

CLARIFICATIONS TO SCT 1371

SUB: SCT 1371 Fabrication and erection of structural work at 2x500MW at NTPL Tuticorin Thermal Power Project, Tuticorin, Tamilnadu

Some of the bidders raised clarifications in the above tender and our clarifications are furnished below for your reference

Q1: BOQ Item No. 2301

Which type of blasting (sand blasting or shot blasting) is to be considered for item 2301?

Reply: Follow the prevailing statutory conditions

Q2: BOQ Item No. 2303

Erection of MS grating for item no 2303 and erection of GI/MS hand railing for item no.2304 is also measured under item no 2307 .Pl. confirm erection charges is to be included in which item?

Reply: As per item specification only.

Q3: BOQ Item No. 2302, 2303, 2304

For item 2302, 2303&2304 whether we have to consider painting cost also (apart from surface preparation and primer coat) or the same shall be measured under 2311?

Reply: As per item specification only

Q4: Clause 9.0 page 13 of book 1 vol 1

It states that we will be provided 75T crane 2 nos & higher capacity crane 1no and we presume that the same will be provided to us from the day one after commencement of work .Please confirm

Reply: The cranes will be provide as per the special conditions of contract

Q5: BOQ 2317

You have mentioned that dismantling and addition/alteration/modification will be paid as per item no 2310 and 2311 respectively. These items 2310&2311 are related to painting, the related item no should be 2315 and 2316.Please confirm

Reply: Yes, it is 2315 and 2316

Q6: BOQ 2318

Please clarify scope of supply of stainless steel stud, bolting (including countersunk).If it is to be supplied by the bidder, please provide us the detailed specifications for the same.

Reply: "scope of supply "is as per item specification & "detailed specifications" is as per standard practice.

Q7: BOQ 2319, 2320A and 2320B

Please provide us the grade of material along with specification and quality required?

Reply: As per standard practice

Q8: BOQ 2321

Please provide us the name of manufacturers for PTFE type sliding Bearing along with specification

Reply: As per standard practice

Q9: BOQ 2322

Please clarify the supply scope of flexible open ended bellow strap of neoprene and aluminium strip

Reply: Item is included with supply

Q10: BOQ 802

You have mentioned Conbextra GPX-2 please clarify whether it is GP2

Reply: Yes, Both are same

Q11: BOQ 804

Please specify the grade of cement to be used

Reply: The cement which will be used for concrete

Q12: SCC Section V

CL 2.3, Please Confirm whether the land required for fabrication shop will be provided free of charge within the project premises

Reply: As per special conditions of the contract

Q13: SCC Section V

CI 14.0, Please confirm whether the VAT (WCT) will be applicable for the supply of permanent plant material only?

Reply: As per Tender specification.

Q14: Technical Specification

CL 5.8.1, Please confirm whether wedges, shims and any other material for alignment will be payable item. If yes, in which item it will be paid.

Reply: No separate payment will be made.

Q15: Clause 4.0 Technical Specification

We assume that design drawings along with design calculations will be provided by BHEL and only fabrication drawings based on design drawings and calculations will be prepared by bidder. Please confirm

Reply: Design drawings only will be provided by BHEL, Detailing by bidders scope.

Q16: BOQ 2304

It is mentioned as fabrication and delivery at site, transportation, Loading/unloading of various sizes, GI/MS pipe hand railing including painting. Please specify the quantity of GI hand rail and MS hand Rail separately

Reply: As per item specification

Q17: CL 9.0 of SCC Tools and plants

In the event of providing BHEL cranes/Hired cranes. As contractor has to bear the cost of diesel in both the cases, Please change the clause as fuel in both the cases has to be provided by contractor instead of cost per hr basis if cranes provided by BHEL through hiring agency.

Reply: Fuel cost for cranes will be charged as per tender specification

Q18: In clause 4.5 of Technical Specification Method of construction shall be either by welding or by bolting limited to site work to minimum possible. It does not quantify the amount of bolts and welded structure. BHEL may specify major area where bolted connection involved

Reply: As per BOQ

Q19: BOQ 2305

Coal bunker. BHEL has specified that coal bunker shall be either cylindrical or rectangular. BHEL may specify what will be the shape of bunker to workout estimation and quoted competitive price

Reply: Standard practice is cylindrical bunker, however provision given for Rectangular bunkers. Requested to quote as per item specification only.

Q20: Quantity variation

It is specified as +/- 30% and we request that it can be +/-15%

Reply: As per tender specification

ALL OTHER CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED.

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