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निविदा दस्तावेज़ / TENDER DOCUMENT
FOR
PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR

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बोली हेतु आमंत्रण (आईएफबी)

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

SECTION - I

INVITATION FOR BID [IFB]

Ref No: BCPL/C&P/LE26S173OR/00132/R1 **Date: 17.11.2026**

To,

PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

SUB: TENDER DOCUMENT FOR PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR

Dear Sir/Madam,

1.0 Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited, Lepetkata (A Government of India Enterprise) invites bids from bidders for the subject supply/job, in complete accordance with the following details and enclosed Tender Documents.

2.0 The brief details of the tender are as under:

(A)	SCOPE OF SUPPLY /PROCUREMENT	PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR
(B)	TENDER NO. & DATE	This Document shall form integral part of Government e-Marketplace (GeM) Bid No. GEM/2026/B/8268522
(C)	TYPE OF BIDDING SYSTEM	**Domestic Competitive e-Bidding (Under Two Bid System Basis).**
(D) (i)	CONTRACT PERIOD	Contract to be valid for 12 months from placement of FOA/PO/Gem order. Entire quantity (266750 KG) to be supplied in staggered lots as per intimation of BCPL on FOT basis.
(D) (ii)	DELIVERY SCHEDULE	a) 1st lot: Approximate 60000kg - 70000kg (According to packing size) to be delivered within 60 days from the date of award of order. b) Subsequent lots of approximately 60000kg - 70000kg (according to packing size) to be delivered within 60 days after getting intimation from BCPL. c) In case there is any change in the delivery schedule at any point of time, the same shall be intimated to Vendor in writing at least 15 days in advance. d) BCPL reserves the right to amend the delivery schedule at the time of placement of order. e) Date of receipt of material at BCPL Lepetkata site shall be considered as date of delivery and the same shall be considered for calculation of PRS. Date of manufacturing of the supplied material shall not be

		more than 03 month from the date of dispatch.
(E)	BID SECURITY / EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT (EMD) *[Itemized or Lump sum as per site requirement]*	APPLICABLE: √ NOT APPLICABLE: x Amount: **Rs.20 Lakhs** As per GeM bidding document (Refer clause no.16 of ITB & BDS for details)
(E1)	DECLARATION FOR BID SECURITY	Bidders who are allowed for exemption as per clause no.16.9 are required to submit Declaration for Bid Security in bid as per proforma at Form F-2A
(F)	TRANSIT INSURANCE	Transit Insurance is in the scope of BCPL
(G)	SECURITY DEPOSIT	**Applicable:** @ 5% of Total Order/ Contract Value within 30 days of FOA/ notification of award.
(H)	GUARANTEE/WARRANTY	As per SCC
(I)	PRICE BASIS	FOT Lepetkata basis (for domestic bidders)
(J)	REPEAT ORDER CLAUSE	As per ITB Clause no. 46
(K)	AWARD CRITERIA	BCPL will evaluate and compare the Price bids of the techno-commercially qualified bidders whose bids are previously determined to be substantially responsive pursuant to "ITB: Clause-29". Bid(s) of techno-commercially acceptable bidder (s) will be evaluated on item wise L1 basis and will be considered for award.
(L)	METHODOLOGY FOR EVALUATION OF BID:	Please refer **BEC**
(M)	ORDER OF PRECEDENCE	In case of an irreconcilable conflict between RFQ Covering Letter/IFB, Instruction to Bidders, Special conditions of contracts (Goods) & General conditions of contracts (Goods) the following shall prevail to the extent of such irreconcilable conflict in the order of precedence: i) RFQ Covering Letter/IFB ii) Special Conditions of Contract iii) Instruction to bidders iv) General Conditions of Contracts (Goods)
(N)	DATE, TIME & VENUE OF PRE-BID MEETING	**Through video Conference on prior intimation of participation by interested bidders to the**

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		undersigned at email id. olivia.rajkumari@bcplindia.co.in Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited, C&P Department, Administrative Building, PO: Lepetkata, Distt.:DIBRUGARH, Assam, Pin Code:786006, Phone no. 0373 2914636.
(O)	CONTACT DETAILS OF TENDER DEALING OFFICER	Name : Olivia Rajkumari Designation: CM (C&P) Phone No. & Extn : Mobile No.: 7399018425 E-mail : olivia.rajkumari@bcplindia.co.in
(P)	DEALING BCPL'S OFFICE ADDRESS	Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited (A Government of India Enterprise), C&P Department, Administrative Building, PO: Lepetkata, Distt.: DIBRUGARH, Assam, Pin Code:786006,

In case of the days specified above happens to be a holiday in BCPL, the next working day shall be implied w.r.t. bid opening (mentioned in GeM bid) and pre bid meeting, etc.

3.0 Bids must be submitted strictly in accordance with Clause No. 11 of ITB (Section-III). The IFB is an integral and inseparable part of the Tender Document.

4.0 Bid must be submitted only on GeM Portal (https://gem.gov.in/). Further, the following documents in addition to uploading in the bid on GeM Portal shall also be submitted in Original (in physical form) within 7 (seven) days from the Bid Due Date provided the scanned copies of the same have been uploaded in GeM Portal by the bidder along with e-bid within the Bid Due Date & Time, to the address mentioned in Bidding Data Sheet (BDS) [Annexure-IV to Section-III]:-

i) EMD/Bid Security / Declaration for Bid Security
ii) Integrity Pact (as applicable)
iii) Line of credit (if applicable)

5.0 Bidder(s) are advised to submit their bid strictly as per terms and conditions of the Tender Documents and not to stipulate any deviations/exceptions.

6.0 Any bidder, who meets the Bid Evaluation Criteria (BEC) and wishes to quote against this Tender Document, may download the complete Tender Document alongwith its amendment(s) if any from GeM Portal and submit their Bid complete in all respect as per terms & conditions of Tender Document on or before the Bid Due Date & Time.

7.0 Bid(s) received from bidders to whom tender/information regarding this Tender Document has been issued as well as offers received from the bidder(s) by downloading Tender Document from GeM Portal shall be taken into consideration for evaluation & award provided that the Bid is found responsive subject to provisions contained in Clause No. 2 of ITB (Section-III).

The Tender Document calls for offers on single point "Sole Bidder" responsibility basis (except where Consortium bid is allowed pursuant to clause no. 3.0 of ITB) and in total compliance of Scope of Supply /Specification(s) as specified in Tender Document.

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8.0 Any revision, clarification, corrigendum, time extension, etc. to this Tender Document will be hosted on the GeM Portal only. Bidders are requested to visit the GeM Portal regularly to keep themselves updated.

9.0 All the bidders including those who are not willing to submit their bid, are required to submit F-6 (Acknowledgement cum Consent letter) duly filled within 7 days from the date of receipt of tender information.

10.0 SAP generated Request for Quotation (RFQ), if any shall also form an integral part of the Tender Document.

11.0 **Bidders are required to update their GST registration details on GeM portal to enable evaluation of bids after considering ITC of GST, wherever applicable. However, evaluation bids will be based on the confirmations & documents submitted by the bidder in their bid irrespective of the status/evaluation on GeM portal. BCPL's decision in this regard shall be final.**

12.0 **As per GEM policy/guidelines, MSE bidders have to update their status in their Profile and declare whether they are participating as MSE on GeM Portal (including updating their status in Profile) while submitting the bid on GeM tender. Further, MSE are required to upload relevant documents in bid as per provision of tender. However, evaluation and applicability of EMD exemption will be based on the confirmations & documents submitted by the bidder in the bid irrespective of selection/option made on GeM portal.**

13.0 **Bidders are required to select the applicable purchase preference (i.e. preference category) option while submitting the bid on GeM portal. However, evaluation and applicability of purchase preference policy will be based on the confirmations & documents submitted by the bidder in their bid depending on selection/option made on GeM portal by L1 bidder. In case a bidder does not select the EMD Exemption and/or Purchase Preference option on GeM Portal and happens to be L1 bidder, matching option to other MSE bidders may be given if appears in system.**

Note: The Public Procurement Policy for MSEs is meant for procurement of only goods produced & Services rendered by MSEs. The benefits of policy are not extended to the traders/dealers/ Distributors/Stockiest/Wholesalers. If the major activity of the MSE is Trading/Services (Trading) then the unit is a trader and is not eligible for availing the benefits of Public Procurement Policy for MSEs Order, 2012. Further, for considering Purchase Preference benefits including exemption for EMD, the bidder should be a Manufacturer or service provider of the item(s)/Service(s) to be procured. In case of evaluation on overall basis, the bidder should be a manufacturer or service provider of any of the item(s)/Service(s) to be procured.

14.0 This document shall be read in conjunction with GeM bid document no. GEM/2026/B/8268522.

GeM Bid No. GEM/2026/B/8268522 *is a retender of the earlier* ***GeM Bid No. GEM/2026/B/8081463****. Accordingly, documents and/or remittances submitted by a bidder against the earlier GeM Bid No. GEM/2026/B/8081463 may also be considered for the purpose of evaluation against the present GeM Bid No. GEM/2026/B/8268522, subject to the following conditions:*

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a) *The bidder shall submit an undertaking along with its bid in the present tender, confirming that the documents/remittances originally submitted against GeM Bid No. GEM/2026/B/8081463 are being relied upon for the present bid and shall be treated as having been submitted against GeM Bid No. GEM/2026/B/8268522.*

b) *The bidder shall furnish the relevant details and copies/references of such documents/remittances in the present bid, including the earlier bid reference, wherever required, to facilitate verification by BCPL.*

c) *Such documents shall be considered only if they are authentic, valid, subsisting, applicable and in conformity with the requirements of the present tender as on the relevant date prescribed therein.*

d) *In respect of remittances/bid security, the same shall be considered only upon verification that the amount, validity, beneficiary and other applicable requirements are in conformity with the present tender and that the amount/instrument has neither been refunded nor discharged.*

e) *The bidder shall submit fresh/updated documents wherever the earlier documents have expired, undergone any change, or do not fulfil the requirements of the present tender.*

f) *Acceptance of such documents/remittances shall be subject to independent verification and scrutiny by BCPL and shall not be construed as automatic acceptance of the bidder's techno-commercial credentials or as a waiver of any eligibility or qualification requirement stipulated in the present tender.*

g) *All bidders shall independently submit their bids against the present GeM Bid No. GEM/2026/B/8268522 and comply with the applicable Terms and Conditions and other requirements of the present tender.*

The above facility shall not confer any relaxation in the eligibility criteria, technical specifications or commercial requirements of the present tender.

In case of any variance in the terms and conditions between GeM terms & conditions and this bidding document, the terms and conditions of this bidding document & BCPL GCC/GPC shall prevail.

This is not an Order.

For & on behalf of
For Brahmaputra Cracker & Polymer Limited

(Authorized Signatory)
Name : Olivia Rajkumari
Designation: CM (C&P)
E-mail : olivia.rajkumari@bcplindia.co.in
Mobile No.: 7399018425

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Bid Document No. :

GeM bid no.

Description:

Bid Due Date& Time :

From: ***To:***

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(To be pasted on the envelope containing Physical documents)

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भाग – II
SECTION – II

बोली मूल्यांकन मानदंड) बीईसी)
और
मूल्य बोली मूल्यांकन कार्यप्रणाली

BID EVALUATION CRITERIA (BEC)
&
PRICE BID EVALUATION METHODOLOGY

SECTION-II

1. BID EVALUATION CRITERIA [BEC]

A) Bid Evaluation Criteria

A.1 ***BEC (Technical)***

A.1.1 ***(a) Applicable for licensor/GAIL approved vendors/BCPL approved vendors/suppliers***

Bidder must be approved by –

- the LLDPE/HDPE swing unit process licensor M/s Ineos Technologies, UK or PPU (Polypropylene Unit) process licensor M/s Lummus Novolen Technology GmbH, Germany (Formerly M/s Novolen Technology GmbH, Germany)

OR

-must be M/s GAIL approved vendor

OR

-M/s BCPL approved vendor

for supply of Additive Slip Agent (CAS No. 112-84-5) for LLDPE/HDPE and Polypropylene Unit, BCPL, Lepetkata.

(b) Applicable for authorized dealers/distributors of Licensor/GAIL/BCPL approved vendors/suppliers.

The authorized dealers/distributors of licensor /GAIL/BCPL approved vendors/suppliers can participate in this tender subject to:

(i) Licensor / GAIL/ BCPL approved vendors/suppliers themselves not bidding for this tender,

(ii) Submission of Authorization Certification from licensor / GAIL / BCPL approved vendors/ suppliers, and

(iii) Such bidders to meet the technical & financial criteria of BEC specified as under:

The following BEC is applicable only for authorized dealers/distributors of licensor /GAIL approved vendors/suppliers as per sl.no. A.1.1(b)(iii) above.

A.1.1.1 Bidder must be an Authorized Dealer/Distributor of licensor / GAIL/BCPL approved vendors/suppliers for supply of the tendered items.

A.1.1.2 The bidder must have 'Supplied' a minimum quantity of ***1,33,375 KG of*** *Additive Slip Agent (CAS No. 112-84-5)/ Specialty Chemical/Catalyst against one single contract/order in previous SEVEN years prior to final due date of bid submission.*

OR

*Bidder must have executed at least one single Purchase Order against Supply of Additive Slip Agent (CAS No. 112-84-5)/ Specialty Chemical/Catalyst having value not less than **Rs.849.86 lakhs** in preceding 07 (Seven) years prior to final due date of bid submission.*

*A.1.1.3 Where the bidder is executing a rate contract which is still running and the executed value/quantity **till one day prior to due date of bid submission** is equal to or more than the minimum prescribed value/quantity as mentioned in the BEC clause no. A.1.1.2 above, such experience will also be taken into consideration provided that the bidder has submitted satisfactory supply execution certificate issued by the end user / owner / authorized consultant.*

Note to above BEC clause no. A.1.2

*a) **Definition of 'Supplied'** means: Fully supplied as per contract / order.*

*# **Documents to be submitted/uploaded as per cl. A.3***

A.2 BEC (Financial) :

*A.2.1 **TURN OVER**: The **average annual turnover** of the bidder must have the **minimum value** of **Rs. 849.86 lakhs** during preceding three financial years ending on on 31st March'2026. i.e. FY: 2025-26, 2024-25 & 2023-24.*

*A.2.2 **NET WORTH:** Net Worth of the bidder should be **positive** as per the **preceding financial year** i.e. **FY: 2025-26.***

*A.2.3 **WORKING CAPITAL**: The bidder should have **minimum working capital of value Rs.169.97 lakhs as per the last audited financial statement for the year.** i.e. **FY: 2025-26***

*If the bidder's working capital is negative or inadequate **as per BEC clause no. A.2.3**, the bidder shall submit/upload a letter from the bidder's bank as per **Format, F-9**, having net worth not less than **Rs. 100 Crores**, confirming the availability of the line of credit for at least **Rs.169.97 lakhs** as mentioned above at BEC clause no. A.2.3 (Format specified in tender document).*

*Declaration Letter/Certificate for line of credit due to short fall of working capital shall be from single bank only. Letters from multiple banks shall not be applicable. However, banking syndicate will also be acceptable wherein a group of banks can jointly provide line of credit to the bidder." **The original document for 'Line of Credit' should be submitted along with other physical documents required as per tender conditions or in response to commercial query failing which bid shall be rejected.***

Note to A.2:

1. *In case, financial result (Balance Sheet and Profit & Loss Account Statement) of a bidder for the FY: 2025-2026 is not audited on the due date of 'submission of bid/bid closing date' then the bidder(s) has an option to submit copy of Audited Financial Result (Balance Sheet and Profit & Loss Account Statement) of immediate preceding financial year, i.e. FY: 2024-25, 2023-24 & 2022-23**, subject to Govt. circular for extension of the last date for finalization of account.** Accordingly, Annual Turn-over of the bidder for the FY: 2024-25, 2023-24 & 2022-23 shall be considered & Net-worth and Working capital of the bidder shall be considered for the FY 2024-25.*

2. *In case the closing date of the bid is after 30th Sept. of the relevant financial year and there is no Govt. circular for extension of the last date for finalization of account, bidder has to compulsorily submit the audited financial results for the immediate 3 preceding financial years i.e. FY: 2025-26, 2024-25 & 2023-24.*

A.3 ***<u>Relaxed Norms for Startups (prior experience criteria):</u>***

Prior experience (i.e. sl. no. A.1.1.2 & A.1.1.3 above) and prior turnover (i.e. sl. no. A.2.1 above) for 'Startup' company [whether Micro & Small Enterprises (MSEs) or otherwise] as a bidder, shall not be required subject to meeting the quality and technical specifications (scope of work, if any) as specified in the tender document.

