



Prequalification Circular No. 03

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PROJECT : PRE-QUALIFICATION OF CONTRACTORS FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF DESIGN, BUILD, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN CONTRACT FOR MUSAI MEER PUMPING STATION AND OUTFALL PROJECT
PROJECT ID : IA 14/15 C 015 G
SUBJECT : RESPONSES TO PQ QUERIES

Applicants are hereby informed of the following amendments, clarifications and elaboration to the Pre-qualification Document for the above referenced project:

#	Query	PWA Response
1	Due to the substantial change in outfall methodology outlined in your Information Bulletin dated 2 June 2014 we ask you to kindly consider an extension of four weeks to the submission date.	The date for delivery of Pre-Qualification submissions is hereby extended by four weeks to 12:30 local Doha time (GMT+3 hours) on 28 July 2014.
2	Please advise if Ashghal plans to update the PQ documents to reflect the new requirements and by when.	The Pre-Qualification Document is hereby amended as follows: Part 1-Pre-Qualification Procedures 1. Please incorporate the enclosed revised pages 24R1, 25R1 & 26R1. Part 2-Work Requirements 1. Paragraph 1.2, change "7.1 km" to "10 km" 2. Paragraph 2.1, delete "Dry Well Chamber" as a main structure and add "Tunnel design life 50 years". 3. Paragraph 3.2, add "10 Submersible pumps with discharge piping rated at approximately 2.4 m ³ /sec capacity each" 4. Paragraph 3.3, "Not Applicable" Paragraph 3.5 is replaced. (Please refer to Part 2 – Work Requirements – Rev. 1-enclosed)

3	Please advise if Ashghal intends to revise the PQ submission date.	Please refer to the response to item 1 above
4	<p>The project appears composed of two very different parts, the pumping station and the outfall. The two parts require different skills and experience, not frequently present in one contractor organisation; therefore the project as it stands now very likely requires the creation of joint venture.</p> <p>Does Ashghal consider breaking the project in to two separate ones, i.e. Pumping Station and Outfall?</p>	At this stage Ashghal has no plans to break the project in to two separate ones.
5	<p>Please note that Section 3 Qualification Criteria 6 Experience Item 8 experience in the reliable Operation and Maintenance of pump stations, post construction, states a requirement that is clearly outside the usual range of activity of civil contractors. Typically a contractor that is required to operate & maintain the works for a period of time after completion will subcontract this activity to an O&M specialist whose experience complies with the client requirement. We suggest that the above item 8 is revised to reflect this situation.</p>	Please provide the information requested. If you do not have required direct experience then provide details of your experience of managing subcontractors who provide this service.
6	<p>I'm just wanna about the Tender Bond and Tender Submission for the project "Design, Build, Operate and Maintain Contract for Musaimeer Pumping Station and Outfall" with the TI Ref No. 22208881.</p>	<p>Your query is not clear. Please clarify what your query is.</p>

All other information and conditions remain unchanged.

This circular shall not be included in the submitted prequalification document.

Regards



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