



## Pre bid Queries & Clarifications

Name of the FIELD QUALITY ASSURANCE SERVICES subcontract for Railway Electrification Birlanagar – Etawah 386RKM/440TKM Project

Tender Ref. No.:TOASX00039(NIT\_46641)

Customer : Central Organisation for Railway Electrification

Query raised by the bidder: M/s.Quest Pvt. Ltd.

Date	Sl.No.	Reference clause of Tender Document	Existing provision	Bidder's query	BHEL's clarification
5/6/2019	1	NIT Clause 1 Sl. No. i	Enquiry ref. number: TOAX00038	The reference no. is same for HSE Services. Please clarify?	Necessary correction made. New file uploaded in website.
	2	NIT Clause 1 Sl. No. vii	EMD exemption for Micro and Small enterprises as per clause no 29	Clause 29 stipulates EM – II certificate as essential document for availing exemption. However as current GOI regulations EM – II has been replaced by Udyog Aadhaar Memorandum with effect from 18.09.2015. Please find attached clarification in this regard available at Government site (FAQ). We are a Small Scale service enterprise as per UAM attached. Please confirm that we exempted from payment of EMD as other PSUs and Government organisations consider UAM as valid document.	Yes. UAM (Udyog Aadhaar memorandum ) can be accepted as valid document.
	3	NIT Clause 1 Sl. No. x	Schedule of Pre Bid Discussion on 07.06.2019, 10 AM	While date and time is indicated for pre bid meeting, it is contradicted by stating as "Not Applicable". Please Confirm	Prebid meeting is scheduled on 07.06.2019, 10:00 Hrs.
	4	NIT Clause 1 Sl. No. v	Due date of submission 11.06.2019, Time: 11:00 Hrs	In view of the pre bid meeting scheduled on 07.06.2019, clarifications on EMD and many other clauses given in the subsequent sl. Nos, as well as considering that 8 <sup>th</sup> and 9 <sup>th</sup> are weekend Holidays, we request you to extend the due date of submission to 18.06.2019 and oblige.	Please submit the offer within the due date indicated in NIT. If it is extended, same will be notified.
	5	NIT Clause 1 Sl. No. xiii	Price Bid email submission	How to ensure confidentiality of Price bid submitted vide email?	E-mail offers are secure and confidential and can be handled by authorised BHEL Personnel only after due date/time. They are further protected by passwords/OTP, etc.

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	6	Volume 1 a TCC Clause 4 and clause 6.10	Scope of work	We understand the Engineers have to be mobile (i.e. not permanently posted at any one location) i.e. to move along with the progress of the work (Civil/Structural/Electrification) For instances-engineer stationed at Birlanagar has to commute to work locations (between the stations-where Public Transport may be is not available). Request BHEL to provide accommodation and Local Conveyance free of charges for efficient performance. Please clarify.	Please follow the tender specification
	7	Volume 1 a TCC Clause 4.2	Scope of Fabrication & Erection of Steel Structures:	The scope Includes Inspection of Steel Structures, electrodes, fasteners, Preparation of FQP, Surveillance checks of measuring instruments, devices for testing etc. Ø Who is expected to do this job, Civil Engineers or Electrical Engineers? Ø We feel Mechanical Engineers (Structural) would be best suited. Please Clarify	Civil Engineers are supposed to do the inspection of all structural works
	8	Volume 1 a TCC Clause 4.3	Erection & Commissioning of OHE, TSS, SP, SSP, Traction, Transformer, SCADA and S&T	The Scope includes Welder test, Welder's cards, electrodes, NDT etc. <input type="checkbox"/> Who is expected to do this job, Electrical Engineers? Please clarify	This type of job in this project is very minimal. Our requirement is FQAE should have basic knowledge of Welder test, Welder's cards, electrodes, NDT etc.
	9	Volume 1 a TCC Clause 5.2	Branch of Engineering asked: Civil / Electrical / Electronics and Telecommunication Engg.	Scope & Qualification (Branch of Engg) do not match. What about Structural work? <input type="checkbox"/> Who is expected to do Structural work inspection? Please clarify	Civil Engineers are supposed to do the inspection of all structural works
	10	Volume 1 a TCC Clause 6.5	All measuring & testing Instruments/equipments will be arranged by Bidder at site.	Normally BHEL PE&SD or your vendor who is executing the job is required to arrange all the suitable measuring / testing Equipment at site. We are a Service provider and do not carry inventory of measuring and testing equipment. Further it is not clarified what are the measuring and testing equipment required and in what quantities. Please confirm that BHEL will arrange the same.	All major testing devices will be arranged by BHEL's Execution contractors. However, FQAE are required to keep minimal and small and handy test devices, viz., measuring tape(Non-metal), Electrical tester, Level gauge(water tube),etc. as per need.

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	11	Volume 1 a TCC Clause 6.20 sl. no. 1, 2, 4 and 5	Documents to be submitted for approval of FQAEs during bid and after award of contract,	Are the documents at Sl. Nos 1, 2, 4 and 5 to be submitted with the offer? We will submit this documents after award of contract as is mentioned in 6.20. Please confirm What is meant by Physical Verification of FQAEs?" as per clause 5.2.	BHEL agrees for submission of documents after award of contract as is mentioned in 6.20. Physical verification means, verification of photocopy of credentials submitted by the bidder/s with respective original documents.
	12	Volume 1 a TCC Clause 6.1	Accreditation scope of category should be at least one of the IAF Scope 17, IAF Scope 18 or IAF Scope 19 or IAF Scope 28	Proposed change the clause to "Accreditation scope of category should be IAF Scope 17 and IAF Scope 18 and IAF Scope 19 or IAF Scope 28". Please confirm acceptance.	Please follow the tender specification
	13	Volume 1 a TCC Clause 8.1	Contract Period	The period of contract is for 18 months from the date of letter of award beyond which price variable clause will be applicable on mutually agreed terms. Please clarify?	Price Variation Compensation (PVC) clause will not be applicable even during extended period of contract, if any

Note: Bidders are required to take a print of this clarification, sign & stamp and submit a copy of the same alongwith their offer as a token of acceptance of the same.

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