For availing the above relaxation, bidder is required ***to submit / upload the requisite certificate towards Startup Enterprise Registration*** *issued by* ***Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT)****, Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India and the certificate should be certified by the* ***Chartered Accountant (not being an employee or a Director or not having any interest in the bidder's company / firm) and notary public with legible stamp.***

The relaxation of prior experience and prior turnover to Startups [whether Micro & Small Enterprises (MSEs) or otherwise] ***is to be given to the specific goods/ job domains wherein they are registered for*** *and startups are required to submit the documents for the same including the application submitted to DIPP. New startup "Certificate of Recognition" is stipulating the domain of startup, the domain of startup is be considered based "****Certificate of Recognition****" issued by Department of Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT). Startups having the "Certificate of Recognition" as per old format, are required to submit documents as mentioned herein above.*

Further, above document should be certified by the ***Chartered Accountant (not being an employee or a Director or not having any interest in the bidder's company/firm) and notary public with legible stamp****.*

Domain (i.e. Industry & Sector) of Startups for the instant tender shall be as under:

Sl. No.	*Domain*	
	Industry	*Sector*
1	*Chemicals*	*Specialty Chemicals /Commodity Chemicals/ Diversified Chemicals*

If a Startup company [whether Micro & Small Enterprises (MSEs) or otherwise] as a bidder gets qualified without any prior experience & turnover criteria as mentioned above and emerges as lowest evaluated bidder (L1), the purchase order on such Startup shall be placed for entire eligible quantity.

However, before supplying the total quantity, the Startup Enterprise shall first demonstrate its performance by supplying 10% of total ordered quantity [rounded off to the next higher digit in terms of Unit of Measurement (UoM), wherever required] and only after successful execution of this quantity, the balance 90% quantity will be cleared for supply. In case, the demonstration of performance fails, the entire order will be cancelled without any financial implication on either side.

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Startup has to be a manufacturer of the quoted item and comply cl. A.1.1(a).

A.4 ***Documents/Documentary Evidence required*** *to be uploaded (submitted)* ***in e-tender portal of BCPL*** *by bidder along with the other bid documents for qualifying the BEC mentioned at* ***sl. no. A.1, A.2 & A.3****:*

Sr. No.	***BEC Clause no.***	***Description***	***Documents required along with Unpriced bid for qualifying BEC (Bid Evaluation Criterion) [All documents must be duly authenticated/ attested]***
I	***A.1***	***Technical Experience Criteria – Document*** *[All documents to be submitted must be* ***Certified*** *with legible stamp as per A.4.1]*	
1.	*A.1.1.1*	*Experience against Status of Bidder*	*a) In case the bidder is an 'Authorized Distributor/Dealer of licensor/ GAIL/BCPL approved suppliers for supply of tendered items, must submit a copy of valid documentary evidence (on the final bid due date of submission) [i.e, valid distributorship / dealership certificate issued by the licensor/GAIL/BCPL approved supplier].*
2.	*A.1.1.2*	*Experience against Supply*	*a) Bidder must upload / submit legible copy(ies) of Purchase Order/Contract alongwith copy of detailed SOR [Schedule of rates].* *b) Proof of its supply/ execution [(i.e. execution / completion certificate issued from purchaser/ end user/ authorized consultant of owner)/ Invoice with proof of payment or Inspection Note or Goods receipt report or Challan/Consignment note/Lorry receipt duly endorsed by the authorized recipient of the buyer/ Consignee Receipt Acceptance Certificate of Gem etc.] clearly having the reference no. of P.O, Item Description, Quantity executed/supplied and actual date of execution/supply etc.*
3.	*A.1.1.3*	*Experience against execution of running Contract*	*a) Bidder must upload / submit legible copy(ies) of Purchase Order alongwith copy of detailed SOR [Schedule of rates].* *b) Proof of its supply/ execution [(i.e. execution certificate issued from purchaser/ end user/ authorized consultant of owner)/ Invoice with proof of payment or Inspection Note or Goods receipt report or Challan/Consignment note/Lorry receipt duly endorsed by the authorized recipient of the buyer/ Consignee Receipt Acceptance Certificate of Gem etc.] clearly having the reference no. of P.O, Item Description, Quantity executed/supplied and actual date of execution/supply etc. against the Copy of Purchase Order/ /Agreement for executing the Contract as mentioned at point "a)" above clearly mentioning the executed VALUE till one day prior to due date of bid submission which must be equal*

Sr. No.	***BEC Clause no.***	***Description***	***Documents required along with Unpriced bid for qualifying BEC (Bid Evaluation Criterion) [All documents must be duly authenticated/ attested]***
			to or more than the minimum prescribed value mentioned in the BEC at sl. no. A.1.1.2 above.
II	*A.2*	***Financial Experience Criteria- Document*** *[All audited financial statements/documents (balance sheet and profit & loss account statement under A.2.1 (Not applicable for 'Startup' as mentioned in BEC clause no. A.2.4), A.2.2 & A.2.3 of above BEC) to be uploaded (submitted) must be duly Certified/attested by Notary public with legible stamp*	
4.	*A.2.1*	***Annual Turn-over***	*Bidder(s) shall submit/upload copy of audited financial statement (Balance sheet and Profit & Loss account statement) of the preceding three (3) Financial Year(s) as per BEC clause no. A.2.1.*
5.	*A.2.2*	***Net worth***	*Bidder(s) shall submit/upload copy of audited financial statement (Balance sheet and Profit & Loss account statement) of last audited Financial Year as per BEC clause no. A.2.2.*
6.	*A.2.3*	***Working capital***	*Bidder(s) shall submit/upload copy of audited financial statement (Balance sheet and Profit & Loss account statement) for the last audited Financial Year as per BEC clause no. A.2.3.*
7.		***Format F-10***	*"Details of financial capability of bidder" shall be uploaded (submitted) in the prescribed* ***Format F-10*** *(of tender document) duly signed and stamped by a* ***Chartered Accountant only.***
8.	*A.3*	*Documents against Startup Company*	*a) Bidder(having New/Old startup "Certificate of Recognition" as mentioned at* ***A.3****) to upload/submit the valid* ***'Certificate of Recognition/Registration' issued by Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT)*** *[formerly known as Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion (DIPP)], Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India duly* ***certified by the Chartered Accountant*** *(not being an employee or a Director or not having any interest in the bidder's company/firm) and* ***notarized by notary public with legible stamp.*** *b) Bidder (having Old startup "Certificate of Recognition" as mentioned at* ***A.3*** *and bidder having New startup "Certificate of Recognition" where the domain of startup is not mentioned) also to upload/submit documents for the specific goods/job domains wherein they are registered for including the application submitted to DPIIT(formerly known as DIPP) duly* ***certified by the Chartered Accountant*** *(not being an employee or a Director or not having any interest in the bidder's company/firm) and* ***notarized by notary public with legible stamp.*** *c) Bidder to upload/submit document as per Sr. no. 5, 6 & 7 of*

Sr. No.	***BEC Clause no.***	***Description***	***Documents required along with Unpriced bid for qualifying BEC (Bid Evaluation Criterion) [All documents must be duly authenticated/ attested]***
			table. *Startups which do not have audited financial statements (for statutory reason or for being established at any time of required FY) net worth may be ascertained with other documents like Memorandum of Association etc. Further if net worthier could not be established with other documents like Memorandum of Association, etc., the certificate issued by Chartered Accountant/ Certified Public Accountant (CPA) will be considered.* *d) However, if the bidder's working capital is negative or inadequate as per BEC clause no. A.2.3, the bidder shall submit/upload a letter from the bidder's bank as per Format, F-9, having net worth not less than Rs. 100 Crores, confirming the availability of the line of credit as mentioned above at BEC clause no. A.2.3 (Format specified in tender document).*

Note to above ***Bidder's Eligibility Criteria****:*

(i) ***Only documents (Purchase Order, Completion certificate, Execution Certificate etc.) which have been referred/ specified in the bid shall be considered in reply to queries (if any) during evaluation of Bids.***

(ii) *Any shortfall information / documents on the Audited Annual Report / Financial Statement of the Bidder and/or line of credit for working capital issued on or before the final bid due date can only be sought against Commercial queries (CQs). Any information/ documents issued post final bid due date shall not be considered for evaluation.*

(iii) *Eligibility criteria in case bid is submitted on the basis of technical experience of FOREIGN BASED ANOTHER COMPANY (SUPPORTING COMPANY) which holds more than 50% of the paid up share capital of the bidding company or vice versa: Applicable as per ITB*

(iv) *Procurement from a bidder which shares a land border with India: Applicable as per ITB*

(v) ***Apart from above, Bidder must submit all other relevant documents/ information as specified in the Scope of Work/SCC for Technical Evaluation of bid or specified elsewhere in the Tender Document, towards proof of its responsiveness.***

(vi) *Exchange rate for Conversion of Currency for evaluation of documents submitted by bidders for BEC which are in other currency than specified in BEC shall be as follows:*

- *BEC (Technical Criteria): Bill Selling (foreign exchange) Rate of State Bank of India as prevailing on the date of award of contract submitted by bidder.*

(b) BEC (Financial Criteria):

(i) For Annual Turnover:

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The average of Bill Selling (foreign exchange) Rate of State Bank of India as prevailing on the First date and Last date of the respective Financial Year.

(ii) For Net-Worth & Working Capital:
The Bill Selling (foreign exchange) Rate of State Bank of India as prevailing on the Last date of the respective Financial Year.

- *In case, the SBI Selling rate is not available as on the date of conversion as specified above for respective cases, the exchange rate for conversion of currency shall be taken from the internet, such as:*

  https://www.xe.com/currencyconverter
  https://economictimes.indiatimes.com/markets/forex/currency-converter
  https://www.oanda.com/currency/converter

(vii) ***The cut-off date for meeting the criteria of BEC of the tender shall be the due date for bid submission.***

A.4.1 Authentication of documents submitted against BEC (technical):

All documents in support of Technical Criteria of Bid Evaluation Criteria (BEC) furnished by the bidders shall be verified and certified by any one of the following independent third party inspection agency:

(i) Société Générale de Surveillance (SGS)

(ii) Gulf Lloyds Industrial Services (India) Pvt. Ltd (GLISPL)

(iii) International Certification Services (ICS)

(iv) Bureau Veritas (Ind.) Pvt. Ltd (BVIS)

(v) DNV GL

(vi) TUV Rheinland (India) Pvt. Ltd.

(vii) TÜV SÜD South Asia Pvt. Ltd.

(viii) TUV India Pvt. Ltd. (TÜV Nord Group)

(ix) Intertek India Pvt. Ltd.

(x) Moody International (India) Pvt. Ltd.

(xi) RINA India Pvt. Ltd.

(xii) Tata Projects Ltd.

(xiii) Competent Inspectorate and Consultants LLP

(xiv) ABS Industrial Verification (India) Pvt. Ltd.

All charges of the Third party for verification and certification shall be borne by the Bidder.

Further, TPIA will provide in addition a certificate toward verification and certification of documents pertaining to Technical Bid Evaluation Criteria (BEC) as per proforma in tender and the same will be submitted by bidder in their bid.

B) Methodology for Evaluation of Bids:

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B.1 *BCPL will evaluate and compare the Price bids of the techno-commercially qualified bidders whose bids are previously determined to be substantially responsive pursuant to "ITB: Clause-29".*

B.2 *Bids of techno-commercially acceptable bidders will be evaluated as under on itemwise L1 basis (inclusive of GST) & will be considered for award based on the quantity distribution at Cl. No. B3 below.*

B.3 *Quantity Distribution (in case award is to be placed at L1 price) shall be as under:*

Sl. No.	*Scenarios for evaluation*	*Distribution of Quantity*
1	*If one bidder is L1 as per original offer & L2 bidder agree to match the price of L1 bidder*	*60% of total quantity shall be awarded to L1 bidder and balance 40% shall be awarded L2 bidder*
2	*If only one bidder is found L1 due to non-matching/non quoting of rates by other bidders*	*100% of total quantity shall be awarded to the L1/ sole bidder*
3	*Two bidders are L1 as per original offer*	*50% of total quantity shall be awarded to each of the two L1 bidders*

B.4 *In case of a tie at the lowest bid (L1) position between more than two bidders, the order/LoA will be placed on the two bidders with higher/highest turnover for last audited financial year .*

B.5 ***CPS/SD:***

The contract performance security shall be 5% of Total Order/Contract value (exclusive of GST) towards faithful performance of the contractual obligations and must be valid for 3 months beyond the contract period/defect liability period/warranty period (whichever is later). For the purpose of Contract Performance Security, Contract/order value shall be exclusive of taxes and duties as per ITB of tender document. However, ***CPS shall not be applicable in cases wherein the individual order value is less than INR 5 Lakh (exclusive GST).***

B.6 *Preferences:*

i) Purchase preference under PPLC- Applicable as per ITB along with concurrent application of public procurement policy for MSE order 2012.

ii) Purchase preference for Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) Order, 2012: Applicable as per ITB.

iii) Purchase Preference to CPSEs-Not Applicable.

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Annexure-I to Section-II

Format for Undertaking from TPIA
(on TPIA letter head duly stamped & signed)

Ref.: Date :

To,

M/s BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED

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Dear Sir,

Subject: Verification and certification of documents pertaining to Technical Bid Evaluation Criteria (BEC)

Ref : Tender no. …….. for …….

M/s ……. having Registered office at ……intend to participate in above referred tender of M/s Brahmaputra Cracker And Polymer Limited having registered office at 7th Floor, NRL Centre, 122A G.S Road, Christian Basti, Guwahati, Assam, Pin - 781005.

The tender conditions stipulates that the BIDDER shall submit Documents pertaining to Technical Bid Evaluation Criteria (BEC) duly verified and certified by designated independent Third Party Inspection Agency.

In this regard, this is to certify that copies of documents pertaining to Technical Bid Evaluation Criteria (BEC) submitted to us by the bidder have been verified and certified by us with the originals and found to be genuine. We have signed and stamped on the copies of all the verified and certified documents.

(Signature of a person duly authorized to Sign on behalf of the TPIA)
(Seal of the Company)
Name: ……..
Contact No……

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भाग – III

SECTION – III

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**[TO BE READ IN CONJUCTION WITH
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INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS [ITB]

[A] – GENERAL

1 SCOPE OF BID:

1.1 The Purchaser as defined in the "General Conditions of Contract-Goods [GCC-Goods]", wishes to receive bids as described in this invitation to offer (the "**Tender Document /Bid Document**") issued by the Purchaser. Purchaser/Owner occurring herein under shall be considered synonymous.

1.2 SCOPE OF BID: The scope of Supply shall be as defined in the Tender Document.

1.3 The successful Bidder (the "**Supplier**") shall complete delivery of goods along with its incidental services (if any) as per Specification, Scope of Supply/Job within the period stated in Special Conditions of Contract.

1.4 Throughout the Tender Documents, the terms 'Bid', 'Tender' & 'Offer' and their derivatives [Bidder/Tenderer, Bid/Tender/Offer etc.] are synonymous. Further, 'Day' means 'Calendar Day' and 'Singular' also means 'Plural'.

2 ELIGIBLE BIDDERS:

2.1 The Bidder shall not be under a declaration of ineligibility by Purchaser for Corrupt/ Fraudulent/ Collusive/ Coercive practices, as defined in ITB, Clause No. 39" (Action in case Corrupt/ Fraudulent/ Collusive/ Coercive Practices).

