

Ref: BHE/PW/PUR/TENDHE-TPT/1270/Corrigendum 09  
To

Date 27/06/2014

ALL BIDDERS

**Sub:** Corrigendum-9: Clarification.

**JOB:** PORT CLEARANCE AT DJIBOUTI AND CROSS COUNTRY TRANSPORTATION OF CARGO TO TENDAHO SUGAR FACTORY OF 2X20 MW STG SET AT TENDAHO NEW SUGAR FACTORY , AFAR REGIONAL STATE, ETHIOPIA AT TENDAHO NEW SUGAR FACTORY PROJECT AFAR REGIONAL STATE ETHIOPIA.

Tender Specification Number: BHE/PW/PUR/TENDHI-TPT3 /1270

Bidders to kindly take note of the following:

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**AA) Clarification to the Queries of Bidder**

Sl.No.	Bidder's query	BHEL's clarification
1	<p>You require us to put earnest money deposit as well as security deposit of 10 or more percent to be on hold until the completion of the project.</p> <p>Please note that once we collect the document from you we will pay 100% of the port charge as well as 100% of transportation cost after the delivery of the cargo to your site. With these arrangement we didn't see the need for security deposit if anything our company is the one that needs some form of guarantee from you for our payment. Normally we ask for 50% advance.</p>	<p>Tender conditions remains unchanged. Security deposit shall remain applicable.</p>
2	<p>The bid document doesn't address all of the additional cost items that needs to be stated clearly.</p> <p>Additional cost like storage, watchman charge, transfer charge, escorting charge and so on are all paid by the importer as per the official invoice. However the bid document doesn't give the opportunity to list these cost as well as the associated cost like bank transfer charge and disbursement charge.</p> <p>With the two points we raised above and your clear statement of 'any deviation from the bid document is not acceptable' makes it difficult go ahead with this bid. We will be happy to reconsider if you can address our issues.</p>	<p>Bidder's may load their Price accordingly. However price bid format issued shall remain unchanged.</p>
3	<p><b>Annex 3. No. Vi.</b> All the bidders shall quote the price in Ethiopian Birr (ETB) only in Price Bid As the operation is performed out side Ethiopian Territory payment to the port of Djibouti is going to be effected in USDollar, hence the port dues and demmurgage</p>	<p>Currency paid throughout the contract shall only be in birr, irrespective of kind of currency bidder may spend in execution of this job</p>

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	charge if any to the port should be settled by USD where as the transportation and customs clearing should be in Birr.	
4	<b>Scope 2.0 AA.</b> ( it is understood that the off-loading will be on account of BHEL). The responsibility of the contractor is cleared from the port of Djibouti, loaded on truck, finalizing customs formalities and delivery to project site FOT off-loading is fully the responsibility of BHEL. Need to be clear and confirm ?	BHEL will arrange to off-load the material at project site only.
5	Container security Deposit to customs is possible from the contract side even if consignee is Tendaho Sugar Plantation, however from ESL it is very difficult and will complicate the operation in the refund process and other documentation. Need to be confirmed ?	Not applicable as our cargos are only break bulk, Containers are not required.
6	<b>Scope 2.0.8</b> For special cargoes ( D/D) shipment as we have 4 units in the list who will be responsible for Truck detention at the port of Djibouti due to ETA or other shipping line problems and procedures?	Detention charges shall be payable for detention of low loaders (Trailers) only for 4 (Four) heavy consignment viz. 2 nos. Generator Stator and 2 nos. Turbines up to date of handing over of shipping documents or alternate documents necessary to take delivery of cargo from authorities, to bidder @ ETB 5000 per day
7	Delay in documentation for D/D shipments, due to short transit time from Mumbai to Djibouti ? which will cause truck detention, who will be responsible ?	BHEL is responsible.
8	Discrepancies on manifests, invoices and related documents at the port of Djibouti ? Who will be responsible ?	If Discrepancy is Reported, BHEL shall send suitable Documents for the same
9	<b>Scope 3.7.1</b> Having accepting the detail it should be included Contractor shall also comply with the requirements of the local authorities/project authorities calling for police verification of antecedents of the workmen, staff.. etc for the operations related which is clearly specified as scope of work in the contract.	It is bidder's responsibility to get all clearances from local authorities for transporting the shipment to the project site and regarding complying labor laws, rules and regulation.
10	Should be amended as submission of full and clean shipping and clearing documents to the contractor shall be recognized as start of contract period	As per Cl. No. 4.1.3 of TCC
11	Why the 5% of the invoice value will be released after the completion of the project? Since it is clearly mention in the bid that the contractor should present guarantee bond for the accomplishment of the project and execution of the operation?	As per Cl. No. 5.0.2 of TCC

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## **BB) EXTENSION of LAST DATE:**

The last date for submission of Tender has been re scheduled to  
04/07/2014, 15.00 hrs.

Technical Bid shall be opened on 04/07/2014 at 16.00 hrs

## **CC) REVISED VOLUME-II PRICE BID (RATE SCHEDULE)**

In view of clarifications at **SI No AA** above, bidders may consider to submit their revised price bids in the format issued with the tender specification i.e Volume-II-Price Bid -1270.

In case bidder opts to submit their revised price bids, same shall be submitted on or before the latest due date of offer submission. Revised price bids shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes superscribed with 'Revised Price Bid', tender specification No etc.

**In case any bidder does not submit the revised price bid within scheduled date of offer submission, the earlier price bid shall be considered for further processing of tender.**

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All other Terms and conditions of the Tender Specification shall remain unaltered unless expressly amended by BHEL in writing.

Bidders are requested to submit as a part of Technical Bid, a copy of this corrigendum duly countersigned by the authorized signatory and stamped with the Official seal as a token of Bidder's unqualified acceptance of this corrigendum.

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Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

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