEC.

- **15.** The Draft Settlement Agreement prepared by the IEC in terms of the consensus arrived at during the Conciliation proceedings between the Parties shall be given by the IEC to both the parties for putting up for approval of their respective Competent Authority.
- **16.** Before submitting the draft settlement agreement to BHEL's Competent Authority viz. the Board Level Committee on Alternative Dispute Resolution (BLCADR) for approval, concurrence of the other party's Competent Authority to the draft settlement agreement shall be obtained by the other party and informed to BHEL within 15 days of receipt of the final draft settlement agreement by it. Upon approval by the Competent Authority, the Settlement Agreement would thereafter be signed by the authorized representatives of both the Parties and authenticated by the members of the IEC.
- **17.** In case the Draft Settlement Agreement is rejected by the Competent Authority of BHEL or the other Party, the Conciliation proceedings would stand terminated.
- 18. A Settlement Agreement shall contain a statement to the effect that each of the person(s) signing thereto (i) is fully authorized by the respective Party(ies) he/she represents, (ii) has fully understood the contents of the same and (iii) is signing on the same out of complete freewill and consent, without any pressure, undue influence.
- **19.** The Settlement Agreement shall thereafter have the same legal status and effect as an arbitration award on agreed terms on the substance of the dispute rendered by an arbitral tribunal passed under section 30 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996.
- **20.** Acceptance of the Draft Settlement Agreement/recommendations of the Conciliator and/or signing of the Settlement Agreement by BHEL shall however, be subject to withdrawal/closure of any arbitral and/or judicial proceedings initiated by the concerned Party in regard to such settled issues.
- **21.** Unless otherwise provided for in the agreement, contract or the Memorandum of Understanding, as the case may be, in the event of likelihood of prolonged

absence of the Conciliator or any member of IEC, for any reason/incapacity, the Competent Authority/Head of Unit/Division/Region/Business Group of BHEL may substitute the Conciliator or such member at any stage of the proceedings. Upon appointment of the substitute Conciliator(s), such reconstituted IEC may, with the consent of the Parties, proceed with further Conciliation into the matter either de-novo or from the stage already reached by the previous IEC before the substitution.

- **22.** The proceedings of Conciliation under this Scheme may be terminated as follows:
 - **a.** On the date of signing of the Settlement agreement by the Parties; or,
 - **b.** By a written declaration of the IEC, after consultation with the parties, to the effect that further efforts at conciliation are no longer justified, on the date of the declaration; or,
 - **c.** By a written declaration of the Parties addressed to the IEC to the effect that the Conciliation proceedings are terminated, on the date of the declaration; or,
 - **d.** By a written declaration of a Party to the other Party and the IEC, if appointed, to the effect that the Conciliation proceedings are terminated, on the date of the declaration; or,
 - **e.** On rejection of the Draft Settlement Agreement by the Competent Authority of BHEL or the other Party.
- **23.** The Conciliator(s) shall be entitled to following fees and facilities:

S1 No	Particulars	Amount			
1	Sitting fees	Each Member shall be paid a Lump			
		Sum fee of Rs 75,000/- for the whole			
		case payable in terms of paragraph No.			
		27 herein below.			
2	Towards drafting of	In cases involving claim and/or			
	settlement	counter-claim of up to Rs 5crores.			
	agreement	Rs 50,000/- (Sole Conciliator)			
		In cases involving claim and/or			
		counter-claim of exceeding Rs 5 crores			
		but less than Rs 10 crores.			
		Rs 75,000 (per Conciliator)			

S1 No	Particulars	Amount
		In cases involving claim and/or counter-claim of more than Rs 10 crores. Rs 1,00,000/- (per Conciliator) Note: The aforesaid fees for the drafting of the Settlement Agreement shall be paid on the, Signing of the Settlement Agreement after approval of the Competent Authority or Rejection of the proposed Settlement Agreement by the Competent Authority of BHEL.
3	Secretarial expenses	Rs 10,000/- (one time) for the whole case for Conciliation by a Sole Member IEC. Where Conciliation is by multi member Conciliators –Rs 30,000/- (one time)- to be paid to the IEC
4	Travel and transportation and stay at outstation Retired Senior Officials of other Public Sector Undertakings (pay scale wise equivalent to or more than E-8 level of BHEL)	As per entitlement of the equivalent officer (pay scale wise) in BHEL.
	Others	As per the extant entitlement of whole time Functional Directors in BHEL. Ordinarily, the IEC Member(s) would be entitled to travel by air Economy Class.
5	Venue for meeting	Unless otherwise agreed in the agreement, contract or the Memorandum of Understanding, as the case may be, the venue/seat of proceedings shall be the location of the concerned Unit / Division / Region /

S1 No	Particulars	Amount
		Business Group of BHEL. Without
		prejudice to the seat/venue of the
		Conciliation being at the location of
		concerned BHEL Unit / Division /
		Region / Business Group, the IEC after
		consulting the Parties may decide to
		hold the proceedings at any other
		place/venue to facilitate the
		proceedings. Unless, Parties agree to
		conduct Conciliation at BHEL premises,
		the venue is to be arranged by either
		Party alternately.