2.2 The Bidder is not put on 'Holiday' by BCPL/GAIL or Public Sector Project Management Consultant (like EIL, ~~Mecon~~ etc. only due to "poor performance" or "corrupt and fraudulent practices") or banned/blacklisted by Government department/ Public Sector on due date of submission of bid. Further, neither bidder nor their allied agency/(ies) (as defined in the Annexure-I, Procedure for Action in case of Corrupt/ Fraudulent/ Collusive/ Coercive Practices) are on banning list of BCPL/GAIL or the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas.

Bidders marked "Suspended" on GeM (but eligible as per BCPL's Tender Document) will be evaluated as per terms & conditions of the Tender Document.

If the Tender Document is/was issued inadvertently / downloaded from, then Bid submitted by such Bidder, shall not be considered for opening/ evaluation/ award.

In case there is any change in status of the declaration prior to award of Contract, the same has to be promptly informed to BCPL by the Bidder.

It shall be the sole responsibility of the bidder to inform about their status regarding para 1 of clause 2.2 herein above on due date of submission of bid and during the course of finalization of the tender. Concealment of the facts shall tantamount to misrepresentation of facts and shall lead to action against such Bidders as per clause 39 of ITB.

2.3 Bidder shall not be affiliated with a firm or entity:

(i) that has provided consulting services related to the work to the Purchaser during the preparatory stages of the work or of the project of which the works/services forms a part of or

(ii) that has been hired (proposed to be hired) by the Purchaser as an Engineer/ Consultant for the Contract.

2.4 Neither the firm/entity appointed as the Project Management Consultant (PMC) for a Project (except feasibility report) nor its affiliates shall be allowed to participate in the tendering process unless it is the sole Licensor/Licensor nominated agent/ vendor.

2.5 Pursuant to qualification criteria set forth in the Tender Document, the Bidder shall furnish all necessary supporting documentary evidence to establish Bidder's claim of meeting qualification criteria.

2.6 Power of Attorney:
Power of Attorney (POA) to be issued by the bidder in favour of the authorised employee(s), in respect of the particular tender, for purpose of signing the documents including bid, all subsequent communications, agreements, documents etc. pertaining to the tender and act and take any and all decision on behalf of the bidder. Any consequence resulting due to such signing shall be binding on the Bidder.
The Power of Attorney shall be issued as per the constitution of the bidder as below:

a) **In case of Proprietorship:** by Proprietor

b) **In case of Partnership:** by all Partners or Managing Partner

c) **In case of Limited Liability Partnership:** by any bidder's employee authorized in terms of Deed of LLP

d) **In case of Public / Limited Company:** PoA in favourof authorized employee(s) by Board of Directors through Board Resolution or by the designated officer authorized by Board to do so. Such Board Resolution should be duly countersigned by Company Secretary / MD / CMD / CEO.

The Power of Attorney should be valid till award of contract / order to successful bidder.

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2.7 In case of change of constitution of bidder after submission of bid, the same shall be informed by the bidder to BCPL promptly. Failure to same shall be considered as misrepresentation by the bidder.

3 BID FROM "CONSORTIUM"/"JOINT VENTURE - NOT APPLICABLE

4 ONE BID PER BIDDER:

4.1 A Bidder shall submit only 'one [01] Bid' in the same Bidding Process either as single entity or as a member of any consortium (wherever consortium bid is allowed). A Bidder who submits or participates in more than 'one [01] Bid' will cause all the proposals in which the Bidder has participated to be disqualified.

4.2 A bidder shall not have conflict of interest with other bidders. Such conflict of interest can lead to anti-competitive practices. The bidder found to have a conflict of interest shall be disqualified. A bidder shall be considered to have a conflict of interest with one or more bidders in this bidding process, if:

a) they have controlling partner (s) in common; or
b) they receive or have received any direct or indirect subsidy/ financial stake from any of them; or
c) they have the same legal representative/authorized signatory/agent for purposes of this bid; or
d) they have relationship with each other, directly or through common third parties, that puts them in a position to have access to information about or influence on the bid of another Bidder; or
e) Bidder participates in more than one bid in bidding process. Participation by a Bidder in more than one Bid will result in the disqualification of all bids in which the parties are involved. However, this does not limit the inclusion of the components/ sub-assembly/ Assemblies from one bidding manufacturer in more than one bid.
f) a Bidder or any of its affiliates participated as a consultant in the preparation of the design or technical specifications of the contract that is the subject of the Bid;
g) In case of a holding company having more than one independently manufacturing units, or more than one unit having common business ownership/management, only one unit should quote. Similar restrictions would apply to closely related sister companies. Bidders must proactively declare such sister/ common business/ management units in same/ similar line of business.

Bidders are required to submit a confirmation for no conflict of interest with other bidders in Format F-5.

4.3 Alternative Bids shall not be considered.

4.4 The provision mentioned at sl. no. (4.1) and (4.2) shall not be applicable wherein bidders are quoting for different Items/Sections/Parts/Groups/SOR items of the same tender which specifies evaluation on Items/Sections/Parts/Groups/SOR items basis.

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4.5 Bidders are required to provide complete details of all Directors/Partners/Proprietors etc. including Father's name, Residential address, AADHAR, PAN Card details & DIN Nos. in Form F-1 of ITB and corresponding documents duly notarized by Notary Public.

It is the responsibility of the participating Bidder(s) to assess the relationship as mentioned above.

In case any undertaking/declaration given by a Bidder(s) in this regard is found to be false, this would be a sufficient ground for rejection of Bid(s) /termination of contract and also initiation of further action as per "Procedure for Action in case of Corrupt/Fraudulent/ Collusive / Coercive Practices" of tender document.

5 COST OF BIDDING:

5.1 The Bidder shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of the Bid including but not limited to Documentation Charges, Bank charges, all courier charges, translation charges, authentication charges and any associated charges including taxes & duties thereon. Further, BCPL will in no case, be responsible or liable for these costs, regardless of the outcome of the bidding process.

6 SITE VISIT:

6.1 The Bidder is advised to visit and examine the site and its surroundings and obtain for itself on its own responsibility all information that may be necessary for preparing the Bid and entering into a Contract for the required supply/job. The costs of visiting the site shall be borne by the Bidder.

6.2 The Bidder or any of its personnel or agents shall be granted permission by the Purchaser to enter upon its premises and land for the purpose of such visits, but only upon the express conditions that the Bidder, its personnel and agents will release and indemnify the Purchaser and its personnel, agents from and against all liabilities in respect thereof, and will be responsible for death or injury, loss or damage to property, and any other loss, damage, costs, and expenses incurred as a result of inspection.

6.3 The Bidder shall not be entitled to hold any claim against BCPL for non-compliance due to lack of any kind of pre-requisite information as it is the sole responsibility of the Bidder to obtain all the necessary information with regard to site, surrounding, working conditions, weather etc. on its own before submission of the Bid.

[B] – TENDER DOCUMENT

7 CONTENTS OF TENDER DOCUMENT:

7.1 The contents of Bidding Documents / Tender Documents are those stated below shall be '**Bid specific Additional Terms and Conditions (ATC)**'of GeM bid, and should

be read in conjunction with any 'Addendum / Corrigendum and Clarification(s)' issued in accordance with "ITB: Clause-8 & 9":

- GeM Bid
- Section-I : Invitation for Bid [IFB]*
- Section-II : BID EVALUATION CRITERIA [BEC] & Evaluation Methodology
- Section-III : Instructions to Bidders [ITB]
  Annexure
  Forms & Format**
- Section-IV : General Conditions of Contract [GCC] – Goods***
- Section-V : Special Conditions of Contract [SCC]
- Section-VI : Technical Specifications , Drawing (wherever applicable) and scope for incidental services (wherever applicable)

GeM bid document generated or available on GeM portal shall also be part of Bidding Document / Tender Document.

*Request for Quotation', wherever applicable, shall also form part of the Bidding Document.

** The subject tender is based on standard formats and applicability of some specific clauses may be seen in Annexure-IV to Section-IV i.e. BDS (Bidding Data Sheet)

*** General Conditions of Contract - Goods is attached in Section-IV.

7.2 The Bidder is expected to examine all instructions, forms, terms & conditions of the Tender Document. The RFQ & IFB together with all its attachments thereto, shall be considered to be read, understood and accepted by the Bidders. Failure to furnish all information required by the Tender Document or submission of a Bid not substantially responsive to the Tender Document in every respect will be at Bidder's risk and may result in the rejection of his Bid.

8 CLARIFICATION OF TENDER DOCUMENT:

8.1 A prospective Bidder requiring any clarification(s) of the Tender Documents may notify BCPL in writing or by email in the format "F-11" at BCPL's mailing address indicated in the IFB/BDS or on GeM portal **no later than 02 (two) days prior to pre-bid meeting (in cases where pre-bid meeting is scheduled) or 05 (five) days prior to the bid closing date in cases where pre-bid meeting is not scheduled**. BCPL reserves the right to ignore the bidders request for clarification if received after the aforesaid period. BCPL may respond in writing to the request for clarification. BCPL's response including an explanation of the query, but without identifying the source of the query will be uploaded on GeM portal.

8.2 Any clarification or information required by the Bidder but same not received by the Purchaser as per instructions at clause 8.1 above is liable to be considered as "no clarification / information required".

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9 AMENDMENT OF TENDER DOCUMENT:

9.1 At any time prior to the 'Due Date & Time of Bid Submission', Purchaser may, for any reason, whether at its own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by a prospective Bidder(s), modify the Tender Document by addenda/ corrigendum.

9.2 Any addendum/ corrigendum thus issued shall be integral part of the Tender Document and shall be uploaded on GeM Portal. Bidders have to take into account all such addendum/ corrigendum before submitting their bid.

9.3 The Purchaser, if consider necessary, may extend the bid due date in order to allow the Bidders a reasonable time to furnish their most competitive bid taking into account the addenda/ corrigendum issued thereof.

[C] – PREPARATION OF BID

10 LANGUAGE OF BID:

The bid prepared by the Bidder and all correspondence, drawing(s), document(s), certificate(s) etc. relating to the Bid exchanged by Bidder and BCPL shall be written in English language only. In case a document, certificate, printed literature etc. furnished by the Bidder in a language other than English, the same should be accompanied by an English translation duly authenticated by the Indian Chamber of Commerce, in which case, for the purpose of interpretation of the Bid, the English translation shall govern.

11. DOCUMENTS COMPRISING THE BID:

11.1 All pages of the Bid must be signed by the "authorized signatory" of the Bidder holding Power of Attorney. The Bid must be submitted on GeM-portal (https://gem.gov.in) as follows:-:

11.1.1 PART-I: "TECHNO-COMMERCIAL / UN-PRICED BID"

(a) 'Covering Letter' on Bidder's 'Letter head' clearly specifying the enclosed contents with index.
(b) 'Bidder's General Information', as per 'Form F-1'.
(c) 'Letter of Authority' on the Letter Head, as per 'Form F-3'
(d) 'Agreed Terms and Conditions', as per 'Form F-5'
(e) Duly certified / attested documents in accordance with the "Bid Evaluation Criteria [BEC]", Section II of Tender Document.
(f) Copy of Power of Attorney in favour of the authorized signatory of the Bid, as per clause no.2.6 of ITB.
(g) Any other information/details required as per Tender Document
(f) Copy of EMD / Declaration for Bid Security, as per Clause 16 of ITB

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(g) Copy of Integrity Pact as per Form F-13

(h) ~~Undertaking as per *Form-1 to Annexure-C* by MSE bidders and Bidders seeking preference under Policy for purchase preference linked with Local Content (PPP-MII), if applicable.~~

(i) Self certification as per *Form-1 to Annexure-C* and Certification from the statutory auditor or cost auditor of the company (in the case of companies) or from a practicing cost accountant or practicing chartered accountant (in respect of other than companies) as per *Form-2 to Annexure-C*
(Applicable for all bidders including MSEs bidder irrespective of seeking purchase preference or not). **[to be submitted only if Policy for purchase preference linked with Local Content (PPP-MII) is applicable]**

(j) Undertaking as per *Form-I, IB & II to Annexure-B* regarding Provisions for Procurement from a Bidder which shares a land border with India

(k) All other forms and Formats including Annexures.

(l) Tender Document, its Corrigendum/Amendment/Clarification(s) digitally signed by the Authorized Signatory holding POA.

(m) Additional document specified in BDS, SCC, Scope of Supply or mentioned elsewhere in the Tender Document.

Note: All the pages of the Bid must be signed by the "Authorized Signatory" of the Bidder holding POA.

Further, Bidders must submit the original "Bid Security / EMD", Power of Attorney, Integrity Pact and any other documents specified in the Tender Document to the address mentioned in IFB, in a sealed envelope, superscribing the details of Tender Document (i.e. tender number & tender for) within 7 days from the Bid Due Date.

Bidders are required to submit the EMD in original by Bid Due Date and Time or upload a scanned copy of the same in the Part-I of the Bid. If the Bidder is unable to submit EMD in original by Bid Due Date and Time, the Bidder is required to upload a scanned copy of the EMD in Part-I of Bid, provided the original EMD, copy of which has been uploaded, is received within 7 days from the Bid Due Date, failing which the Bid will be rejected irrespective of their status/ranking in tendering process and notwithstanding the fact that a copy of EMD was earlier uploaded by the Bidder.

11.1.2 PART-II: Price Bid (Finance Folder)

i) The Prices are to be submitted strictly as per the Price bid / Schedule of Rate (SOR) on GeM portal. BCPL shall not be responsible for any failure on the part of the bidder to follow the instructions.

ii) Bidders are advised NOT to mention Rebate/Discount separately, either in the SOR format or anywhere else in the Bid. In case Bidder(s) intend to offer any Rebate/Discount, they should include the same in the item rate(s) itself under the "Price Schedule/ Schedule of Rates (SOR)" and indicate the discounted unit rate(s) only.

iii) If any unconditional rebate has been offered in the quoted rate the same shall be considered in arriving at evaluated price. However, no cognizance shall be taken for any conditional discount for the purpose of evaluation of the Bid.

iv) In the event as a result of techno-commercial discussions or pursuant to seeking clarifications / confirmations from Bidder, while evaluating the un-priced part of the Bid, any of the bidders offers upward revised prices; such Bidder(s) will be requested to withdraw the revised prices failing which the bid will not be considered for further evaluation.

12 BID PRICES:

12.1 If required, the break-up of various components as included in the quoted price shall be obtained from successful bidders before placement of order/contract on them.

The material is required to be delivered through a registered common carrier as per section 3 of Carriage by the Road Act 2007.

Also, BCPL reserves the right to transport the material with it's own transporter.

12.2 As stated elsewhere in tender, bidder is required to quote all components. In case, it is found that some of components are not considered, the same shall be considered inclusive in total quoted price for evaluation and ordering. No confirmation from the bidder shall be sought in this regard and no representation from the bidder shall be entertained in this regard.

12.3 The delivery basis of the goods is mentioned in BDS. If the Goods are dispatched through dedicated full truck load, date of receipt of Goods by Purchaser at its designated site(s) /Store shall be considered as the date of delivery. Similarly, in case of break-bulk dispatches, the date of LR/GR shall be considered as date of delivery. The delivery terms [other than those mentioned in BDS] shall be interpreted as per INCOTERMS®2020 or its latest version.

12.4 All duties, taxes and other levies (if any) payable by the Seller under the Contract or for any other cause, including GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) on finished product & on the incidental services, shall be included in the rates / prices and the total bid-price submitted by the Bidder. Bidders are required to quote the prices after carefully reading the provisions mentioned in tender document including SCC, GCC, Scope of Work, etc.

12.5 Prices quoted by the Bidder, shall remain firm and fixed and valid till completion of the Contract and will not be subject to variation on any account, whatsoever; unless any price escalation/variation is allowed elsewhere in the Tender Document.

13 GST (CGST & SGST/ UTGST or IGST)

13.1 Within the contractual delivery period, the statutory variation in applicable GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) on supply and on incidental services, shall be to BCPL's account.

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Beyond the contractual delivery period, in case BCPL is not entitled for input tax credit of GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST), then any increase in the rate of GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) beyond the contractual delivery period shall be to Supplier's account whereas any decrease in the rate GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) shall be passed on to the Purchaser.

Beyond the contractual delivery period, in case BCPL is entitled for input tax credit of GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST), then statutory variation in applicable GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) on supply and on incidental services, shall be to BCPL's account.

