

Pre-bid Reply

Name of Work:		Design and Construction of drinking water supply scheme, of Munger Nagar Nigam under AMRUT and state plan Scheme (Phase II) with six months of Trial run and thereafter operation and maintenance of system for next five years. (A) Construction of DI/CI Distribution Network (Zone-I and Zone-4)- 318.20 Km. Providing house service connection- 26271. SCADA- 2 Nos.- 12799.75 Lakh. (B) Construction of Water Treatment Plant- 34 MLD, Construction of . Floating Jetty, Overhead Service Reservoirs (OHSR)- 5 Nos. (Total Capacity- 11116 KL) Construction of Raw water, Rising main- 2600 Mtr. and clear water rising main- 852 Mtr. house service connection- 12650. SCADA-2 Nos.- 7046.943 Lakh.	
NIT.No and Date:		BUIDCo/Yo-1248/2019-51, Date:20.07.2019	
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1	Page no-5 Clause 4.5 (c)	House Service Connections-19460 Nos- we request to consider 18000 Nos of House Service Connections executed in any one year during last 5 years.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
2	Page no-5 Clause 4.5 (c)	At least 2 Nos of RCC Overhead tanks of cumulative capacity not less than 2820 KL- Please modify as bidder having RCC Over Head Tanks of cumulative capacity not less than 1250 KL in last 5 years.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
3	Page no-5 Clause 4.5 (c)	It has designed, developed, built tested and commissioned at least one water treatment plant of 17 MLD capacities during the last 5 years with any technology preceeding the bid submission due date and the bidder has the experience in operation and maintenance successfully at lease one water treatment plant of 17 MLD capacity of any process technology for a period one year during the last 5 years preceeding the bid submission date-Please consider bidder having experience of 16 MLD WTP with any technology during last five years and with one year O&M.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
4	Page no-5 Clause 4.5 (c)	The bidder has design, developed, build, tested and commissioned at least one intake well structure/jetty of area not less than 205 sqm during in last five years in a any single project. (not in a year during last 5 years)- Please consider one Intake well structure/Jack well as jack well is also a part of intake arrangement for water supply projects.	Bid condition shall be prevail.

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5	BOQ 2A b Distribution Network Item No. i. 100 mm dia CI class LA ii. 150 mm dia CI class LA iii. 200 mm dia CI class LA	As per BOQ item 100mm, 150mm and 200mm dia "CI Class LA" Pipes are required to be provided for distribution main pipeline. Since CI Pipes are outdated and no drinking Water Supply projects are using CI Pipes and Now-a-days all Govt departments are using DI pipes for distribution mains due to durability, ease of handling. Further only few manufacturer are manufacturing CI pipes and that to in very limited Qty. Since ductle iron Pipes are superior to Cast iron pipes, we request you to change the MOC for the same to Ductile Iron pipes.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
6	BOQ_Financial, Boq. No. 4 and BOQ No. 20 O&M Cost in BOQ_Financial document	In financial BOQ Document O&M Cost is fixed with 2% yearly on Capital Cost in the financial bid, and Cumulative for 5 years is 10% of the Capital works cost. Hence we request to allow the bidder to quote cost of O&M works.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
7	Clause 15, pg no. 39 Sales-tax, purchase tax, turnover tax, service tax, entry tax royalty or any other tax on material in respect of this contract shall be payable by the contractor and Government will not entertain any claim whatsoever in repect of the same.	Since GST is in force, we presume that the said clause is not applicable and prices shall be exclusive of GST. BUIDCo shall be paying GST separately on Quoted prices. Please confirm.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
8	BOQ Item No. 16 Transformer -250 KVA	In BOQ Item no. 16, the amount is doubled due to multiplications of "2" in quantity column whereas as Qty is 1 Set only. Please Clarify.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
9	BOQ Item No. 6 Raw Water Rising Main Connecting from jahazghat to WTP	In BOQ item no. 6 Quantity is suppose to be 1 no. the same is not reflected in the column due to which value in amount column is coming to zero. Hence we request you to correct the same.	Revised Financial Sheet Uploaded.

