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Date: 04.01.2018

**Replies to Queries of the Bidders**


**SUB: Replies to queries of the bidders for Tender for Laying & Construction of 6"NB X 6.4 mm THK. (Approx. 6.5 KM) & 4"NB X 6.4 mm THK. Spurline (Approx. 1.3 KM) U/G Steel Pipeline Network & Associated works from Kaspate Vasti to Vishalnagar & from Balwadkar Petrol Pump, Wakad to Azure Paranjape Scheme, Bhumkar Chowk & surrounding area in Pune City for CNG & CGD Network of MNGL, Pune**

REF: Bid Document No. MNGL/C&P/2017-18/99 dated 14.12.2017.

Dear Sir,

Following are the replies to queries of the bidders. Kindly note the same.

SI. No.	Bidder's Query / Clarification	MNGL' Reply
1	As per tender clause we need to submit the 10% performance bank guarantee after award of contract. As the 10% PBG is too high to submit in the beginning of contract, We request you to allow us to submit 5% PBG after award of contract and balance 5% can be retained from each RA Bills.	Tender condition prevails
2	In the SOR items of Road Crossing & Nalla/River Crossing by steel pipeline & MDPE pipeline, It is mentioned to supply and install the CS conduit - 168 mm OD X 6.4 mm thick of API 5L Gr B. or equivalent ERW pipe along with the Steel and MDPE pipeline. Please clarify.	As the CS conduit – 168 mm OD X 6.4 mm thk of API 5L Gr B or equivalent ERW pipe along with the steel and MDPE pipeline is for protection of HDPE duct and OFC. But in this Tender Telecommunication work is deleted from the scope, so consider this item as Deleted.
3	As per clause no. 2.1.1 of SCC, 5% will be released after design of Zn ribbon anodes and 5% after design approval of TCP package. But Zn ribbon anode design is done only for cased crossings. You are requested to combine these two payment breakups as total design TCP package to facilitate the payment.	Agreed
4	As per clause no. 4.2 of SCC, Balance 30% (Liasioning) will be released after handover of compete pipeline. As the major work related to	Tender condition prevails as Liasioning will also require after Hydrotest till commissioning of pipeline.

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	liasioning completes after Hydro-test, You are requested to release balance 30% of Liasioning SOR after Hydrotesting of Pipeline.	
5	<b>Extension for due date of submission of Bid</b>	<b>Due date of submission of bid is extended upto 12.01.2018, 15:00 hours</b>

Please submit the signed & stamped copy of Replies to Queries of the Bidders along with tender document with your techno-commercial offer as a token of acceptance.

All the others terms and conditions of the bid documents are unchanged.

With regards.

Ganesh Said  
Sr. Manager (C&P)