

CLARIFICATIONS FOR THE SUPPLY OF FIELD METERING & MONITORING STUDIES <u>TESTING EQUIPMENT</u> <u>BID REFERENCE: 5610400-02/CB/01/19</u>

SI	Ref	Question	Answer
1	ITB 12h; BSF8	Is it mandatory for bidder to be a manufacturer for said items or bidder shall submit the Manufacturing Authorization form with assurance of availability of spares from our supplier? Please confirm the same	No. A Bidder can be a Manufacturer or a Supplier. However, to ensure timely execution of the contract, quality and smooth execution of guarantees, the Supplier must be an authorised dealer of a Manufacturer.
2	ITB 22; BSF6	Please clarify and confirm if Bid Security issued by an Insurance Company will be acceptable for this Tender.	No. A Bid Security from an Insurance Company will not be accepted. ITB 22 states that the Bid Security must be issued by a Bank
3	ITB 23	 "The written confirmation of authorization to sign on behalf of and bind the Bidder shall consist of: A written Power of Attorney issued by the Bidder and signed by the Company's Directors if any." Can one director sign the power of attorney? Or all the directors of the organization must sign? Please clarify. 	Each Organization has its own process for issuing a Power of Attorney. If that process accepts one Director authorizing and another Director to sign the Bid, then this is acceptable.

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4	Scope of Work	Does the Scope of Work includes Supply of Spares and Special Tools along with main product? Please confirm.	Yes, Per the table in the IFB, SR3, Bidders are to <i>"Price Spare Parts made up of a List items and quantities of major assemblies, components and selected spare parts likely to be required during the initial one (1) year period of operation.</i>
5	Scope of Work	Does the Scope of Work includes Installation, Commissioning, Testing & Training of main product/equipment? Please confirm.	No. It is expected that meters supplied by the Contractor shall be in ready-to-use condition. With regards to testing and training, it is expected that contractor shall provide training to survey staff and manuals on how to use the meters by remote means (either via Skype or Webex).
6	Section III (Price of Spare Parts)	Price to be Quoted Do we need to quote for Supply of Spares and Special Tools along with main product? Please confirm.	Bidders are to Price the List of Spare Parts required for the one (1) year of operation of the particular item, but this does not form part of the Bid Price for the specific item.
7	Scope of Work	Price to be Quoted Do we need to quote for Installation, Commissioning, Testing & Training of main product/equipment? Please confirm.	See SI No.5 above.
8	ITB 9.3	Since, we are keen in participating for this bidding process, considering the confusion in Scope of Work and Price to be Quoted, causing delay in preparing our technically compliant & commercially competitive bid, we humbly request you to kindly extend the Bid submission and opening date by at-least Two Weeks i.e. up to 25/02/2019 (25 th February 2019) enabling us to submit a technically compliant and commercially competitive bid	There will not be any extension to the date of submission.