



### Prequalification Circular No. 05

From : Manager of Contracts Department  
To : All Applicants  
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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:

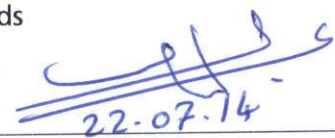
#	Query	Response
1	Kindly confirm if experience requirements listed under point 7 at page 22 of prequalification procedure referring to experience in construction of marine outfall pipes 1400mm and 1000mm diameter are still valid after modification of technical solution from subsea piping to concrete lined tunnel. Actually we don't understand reason why eligibility of contractors for construction of tunnel has to be based on piping.	The diffuser field is expected to involve multiple large diameter pipes laid in trenches in the sea bed. Applicants are hereby advised that it is not necessary for them to demonstrate experience of multiple pipe marine outfalls.
2	Please let us know if you plan to issue another prequalification circular with detailed requirements about contractors experience in tunneling.	Please provide details of your experience that are most relevant to this proposed project, which is intended to be constructed primarily by tunneling.
3	Please provide a new drawing of the plan-profile draft to the new outfall point.	The tunnel alignment has not been finalised. Its western (upstream) point will be approximately 1km south of Doha airport but its eastern (downstream) extent remains subject to approval by relevant authorities.
4	Please provide geotechnical survey results for the seabed along the route of the outfall tunnel.	Geotechnical information will be provided at a later stage of the tendering process.
5	With regard to the minimum required	Please refer to the responses to items 1 and

	experience in the construction of large marine outfall specified in Point No. 7 on page 22, please advise if this requirement is still applicable, or will it change as a result of the change in outfall methodology.	2 above.
6	With regard to the minimum required experience in the construction of large stormwater and wastewater pump stations specified in point No. 5.2 on Page 22, it is mentioned that at least one pumping station with a capacity of 5m <sup>3</sup> /s or more, and static lift of 10m shall have been constructed in the Gulf Region. Please advise if experience in the construction of similar pumping stations in other parts of the world will meet the requirement.	Applicants shall submit experience that satisfies the stated requirements as closely as possible.
7	Would Ashghal accept a Consortium type of association of two companies to bid and execute this project or will Ashghal insist on a Joint Venture type of association? Please note that in either case we would state that both parties are "wholly and severally liable".	Applicants must comply with the eligibility requirements as stated in Point 4 of Page 4 of the Pre-Qualification Document, Part 1 – Pre-Qualification Procedures.
8	At the end of the execution phase of the project and upon receiving the Construction Completion Certificate, would Ashghal allow the party of the association that is not involved in the Maintenance and Operation to pull out and convert the contract to remain ONLY with the party that will be carrying on the Maintenance and Operation?	No.

All other information and conditions remain unchanged.

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

Regards

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22.07.14

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