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CLARIFICATION 3

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No:	TES/2019/W-171		
Project:	Survey, Design and Build of Water Supply and Sewerage Networks in 3 islands (Gdh. Vaadhoo, Gdh. Fiyori and B. Kendhoo) and sewerage network in B.Dharavandhoo		
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Please include this amendment when submitting the bid. **بموجب هذا التعديل، يجب تضمين هذا التعديل عند تقديم العطاء.**

- Answers for the queries is attached with this Clarification

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S.No.	Section	Volume and Page.No	Clause No.	Query	Clarification
1	Letter of Bid for Package 171 and 172			<p>We have gone through the Letter of Bid and there are following ambiguities which we would like to clarify:</p> <p>Point No d) - Contractor has to enter its price without GST. Also it giving a reference to point number (e) but point number (e) is about contract completion period.</p> <p>Point No f) - We need to enter the price again at point number (f) . Kindly clarify what price has to be entered here as we have already provided the price at point (d). Also point no. (f) is giving a reference to point no (f) itself which is creating confusion.</p> <p>We hereby recommend following</p> <p>a) Rremove the point number (f) as it is not applicable for this bid.</p> <p>(b) Correct and remove the reference point number (e) provided in point number (d).</p>	Letter of Tender is Attached with this Clarification
2	Letter of Bid for Package 171 and 172			<p>Point No (e) : We hereby recommend that instead of number of days contractor shall be allowed to mention number of months as the Particular Conditions of Contract says number of months and not days. Also we understand that we can enter 18 months here as per the reply to clarifications provided to us. Kindly confirm.</p>	The bidder can enter the duration in Months here
3	Appendix to Bid			<p>Kindly clarify whether the bidder has to fill the appendix to bid or not as Adjustment is not allowed in the tender. If yes kindly clarify whether the value of bid shall be same as what we have to enter in Letter of Bid</p>	Appendix to bid is not applicable, as specified in clause 13.8



4	Section V ; Bidding Forms ;Schedule of Day Work Rates : Labour, Materials and Contractors Equipment	<p>The provided schedules of day works is asking to fill Nominal Quantity.</p> <p>Please note that as per the definition of FIDIC Day work rates are unit rates which are used to cost the variation claim of contractors if there is any additional scope of work arising during contract period.</p> <p>Hence hereby we recommend that the nominal quantity has to be removed for the table and it has to be revised for unit rates. Kindly confirm if the contractor can only provide the unit rates for day works rather than with nominal quantity.</p>	<p>Bill of Quantities given in the tender document should be disregarded in its entirety. Schedule of Activities should be used to price the bid.</p>
5	Section V ; Bidding Forms ; Summary of Specified Provisional Sums	<p>Please note that as per the Particular Conditions of Contract 13.5 (b) , provisional sums is not applicable. Hence, we understand that the "Summary of Specified Provisional Sums" is not applicable. Please confirm.</p>	<p>Provisional sums is applicable. Corresponding addendum will be issued</p>
6	Section V ; Bidding Forms ; Grand Summary	<p>We understand from the Particular Conditions of Contract 13.5 (b) that provisional sums are not Applicable. However, the Grand Summary is asking for three type of Provisional Sums which we understand is not applicable.</p> <p>Also, please clarify the Provisional Sums that is being calculated in the "Bill of Quantities" of each island has to be entered in which row.</p>	<p>Bill of Quantities given in the tender document should be disregarded in its entirety. Schedule of Activities should be used to price the bid.</p>
7	Contract Duration : 12 Months	<p>Based on the local environment we understand that the Design period including land acquisition itself takes 6 to 8 months and hence we recommend to increase the contract duration period to 24 Months from 18 months.</p>	<p>Contract duration will be 24 Months for Water & Sewerage and 18 Months for Sewerage. Corresponding addendum will be issued</p>
8	Water Supply System : Design	<p>We understand the Solar PV cells has to be designed for the RO plant power consumption. Kindly clarify for how many hours for RO Plant power consumption has to be considered for designing the solar system. Or , the system has to be designed only for the Roof area of Admin RO building provided.</p>	<p>RO building/Admin Building should be utilized to install Solar PV. RO Plants are generally designed to run for 20 hours.</p>
9	Train Run and Commissioning	<p>Kindly confirm the period of trial run. Also confirm if we need to operate the plant for 24 hours during trial run or only during day time.</p>	<p>Plant does not need to be operated for 24 hours during trial run.</p>
10	O&M Manuals	<p>Kindly confirm how many copies of O&M Manuals to be provided during detail stage.</p>	<p>03 copies of O&M manuals need to be submitted at the time of handover of the project.</p>



12	Employer facility at Sites	We understand that no employer facility has to be provided at sites. Kindly confirm.	Your Understanding is correct.
13	Control Room at Admin Building	Please note that all skids will have local operational panels and we are not providing any SCADA/PLC Control for the system. Also the lifting stations will be controlled from their control panel located near them. Kindly confirm our understanding.	SCADA/PLC Control is not required for the admin building or Pump stations.
14	Delay damages - 10% of the total Contract Amount	We understand that the Delay Damages will be only on the amount of work (Equivalent Contract Value) left after 18 months and not on the total contract value. Kindly confirm.	Delay damages will be imposed on the total contract price, as specified in clause 8.7
15	Fire Hydrant for the Islands	We understand that there are no fire hydrants/extinguishers to be provided for the Islands as the same line item is not available in the BOQ. Kindly confirm.	Fire Hydrants are not required for the water network
16	Appendix to Bid	I would like to clarify regarding the tables provided in the Tender Document pages 53 to 63	pages reference no.57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62 is not Applicable