The base date for the purpose of applying statutory variation shall be the Bid Due Date.

13.2 In case of statutory variation(s) in the taxes & duties mentioned at clause no. 13.1 above, the Supplier shall submit a copy of the 'Government Notification' to evidence the rate as applicable on the Bid Due Date and on the date of revision. Claim for payment of Statutory variation should be raised preferably along with the e-Invoice/Invoice. Any claim for arrears on account of statutory variation shall be submitted to Purchaser within two [02] months from the date of issue of such 'Government Notification', otherwise such claim may not be entertained.

13.3 Where BCPL is entitled to avail the input tax credit of **GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)**:-

13.3.1 Owner/BCPL will reimburse the **GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)** to the Supplier at actuals against submission of E-Invoices/Invoices as per format specified in rules/ regulation of GST to enable Owner/BCPL to claim input tax credit of **GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)** paid. In case of any variation in the executed quantities, the amount on which the **GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)** is applicable shall be modified in same proportion. Returns and details required to be filled under GST laws & rules should be timely filed by supplier with requisite details.

13.3.2 The input tax credit of quoted GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) shall be considered for evaluation of bids, as per evaluation criteria of tender document.

13.4 Where BCPL is not entitled to avail/take the full input tax credit of **GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)**:-

13.4.1 Owner/BCPL will reimburse **GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)** to the Supplier at actuals against submission of E-Invoices/Invoices as per format specified in rules/ regulation of GST subject to the ceiling amount of **GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)** as quoted by the bidder, subject to any statutory variations, except variations arising due to change in turnover. In case of any variation in the executed quantities (If directed and/or certified by the Engineer-In-Charge) the ceiling amount on which **GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)** is applicable will be modified on pro-rata basis.

13.4.2 The bids will be evaluated based on total price including quoted **GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)**.

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13.5 **New Taxes & duties:** Any new taxes & duties, if imposed by the State/ Central Govt. of India on the finished goods after the due date of bid submission but before the Contractual Delivery/Completion Date, shall be reimbursed to the Supplier on submission of copy of notification(s) issued from State/ Central Govt. Authorities along with documentary evidence for proof of payment of such taxes & duties, but only after ascertaining it's applicability with respect to the Contract.

13.6 Deemed Export benefits are not applicable and Bidder should furnish prices without considering the same.

13.7 **Regarding Reconciliation between GSTR 2A and Input Tax Credit**

Supplier shall ensure timely submission of correct e-invoice /invoice(s), as per GST rules/ regulation, with all required supporting document(s) within a period specified in Contract to enable BCPL to avail input credit of GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST). Further, returns and details required to be filled under GST laws & rules should be timely filed by Supplier of Goods / Services with requisite details.

If input tax credit is not available to BCPL for any reason not attributable to BCPL, then BCPL shall not be obligated or liable to pay or reimburse GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) claimed in the e-invoice/invoice(s) and shall be entitled to deduct / setoff / recover such GST amount (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) or Input Tax Credit amount together with penalties and interest, if any, against any amounts paid or becomes payable by BCPL in future to the Supplier/Contractor under this contract or under any other contract.

In case CBIC (Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs)/ any tax authority / any equivalent government agency brings to the notice of BCPL that the Supplier has not remitted the amount towards GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) collected from BCPL to the government exchequer, then, that Supplier shall be put under Holiday list of BCPL for period of six months after following the due procedure. This action will be in addition to the right of recovery of financial implication arising on BCPL.

13.8 The supplier shall mention the particulars of Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd., (place specified in BDS) on the e-Invoice/Invoice. Besides, if any other particulars of BCPL are required to be mentioned, under GST rules/ regulations on the date of dispatch, the same shall also be mentioned on the e-Invoice/Invoice.

13.9 BCPL will prefer to deal with registered supplier of goods/ services under GST. Therefore, bidders are requested to get themselves registered under GST, it not registered yet.

However, in case any unregistered bidder is submitting their bid, Bids will be evaluated as per quoted prices without loading of GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST), if not quoted

Further, an unregistered bidder is required to mention its Income Tax PAN in bid document

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13.10 In case the GST rating of vendor on the GST portal / Govt. official website is negative / black listed, then the bids may be rejected by BCPL. Further, in case rating of bidder is negative / black listed after award of work for supply of goods / services, then BCPL shall not be obligated or liable to pay or reimburse **GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)** to such vendor and shall also be entitled to deduct / recover such **GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)** along with all penalties / interest, if any, incurred by BCPL.

13.11 **Anti-profiteering clause**

As per Clause 171 of GST Act, it is mandatory to pass on the benefit due to reduction in rate of tax or from input tax credit to the consumer by way of commensurate reduction in prices. The Service Provider may note the above and quote their prices accordingly.

13.12 GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) is implemented w.e.f. 01.07.2017 which subsumed various indirect taxes and duties applicable before 01.07.2017. Accordingly, the provisions of General Condition of Contract relating to taxes and duties which are subsumed in GST are modified to aforesaid provisions mentioned in clause no. 12 and 13 of ITB.

13.13 GST, as quoted by the bidder in Price Schedule, shall be deemed as final and binding for the purpose of bid evaluation (applicable for tenders where bidder quotes the GST rates). In case a bidder enters "zero/blank" GST or an erroneous GST, the bid evaluation for finalizing the L1 bidder will be done considering the quoted GST rate. No request for change in GST will be entertained after submission of bids.

In cases where the successful bidder quotes a wrong GST rate, for releasing the order, the following methodology will be followed:

- In case the actual GST rate applicable is lower than the quoted GST rate, the actual GST rate will be added to the quoted basic prices. The final cash outflow will be based on actual GST rate.
- In case the actual GST rate applicable is more than the quoted GST rate, the basic prices quoted will be reduced proportionately, keeping the final cash outflow the same as the overall quoted amount.

Based on the Total Cash Outflow calculated as above, BCPL shall place orders.

13.14 Wherever TDS under GST Laws has been deducted from the e-Invoices/invoices raised / payments made to the vendors, as per the provisions of the GST law / Rules, Vendors should accept the corresponding GST-TDS amount populated in the relevant screen on GST common portal (www.gst.gov.in). Further, Vendors should also download the GST TDS certificate from GST common portal (reference path: Services > User Services > View/Download Certificates option).

13.15 Provision w.r.t. E- Invoicing requirement as per GST laws:

Supplier who is required to comply with the requirements of E-invoice for B2B transactions as per the requirement of GST Law will ensure the compliance of requirement of E Invoicing under GST law. If the invoice issued without following this process, such invoice can-not be processed for payment by BCPL as no ITC is allowed on such invoices.

Therefore, all the payments to such supplier who is liable to comply with e-invoice as per GST Laws shall be made against the proper e-invoice(s) only. Further, returns and details required to be filled under GST laws & rules against such e-invoices should be timely filed by Supplier of Goods with requisite details.

If input tax credit is not available to BCPL for any reason attributable to supplier (both for E-invoicing cases and non-E-invoicing cases), then BCPL shall not be obligated or liable to pay or reimburse GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) claimed in the invoice(s) and shall be entitled to deduct / setoff / recover such GST amount (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) or Input Tax Credit amount together with penalties and interest, if any, by adjusting against any amounts paid or becomes payable in future to the supplier under this contract or under any other contract.

To ensure compliance, undertaking in requisite format is to be submitted by supplier as per format F-15 along with documents for release of payment.

13.16 Full payment including GST will be released at the time of processing of invoice for payment, where the GST amount reflects in Form GSTR-2A of BCPL. However, in case where the GST amount doesn't reflect in Form GSTR-2A of BCPL, the amount of GST will be released after reflection of GST amount of corresponding invoice in Form GSTR-2A of BCPL.

14 BID CURRENCIES:

Bidders must submit Bid in Indian Rupees only.

15 BID VALIDITY:

15.1 Bid shall be kept valid for period specified in GeM bid from the final 'Bid Due Date'. A Bid valid for a shorter period may be rejected by BCPL as 'non-responsive'.

15.2 In exceptional circumstances, prior to expiry of the original 'Bid Validity Period', the Purchaser may request the Bidder to extend the 'Period of Bid Validity' for a specified additional period on GeM Portal. The request and the responses thereto shall be made in writing or by email (outside GeM, if required). After opening of price bids in GeM, the extension (outside GeM, if any) will be regularized through GeM with L-1 bidder. A Bidder may refuse the request without forfeiture of his 'EMD/Bid Security' without any actions being invoked as per bid security declaration. A Bidder agreeing to the request will not be required or permitted to modify his Bid, but will be required to

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extend the validity of its 'EMD' for the period of the extension and in accordance with "ITB: Clause-16" in all respects.

16 EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT (EMD):

16.1 Bid must be accompanied with earnest money **(i.e Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)** also known as **Bid Security)** in the form of **'Demand Draft'** / **'Banker's Cheque'/Insurance Surety Bond' / 'Fixed Deposit Receipt' [**in favour of **Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited** payable at place mentioned in **BDS]** or **'Bank Guarantee'** strictly as per the format given in form F 2B of the **Tender Document**. Bidder shall ensure that EMD submitted in the form of 'Bank **Guarantee'** should have a validity of at least 'two [02] months' beyond the validity of the Bid. EMD submitted in the form of **'Demand Draft'** or **'Banker's Cheque'** should be valid for three months**.**

Bid not accompanied with EMD, or EMD not in requisite format shall be liable for rejection. The EMD shall be submitted in Indian Rupees only.

16.2 The bidder can also submit the EMD through online banking transaction i.e. IMPS/NEFT/RTGS etc. For this purpose, the details of BCPL's Bank Account are mentioned under BDS. While remitting, the bidder must indicate EMD and tender/E-tender no. under remarks. Bidders shall be required to submit/ upload the successful transaction details along-with their bid/e-bid in addition to forwarding the details to dealing officer through email/letter with tender reference number immediately after remittance of EMD. In absence of submitting/ uploading the remittance details, the bid is likely to be considered as bid not accompanied with EMD. Further, in case of the online transaction, submission of EMD in original is not applicable.

16.3 BCPL shall not be liable to pay any documentation charges, Bank charges, commission, interest etc. on the amount of EMD. In case EMD is in the form of a 'Bank Guarantee', the same shall be from any Indian scheduled Bank (excluding Co-operative banks and Regional Rural bank) or a branch of an International Bank situated in India and registered with 'Reserve Bank of India' as Scheduled Foreign Bank. However, in case of 'Bank Guarantee' from Banks other than the Nationalized Indian Banks, the Bank must be commercial Bank having net worth in excess of Rs. 100 Crores [Rupees One Hundred Crores] and a declaration to this effect should be made by such commercial Bank either in the 'Bank Guarantee' itself or separately on its letterhead. Purchaser will verify the BG from issuing bank

16.4 Any Bid not secured in accordance with "ITB: Clause-16.1, 16.2 & Clause-16.3" may be rejected by BCPL as non-responsive.

16.5 Unsuccessful Bidder's EMD will be discharged/ returned as promptly as possible, but not later than 'thirty [30] days' after finalization of tendering process.

16.6 The successful Bidder's EMD will be discharged upon the Bidder's acknowledging the 'Award' and signing the 'Agreement' (if applicable) and furnishing the 'Contract Performance Security (CPS)/ Security Deposit' pursuant to clause no. 38 of ITB.

16.7 Notwithstanding anything contained herein, the EMD may also be forfeited in any of the following cases:

(a) If a Bidder withdraws his Bid during the 'Bid Validity' period

(b) If a Bidder has indulged in corrupt/fraudulent /collusive/coercive practice

(c) If the Bidder modifies Bid during the period of bid validity (after Due Date and Time for Bid Submission).

(d) Violates any other condition, mentioned elsewhere in the Tender Document, which may lead to forfeiture of EMD.

(e) In the case of a successful Bidder, if the Bidder fails to:

(i) acknowledge receipt of the "Notification of Award" / Fax of Acceptance[FOA]",

(ii) furnish "Contract Performance Security / Security Deposit", in accordance with "ITB: Clause-38"

(iii) accept 'arithmetical corrections' as per provision of the clause 30 of ITB.

16.8 In case EMD is in the form of 'Bank Guarantee' the same must indicate the Tender Document No. and the name of Tender Document for which the Bidder is quoting. This is essential to have proper correlation at a later date.

16.9 Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) who are holding valid Udyam Registration and are manufacturer of the offered Product or Service (Primary Product / Service - in case of bunch bid with total value wise evaluation) and give specific confirmation to this effect at the time of bid submission and claim EMD exemption and whose credentials are validated online through Udyam Registration website of Ministry of MSME and also through supporting document uploaded during bidding process and validated by the Buyer, are exempted from submission of EMD in accordance with the provisions of PPP-2012 and Clause 40 of ITB. State Government Buyers may, however, choose to exempt only MSEs from the State of Bid Inviting Authority by specifying the same in ATC of the Bid. In case no such ATC is included, eligible MSEs of all states are exempted.

In addition to above, following categories of Sellers/Service Providers are also exempted from furnishing Earnest Money / Bid Bond:

i. Start-ups as recognized by Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT), holding valid Startup Recognition Certificate which is to be uploaded while bidding and claiming EMD exemption and to be validated by the Buyer. Bidder to ensure that turnover for any of the financial years has not exceeded beyond limits prescribed in the certificate / Start Up scheme of DPIIT.

ii. KVIC, ACASH, WDO, Coir Board, TRIFED and Kendriya Bhandar.

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iii. Sellers who have got their credentials verified through the process of Vendor Assessment by Vendor Assessment Agencies for the Primary Product / Primary Service for which Bid / RA has been invited and holding valid Vendor Assessment or Vendor Assessment Exemption Report / confirmation (Seller to upload VA report / VAE confirmation to be validated by the Buyer).

iv. Sellers / Service Providers holding valid BIS License for the Primary Product Category whose credentials are validated through BIS database and through uploaded supporting documents to be validated by the buyer.

v. Central / State PSUs.

vi. Seller / Service Provider registered with designated Agency / Authority as specified in the bid document by the Buyer – such bidder shall have to upload scanned copy of relevant valid registration document in place of Bid Security document while bidding.

Bidders are required to submit relevant document for exemption from furnishing Earnest Money / Bid Bond.

Note: The MSE/ Udyam registration certificate shall be duly certified by the Chartered Accountant (not being an employee or a Director or not having any interest in the bidder's company/firm) and notary public with legible stamp for availing MSE benefits.

16.10 In case of forfeiture of EMD/ Bid Security, the forfeited amount will be considered inclusive of tax and tax invoice will be issued by BCPL. The forfeiture amount will be subject to final decision of BCPL based on other terms and conditions of order.

16.11 EMD/Bid Bond will not be accepted in case the same has reference of 'remitter'/'financer' other than bidder on the aforementioned financial instrument of EMD/ Bid Bond submitted by the bidder and bid of such bidder will be summarily rejected.

16A **DECLARATION FOR BID SECURITY**

Bidder to whom exemption is allowed as per Clause no. 16.9 above are required to submit Declaration for Bid Security as per proforma at Form F-2A.

17 PRE-BID MEETING:

17.1 The Bidder(s) or his designated representative are invited to attend a "Pre-Bid Meeting" which will be held at Date, Time & Venue as specified in IFB. It is expected that a Bidder shall not depute more than 02 representatives for the meeting.

17.2 Purpose of the meeting will be to clarify issues and to answer questions on any matter that may be raised at that stage. The Bidder must submit their queries / clarifications to BCPL in the format "F-11", as mentioned at clause no. 8.0 of ITB.

17.3 The text of the questions raised and the responses that may become necessary as a result of the Pre-Bid Meeting, will be prepared in the form of Addendum /

Corrigendum /Clarification to the Tender Document and will be uploaded on GeM Portal and not through the minutes of the Pre-Bid Meeting.

17.4 Non-attendance of the Pre-Bid Meeting will not be a cause for disqualification of Bidder.

18 FORMAT AND SIGNING OF BID:

18.1 The Bid shall be typed or written in indelible ink [in the case of copies, photocopies are also acceptable] and shall be signed by a person(s) duly authorized to sign on behalf of the Bidder (as per POA). The name and position held by person signing, must be typed or printed below the signature. All pages of the Bid except for unamendable printed literature where entry(s) or amendment(s) has been made, shall be initialed by the person or persons signing the Bid.