- **24.** The parties will bear their own costs including cost of presenting their cases/evidence/witness(es)/expert(s) on their behalf. The parties agree to rely upon documentary evidence in support of their claims and not to bring any oral evidence in IEC proceedings.
- 25. If any witness(es) or expert(s) is/are, with the consent of the parties, called upon to appear at the instance of the IEC in connection with the matter, then, the costs towards such witness(es)/expert(s) shall be determined by the IEC with the consent of the Parties and the cost so determined shall be borne equally by the Parties.
- **26.** The other expenditures/costs in connection with the Conciliation proceedings as well as the IEC's fees and expenses shall be shared by the Parties equally.
- **27.** Out of the lump sum fees of Rs 75,000/- for Sitting Fees, 50% shall be payable after the first meeting of the IEC and the remaining 50% of the Sitting Fees shall be payable only after termination of the conciliation proceedings in terms of para 22 hereinabove.
- 28. The travelling, transportation and stay at outstation shall be arranged by concerned Unit as per entitlements as per Serial No. 4 of the Table at para 23 above, and in case such arrangements are not made by the BHEL Unit, the same shall be reimbursed to the IEC on actuals limited to their entitlement as per Serial No. 4 of the Table at Para 23 above against supporting documents. The IEC Member(s) shall submit necessary invoice for claiming the fees/reimbursements.
- **29.** The Parties shall keep confidential all matters relating to the conciliation proceedings. Confidentiality shall extend also to the settlement agreement,

- except where its disclosure is necessary for purposes of its implementation and enforcement or as required by or under a law or as per directions of a Court/Governmental authority/ regulatory body, as the case may be.
- **30.** The Parties shall not rely upon or introduce as evidence in any further arbitral or judicial proceedings, whether or not such proceedings relate to the Disputes that is the subject of the Conciliation proceedings:
 - **a.** Views expressed or suggestions made by the other party in respect of a possible settlement of the Disputes;
 - **b.** admissions made by the other party in the course of the Conciliator proceedings;
 - **c.** proposals made by the Conciliator;
 - **d.** The fact that the other Party had indicated his willingness to accept a proposal for settlement made by the Conciliator.
- **31.** The Parties shall not present the Conciliator(s) as witness in any Alternative Dispute Resolution or Judicial proceedings in respect of a Disputes that is/was the subject of that particular Conciliation proceeding.
- **32.** None of the Conciliators shall act as an arbitrator or as a representative or counsel of a Party in any arbitral or judicial proceeding in respect of a Disputes that is/was the subject of that particular Conciliation proceeding.
- or judicial proceedings in respect of a Disputes that is the subject matter of the Conciliation proceedings except that a Party may initiate arbitral or judicial proceedings where, in his opinion, such proceedings are necessary for preserving his rights including for preventing expiry of period of limitation. Unless terminated as per the provisions of this Scheme, the Conciliation proceedings shall continue notwithstanding the commencement of the arbitral or judicial proceedings and the arbitral or judicial proceedings shall be primarily for the purpose of preserving rights including preventing expiry of period of limitation.
- **34.** The official language of Conciliation proceedings under this Scheme shall be English unless the Parties agree to some other language.

STATEMENT OF CLAIMS/COUNTER CLAIMS TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE IEC BY BOTH THE PARTIES

1.	Chrono	logy (of t	he	Disputes	
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- 2. Brief of the Contract/MoU/Agreement/LOI/LOA
- 3. Brief history of the Disputes:
- 4. Issues:
- 5. Details of Clam(s)/Counter Claim(s):

SI. No.	Description of claim(s)/Counter Claim	Amount (in INR)Or currency applicable in the contract	Relevant contract clause

6. Basis/Ground of claim(s)/counter claim(s) (along with relevant clause of contract)

Note– The Statement of Claims/Counter Claims may ideally be restricted to maximum limit of 20 pages. Relevant documents may be compiled and submitted along with the statement of Claims/Counter Claims. The statement of Claims/Counter Claims is to be submitted to all IEC members and to the other party by post as well as by email.

