

### Reply to the Queries of Bidders

S. No.	RfP Reference No.	RFP Clause / Observation	Bidder's Request	PFCCL Reply
1.	Section-1 Eligibility Criteria Part iii.....Page No. 8 & Technical Proposal Part B. Evaluation...Page 12	<p>The Consulting Organization should have undertaken/ handled technical consultancy/ project management consultancy assignment as Consultant in the last seven (07) years i.e. period from Indian FY 2015-2016 onwards including the current Financial Year till date of issue of the tender for at least Three (03) projects of 110 KV or above switchyard/ Substation and 110 KV or above transmission Line, each project having value not less than Rs.13 lakh</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Two (02) projects of 110 KV or above switchyard/ Substation and 110 KV or above transmission Line, each project having value not less than Rs.16 lakh</p> <p>Or</p> <p>One (01) project of 110 KV or above switchyard/ Substation and 110 KV or above transmission Line having project value of Rs.26 lakh</p> <p>&amp;</p> <p>The marks will be allocated as follows: One assignment = 40 marks, Two assignments = 50 marks, Three assignments or more = 60 marks) Max marks 60.</p>	<p>The two clauses appear to be contradicting.</p> <p>As per the Eligibility Criteria if one project value exceeds 26 lakhs this is equivalent to 3 projects with project value of 13 lakhs.</p> <p>But as per the Evaluation Criteria one, two and three projects have different scoring which is contradictory to the eligibility criteria.</p> <p>Please amend the evaluation criteria to be consistent with the eligibility criteria.</p>	The provision of clause is self-explanatory. No change is envisaged.
2.	Section-1 Part 12.1 Terms of	40 % of the Consultancy Fee linked with	Consultant will deploy	No change is envisaged.

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	Payment point ii .... Page 13	<p>the disbursement to the Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) contractor by Goa Electricity Department (GED) as follows.</p> <p>(a) 20 % of the Consultancy Fee linked with the disbursement to the Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) contractor against supply of material on Pro rata basis.</p> <p>(b) 20 % of the Consultancy Fee against Testing and Commissioning of substation equipment and Transmission line Tower on Pro rata basis.</p>	<p>personnel for the entire duration as specified.</p> <p>Since the consultant can only oversee but cannot direct the work of the EPC contractor, hence does not have control over EPC contractor work progress, it is requested to delink payment to the consultant from contractor.</p>	
3.	Section-2, Form 10 Contract Agreement, Part 6.3 (c).....Page 34	<p>If additional work is required beyond the scope of the Services specified in Letter of Award, the estimated periods of engagement of Personnel set forth in Letter of Award may be increased by agreement in writing between the Owner and the Consultants, provided that any such increase shall not, except as otherwise agreed, cause payments under this Contract to exceed the ceilings set forth in Clause 8 of this Contract.</p>	<p>We understand that any work beyond the scope of services specified in the LoA, the estimated periods of engagement of personnel will be increased with a commensurate increase in the consultant fee based on mutual agreement and that this will be in addition to the quoted fee for the original works and time periods and engagement durations.</p> <p>Please confirm if additional deployment period or change in scope will be paid in addition to the fee for original scope and duration.</p>	<p>The provision of clause is self-explanatory. No change is envisaged.</p>

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4.	General	Bid Submission deadline	It is requested that the Bid submission deadline may be set for at least 3 weeks from the date of publishing of pre-bid clarifications for us to make a competitive bid.	Bid submission date is 17.12.2020 at 3:00 PM.
5.	FORM-8: UNDERTAKING (To be submitted on the Bidder's letter head) (FORMAT OF UNDERTAKING TO BE FURNISHED WITH REGARD TO BLACKLISTING/ NON-DEBARMENT)	We hereby confirm and declare that we M/s _____, are not blacklisted/ De-registered/ debarred by any Government department/ Public Sector Undertaking/ Private Sector/ or any other agency for which we have Executed/ Undertaken the works/ Services during the last 5 years.	Please confirm that the bidders whose debarment is not subsisting on the date of submission are eligible to bid.	The provision of clause is self-explanatory.
6.	FORM 10-CONTRACT AGREEMENT Clause 5.8	Liability of the Consultants	It is requested to include the following points under clause 5.8 with a view to limit the liability on the consultant to the contract value. (c) the total cumulative liability of the Consultant, howsoever arising under the Agreement shall in no event exceed the total fee received by it hereunder. (d) the Consultant shall not be liable for any indirect, remote or consequential damages.	No change is envisaged.