18.2 The Bid shall contain no alterations, omissions, or additions, unless such corrections are initialed by the person(s) signing the Bid.

19 ZERO DEVIATION AND REJECTION CRITERIA:

19.1 ZERO DEVIATION: Deviation to terms and conditions of Tender Document may lead to rejection of Bid. BCPL will accept Bid based on terms & conditions of Tender Document only. Bidder may note, BCPL will determine the substantial responsiveness of each bid to the Tender Document pursuant to provision contained in clause 29 of ITB. For purpose of this, a substantially responsive bid is one which conforms to all terms and conditions of the Tender Document without deviation(s) or exception n(s). BCPL's determination of a Bid's responsiveness is based on the content of the Bid itself without recourse to extrinsic evidence.

Bidder is requested not to take any deviation(s)/exception(s) to the terms & conditions of Tender Document, and submit all requisite documents as mentioned in this Tender Document, failing which their Bid will be liable for rejection. If a Bidder does not reply to the queries in the permitted time frame then its Bid shall be evaluated based on the documents available in the Bid.

As a principle, clarifications from bidders after opening of tenders will not be sought. However, where clarifications / documents from the bidders on important aspects are absolutely necessary for finalization of tender, clarifications from bidder can be asked. The request for clarification shall be given in email/portal, asking the bidder to respond by a specified date, and also mentioning therein that, if the bidder does not comply or respond by the date, his tender will be liable to be rejected. Depending on the outcome, such tenders are to be ignored or considered further. No change in prices or substance of the bid including specifications, shall be offered or permitted. No post-bid clarification at the initiative of the bidder shall be entertained. The shortfall information/ documents should be sought only in case of historical documents which pre-existed bids and which have not undergone change since then.

19.2 **REJECTION CRITERIA:**

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Notwithstanding the above, deviation to the following clauses of Tender Document shall lead to summarily rejection of Bid:

(a) Firm Price
(b) Earnest Money Deposit / Bid Bond / Bid Security declaration
(c) Specifications
(d) Schedule of Rates / Price Schedule / Price Basis
(e) Delivery Period / Period of Contract/ Completion schedule
(f) Period of Validity of Bid
(g) Price Reduction Schedule
(h) Contract Performance Security / Security Deposit
(i) Warranty/ Guarantee
(j) Arbitration / Resolution of Dispute/Jurisdiction of Court
(k) Force Majeure & Applicable Laws
(l) Integrity Pact, if Applicable
(m) Any other condition specifically mentioned in the Tender Document elsewhere that non-compliance of the clause lead to rejection of Bid

Note: Further, it is once again reminded not to mention any condition in the Bid which is contradictory to the terms & conditions of Tender Document.

20 E-PAYMENT:

Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited has initiated payments electronically to Suppliers / Contractors electronically through **'e-banking'**.

[D] – SUBMISSION OF BIDS

21 SUBMISSION, SEALING AND MARKING OF BID:

21.1 Bid shall be submitted through GeM Portal only in the manner specified in Tender Document. No Manual/ Hard Copy (Original) / E-mail Bid shall be acceptable.

21.2 EMD /Physical documents shall be addressed to the owner at address specified in IFB.

21.3 Bids submitted under the name of AGENT/ CONSULTANT/ REPRESENTATIVE /RETAINER/ ASSOCIATE etc. on behalf of a Bidder /Affiliate shall not be accepted.

22 DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF BID:

22.1 The Bid must be uploaded on GeM Portal not later than the Bid Due Date & Time specified in the Tender Documents.

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22.2 BCPL may, in exceptional circumstances and at its discretion, extend the Due Date & Time for Bid submission through a Corrigendum as per clause no. 8.0 and/or 9.0 of ITB. In that case all rights and obligations of BCPL and the Bidder, previously subject to the original Due Date & Time will thereafter be subject to the Due Date & Time as extended. Such Corrigendum for extension of Due Date & Time of Bid submission will be uploaded on the GeM Portal.

23 LATE BID:

23.1 GeM portal shall close immediately after the due date and time for submission of bid and no bids can be submitted thereafter.

In case the EMD /physical documents have been received but the Bid is not submitted by the bidder in the GeM Portal, such EMD/ physical documents shall be returned immediately.

23.2 EMD /physical documents received to address other than one specifically stipulated in the Tender Document will not be considered for evaluation/opening/award if not received to the specified destination within stipulated date & time.

24 MODIFICATION AND WITHDRAWAL OF BID:

24.1 The Bidder may withdraw or modify its Bid after bid submission but before the Bid Due Date & Time.

24.2 No bid shall be modified/ withdrawn after the Bid Due Date & Time.

24.3 Any withdrawal/ modification/substitution of Bid in the interval between the Bid Due Date & Time and the expiration of the period of bid validity specified by the Bidder in their Bid shall result in the Bidder's forfeiture of EMD pursuant to clause 16 of ITB / invocation of action as per Bid Security declaration and rejection of Bid.

24.4 The latest Bid submitted by the Bidder before Bid Due Date & Time shall be considered for evaluation and all other Bid(s) shall be considered to be unconditionally withdrawn.

[E] BID OPENING AND EVALUATION:

25 PURCHASER'S RIGHT TO ACCEPT ANY BID AND TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS

25.1 BCPL reserves the right to accept or reject any Bid, and to annul the Bidding process and reject all Bids, at any time prior to award of Contract, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected Bidder(s) or any obligations to inform the affected Bidder(s) of the ground for BCPL's action.

25.2 In GeM, there is provision for representation against disqualification of bidder within the specified period after disqualifying the bidder against GeM Bid. Disqualified bidders should

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not upload new/additional documents against representation on GeM as the same shall not be evaluated.

Further, following decisions of BCPL shall not be subject to review:

a) Determination of the need for procurement;
b) Selection of the mode of procurement or bidding system;
c) Choice of selection procedure;
d) Provisions limiting participation of bidders in the procurement process;
e) The decision to enter into negotiations with the L1 bidder;
f) Cancellation of the procurement process except where it is intended to subsequently re-tender the same requirements;
g) Issues related to ambiguity in contract terms may not be taken up after a contract has been signed, all such issues should be highlighted before consummation of the contract by the vendor/ contractor; and
h) Complaints against specifications except under the premise that they are either vague or too specific so as to limit competition may be permissible.

26 BID OPENING

26.1 **Un priced Bid Opening*:***

BCPL will open bids, at date, time and location stipulated in the tender document.

26.2 **Priced Bid Opening**:

26.2.1 BCPL will open the price bids of those Bidders who meet the qualification requirement and whose bid is determined to be technically and commercially responsive. Techno-commercial bid evaluation status will be informed to all bidders (including techno-commercially not qualified Bidders).

26.2.2 The price bids of those Bidders who were not found to be techno-commercially responsive shall not be opened.

27 CONFIDENTIALITY:

Information relating to the examination, clarification, evaluation and comparison of bids, and recommendations for the award of a contract, shall not be disclosed to bidders or any other person not officially concerned with such a process until the award to the successful bidder.

28 CONTACTING THE PURCHASER:

28.1 From the time of bid opening to the time of contract award, no bidder shall contact BCPL on any matter related to the bid, except on request and prior written permission.

28.2 Any effort by a Bidder to influence the Purchaser/BCPL in bid evaluation, bid comparison or contract award decisions will vitiate the process and will result in the rejection of the bidder's bid and action shall be initiated as per the BCPL's procedure for action in case Corrupt / Fraudulent / Collusive / Coercive practices in this regard apart from forfeiture of EMD/ Bid Security, if any.

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29 EXAMINATION OF BIDS AND DETERMINATION OF RESPONSIVENESS:

29.1 The purchaser's determination of a bid's responsiveness is based on the content of the bid only. Prior to the detailed evaluation of Bids, the Purchaser will determine whether each Bid:-

(a) meets the "Bid Evaluation Criteria" of the Tender Document;
(b) has been properly signed;
(c) is accompanied by the required ~~EMD / Bid Security/~~ Bid Security Declaration;
(d) is substantially responsive to the requirements of the Tender Document; and
(e) provides any clarification and/or substantiation that the Purchaser may require to determine responsiveness pursuant to "ITB: Clause-29.2"

29.2 A substantially responsive Bid is one which conforms to all the terms & conditions, specifications etc. of the Tender Document without any material deviation or reservation or omission, for this purpose Purchaser defines the foregoing terms below:-

a) "Deviation" is departure from the requirement specified in the Tender Documents.
b) "Reservation" is the setting of limiting condition(s) or withholding from complete acceptance of the requirement in the Tender Documents.
c) "Omission" is the failure to submit part or all of the information or documentation required in the Tender Document for evaluation of bid.

29.3 A material deviation, reservation or omission is one that,

a) If accepted would,
   i) affect in any substantial way the scope, quality or performance of the job as specified in Tender Document.
   ii) limit, in any substantial way, inconsistent with the Tender Document, the Purchaser's rights or the Bidder's obligation under the proposed Contract.
b) If rectified, would unfairly affect the competitive position of other bidders presenting substantially responsive bids.

29.4 The Purchaser shall examine all aspects of the Bid to confirm that all requirements have been met without any material deviation, reservation or omission.

29.5 Tenders that do not meet the basic requirements specified in the bid documents are to be treated as unresponsive { both during Techno-commercial evaluation and Financial Evaluation in case of Two Bid System) and will be ignored. All tenders received will first be scrutinized to see whether the tenders meet the basic requirements as incorporated in the Bid document and to identify unresponsive tenders, if any. Unresponsive offers may not subsequently be made responsive by correction or withdrawal of the non- conforming stipulation. Some important points

on the basis of which a tender may be declared as unresponsive and be ignored during the initial scrutiny are:

i) The tender is not in the prescribed format or is unsigned or not signed as per the stipulations in the bid document;
ii) The required EMD has not been provided or exemption from EMD is claimed without acceptable proof of exemption;
iii) The bidder is not eligible to participate in the bid as per laid down eligibility criteria
iv) The bid departs from the essential requirements specified in the bidding document (for example, the tenderer has not agreed to give the required contract performance security); or
v) Against a schedule in the list of requirements in the tender enquiry, the tenderer has not quoted for the entire requirement as specified in that schedule (example: in a schedule, it has been stipulated that the tenderer will supply the equipment, install and commission it and also train the BCPL's personnel for operating the equipment. The tenderer has, however, quoted only for supply of the equipment).

30 CORRECTION OF ERRORS: Not Applicable

31 CONVERSION TO SINGLE CURRENCY FOR COMPARISON OF BIDS:

Not Applicable. All bids submitted must be in the currency specified at clause 14 of ITB.

32 EVALUATION AND COMPARISON OF BIDS:

Bid shall be evaluated as per Evaluation Methodology mentioned in Section-II of Tender Document on lowest bid basis.

In case of a tie at the lowest bid (L1) position between two or more bidders, the order/LOA will be placed based on the Reverse Auction as per GeM.

33 QUANTITY VARIATION:

33.1 Where nature of items is such that the items cannot be supplied in exact quantity of the Purchase Order as in case of cables/ steel/ chemicals etc., quantity tolerance upto ± 5% may be allowed, if there is no specific quantity variation/ tolerance criteria in SCC. For such tolerance, separate amendment to Purchase Order would not be necessary.

33.2 The Purchaser reserves the right to delete the requirement of any one or more items of Tender Document without assigning any reason.

34 PURCHASE PREFERENCE:

Purchase preference to Micro & Small Enterprises (MSEs) and Domestically

Manufactured Electronic Products / Telecom Products or Policy to Provide Purchase Preference as per Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 etc. shall be allowed as per Government instructions in vogue, as applicable from time to time.

As per GEM policy/guidelines, MSE bidders have to update their status in their Profile and declare whether they are participating as MSE on GeM Portal (including updating their status in Profile) while submitting the bid on GeM tender. Further, MSE are required to upload relevant documents in bid as per provision of tender. However, evaluation and applicability of EMD exemption and purchase preference policy will be based on the confirmations & documents submitted by the bidder in their bid irrespective of selection/option made on GeM portal.

Bidders are required to select the applicable purchase preference (i.e. preference category) option while submitting the bid on GeM portal. However, evaluation and applicability of purchase preference policy will be based on the confirmations & documents submitted by the bidder in their bid irrespective of selection/option made on GeM portal.

Bidders are advised to update their status on GeM Portal to avoid any complexity in evaluation.

[F] – AWARD OF CONTRACT

35 AWARD:

Subject to "ITB: Clause-29.0", BCPL will place order to the successful Bidder whose Bid has been determined to be substantially responsive and has been determined as the lowest provided that Bidder, is determined to be qualified to satisfactorily perform the Contract.

"BCPL intent to place the SAP order/contract directly on the address from where Goods are produced/dispatched OR Services are rendered. In case, bidder wants order/ contract at some other address or supply of Goods/ Services from multiple locations, bidder is required to provide in their bid, the address on which order is to be placed".

BCPL will place the Purchase Order/Contract directly on the successful bidder from whom the bid has been received & evaluated and will not place order on other entities such as subsidiary, business associate or partner, dealer/distributor etc. of the Bidder.

36 NOTIFICATION OF AWARD / FAX OF ACCEPTANCE [FOA]:

36.1 Prior to the expiry of 'Period of Bid Validity', Notification of Award for acceptance of the Bid will be intimated to the successful Bidder by BCPL either by E - mail /Letter or

like means defined as the "Fax of Acceptance (FOA)". The Contract shall enter into force on the date of FOA and the same shall be binding on BCPL and successful Bidder (i.e. Supplier/Seller). The Notification of Award/FOA will constitute the formation of a Contract. The detailed Purchase Order /Contract shall be issued thereafter incorporating terms & conditions of Tender Document, Corrigendum, Clarification(s), Bid and agreed variation(s)/acceptable deviation(s), if any. BCPL may choose to issue Notification of Award in form of detailed Purchase Order without issuing FOA and in such case the Contract shall enter into force on the date of detailed Purchase Order only.

36.2 Contract/ Delivery/Completion Period shall commence from the date of Notification of Award/FOA or as mentioned therein.

36.3 Upon the successful Bidder's / Supplier's furnishing of 'Contract Performance Security / Security Deposit', pursuant to "ITB: Clause-38", BCPL will promptly discharge his EMD, pursuant to "ITB: Clause-16".

36.4 The order value is subject to Price Reduction Schedule (PRS) clause.

36.5 **In addition to GeM Contract(s), BCPL will place SAP generated Order(s) / Contract(s) outside GeM portal for execution of Order(s) / Contract(s) and payment to suppliers outside GeM portal. SAP Order(s)/Contract(s) will be generated by mentioning unit price excluding GST, quantity and percentage of GST. Thus, break-up of quoted prices (such as Ex-works price, freight charges & GST) shall be provided by bidders post price bid opening, based on request from BCPL.**

37.0 **DISPATCH SCHEDULE:**

37.1 If Purchase Order issued based on FOT (Free on Truck) / FOR (Free on Rail) project site basis, materials shall be delivered at the destination on freight prepaid & door delivery basis and for the cases where order(s) are finalized on Ex-works basis the transportation will be arranged by supplier(s) / BCPL on 'freight to pay' basis and the freight will be paid at the destination.

Seller shall submit the following details of goods/cargo within 15 days from Notification of Award to the designated authority as per Purchase Order:

(i) Shipments Schedule
(ii) Dimension details of packages
(iii) Detailed technical write-up along with Catalogue (if applicable)
(iv) Any other document/details, if mentioned in Purchase Order

37.2 The consignment should be handed over to transporter with E-way bill, wherever required as per law/act. In case such e-way bill is required to be issued by BCPL, the concerned designated order issuing authority may be contacted in this regard. It will be the responsibility of the supplier to ensure the compliance of the provisions relating to

E-Way bill before dispatch of the consignment and any financial implication arising due to non-compliance in this regard will be to the account of the supplier.

37.3 It shall be responsibility of the seller to send intimation immediately on dispatch of the material so that necessary arrangements can be made at site. Delays on account of the same shall solely be attributable to the Supplier.

