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Corrigendum-01

Reply to queries from bidders

Name of work: Third Party Quality Auditor (TPQA) in the work of Conversion of Existing Overhead Power Distribution Network with Underground Power Cable Network under Konkan Disaster Mitigation Project in Raigad & Sindhudurg Districts, Maharashtra.

RFP no. HLL/IDS/DMRR/TPQA-UGC/23-24/11

Sl. No.	Tender Reference	Query by bidder / Changes requested by bidder in RFP conditions	Reply by HLL								
1	RFP Section 3 Page 29 The Consultant shall provide the following personnel for completion of the assignment for the duration of the project:	As mentioned in the RFP there are 4 EPC packages and 13 subdivisions under this project we therefore request to the esteemed authority to kindly amend the clause as under: The Consultant shall provide the following personnel for completion of the assignment for the duration of the project: <table border="1"><thead><tr><th>Sl.no.</th><th>Description</th><th>No. of Personnel</th><th>Experience</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>1</td><td>Team leader</td><td>1</td><td>B.Tech (Elec/ECE) 15 years with atleast 2 projects of underground cabling</td></tr></tbody></table>	Sl.no.	Description	No. of Personnel	Experience	1	Team leader	1	B.Tech (Elec/ECE) 15 years with atleast 2 projects of underground cabling	No change. Terms & conditions of RFP prevail
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1	Team leader	1	B.Tech (Elec/ECE) 15 years with atleast 2 projects of underground cabling								

		2	Senior Project Engineer	4	B.Tech (Elec/ECE) 7years with atleast 1 project of underground cabling or RDSS experience	
		3	Quality Control Engineer	1	B.Tech (Elec/ECE) 5 years of Experience	
		4	Finance Expert	1	CA / ICWA /CMA with 5 years of Experience	
		5	Field Engineers (to be deployed in different zones based on direction of HLL EIC)	13	B.Tech/Diploma (Elec/ECE) with 2/3 years of Experience.	
2	RFP Clause at Page 5 & 19	Bid Security / Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) INR 5,000,00/-			No change. Terms & conditions of RFP prevail	
		We request the esteemed authority to kindly amend the clause as:				
		EMD as per the tender conditions shall be accepted in form of Account payee Demand Draft or Bank				

		Guarantee or FDR from any of the Commercial Bank or through online payment	
3	General	<p>Liability of the Consultant:</p> <p>We request to the esteemed authority to kindly include the Liability Clause as under:</p> <p>The liability of the Consultant be limited to the fee received by the Consultant till date. Kindly consider</p>	<p>The following amendments may please be noted:</p> <p>Volume II (GCC) Page 55 5.2 Liability of the Consultant</p> <p>The Consultant shall be liable to HLL for the performance of scope of services in accordance with the provision of this Agreement and for loss suffered by HLL as a result of default of the Consultant in such performance due to his negligence.</p>
4	RFP Section-1 Detailed Notice Inviting RFP	We require additional one week extension from the current date of submission, to ensure the quality & accuracy of our proposal.	<p>Extension given as below:</p> <p>Last Date & time of Submission of online Bids (Bid due date) : 01/04/2024 @15.00 hrs</p> <p>Date & time of opening of Bids: 02/04/2024 @15.00hrs</p>
5	RFP Section-1 Page 9 Clause 1.4.1	Similar works means concurrent TPI/Construction Supervision/Project Management Consultancy/Project Management Agency for laying of Overhead/underground HVT lines, Overhead Power transmission, Subsea cable, subsea pipeline& water supply pipeline etc of atleast 1000 kms in a Cumulative contract for Government Client.	No change. Terms & conditions of RFP prevail

		We Request to add/consider the above highlighted work for Similar type of work	
6	RFP Section-4 Page 30 Clause 4.2 (2) Technical Evaluation Criteria Experience in Underground Cabling projects of HVT Lines (20 marks)	Number of Projects with Underground cabling component of HVT lines, Overhead Power transmission, Subsea cable, subsea pipeline & water supply pipeline and with minimum length of 100 kms under cumulative contract. Doc.proof : Completion / Performance Certificate/ Work orders from respective clients	No change. Terms & conditions of RFP prevail
7	RFP Section-4 Page 30 Clause 4.2 (3) Technical Evaluation Criteria	Doc.proof : Completion / Performance Certificate/ Work orders from respective clients	No change. Terms & conditions of RFP prevail
8	RFP Section-4 Page 30 Clause 4.2 (4.a) Experience of working with concerned end user	Experience of working with Concerned end any state Electricity board/Transmission & Distribution PSU	No change. Terms & conditions of RFP prevail
9	Deployment of Key Personnel	Please confirm 16 Nos Field Engineers CV's is required to submit at Tender Stage or we can submit the CV's at Later Stage. Also Please confirm that the Proposed Key Personnel shall be permanent employee of the firm or we can propose outsourced Key Personnel	Point no. iii in Clause 4.3.2 in Section -4 and 2.4.3 (I) (b) (iii) in Section 2 is modified as below: iii) The Bidder shall present the composition of the proposed staff team, the tasks, which would be assigned to each of them, their timing and prior relevant experience. (Any alternate to key professional

			<p>staff proposed should have equivalent or higher qualifications and experience).</p> <p>CVs of professional staff to be made available to the EIC before commencement of work. Key information should include number of years with the bidder firm, and degree of responsibility held in various assignments during the last seven (07) years. The staff to be deployed by the Consultant should be a Permanent / Contractual employee of the Consultant and not outsourced.</p>
10	RFP Section-1	Provide format for Bank Guarantee for EMD	Format for bank guarantee for EMD along with instructions for taking BG is attached as Annexure along with the Corrigendum-01.

