

**National Highways & Infrastructure Development Corporation Ltd.**

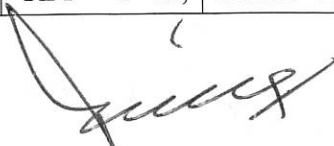
**Technical Division**

**Subject: Consultancy Service for Authority's Engineer for**

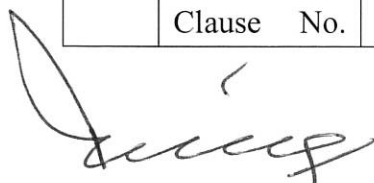
- (i) Construction of 1000m length Viaduct at Rangpo between km 51.100 to km 53.900 on Sevoke –Gangtok Road NH-10 (Old NH-31A) in the State of West Bengal/Sikkim.
- (ii) Construction of up-gradation of existing road to 2-lane with paved shoulder including geometric improvement from km. 0.000 to km. 26.706 in Rhenok-Rorathang-Pakong of NH-717A on EPC basis under SARDP-NE Phase 'A' in the State of Sikkim.
- (iii) Construction/up-gradation of existing road to 2-lane with paved shoulders including geometric improvement of NH-510 from km. 0.000 to km. 32.500 (Singtam-Tarku-Rabongla-Legship-Gyalshing) on EPC basis under SARDP-NE Phase 'A' in the State of Sikkim –
- Reply to Pre Bid Queries - reg.**

S.No	Reference	Pre-bid query	Reply
1	RFP P-64, Enclosure-A	The RFP has the requirement of Senior Contract Specialist for a period of 36 months for a construction period as per Enclosure –A page-64 of the RFP document. We would like to bring to your kind notice that the Senior Contract Specialist generally doesn't require full time on site. Hence, it is requested to provide Senior Contract Specialist for a period of 12 months	Refer Corrigendum No. - 1
2	RFP P-61 Clause No. (12.1) and P- 49 to 53, Appendix C-3.(Clause No. II, VI, VII).	Please refer Section 6: Terms of Reference for Authority Engineer Para no. 12.1 on page 61 of the RFP, mention that the total Time period of assignment will be 36 months for Construction period+48 months for Maintenance Period with reduced man power. However, In Section 5: Format for Financial Proposal on page no. 49 to 53, the Months provided for Support Staff, Office Supplies, Utilities and Communication, Office Furniture and Equipment (Serial No. II, VI and VII of Appendix C-3 of Financial Format) are 36 months after Construction Period and 0 months in Maintenance Period.	S.No. II, VI and VII of Appendix C-3 has been modified keeping in view the requirement during maintenance period. Financial Format has been modified accordingly. Refer Corrigendum No.1, Annexure-A
3	RFP P-5, Clause No. 6.	Please refer Section 1: Information to Consultants, Point No. 56 of page 5, "a bid security of Rs. 2,00,000 (Two Lakh) in the form of a Bank Guarantee". We request you to reduce the amount of bid security to Rs. 50,000/- in the	As per RFP

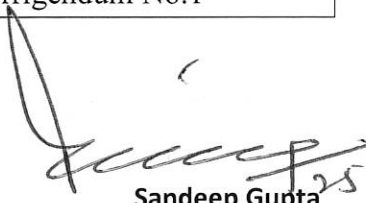
		form of Bank Guarantee, which is generally followed by NHAI/MoRTH	
4	RFP P-26, Clause No. 3(a)	Please refer DATA SHEET of RFP Page no. 26, Sub criteria for qualification of Team Leader cum Highway Engineer, Desirable Experience "Experience in Supervision of Highway construction with Rigid/Flexible pavement of minimum 50 km of 4/6 lane or 2 Lane equivalent); We request you to consider 25 km (40% of total length) of 2/4/6 lane instead of 50 km mentioned in the RFP	As per RFP
5	RFP P-23, Data Sheet (Sub criteria for qualification)	Kindly refer sub criteria of each Key Personnel. Please provide full marks of Employment with the Firm more than 1 year as per general Trend of RFP.	As per RFP
6	RFP P- 40, Appendix B-5,	Please refer Section 4. Appendix B-5, page 40: Format of Curriculum Vitae (CV) for proposed professional staff, where you have mentioned "Snap Shot of CV as per the details on INFRACON Portal). We generally follow to take the print out of the entire CV uploaded by the Key Personnel in the INFRACON which covers the entire details of Key Personnel and submit along with Basic details of the Key Personnel and Certifications by the Key Personnel & Firm" We request you to consider the above format which is easily evaluate by the Client .	As per RFP
7	RFP P-43, Appendix B-6.	Please refer RFP Page 43, APPENDIX B-6: TIME SCHEDULE FOR PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL, To be submitted by the Selected Bidders at the time of Contract Negotiations), Please confirm whether we need to submit the Appendix B-6 along with Technical Proposal. Please clarify.	As per RFP.
8	RFP P-44, Appendix B-7.	Please refer RFP Page 44, APPENDIX B-7; ACTIVITY (WORKS) SCHEDULE. TO BE SUBMITTED BY THE Selected Bidder at the time of contract Negotiations), Please confirm whether we need to submit the Appendix B-7 along with Technical Proposal. Please clarify.	As per RFP.
9	RFP P-45,	Please refer RFP Page 45, AFFIDAVIT FOR	As per RFP.