37.4 Wherever, part shipment is allowed (refer BDS), the Supplier is allowed to make part shipment. However, until specified elsewhere in Tender Document, Payment for such part supplied Goods shall be made after supply of complete quantity of respective item.

37.5 Wherever the items make a full truck load, the suppliers to dispatch such items in a full truck direct to the consignee on a door delivery basis to the site. In such cases, the supplier to send a consignee copy of the lorry receipt to the consignee along with the consignment and the consignment shall be booked to BCPL and not "self". The supplier should dispatch the consignments to the designated consignee. All dispatch documents, that is, railway/lorry receipt, goods consignment note, airway bill, invoices, packing list, freight memos, test certificate, and so on, shall be sent to the concerned authority which will arrange to make the payment. If the payment is to be made through the bank, all original documents are to be sent through the designated bank.

Where critical equipment is involved, suitable special instructions will be provided in SCC to the supplier about the mode of transport, loading, avoidance of transhipment and, if necessary, provision of escorts. In case of chemicals, powdery materials, liquid materials, and so on, supplier is to ensure proper packaging to avoid spillage en route, so as to avoid pollution problems and also to conform to the ISO 14001 standard (wherever applicable).

38 CONTRACT PERFORMANCE SECURITY / SECURITY DEPOSIT:

38.1 Within 30 days of the receipt of the notification of award/ FOA from BCPL, the successful Bidder shall furnish the Contract Performance Security/Security Deposit (CPS) in accordance with of General Conditions of the Contract. The CPS shall be in the form of either Banker's Cheque or Demand Draft or Insurance Surety Bond or Fixed Deposit Receipt or Bank Guarantee or Letter of Credit and shall be in the currency of the Contract. However, there shall be no Contract Performance security / PBG requirement for contracts:

a) Placed under Direct Purchase / L-1 Purchase Option under Para (i) and (ii) of GFR rule 149;

b) Placed through Bids / RA with estimated bid value up to Rs 5 Lakh (in case of Goods contracts); and

However, on consent of BCPL, an additional time of 30 days can be allowed (while maintaining the validity of EMD for the requisite period) for submission of CPS / SD. However, a penal interest of Marginal Cost of Fund based Lending Rate (MCLR) for

one year charged by SBI (applicable on due date of submission of CPBG/SD i.e. 30th day after issuance of FOA Notification of award) plus 4.0% p.a (on CPBG/SD amount) shall be charged for delay beyond 30 days i.e. from 31st days after issuance of FOA.

Further, where contractor/ vendor/supplier/consultant is mobilized at site and executing the contract/ order as per provision of contract/order or mile stones decided during Kick of Meeting, further period for submission of CPBG (beyond 60 days) with application of aforesaid penal interest, can be given on consent of BCPL This provision is applicable only in case where contractor/ vendor/supplier/consultant is mobilized at site and executing the contract/ order as per provision of contract/order or mile stones decided during Kick of Meeting. In such case, Security Deposit (along with aforesaid applicable interest as on date of release of payment) can be deducted from the due payment of contractor/ vendor/supplier/consultant against such order/ contract.

For remaining cases, non-submission of CPBG beyond specified period (30 days or 60 days in case extension is allowed) may constitute sufficient ground for termination of order/ contract and subsequent actions following termination as per the tender.

The first payment to contractor/ vendor/supplier is to be released only after submission of Contract Performance Security (CPS)/ Security Deposit (SD) & deduction of

applicable interest OR deduction of Contract Performance Security (CPS)/ Security Deposit (SD) along with applicable interest from the due payment as mentioned herein above.

38.2 The CPS shall be for an amount as specified in BDS towards faithful performance of the contractual obligations and performance of equipment/material. For the purpose of CPS, Contract/Order Value shall be exclusive of **GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)**.

Bank Guarantee towards CPS shall be from any Indian scheduled bank (excluding Co-operative banks and Regional Rural bank) or a branch of an International bank situated in India and registered with Reserve bank of India as scheduled foreign bank. However, in case of bank guarantees from banks other than the Nationalized Indian banks, the bank must be a commercial bank having net worth in excess of Rs 100 crores and a declaration to this effect should be made by such commercial bank either in the Bank Guarantee itself or separately on its letterhead.

The Supplier shall submit CPS as per Form F-4 of Tender Document only but not as per format of GeM. Further, they also submit covering letter along with CPS as per format at F-4

38.3 Failure of the successful Bidder to comply with the requirements of this article shall constitute sufficient grounds for the annulment of the award and forfeiture of the EMD/ action as per declaration for Bid Security.

Bidder's sign

38.4 Further, Ministry of Finance (MOF) Department of financial service has issued direction for submission of Bank Guarantee through online vide letter ref number F.No.7/112/2011-BOA dated 17th July 2012. The successful bidder can submit CPS online through issuing bank to BCPL directly as per the above direction including its revisions, if any. In such cases confirmation will not be sought from issuing banker by BCPL.

38.5 The successful bidder can also submit the SD/CP G through online banking transaction i.e. IMPS/NEFT/RTGS/SWIFT etc. For this purpose, the details of BCPL's Bank Account is mentioned in BDS. Further, in case a successful Bidder is willing to furnish SD/CPS through SWIFT, the details may be obtained from Purchase Officer immediately after receipt of FOA.

While remitting such online transaction, the bidder must indicate "Security Deposit/ Contract Performance Security against FOA/DLOA/PO no. _____ (contractor/ vendor to specify the FOA/DLOA/PO No.)" under remarks column of such transaction on respective bank portal. The contractor/vendor shall be required to submit the successful transaction details to the dealing officer immediately through email/letter and necessarily within 30 days from the date of Fax of Acceptance.

38.6 In case of forfeiture of Contract Performance Security/ Security Deposit in terms of GCC, the forfeited amount will be considered inclusive of tax and tax invoice will be issued by BCPL. The forfeiture amount will be subject to final decision of BCPL based on other terms and conditions of order.

38.7 CPS/Security Deposit will not be accepted in case the same has reference of 'remitter'/'financer' other than bidder on the aforementioned financial instrument of CPS/ Security Deposit submitted by the Supplier.

38.8 The first payment to vendor is to be released only after submission of CPS / Security Deposit (SD).

38.9 Before the CPS / Security Deposit (SD) is released a "No Claim Certificate" is to be submitted by the supplier/vendor.

39 PROCEDURE FOR ACTION IN CASE CORRUPT/ FRAUDULENT /COLLUSIVE/ COERCIVE PRACTICES:

39.1 Procedure for action in case Corrupt/ Fraudulent/Collusive/Coercive Practices is enclosed at Annexure-I.

39.2 ~~The Fraud Prevision Policy document is available on BCPL's website (www.bcplonline.co.in).~~

39.3 ~~Name and contact details of nodal officer- refer BDS:~~

3.94 **NON-APPLICABILITY OF ARBITRATION CLAUSE IN CASE OF BANNING OF VENDORS/ SUPPLIERS / CONTRACTORS/ BIDDERS/ CONSULTANTS INDULGED IN FRAUDULENT/ COERCIVE PRACTICES**

Notwithstanding anything contained contrary in GCC or elsewhere in the Purchase Order, in case it is found that the Bidder/ Supplier indulged in fraudulent/ coercive practices at the time of bidding, during execution of the Contract and/or on other grounds as mentioned in BCPL's "Procedure for action in case Corrupt/ Fraudulent/ Collusive/Coercive Practices" (Annexure-I), the Bidder/Supplier shall be banned (in terms of aforesaid procedure) from the date of issuance of such order by BCPL, to such Bidder/Supplier.

The Bidder /Supplier / understands and agrees that in such cases where Bidder /Supplier has been banned (in terms of aforesaid procedure) from the date of issuance of such order by BCPL, such decision of BCPL shall be final and binding on the Bidder /Supplier and the 'Arbitration Clause' mentioned in the GCC or elsewhere in the Purchase Order shall not be applicable for any consequential issue /dispute arising in the matter.

40 PUBLIC PROCUREMENT POLICY FOR MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES (MSE):

40.1 Following provision has been incorporated for Micro and Small Enterprises (MSE), in line with notification of Government of India, vide Gazette of India No. 503 dated 26.03.2012 proclaiming the Public Procurement Policy on procurement of goods and services from MSEs.

i) Issue of tender document to MSEs free of cost.

ii) Exemption from submission of EMD shall be as per Government e-Marketplace (GeM), GTC.

iii) In Tender participating Micro and Small Enterprises quoting price within the price band of L1 + 15% shall also be allowed to supply a portion of requirement by bringing down their prices to L1 price in a situation where L1 price is from someone other than a micro and small enterprise and such micro and small enterprises shall be allowed to supply upto 25% of the total tendered value. In case of more than one such Micro and Small Enterprises, the supply shall be shared proportionately (to tendered quantity). Further, out of above 25%, 4% shall be reserved for MSEs owned by SC/ST entrepreneurs. Further, 3% shall be reserved for MSEs owned by women within 25% reservation. The respective quota(s) shall be transferred to other MSEs in case of non-availability of MSEs owned by SC/ST entrepreneurs/MSEs owned by Women.

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Bidder's sign

The quoted prices against various items shall remain valid in case of splitting of quantities of the items above.

In case tendered item is non-splitable or non- dividable (specified in Bid Data Sheet), MSE quoting price within price band L1 (other than MSE) + 15% , may be awarded for full/ complete supply of total tendered value subject to matching of L1 price.

40.2 The MSE(s) owned by SC/ST Entrepreneurs shall mean:-

a) In case of proprietary MSE, Proprietor(s) shall be SC/ST.

b) In case of partnership MSE, the SC/ST partners shall be holding atleast 51% share in the unit

c) In case of private Limited Companies, at least 51% share is held by SC/ST. If the MSE is owned by SC/ST Entrepreneurs, the bidder shall furnish appropriate documentary evidence in this regard.

The MSE(s) owned by Women shall mean:-

a) In case of proprietary MSE, Proprietor(s) shall be Women.

b) In case of partnership MSE, the Women partners shall be holding atleast 51% share in the unit

c) In case of private Limited Companies, at least 51% share is held by Women. If the MSE is owned by Women Entrepreneurs, the bidder shall furnish appropriate documentary evidence in this regard.

40.3 In case Bidder is a Micro or Small Enterprise, the Bidder shall submit Udyam Registration Certificate for availing benefit under Public Procurement Policy for MSEs-2012.

Vide Gazette notification dated 18.10.2022 of Ministry of MSME, the following is notified:

"In case of an upward change in terms of investment in plant and machinery or equipment or turnover or both, and consequent re-classification, an enterprise shall continue to avail of all nontax benefits of the category (micro or small or medium) it was in before the re-classification, for a period of three years from the date of such upward change"

Accordingly, in case of upward change in status, MSE bidder is required to submit the previous certificate also to get the MSE benefits.

The above document(s) submitted by the Bidder shall be duly certified by the Chartered Accountant (not being an employee or a Director or not having any interest in the bidder's company/firm) and notary public with legible stamp.

If the bidder does not provide the above confirmation or appropriate document or any evidence, then it will be presumed that they do not qualify for any preference admissible in the Public Procurement Policy (PPP) 2012.

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Bidder's sign

The Public Procurement Policy for MSEs is meant for procurement of only goods produced & Services rendered by MSEs. The benefit of policy are not extended to the traders/dealers/ Distributors/Stockiest/Wholesalers.

40.4 If against an order placed by BCPL, successful Bidder(s) (other than Micro/Small Enterprise) is procuring material/services from their sub-vendor who is a Micro or Small Enterprise as per provision mentioned at clause no.40.3 above with prior consent in writing from BCPL, the details like Name, Registration No., Address, Contact No. details of material & value of procurement made, etc. of such Enterprises shall be furnished by the successful Bidder at the time of submission of invoice/Bill.

40.5 Further, MSEs who are availing the benefits of the Public Procurement Policy (PPP) 2012 get themselves registered with MSME Data Bank being operated by NSIC, under SME Division, M/o MSME, in order to create proper data base of MSEs which are making supplies to CPSUs.

40.6 NSIC has initiated a scheme of "Consortia and Tender Marketing Scheme" under which they are assisting the Micro & Small enterprises to market their products and services through tender participation on behalf of the individual unit or through consortia.

Accordingly, if the MSEs or the consortia, on whose behalf the bid is submitted by NSIC, is meeting the BEC and other terms and conditions of tender their bid will be considered for further evaluation.

Further, in such cases a declaration is to be submitted by MSE/ consortia on their letter head (s) that all the terms and conditions of tender document shall be acceptable to them.

40.7 It may be noted that Government of India has implemented Trade Receivable Discounting System (TreDS) to address challenges faced by MSMEs in delayed payments (after receipt/acceptance of Material/Services) from Government buyers leading to shortfall of Working Capital. TreDS is an online electronic institutional mechanism for facilitating the financing of trade receivables of MSMEs through multiple financiers. BCPL is already registered on the following TreDS platform:

- M/s A. TREDS (Invoicemart), Mumbai

MSME Bidders are required to register on the TreDS platform. The MSME vendors can avail the TReDS facility, if they want to.

40.8 Interest payment on delayed payments to MSME is payable in line with Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006.

41 PACKING INSTRUCTIONS:

41.1 Packing shall be strong and sturdy such that it can withstand loading/unloading & pushing by mechanical devices. All packaging shall be done in such a manner as to

reduce volume and weight as much as possible without jeopardizing the safety of the material. All packing materials shall be new.

41.2 Fragile articles should have special packing materials depending on type of materials.

41.3 All soft and delicate surfaces on equipment/material should be carefully protected / painted with suitable coating and wrapped to prevent rusting and damage. All mechanical and electrical equipment and other heavy articles should be securely fastened to the bottom of the case, to avoid damage.

41.4 Attachments and spare parts of equipment and all small pieces shall be packed separately in wooden cases with adequate protection inside the case and sent along with main equipment. Each item shall be tagged so as to identify it with the main equipment and part number and reference number shall be indicated.

41.5 All protrusions shall be suitably protected and openings shall be blocked by wooden/steel covers as may be required.

41.6 Detailed case wise packing list in water proof envelope shall be inserted in each package together with equipment/material. One copy of 'Detailed Packing List' shall be fastened outside of the package in waterproof envelope and covered by metal cover.

41.7 Each package shall be marked on three sides with proper paints/indelible waterproof ink as follows:

PURCHASER:

DESTINATION:

Purchase Order No….....

Net Wt.....…….... Kgs,

Gross Wt..... Kgs.

Dimensions.....X.....X.....CM.

Package No. (Sl. No. of total packages).....

Seller's Name.....

41.8 Permits are to be obtained separately for entry/use of vehicles/trailers etc. inside the plant. The following requirements are to be met to obtain vehicle permit:-

a) Vehicle/Equipment etc. should be brought to site in good conditions.

b) Valid Road Tax Certificate, fitness certificate and insurance policy from Competent Authority

c) Valid operating/driving license of driver/operator

d) Any other requirement mentioned elsewhere in Tender Document

41.9 GREEN PACKAGING:

Green packaging, also known as **sustainable packaging makes use of materials and manufacturing methods for the packaging of goods** that has a significantly low impact on both energy consumption and the environment thus resulting in improved sustainability

In order to promote Green Packing, vendors/suppliers may use packaging that are preferably biodegradable. Multilayer packaging may not be used, wherever applicable. While packaging, the following may be preferred:

(i) Adopt green packaging practices for packaging

(ii) Packaging may be recyclable with appropriate recycling labels on packaging or goods. The product may be packaged in material that is recyclable after use and be certified for this.

(iii) If plastic packaging is unavoidable, then the packaging shall be reusable plastics or made of recycled material. The packaging should have appropriate recycling label on it.

(iv) The paper to be packaged in material that is recyclable/reusable or biodegradable.

(v) Alternate packaging materials like aluminium, cardboard, paper, paper board, jute bag etc. may be explored.

(vi) Use of reusable containers or packaging to transport products;

(vii) Styrofoam, thermocols, thin film plastics, polystyrene etc. may be avoided

(viii) Avoid the use of materials toxic to humans or the environment.

