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Prequalification Document of Rehabilitation of Akram Wah Canal

PK-SIDA-364633-CW-RFB SWAT/AW/01-LOTS -Two (2)

Dear All,

Please find enclosed herewith the minutes of pre-application meeting held on 11th January, 2024 at SIDA Secretariat Hyderabad for information and record.

Enclosure: Minutes of Meeting, Clarification Matrix (Annex-A)

Pritam Das

Managing Director

Sindh Irrigation & Drainage Authority

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- Chief Engineer Kotri Barrage, Hyderabad.
- Project Coordinator PCMU, Karachi.
- Director Left Bank Canals A WB, Hyderabad
- Director Procurement PCMU SWAT, Karachi
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- Chairman SIDA, Hyderabad
- Project Director (SWAT) SIDA, Hyderabad.
- GMs All SIDA, Hyderabad
- Procurement Specialist / Manager SIDA.



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Minutes of the Pre-Application Meeting

Date/Time/Venue: 11th January, 2024/11:30 am/Committee Room of SIDA
Assignment Title: Prequalification Document of Rehabilitation of Akram Wah Canal
Project ID: P167596
Loan/Credit No: 7255-PK
Reference No: PK-SIDA-364633-CW-RFB SWAT/AW/01-LOTs-Two (2)
Country: Islamic Republic of Pakistan

The Managing Director (MD) of Sindh Irrigation and Drainage Authority (SIDA) chaired the meeting. After recitation from Holy Quran, the MD welcomed all the participants present in person and online to attend the meeting. The meeting was held to discuss the PQ document for prequalification of bidders for the improvement and rehabilitation works of Akram Wah Canal. The list of participants, is attached as Annex A.

After a round of introductions, the Procurement Specialist (PS), SIDA briefed the participants on the purpose and objectives of the meeting. The procurement consultant (FAO) followed a section-wise approach to explain the important instructions, requirements provided in data sheet to the participants along with eligibility and qualification criteria given in Section III to be met by the applicants.

Afterwards, the queries from the representatives of the bidders regarding eligibility requirements as individual and JV, the requirements of financial resources, the construction experience and performance, and the joint venture arrangements were responded during the meeting. The Procurement Specialist SIDA also explained the detailed scope of works (Section VII) under Lot 1 and Lot 2 to the participants. The Procurement Specialist SIDA described the main activities and outputs of each lot, such as the survey and design, the civil works and the mechanical works. The written responses to queries received in writing during the meeting are attached as Annex A.

The Procurement Specialist SIDA requested all the participants to submit any additional queries in writing, in accordance with ITA 7.1 of the PQD. The Employer will respond to any request for clarification received no later than 14 days prior to the deadline for submission of applications.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to and from the Chair.

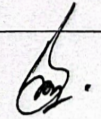
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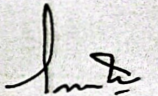
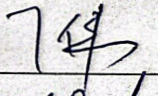
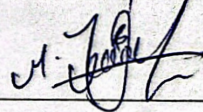
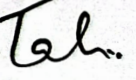
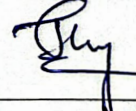
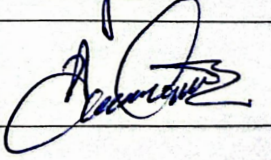
Procurement Committee

S#	Name	Designation	Status	Deptt/Firm	Signature
1	Mr. Mir Ghulam Ali Talpur	PD SWAT	Chairperson	SIDA/ID	Out of Station
2	Mr. Jai Ram Motwani	GMO	Member	SIDA	Online
3	Mr. Naeem Ahmed Memon	GMF	Member	SIDA	Out of Station
4	Mr. Ghulam Mustafa Ujjan	GMT	Member	SIDA	Out of Station
5	Ms. Fareeha Mahar	Director Procurement PCMU	Member	PCMU	Out of Station
6	Mr. Muhammad Kamil Abbasi	Procurement Specialist / Manager	Secretary	SIDA	
7	Mr. Naeem Abbas	Procurement Specialist	Procurement support and advice to the PC	FAO	Online

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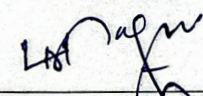
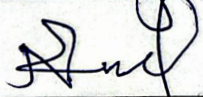
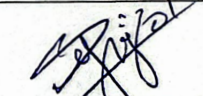
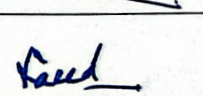
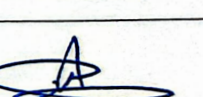
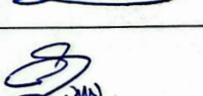
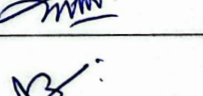
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	Irshad Ahmad Bano	Chief Control.	ACE	0334-9725376	
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Annex A

S#	Clarification	Response
1	Referring to Section 1- Instructions to Applicants (ITA), Part C. Preparation of Applications, if a contractor wants to be prequalified for both lots, please confirm if a separate set of Prequalification Application is required for each lot or a single set for both lots shall be enough?	Yes, a separate Prequalification Application indicating the Lot No. is required for each Lot.
2	2. Referring to Section-III Qualification Criteria and Requirements, 4.1(a), 4.2(a), 4.2(b), 4.2(c), please confirm whether the projects completed prior to 1 January 2018, can also be used to demonstrate General and Specific Experience or only those projects which have been completed after 1 January 2018, shall be considered?	Only those projects which have been completed after 1 January 2018, will be considered.
3	Referring to Section V, Eligible Countries, it is to mention that the said section has been left blank. Please fill out the missing part.	As per the Guidance Note given in Section V, it is, "None".
4	Referring to Section-II, Qualification Criteria and Requirements, ITA 11.1 (d), The company's Health and Safety Policy and The Company's Anti-Corruption Policy are required. Please clarify, in case of JV, whether the leader has to provide the said policies or all members of JV are required to provide.	All members of the JV are required to provide company's Health and Safety Policy and The company's Anti-Corruption Policy.
5	This is in reference to Prequalification Documents for the project Rehabilitation of Akram Wah Canal under Sindh Water and Agriculture Transformation (SWAT) Project, Section II, PDS clause 10.1 it is mentioned that <i>"This Prequalification document has been issued in the English language.</i> <i>All correspondence exchange shall be in English language.</i> <i>The Application as well as all correspondence shall be submitted in English."</i> However, there is no mention in the Prequalification Documents that if any document being a part of the Application, is in a language other than English it should be Notarized as well. Secondly, as per the normal practice, the documents are not required to be notarized at the prequalification stage. However, the notarization of	Please note that the same query was raised and responded accordingly during the pre-application meeting held on 11 January 2024 in the SIDA Secretariat. Please follow the instructions given ITA 10.1 of PDS, Section II of the PQ document. Please make sure that <i>The Application as well as all correspondence shall be submitted in English</i> as was guided during the meeting.

the documents is generally submitted at the bidding stage.

In view of this, please clarify if a simple translation of that document into English language would be acceptable?

Yes, a simple translation of that document into English language would be acceptable.

However, it is the responsibility of the Applicant to ensure accuracy of English translation in view of ITA 10.1 of Section 1 as reproduced below.

10.1 The Application as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the prequalification exchanged by the Applicant and the Employer, shall be written in the language specified in the PDS. Supporting documents and printed literature that are part of the Application may be in another language, provided they are accompanied by an accurate translation of the relevant passages in the language specified in the PDS, in which case, for purposes of interpretation of the Application, the translation shall govern.