

**Minutes of the Pre-Bid Meeting held on 23rd November 2021 in NIC Conference Hall, Ground Floor, Jalasampad Bhavan, Salt Lake City, Kolkata - 700 091 in connection with the work:**

**“Improvement of Upper Reach of Right Bank Main Canal (RBMC-Upper) from 0.00 km to 50.84 km including all its appurtenant canals within the reach. Package-IRR-09.” - comprising three lots.,**

**Lot-1: “Improvement of Upper Reach of Right Bank Main Canal from 0.00 km to 50.84 km including all its appurtenant canals within the reach except Suvankar Danra & Distributory - 1, 2 & 3 of RBMC.”**

**Lot-2: “Improvement of Suvankar Danra of Right Bank Main Canal including all its appurtenant canals.”**

**Lot-3: “Improvement of Distributory - 1, 2 & 3 of Right Bank Main Canal including all their appurtenant canals.”**

The meeting started at 02:00 pm on 23/11/2021 with Sri D. Sengupta, Chief Engineer & Project Director, SPMU, WBMIFMP, Irrigation & Waterways Directorate, Govt. of West Bengal on Chair.


At the onset, the CE & PD appraised the Bidders about the Bid Securities, Affidavit regarding correctness of information along with different clauses of ITB & BDS, brief description about the work, different component of Work and Contractor’s ESHS-MSIP of Bid Document.

The queries received by email and raised verbally by the Bidders have been addressed during this Pre-Bid meeting.

It was re-iterated here that minutes of Pre-Bid meeting would be duly uploaded in NIC portal and it would not be the part of the Contract Documents.

List of queries by the potential Bidders received through e-mail and also the issues/ queries raised verbally by them during the Pre-Bid meeting along with the responses of the client (I&WD) thereof are enclosed herewith as Annexure-I.

Enclosure: Annexure – I (Queries & Responses)

  
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**LIST OF QUERIES FROM POTENTIAL BIDDERS ALONG WITH RESPONSES OF IWD FOR WBMIFMP/PD/NCB/21-22/IRR09 Dated 09/11/2021**  
 (Tender ID : 2021\_IWD\_349790 )

Sl. No.	Clause Reference & Page No.	Bidder's Queries / Issues	Replies of the Department
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1	Scope of work CI 4.4 Key Activities under the Contract  The location of works are broadly limited within the following canal networks with the appurtenant canals:-	Location of work cannot be identified clearly.  Would request you to kindly elaborate to identify the work area. It is requested to provide Mouja Map of the adjacent area , if available	Bidders to refer the Project Background, Project area included in the Section – VII: Scope of Work. Also Index map included in the Drawing file. Further, bidders may visit sites for better understanding of the scope of work  The bidder may also visit the following website of the Employer for further reference:  <a href="https://wbmifmp-1-1-wbmlhp-sw.hub.arcgis.com/">https://wbmifmp-1-1-wbmlhp-sw.hub.arcgis.com/</a>  <a href="https://wbmifmp.wb.gov.in/(RS/GIS)">https://wbmifmp.wb.gov.in/(RS/GIS)</a>
2	Section A – General Specification CI No.- A-1.3 Drawings  The contractor based on his survey investigation shall submit the working drawings...	We presume that the detailed drawings will be provided and sequence of work will be guided by employer. Please Confirm.	No change to the Bid document provisions as issued. Please see Replies for Sl. 13. No change to the Bid document provisions as issued.
3	BOQ Sl no19 Shuttering  Hire and labour charges for shuttering..... Where staging is required.	Any kind of Shuttering as per specification, which requires vertical prop/support for holding the shuttering below or above Ground level will be applicable for payment under this item. Please confirm.	As per description of BOQ Item 19.00. No change to the Bid document provisions as issued.

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4	GCC 41 Variation in Quantity 41.1 " If the final quantity of the work done differs from the quantity in the BOQ for the particular item by more than 25 percent ,provided the change exceeds 1 percent of the initial contract price ,the Project Manager shall adjust the rate to allow for the change."	We request to amend the clause  "If the final quantity of the work done differs from the quantity in the BOQ for the particular item by more than 25 percent, the Project Manager shall adjust the rate to allow for the change irrespective of the change in initial contract price".	No change to the Bid document provisions as issued.
5	Cement, Reinforcement, Structural Steel, Bought out items	Please specify any particular make is required i.e any approved vendor list is there or we can procure the items from any vendor meeting the specification.	There is no separate vendor list. Materials shall meet the Specifications, mentioned in the Bid Document. No change to the Bid document provisions as issued.
6	Reinforcement steel	Can we supply reinforcement of any tensile strength and Ductility, please confirm.	Materials shall meet the Specifications, mentioned in the Bid Document. No change to the Bid document provisions as issued.
7	Bricks	Whether Fly Ash Bricks can be used, if available	Materials shall meet the Specifications, mentioned in the Bid Document. No change to the Bid document provisions as issued.
8	Storage Area – disposal	Please specify any temporary storage area (Land) for disposal will be provided by Employer.	Please refer Appendix – II/6: Waste Management Plan included in Annexure-II-Package Specific ESMP& Contractor's ESHS-MSIP for further guidance. No change to the Bid document provisions as issued.



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