42 VENDOR PERFORMANCE EVALUATION:

The procedure for evaluation of performance of Supplier containing provisions for putting a Bidder / Supplier on suspension and/or holiday list (as the case may be) is enclosed as Annexure II to ITB herewith.

43. MENTIONING OF PAN NO. IN INVOICE/BILL:

As per CBDT Notification No. 95/2015 dated 30.12.2015, mentioning of PAN no. is mandatory for transactions related to procurement of goods / services/ exceeding Rs.2Lacs per transaction or as amended from time to time.

Accordingly, Supplier should mention their PAN no. in their invoice/ bill for any transaction exceeding Rs.2 lakhs. As provided in the notification, in case Supplier do not have PAN no., they have to submit declaration in Form 60 along with invoice/ bill for each transaction.

Payment of Supplier shall be processed only after fulfilment of above requirement.

44. DISPUTE RESOLUTION

1. PRE-LITIGATION GRIEVANCE/DISPUTE REDRESSAL MECHANISM:

i) Any issue should be first referred to EIC (for LOA/contracts)/Dealing C&P Executive (for Purchase Orders).

ii) In case issue is not resolved by above, Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant may submit their issue to "Samadhan Committee". The same will be addressed by Samadhan Committee within 15days from the date of issue raised.

Vendor can refer the issue/grievance to the following address:

GM(C&P)/HoD(C&P)
Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited
Administrative Building, Dibrugrah-786006
e-mail: hodcnp@bcplindia.co.in

iii) In case, Vendor/Supplier/ Contractor/Consultant is not satisfied with the decision of the Samadhan Committee, there is a provision of escalation of issue to higher authority in BCPL. This option is available two times only, one is at Chief General Manager (O&M) and the other one is Chief Operating Officer.

iv) Further, issue(s) can only be submitted upto 1 month after closure of respective Contract

v) Vendor should refer their issue/ grievance through above mode only. Issue/ grievance received through any other mode shall not be entertained.

However, in case no mutual settlement is arrived at after exercising all pre-litigation grievance/dispute redressal mechanism as above, the matter shall be settled by Conciliation in accordance with the BCPL Conciliation Rules, 2025 as below:

3. CONCILIATION

Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited has framed the Conciliation Rules 2025 in conformity with Part – III of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act 1996 as amended from time to time for speedier, cost effective and amicable settlement of disputes through conciliation. All issue(s)/dispute(s) arising under the Contract, which cannot be mutually resolved within a reasonable time as per above clause, may be referred for conciliation in accordance with BCPL Conciliation Rules 2025 as amended from time to time. A copy of the said rules have been made available on BCPL web site i.e https://bcplonline.co.in/.

Where invitation for Conciliation has been accepted by the other party, the Parties shall attempt to settle such dispute(s) amicably under Part-III of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 and BCPL Conciliation Rules, 2025. It would be only after exhausting the option of Conciliation as an Alternate Dispute Resolution Mechanism that the Parties hereto shall invoke Arbitration Clause. For the purpose of this clause, the option of 'Conciliation' shall be deemed to have been exhausted, even in case of rejection of 'Conciliation' by any of the Parties.

3. ARBITRATION

All issue(s)/dispute(s) excluding the matters that have been specified as excepted matters and listed at clause no. 3.6 and which cannot be resolved through pre-litigation grievance/dispute redressal mechanism, and Conciliation as per BCPL Conciliation rules, such issue(s)/dispute(s) shall be referred to arbitration for adjudication by Sole Arbitrator.

The party invoking the Arbitration shall have the option to either opt for Ad-hoc Arbitration as provided at Clause 3.1 below or Institutionalized Arbitration as provided at Clause 3.2 below, the remaining clauses from 3.3 to 3.7 shall apply to both Ad-hoc and Institutional Arbitration:-

3.1 On invocation of the Arbitration clause by either party, BCPL shall suggest a panel of three independent and distinguished persons (Retd. Supreme Court & High Court Judges only) to the other party from the Panel of Arbitrators maintained by 'Delhi International Arbitration Centre (DIAC))/ Panels of Arbitrators maintained by Gauhati High Court to select any one among them to act as the Sole Arbitrator. In the event of failure of the other party to select the Sole Arbitrator within 30 days from the receipt of the communication from BCPL suggesting the panel of arbitrators, the right of selection of the sole arbitrator by the other party shall stand forfeited and BCPL shall appoint the Sole Arbitrator from the suggested panel of three Arbitrators for adjudication of dispute(s).

The decision of BCPL on the appointment of the sole arbitrator shall be final and binding on the other party. The fees payable to Sole Arbitrator shall be governed by the fee Schedule of ''Delhi International Arbitration Centre'.

OR

3.2 If a dispute arises out of or in connection with this contract, the party invoking the Arbitration shall submit that dispute to any one of the Arbitral Institutions i.e ICADR/ICA/DIAC/SFCA and that dispute shall be adjudicated in accordance with their respective Arbitration Rules. The matter shall be adjudicated by a Sole Arbitrator who shall necessarily be a Retd. Supreme Court/High Court Judge to be appointed/nominated by the respective institution. The cost/expenses pertaining to the said Arbitration shall also be governed in accordance with the Rules of the respective Arbitral Institution. The decision of the party invoking the Arbitration for reference of dispute to a specific Arbitral institution for adjudication of that dispute shall be final and binding on both the parties and shall not be subject to any change thereafter. The institution once selected at the time of invocation of dispute shall remain unchanged.

3.3 The cost of arbitration proceedings shall be shared equally by the parties.

3.4 The Arbitration proceedings shall be in English language and the seat, venue and place of Arbitration shall be Guwahati, Assam only.

3.5 Subject to the above, the provisions of Arbitration & Conciliation Act 1996 and any amendment thereof shall be applicable. All matter relating to this Contract and arising

out of invocation of Arbitration clause are subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Court(s) situated at Guwahati.

3.6 List of Excepted matters:

a) Dispute(s)/issue(s) involving claims below Rs.25 lakhs and above Rs.10 crores.

b) Dispute(s)/issue(s) relating to indulgence of Contractor/Vendor/Bidder in corrupt/fraudulent/ collusive/coercive practices and/or the same is under investigation by CBI or Vigilance or any other investigating agency or Government.

c) Dispute(s)/issue(s) wherein the decision of Engineer-In-Charge/owner/BCPL has been made final and binding in terms of the Contract.

3.7. Disputes involving claims below Rs 25 Lakhs and above Rs. 10 crores:- Parties mutually agree that dispute(s)/issue(s) involving claims below Rs 25 Lakhs and above Rs 10 crores shall not be subject matter of Arbitration and are subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Court(s) situated at Dibrugarh.

4. GOVERNING LAW AND JURISDICTION:

The Contract shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws in force in India. The Parties hereby submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Competent Courts of Dibrugarh having territorial & pecuniary jurisdiction for adjudication of disputes, injunctive reliefs, actions and proceedings, if any, arising out of this Contract other than those covered under the arbitration clause as stated herein above.

45. DISPUTES BETWEEN CPSE'S/ GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT'S/ ORGANIZATIONS:

Subject to pre litigation grievance/dispute redressal mechanism as provided above, in the event of any dispute or difference relating to the interpretation and application of the provisions of commercial contract(s) between Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs/ Port Trusts inter se and also between CPSEs and Government Departments /Organizations (excluding disputes concerning Railways, Income Tax, Customs & Excise Departments), such dispute or difference shall be taken up by either party for its resolution through AMRCD as mentioned in DPE OM No. 05/0003/2019-FTS-10937 dated 14th December, 2022 and the decision of AMRCD on the said dispute will be binding on both the parties.

The above provisions shall supersede provisions relating to Arbitration, Governing Law & Jurisdiction and Disputes between CPSE's/ Government Department's/ Organizations mentioned in General Conditions of Contract (GCC) and elsewhere in tender document.

46 **<u>REPEAT ORDER</u>:**

PURCHASER reserves the right, within 6 months of order to place repeat order upto 25% of the original ordered quantity (s) without any change in unit price or other terms and conditions.

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Bidder's sign

47 **PROMOTION OF PAYMENT THROUGH CARDS AND DIGITAL MEANS:**

To promote cashless transactions, the onward payments by Suppliers to their employees, service providers, sub-contractors and suppliers may be made through Cards and Digital means to the extent possible.

48 **PROVISIONS FOR STARTPUS (AS DEFINED IN GAZETTE NOTIFICATION NO. D.L-33004/99 DATED 18.02.2016 AND 23.05.2017 OF MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY AND AS AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME) (FOR APPLICABILITY REFER BDS)**

As mentioned in Section-II, Prior turnover and prior experience shall not be required for all Startups [whether Micro & Small Enterprises (MSEs) or otherwise] subject to their meeting the quality and technical specifications specified in tender document and submission of document specified in Section-II.

Further, the Startups are also exempted from submission of EMDs, if applicable.

If a Startup [whether Micro & Small Enterprises (MSEs) or otherwise] gets qualified without turnover and experience criteria specified in tender and emerges lowest bidder, the order on such Startup shall be placed for entire tendered quantity.

However, before supplying the total quantity, the startup enterprise shall first demonstrate its performance by supplying 10% of total ordered quantity (rounded off to the next higher digit in terms of Unit of Measurement (UoM), wherever required) and only after successful execution of this quantity the balance 90% quantity will be cleared for supply. In case, the demonstration of performance fails, the entire order will be canceled without any financial implication on either side.

49 PROVISION REGARDING INVOICE FOR REDUCED VALUE OR CREDIT NOTE TOWARDS PRS

PRS is the reduction in the consideration / contract value for the goods / services covered under this contract. In case of delay in supply/ execution of contract, supplier should raise invoice for reduced value as per Price Reduction Schedule Clause (PRS clause). If supplier has raised the invoice for full value, then supplier should issue Credit Note towards the applicable PRS amount with applicable taxes.

In such cases if supplier fails to submit the invoice with reduced value or does not issue credit note as mentioned above, BCPL will release the payment to supplier after giving effect of the PRS clause with corresponding reduction of taxes charged on vendor's invoice, to avoid delay in delivery/collection of material.

In case any financial implication arises on BCPL due to issuance of invoice without reduction in price or non-issuance of Credit Note, the same shall be to the account of supplier. BCPL shall be entitled to deduct / setoff / recover such GST amount (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) together with penalties and interest, if any, against any

amounts paid or becomes payable by BCPL in future to the Supplier under this contract or under any other contract.

50 UNIQUE DOCUMENT IDENTIFICATION NUMBER BY PRACTICING CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Practicing Chartered Accountants shall generate Unique Document Identification Number (UDIN) for all certificates issued by them as per provisions of Tender Document.

However, UDIN may not be required for documents being attested by Chartered Accountants in terms of provisions of Tender Document.

51 PROVISION W.R.T. TDS ON PURCHASE OF GOODS UNDER SECTION 194Q OF INCOME TAX ACT

51.1 TDS as applicable will be deducted by BCPL under section 194Q of the Income Tax Act, 1961 on Purchases exceeds Rs. 50 Lakhs or limit defined therein from time to time during the financial year.

51.2 Since BCPL is liable to deduct Income Tax TDS under section 194Q, the provision of TCS as per section 206C(1H) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 shall not be applicable.

51.3 **Higher rate of TDS for non-filers of ITR**

As per Section 206AB of Income Tax Act, 1961, in case of any vendor/supplier who does not filed their Income Tax Return for both of the two previous years preceding to current year and aggregate amount of TDS is more than or equal to 50,000/- in each of those previous two years (or limit defined by Govt. from time to time), then TDS will be deducted at the higher of following rates:

(I) Twice the rate mentioned in relevant TDS section.

(II) Twice the rate or rates in force

(III) 5%

52. DOCUMENTS FOR PAYMENT:

Payment terms shall be as mentioned in GCC-Goods/SCC.

However, for release of payment, the following documents is to be submitted by supplier/ vendor:

i) Supplier's Invoice indicating, inter alia description and specification of the goods, quantity, unit price, total value;
ii) Packing list;
iii) LR/GR/consignment note;
iv) Manufacturer's guarantee certificate and in-house inspection certificate (wherever applicable);

v) Inspection certificate issued by purchaser's inspector (wherever applicable); and

vi) Any other document(s) as and if required in terms of the contract.

~~Further, BCPL is in process of implementing Vendor Invoice Management (VIM). After implementation of same (to be communicated separately), Supplier/ Vendor to forward the invoice on VIM Collection Center or upload digital invoice on Portal (details of same will be provided separately). The copy of invoice and all other document mentioned above or in order/ contract is to be forwarded to address provided in order/contract.~~

53. ORDER TRANSMITTAL SYSTEM: ***[FOR APPLICABILITY OF THE CLAUSE REFER BDS]***

~~The complete PO/LOA along with all annexures including tender document shall be shared through order/contract transmittal system after intimation through email.~~

~~Supplier/Contractor is requested to visit https://gailonline.com/home.html and click on link order/contract transmittal system (It can be found under Vendor Zone (Portal For Suppliers)) or https://gailebank.gail.co.in/GOGA_AUDIT/frmUserLogin.aspx.~~

~~Therein, in order to access the detailed order/contract, supplier/contractor shall be prompted to enter your email id. Further an OTP shall be sent on your registered mobile number. After entering OTP, supplier/contractor shall be allowed to download complete PO/LOA along with all annexures including tender document. After downloading the documents, the supplier/contractor shall be required to digitally sign the document (by authorized signatory) for uploading the documents on order/contract transmittal system towards acknowledgement of the same.~~

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Annexure-A

Eligibility criteria in case bid is submitted on the basis of technical experience of FOREIGN BASED ANOTHER COMPANY (SUPPORTING COMPANY) which holds more than 50% of the paid up share capital of the bidding company or vice versa:

(a) Offers of those bidders (not under consortium arrangement) who themselves do not meet the technical experience criteria as stipulated in the BEC and are quoting based on the experience of Foreign based another company (Supporting Company) can also be considered. In such case the supporting company should hold more than 50% of the paid up share capital of the bidding company or vice versa.

(b) However, the supporting company should on its own meet the technical experience as stipulated in the BEC and should not rely on any other company or through any other arrangement like Technical collaboration agreement.

(c) In that case as the bidding company is dependent upon the technical experience of another company with a view to ensure commitment and involvement of the companies involved for successful execution of the contract, the participating bidder should enclose the following Agreements/ Guarantees/ Undertakings along with the techno-commercial bid:

i) An Agreement (as per format enclosed at Appendix-A1) between the bidder and the Supporting Company.

ii) Guarantee (as per format enclosed at Appendix-A2) by the Supporting Company to BCPL for fulfilling the obligation under the Agreement.

iii) Undertaking by Supporting Company to provide a Performance Bank Guarantee (as per format and instructions enclosed at Appendix-A3), equivalent to 50% of the value of the PBG which is to be submitted by the bidding company, in case of being the successful bidder.

In cases where foreign based Supporting Company does not have Permanent Establishment in India as per Indian Income Tax Act, the bidding company can furnish Performance Bank Guarantee for an amount which is sum of PBG amount to be submitted by the bidder and additional PBG amount required to be submitted by the supporting company subject to the condition that supporting company have 100% paid up equity share capital of the bidder either directly or through intermediate subsidiaries or vice versa. In such case bidding company shall furnish an undertaking that their foreign based supporting company is not having any Permanent Establishment in India in terms of Income Tax Act of India.

iv) Undertaking from the Supporting Company to the effect that in addition to invoking the PBG submitted by the bidding company, the PBG provided by Supporting Company shall be invoked by BCPL due to non-performance of the bidding company.

Note:

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- In case Supporting Company fails to submit Bank Guarantee as per (iii) above, EMD/SD submitted by the bidder shall be forfeited.

- The Financial BEC of tender is to be met by bidder on their own.

(viii) Exchange rate for Conversion of Currency for evaluation of documents submitted by bidders for BEC which are in other currency than specified in BEC shall be as follows:

(a) **BEC (Technical):** Bill Selling (foreign exchange) Rate of State Bank of India as prevailing on the date of award of order/contract submitted by bidder.