	AFFIDAVIT FOR CORRECTNESS OF CV OF KEY PERSONNEL AND EXPERIENCE CLAIMED BY THE FIRMS	CORRECTNESS OF CV OF KEY PERSONNEL AND EXPERIENCE CLAIMED BY THE FIRMS, to be submitted by the Selected Bidders at the time of Contract Negotiations), Please confirm whether we need to submit the AFFIDAVIT FOR CORRECTNESS OF CV OF KEY PERSONNEL AND EXPERIENCE CLAIMED BY THE FIRMS along with Technical Proposal. Please clarify.	
10	RFP P- 48, Appendix C-2,	Please refer Format of Financial Proposal, Please in Appendix C-2 –Summary of Costs where you have included in the Point No. IX –Survey Equipment with Survey Party and Vehicle cost. At the same time you have not mentioned Appendix C-3: Breakdown of costs Point No. IX: Deleted. Pls. clarify.	Break down of cost at point no. IX in Appendix C-3 has now been included. Please refer Corrigendum- No.1
11	RFP P-61, Clause No. 11.2.	Please refer TOR of RFP, Point no.11.2, Page 61. “the age of the Key Personnel should not be more than 70 years on the date of submission of proposal” and Enclosure-B Qualification of Key Personnel, the Position of Material Engineer and Sr. Contract Specialist where you have mentioned that the age limit is 65 years. Since the provision are contradictory, we request you to consider the age of the Key Personnel should not be more than 70 years on the date of submission of proposal for all Key Personnel.	Please refer Corrigendum no. 1.
12	RFP P-17, Clause No-4.	Please refer Point no. 4 of RFP Page 17, “Electronic form to be uploaded on the E-tendering portal of Employer <a href="https://www.eprocure.gov.in">https://www.eprocure.gov.in</a> after generating team ID on INFRACON <a href="https://www.infracon.nic.in">https://www.infracon.nic.in</a> ” We understand that NHIDCL E-procurement site is <a href="https://nhidcl.eproc.in">https://nhidcl.eproc.in</a> . Please clarify can we upload the Technical Proposal and Financial Proposal in <a href="https://nhidcl.eproc.in">https://nhidcl.eproc.in</a> also.	As per RFP
13	RFP P- 62, Clause No.	We request client to provide extension of bid submission date by 15 working days, after receipt	As per RFP



	14.	of replies to pre-bid queries.	
14	RFP P-13, Clause No. 3.3.(vi).	Kindly clarify, can we consider 15% in support staff and sub-professional staff.	As per RFP
15	RFP P-6, Clause No. 11 (A)	Format of Project Description Sheet (PDS) is not given in RFP, kindly provide PDS format.	As per RFP
16	RFP P- 49 to 53, Appendix C-3.(Clause No. II, VI, VII).	The man month of Support staff, office supplies, Utilities communication & office furniture equipment given only 36 months; Please provide break up for Maintenance and Defect liability period (48 months)	S.No. II, VI and VII of Appendix C-3 has now been modified keeping in view the requirement during maintenance period. Financial Format has been modified accordingly. Refer, Annexure-A of Corrigendum No.1

  
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