Important Note:

- i. This Corrigendum- 01 shall form part of the RFP document and is to be submitted duly signed & stamped by the bidders along with their Application.
- ii. All other terms & condition of RFP document remains unchanged.
- iii. Prospective bidders are advised to regularly scan through <https://etenders.gov.in/e procure/app>, HLL and HITES website tender page for corrigendum/amendments etc. and separate advertisement will not be made for this.

For HLL Lifecare Ltd

s/d

Vice President (ID) HITES South Operations

(Ref. RPF no. HLL/IDS/DMRR/TPQA-UGC/23-24/11)

Format of Bank Guarantee for Bid Security

{To be on non-judicial stamp paper of min. Rupees One Hundred Only (INR 100/-) or appropriate value as per Stamp Act relevant to place of execution, duly signed on each page.}

Reference No. Bank Guarantee No. Dated:

To:

(RFP inviting Authority)

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Dear Sir/ Madam,

WHEREAS..... [Insert name of the Bidder] with address [Insert address of the Bidder] having its registered office at [Insert address of the Bidder /] (Hereinafter, the "Bidder") wishes to participate in RFP issued by HLL Lifecare Ltd (hereinafter, the "HLL") for the selection of Third Party Quality Auditor (TPQA) in the work of Conversion of Existing Overhead Power Distribution Network with Underground Power Cable Network under Konkan Disaster Mitigation Project in Raigad & Sindhudurg Districts, Maharashtra with No. HLL/IDS/DMRR/TPQA-UGC/23-24/11 (the "RFP").

And WHEREAS a Bank Guarantee for [Amount] valid till[Date] is required to be submitted by the Bidder along with the RFP.

We,[Insert name of the Bank and address of the Branch giving the Bank Guarantee] having our registered office at[Insert address of the registered office of the Bank] hereby give this Bank Guarantee No.[Insert Bank Guarantee number] dated[Insert the date of the Bank Guarantee], and hereby agree unequivocally and unconditionally to pay immediately on demand in writing from the HLL or any officer authorized by it in this behalf any amount not exceeding[Amount] to the said HLL on behalf of the Bidder.

We [Insert name of the Bank] also agree that withdrawal of the Bid or part thereof by the Bidder within its validity or not signing the Contract Agreement or non-submission of Performance Security by the Bidder within the stipulated time of the Letter of Award to the Bidder or any violation to the relevant terms stipulated in the RFP would constitute a default on the part of the Bidder and that this Bank Guarantee is liable to be invoked and encashed within its validity by the HLL in case of any occurrence of a default on the part of the Bidder and that the amount is liable to be forfeited by the HLL.

This Guarantee shall be valid and binding on this Bank up to and inclusive of [Insert the date of validity of the Bank] and shall not be terminable by notice or by Guarantor for the reason of change in the constitution of the Bank or the firm of the Bidder or by any reason whatsoever and our liability hereunder shall not be impaired or discharged by any extension of time or variations or alternations made, given, conceded with or without our knowledge or consent by or between the Bidder and the ~~City~~ HLL

NOTWITHSTANDING anything contained hereinbefore, our liability under this guarantee is restricted to[Amount]. Our Guarantee shall remain in force till[Date]. Unless demands or claims under this Bank Guarantee are made to us in writing on or before[Date], all rights of the Beneficiary under this Bank Guarantee shall be forfeited, and we shall be released and discharged from all liabilities there under.

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.....[Insert the address of the Bank with complete postal branch code, telephone and fax numbers, and official round seal of the Bank]

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.....[Insert signature of the Bank's Authorized Signatory]

Attested

..... [Signature] (Notary Public)

Place:

Date:

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING BANK GUARANTEE

1. Bank Guarantee to be executed on non-judicial stamp paper of appropriate value as per Stamp Act relevant to place of execution.
2. The Bank Guarantee by Bidder shall be given from any Scheduled Commercial Bank based in India.
3. Bank Guarantee shall be valid upto 120 days from last date of submission of bid or any extension thereof.
4. Claim Period should be 3 months from the end of BG validity.
5. The full address along with the Telex/Fax No. and e-mail address of the issuing bank to be mentioned.
6. Account details for taking BG:

Bank: SBI, Commercial Branch,
Thycaud, Trivandrum
A/c No. 30173087695.
Name of A/c: HLL Lifecare Ltd
IFS Code: SBIN0004350