FORMAT FOR NOTICE INVOKING CONCILIATION CLAUSE BY BHEL FOR REFERRING THE DISPUTES TO CONCILIATION THROUGH IEC

M/s. (Stakeholder's name)

Subject: NOTICE FOR INVOCATION OF THE CONCILIATION CLAUSE OF THE CONTRACT BY BHEL

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De	ar Sir,	/Madan	1,						
	As	you	are	aware,	with	reference	to	above	ref
Co	ntract	/MoU/A	\greeme	ent/LOI/LO	OA, certa	in disputes h	ave ar	isen, which	h. in

Ref: Contract No/MoU/Agreement/LOI/LOA& date

As you are aware, with reference to above referred Contract/MoU/Agreement/LOI/LOA, certain disputes have arisen, which, in-spite of several rounds of mutual discussions and various correspondences have remained unresolved. The brief particulars of our claims which arise out of the above- referred Contract/MoU/Agreement/LOI/LOA are reproduced hereunder:

S1.	Claim description	Amount involved
No.		

As you are aware, there is a provision in the captioned Contract/MoU/Agreement/LOI/ LOA for referring disputes to conciliation.

Please note that upon receipt of your consent in writing within 30 days of the date of receipt of this letter by you, BHEL shall appoint suitable person(s) from the BHEL Panel of Conciliators.

This letter is being issued without prejudice to our rights and contentions available under the contract and law.

Thanking you Yours faithfully

Representative of BHEL

Note: The Format may be suitably modified, as required, based on facts and circumstances of the case.

FORMAT FOR NOTICE INVOKING CONCILIATION CLAUSE BY A STAKEHOLDER FOR REFERRING THE DISPUTES TO CONCILIATION THROUGH IEC

To,

BHEL (Head of the Unit/Division/Region/Business Group)

Subject: NOTICE FOR INVOCATION OF THE CONCILIATION CLAUSE OF THE CONTRACT BY A STAKEHOLDER

Ref: Cont	ract No/MoU/Agreement/LO	OI/LOA& date
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Dear Sir	/Madam,	

As you are aware, with reference to above referred Contract/MoU/Agreement/LOI/LOA, certain disputes have arisen, which, in-spite of several rounds of mutual discussions and various correspondences have remained unresolved. The brief particulars of our claims which have arisen out of the above-referred Contract/MoU/Agreement/LOI/LOA are enumerated hereunder:

Sl. No.	Claim description	Amount involved

As you are aware, there is a provision in the captioned Contract/MoU/Agreement/LOI/ LOA for referring inter-se disputes of the Parties to conciliation.

We wish to refer the above-said disputes to Conciliation as per the said Clause of the captioned Contract/MoU/Agreement/LOI/ LOA. In terms of Clause --------of Procedure i.e., Annexure ------ to the Contract/MoU /Agreement / LOI / LOA, we hereby invite BHEL to provide its consent in writing to proceed with conciliation into the above mentioned disputes within a period of 30 days from the date of this letter along with details of counter-claims, if any, which it might have with regard to the subject Contract/ MoU/ Agreement/ LOI/ LOA and to appoint suitable person(s) as Conciliator(s) from the BHEL Panel of Conciliators.

This letter is being issued without prejudice to our rights and contentions available under the contract and law.

Thanking you Yours faithfully

Representative of the Stakeholder

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FORMAT FOR INTIMATION TO THE STAKEHOLDER ABOUT APPOINTMENT OF CONCILIATOR/IEC

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	M/s. (Stakeholder's name)

Subject: INTIMATION BY BHEL TO THE STAKEHOLDER AND CONCILIATOR(S) ABOUT APPOINTMENT OF CONCILIATOR/IEC

Ref: Contract No/MoU/Agreement/LOI/LOA& date
Sir,
This is with reference to letter dated regarding reference of the disputes arising in connection with the subject Contract No /MoU/Agreement/LOI/LOA to conciliation and appointment of Conciliator(s).
In pursuance of the said letter, the said disputes are assigned to conciliation and the following persons are nominated as Conciliator(s) for conciliating and assisting the Parties to amicably resolve the disputes in terms of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996 and the Procedure to the subject Contract/MoU/Agreement/LOI/LOA, if possible. Name and contact details of Conciliator(s)
a)
b)
c)
You are requested to submit the Statement of Claims or Counter-Claims (strike off

You are requested to submit the Statement of Claims or Counter-Claims (strike off whichever is inapplicable) before the Conciliator(s) in Format 5 (enclosed herewith) as per the time limit as prescribed by the Conciliator(s).

Yours faithfully,

Representative of BHEL

CC: To Conciliator(s)... for Kind Information please.

Encl: As above

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