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10	Pg no. 58/CI no. 10CC Price Adjustment	As per the clause, for adjustment of cement and steel indices mentioned in the Tender Document are "Cement", "bars & rods" respectively. Presently indices for these items are not published in the website of Economic Adviser www.eaindustry.nic.in . Hence, Please provide the indices to be adopted for calculation of Price Variation as per present website.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
11	Pg. No. 58/CI No. 10CC Price Adjustment	Please provide the suitable indices to Heavy machinery and parts which is not available in the website.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
12	Pg.No. 60/CI No. 10CC Price Adjustment	Please provide the component weightage for the price adjustment.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
13	Pg No. 90 Payment conditions	We request you to modify the Raw Water and clear water pipe line payment terms. 1. Supply of pipe-75% 2. Lowering, Laying, Jointing filling-20% 3. Disinfection and Testing -5%	Bid condition shall be prevail.
14	BOQ Financial Item No. 9 OHSR	Please provide the capacity and Number of OHSR along with staging height in each zone of total five zones separately to enable us to arrive the better pricing.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
15	BOQ, Financial item No. 13 Approach Road	Please provide the Road crossection with details as per specification.	All available drawings attached. Survey design in scope of bidder.
16	BOQ, financial Item No. 14 Boundary Wall	Please provide the layout drawing of Boundary wall along with Foundation details.	All available drawings attached. Survey design in scope of bidder.
17	EMD Beneficiary Bank Details	As per the latest RBI guidelines we need to submit beneficiary Bank Details for obtaining Bank Guarantees. Hence please provide the beneficiary Bank Details for obtaining EMD Bank Guarantee.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
18	General House Service Connection Drawing	Please provide the layout drawing for House Service Connection to better understanding and costing.	All available drawings attached. Survey design in scope of bidder.

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19	BOQ_Financial 18H to 18 M Road Cutting and Restoration	Quantity of road cutting and restoration is provided in the BOQ, we request you to please provide the road restoration drawings with thickness of Road in Layers to understand the BOQ.	All available drawings attached. Survey design in scope of bidder.
20	General Pipeline	Please provide us the, Line Diagram, L-Sections of the pipeline to understand the Alignment of Pipeline.	All available drawings attached. Survey design in scope of bidder.
21	General Intake-Floating Jetty, WTP, ELSR	We request you to provide us the drawings of Intake structure along with water levels-lowest, minimum & Highest flood levels at Intake, WTP, ELSR's location levels with contours of the location.	All available drawings attached. Survey design in scope of bidder.
22	NIT Clause #04 Last date and time for receipt (upload) of bids date 13.08.2019 upto 05:00 PM	We request you to extend the bid submission dated by atleast 4 weeks from date of pre bid clarification to enable us to submit competitive offer.	No Change.
23	NIT Clause #05 Last date and time for submission of hard copy of bids date 04.08.2019 upto 03:00 PM	We request you to please provide us atleast 2 days time from the date of online submission for hard copy submission at designated location. Please confirm.	No Change.
24	General Electrical Power Provision at consumer premises.	We presume that power till consumer premises shall be provided by client. Please confirm.	Buidco will facilitated to successful bidder.
25	General page #87 Electrical Power & Diesel Consumption Charges.	We presume that electrical consumption & diesel charges during testing, commissioning, trial run, operation and maintenance period shall be borne by client. Please confirm.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
26	General Electrical SLD, P&ID.	We request you to please provide us the Electrical SLD, P&ID for the entire scheme. Please confirm.	All available drawings attached. Survey design in scope of bidder.

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27	<p>Executed in a year during the last 5 years the minimum quantities of the following items of work as indicated in Appendix.</p> <p>House service connection- 19460 Nos</p>	House Service Connections are project requirement oriented component, and their execution depends on project to project needs. Further Execution of Such a huge Quantity in single year requires that qualifying project to have atleast 3 times of the requirement i.e close to 60,000 House Service connection. We believe that no. of such projects having more than 60,000 HSC are very few leaving the competition to few chosen ones. We request to promote the competitive bidding relax the criteria allowing bidders to meet the same in last 5 years.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
28	<p>Executed in a year during the last 5 years the minimum quantities of the following items of work as indicated in Appendix.</p> <p>RCC Overhead Tanks of cumulative capacity not less than 2820 KL</p>	We would like to highlight that the said requirement is repeated in Clause 4.5 (d) wherein the same requirement is allowed to meet in last 5 years. Further we would like to address that Execution of Such Components in single year is not possible, However allowing the requirement to be met from multiple project would attract pity contractor also. we request to kindly delete the requirement and let the Criteria as asked per Clause 4.5 d iii only prevails.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
29	<p>Executed in a year during the last 5 years the minimum quantities of the following items of work as indicated in Appendix.</p> <p>Commissioned pumps:- 03 Nos. (Capacity not less than 130 HP Each/cumulative capacity not less than 390 HP)</p>	Execution of Such Components in single year is not possible. Request to allow the bidders to meet the requirement in last 5 years.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
30	The bidder has design, developed, Build, Tested and Commissioned at least one intakewell structure/jetty of area not less than 205 sqm during in last five years in a any single project.	Requirement of 205 sqm looks a very vague one and as such does not seems to have connection to the success of project. We request to reduce the criteria to 200 sqm. this would allow more bidders to participate in the bidding process and in turns increase the healthy competition.	Bid condition shall be prevail.
31		The tender includes the work of WTP which is a minor component of the work. Request you to allow the experience of Sub contractor for WTP or allow an MOU with a contractor in lieu of experience of WTP in order to enable greater participation in the tender.	Bid condition shall be prevail.