In case, the SBI Selling rate is not available as on the date of conversion as specified above for respective cases, the exchange rate for conversion of currency shall be taken from the internet, such as:
https://www.xe.com/currencyconverter
https://economictimes.indiatimes.com/markets/forex/currency-converter
https://www.oanda.com/currency/converter

Appendix-A1 to Annexure-A

FORMAT OF AGREEMENT TO BE EXECUTED BETWEEN BIDDER AND THEIR FOREIGN BASED SUPPORTING COMPANY ON INDIAN STAMP PAPER OF REQUISITE VALUE DULY NOTARIZED

This agreement made this ___ day of ____ month ____ year by and between M/s. _____ (Fill in Bidder's full name, constitution and registered office address) _____ hereinafter referred to as bidder on the first part and M/s. _____ (Fill in full name, constitution and registered office address company which hold more than fifty percent of the paid up share capital of the bidding company or vice versa) hereinafter referred to as "Supporting Company" of the second part.

Whereas

M/s Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as BCPL) has invited offers vide their tender No. _____ for _____and M/s. _____ (Bidder) intends to bid against the said tender and desires to have technical support of M/s. _____ [Supporting Company]. And whereas Supporting Company represents that they have gone through and understood the requirements of the subject tender and are capable and committed to provide the services as required by the bidder for successful execution of the contract, if awarded to the bidder.

Now, it is hereby agreed to by and between the parties as follows:

a) M/s._____ (Bidder) will submit an offer to BCPL for the full scope of work as envisaged in the tender document as a main bidder and liaise BCPL directly for any clarifications etc. in this context.
b) M/s. _____ [Supporting Company] undertakes to provide technical support and expertise, expert manpower and project management including financial support, if so required, to the bidder to discharge its obligations as per the Scope of Work of the tender / Contract for which offer has been made by the bidder and accepted the BCPL.
c) The Bidder/ Supporting Company holds more than 50% paid up equity capital of the Supporting Company/ Bidder.
d) This agreement will remain valid till validity of bidder's offer to BCPL including extension if any and till satisfactory performance of the contract, the same is awarded by BCPL to the bidder.
e) Supporting Company undertakes that this agreement shall remain enforceable even if their stake in Bidder is diminished during the execution of works under the contract between the Bidder and BCPL.
f) The bidder shall have the overall responsibility of satisfactory execution of the contract awarded by BCPL, however without prejudice to any rights that BCPL might have against the Supporting Company.
g) It is further agreed that, if contract pursuant to Supporting Company shall be jointly and severely responsible to BCPL for the performance of works during contract period and for the satisfactory execution of the contract, and for all the consequences for non-performance thereof.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have executed this agreement on the date mentioned above.

For and on behalf of (Bidder) M/s.	For and on behalf of (Supporting Company) M/s.
Witness:	Witness:
1)	1)
2)	2)

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Bidder's sign

Appendix-A2 to Annexure-A

GUARANTEE BY THE FOREIGN BASED SUPPORTING COMPANY/ GUARANTOR

THIS DEED OF GUARANTEE executed at …….. this …….. day of …… by M/s …… (mention complete name) a company duly established and existing under the laws of ……(insert country), having its Registered Office at …… hereinafter called "the Guarantor and/ or the Supporting Company" which expression shall, unless excluded by or repugnant to the subject or context thereof, be deemed to include its successors and permitted assignees.

FOR

M/s …… (bidder) a company duly established and existing under the laws of ……. (insert country), having its Registered Office at …… hereinafter called the "Bidder" which expression shall, unless excluded by or repugnant to the subject or context thereof, be deemed to include its successors and permitted assignees.

TOWARDS

M/s **Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd., Lepetkata**, a company duly registered under the law of India having its Registered Office at 7th Floor, NRL Centre, 122A G.S Road, Christian Basti, Guwahati, Assam, Pin - 781005, and having Purchase center at …… hereinafter called "BCPL" which expression shall unless excluded by or repugnant to the context thereof, be deemed to include its successor and assignees

WHEREAS BCPL has invited tender number …… for …….. on …….., and the bidder has submitted it bid number…… in response to the above mentioned tender invited by BCPL. AND WHEREAS the bidder/ Guarantor Company holds more than 50% paid up equity capital of the Supporting Company/ Bidder.

AND WHEREAS one of the condition for acceptance of Bidder's bid against said tender is that in case the bidder is seeking to qualify upon the technical credentials of its Guarantor Company, then the bidder shall arrange a guarantee from its Guarantor Company guaranteeing due and satisfactory performance of the work covered under the said tender including any change therein as may be deemed appropriate by the BCPL at any stage.

The Guarantor represents that they have gone through and understood the requirement of the above said tender and are capable of and committed to provide technical and such other supports as may be required by the Bidder for successful execution of the same.

The Bidder and the Guarantor have entered into an agreement dated …… as per which the Guarantor shall be providing technical, financial and such other supports as may be necessary for performance of the work under the tender, if the contract is awarded to the Bidder.

Accordingly, at the request of the Bidder and in consideration of and as a requirement for the BCPL to enter into agreement(s) with the Bidder, the Guarantor hereby guarantees and undertakes that upon award of Contract to Bidder against bid number ……., made by the Bidder under tender number……:

1. The Guarantor unconditionally agrees that in case of non-performance by the Bidder of any of its obligations in any respect, the Guarantor shall, immediately on receipt of notice of demand by the BCPL, take up the job without any demur or objection, in continuation and without loss of time and

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without any cost to the BCPL and duly perform the obligations of the Bidder to the satisfaction of the BCPL.

2. The Guarantor agrees that the Guarantee contained herein shall remain valid till the satisfactory execution and completion of the work (including discharge of the warranty obligations) awarded to the Bidder.

3. The Guarantor shall be jointly and severally responsible to BCPL for satisfactory performance of works during contract period and for the satisfactory execution of the contract, and for all consequences for non-performance thereof.

4. The liability of the Guarantor, under the Guarantee, is limited of the Bidder for non-performance under the contract entered between BCPL and the Bidder. This will, however, be in addition to the forfeiture of the Performance and Advance Guarantees furnished by the Bidder.

5. The Guarantor agrees to execute a Corporate Guarantee in favour of BCPL, guaranteeing the performance of obligations by the Bidder, in case the Contract is awarded to the Bidder by BCPL.

6. The Guarantor represents that this Guarantee has been issued after due observance of the appropriate laws in force in India. The Guarantor hereby undertakes that the Guarantor shall obtain and maintain in full force and effect all the governmental and other approvals and consents that are necessary and do all other acts and things necessary or desirable in connection therewith or for the due performance of the Guarantor's obligations towards BCPL.

7. Any dispute arising out of or in connection with this contract, including any question regarding its existence, validity or termination, shall be referred to and finally resolved by arbitration. It is further agreed that Claims by and against the Guarantor, the Bidder and BCPL under the different contract to be entered pursuant to their relationship can be brought under a single reference and there shall be no bar on the consolidation of such proceedings before the same arbitral tribunal. The governing law shall be the laws of India and seat of arbitration shall be New Delhi, India. The language of arbitration shall be English.

8. The Guarantor hereby declares and represents that this Guarantee has been given without any undue influence or coercion, and that the Guarantor has fully understood the implications of the same.

9. In case of award of contract to the bidder, the Guarantor shall provide Performance Bank Security to BCPL, equivalent to 50% of the value of Performance Bank Security to be submitted by the bidding company, in the prescribed format within 15 days from the date of Fax of Acceptance, as guarantee for performance by the bidder/contractor. The Guarantor hereby expressly agrees that if in the opinion of BCPL, the Bidder / Contractor has failed to perform its obligations under the contract in any manner, BCPL shall have unfettered right to invoke the said Bank guarantee. The guarantor hereby agrees that decision of BCPL about performance of the bidder / contractor shall be final and shall not be questioned by the Guarantor. Guarantor shall have no objection to invocation of the Performance Bank Guarantee submitted by the Guarantor OR (applicable, subject to meeting the conditions stipulated in BEC in respect of additional Performance Bank Security) In case of award of contract to the bidder, the bidder on behalf of the Guarantor shall provide additional Performance Bank Security to BCPL, equivalent to 50% of the value of Performance Bank Security to be submitted by the bidding company, in the prescribed format within 15 days from the date of Fax of Acceptance, as guarantee for performance by the bidder/contractor. The Guarantor hereby expressly agrees that if in the opinion of BCPL, the Bidder / Contractor has failed to perform its obligations under the contract in any manner, BCPL shall have unfettered right to invoke the said Bank guarantee. The Guarantor hereby agrees that decision of BCPL about performance of the bidder / contractor shall

be final and shall not be questioned by the Guarantor. Guarantor shall have no objection to invocation of the Performance Bank Security submitted by the Bidder on behalf The Guarantor represents and confirms that the Guarantor has the legal capacity, power and authority to issue this Guarantee and that giving of this Guarantee and the performance and observations of the obligations hereunder do not contravene any existing laws. (Strike through the clause whichever is not applicable)

10. The Guarantor represents and confirms that the Guarantor has the legal capacity, power and authority to issue this Guarantee and that giving of this Guarantee and the performance and observations of the obligations hereunder do not contravene any existing laws.

For & on behalf of (Supporting Company)
M/s _____
Signature_____
Name_____
Designation _____
official seal_____

Witness:

1.Signature_____
Full Name _____
Address_____

2.Signature_____
Full Name _____
Address_____

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FURNISHING GUARANTEE
1. The official(s) executing the guarantee should affix full signature(s) on each page.
2. Resolution passed by Board of Directors of the guarantor company authorizing the signatory(ies) to execute the guarantee, duly certified by Company Secretary should be furnished along with Guarantee.

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Appendix-A2A to Annexure-A

CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY COMPANY SECRETARY OF THE GUARANTOR COMPANY

"Obligations contained in deed of guarantee No. _____ furnished against tender No. _____ are enforceable against the Guarantor Company and the same do not, in any way, contravene any law of the country of which the Guarantor Company is the subject."

The above certificate should be enclosed along with the Guarantee.

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Appendix-A3 to Annexure-A

PROFORMA OF "BANK GUARANTEE" TOWARDS PERFORMANCE SECURITY BY FOREIGN BASED SUPPORTING COMPANY OF THE BIDDING COMPANY CONTRACT PERFORMANCE SECURITY / SECURITY DEPOSIT

(ON NON JUDICIAL STAMP PAPER OF APPROPRIATE VALUE)

To,
M/s Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd.
_____

Dear Sir(s),

M/s. _____ having registered office at _____ (herein after called the "CONTRACTOR/ SUPPLIER/SERVICE PROVIDER" which expression shall wherever the context so require include its successors and assignees) have been placed/ awarded the job/work of _____ vide PO/LOA/FOA No. _____dated_____ (herein after called CONTRACT/ ORDER) for Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. having registered office at 7th Floor, NRL Centre, 122A G.S Road, Christian Basti, Guwahati, Assam, Pin - 781005 & project office at Administrative Building, BCPL, Lepetkata, Dibrugarh, Assam, PIN - 786006 (herein after called the "BCPL" which expression shall wherever the context so require include its successors and assignees).

Further, M/s _____ (Name of the Supporting company) having its registered/head office at _____ based on whose experience/technical strength, the CONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER/SERVICE PROVIDER has qualified for award of contract (hereinafter referred to as the 'SUPPORTING COMPANY') which expression shall, unless repugnant to the context or meaning thereof include all its successors, administrators, executors and assignees) has agreed to provide complete technical and other support to the CONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER/SERVICE PROVIDER for successful completion of the contract/order as mentioned above, entered between BCPL and the CONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER/SERVICE PROVIDER and BCPL having agreed that the 'SUPPORTING COMPANY' shall furnish to BCPL a performance guarantee for Indian Rupees/US$ ..... towards providing complete financial and other support to the CONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER/SERVICE PROVIDER for successful completion of the contract/order as mentioned above,

The said M/s._____ (Supporting Company) has approached us and at their request and in consideration of the premises we having our office at _____ have agreed to give such guarantee as hereinafter mentioned.

1. We (name of the bank) _____ registered under the laws of _____ having head/registered office at _____(hereinafter referred to as "the Bank", which expression shall, unless repugnant to the context or meaning thereof, include all its successors, administrators, executors and permitted assignees) do hereby guarantee and undertake to pay immediately on first demand in writing any/all moneys to the

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extent of Indian Rs./US$ (in figures) _____ (Indian Rupees/US Dollars (in words)_____) without any demur, reservation, contest or protest and/or without any reference to the 'SUPPORTING COMPANY'. Any such demand made by BCPL on the Bank by serving a written notice shall be conclusive and binding, without any proof, on the bank as regards the amount due and payable, notwithstanding any dispute(s) pending before any Court, Tribunal, Arbitrator or any other authority and/or any other matter or thing whatsoever, as liability under these presents being absolute and unequivocal. We agree that the guarantee herein contained shall be irrevocable and shall continue to be enforceable until it is discharged by BCPL in writing. This guarantee shall not be determined, discharged or affected by the liquidation, winding up, dissolution or insolvency of the 'SUPPORTING COMPANY' and shall remain valid, binding and operative against the bank.

2. The Bank also agrees that BCPL at its option shall be entitled to enforce this Guarantee against the Bank as a principal debtor, in the first instance, without proceeding against the 'SUPPORTING COMPANY' and notwithstanding any security or other guarantee that BCPL may have in relation to the 'SUPPORTING COMPANY's liabilities.

3. The Bank further agrees that BCPL shall have the fullest liberty without our consent and without affecting in any manner our obligations hereunder to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said CONTRACT/ORDER or to extend time of performance by the said CONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER/SERVICE PROVIDER from time to time or to postpone for any time or from time to time exercise of any of the powers vested in BCPL against the said CONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER/SERVICE PROVIDER and to forbear or enforce any of the terms and conditions relating to the said agreement and we shall not be relieved from our liability by reason of any such variation, or extension being granted to the said CONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER/SERVICE PROVIDER or for any forbearance, act or omission on the part of BCPL or any indulgence by BCPL to the said CONTRACTOR(s) or any such matter or thing whatsoever which under the law relating to sureties would, but for this provision, have effect of so relieving us.

4. The Bank further agrees that the Guarantee herein contained shall remain in full force during the period that is taken for the performance of the CONTRACT/ORDER and all dues of ONGC under or by virtue of this CONTRACT/ORDER have been fully paid and its claim satisfied or discharged or till BCPL discharges this guarantee in writing, whichever is earlier.

5. This Guarantee shall not be discharged by any change in our constitution, in the constitution of BCPL or that of the 'SUPPORTING COMPANY'.

6. The Bank confirms that this guarantee has been issued with observance of appropriate laws of the country of issue.

7. The Bank also agrees that this guarantee shall be governed and construed in accordance with Indian Laws and subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of Indian Courts of the place from where the purchase CONTRACT/ORDER has been placed.

8. Notwithstanding anything contained hereinabove, our liability under this Guarantee is limited to Indian Rs./US$ (in figures) _____ (Indian Rupees/US Dollars (in words)

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_____ only) and our guarantee shall remain in force until (indicate the date of expiry of bank guarantee) _____.

9. We have power to issue this guarantee in your favor under Memorandum and Articles of Association and the undersigned has full power to do under the Power of Attorney, dated _____ granted to him by the Bank.

10. Notwithstanding anything contained herein:

a) The Bank's liability under this Guarantee shall not exceed (currency in figures) . . . . . (currency in words only) . . . . .
b) This Guarantee shall remain in force upto _____ (this date should be expiry date of defect liability period of the Contract) and any extension(s) thereof; and
c) The Bank shall be released and discharged from all liability under this Guarantee unless a written claim or demand is issued to the Bank on or before the midnight of …….(indicate date of expiry of claim period which includes minimum three months from the expiry of this Bank Guarantee) and if extended, the date of expiry of the last extension of this Guarantee. If a claim has been received by us within the said date, all the rights of BCPL under this Guarantee shall be valid and shall not cease until we have satisfied that claim.

Details of next Higher Authority of the Officials who have issued the Bank Guarantee:
Name …….
Designation ……..

Yours faithfully,

_____
Bank by its Constituted Attorney

Signature of a person duly
Authorized to sign on behalf of the Bank
E-mail :
Telephone/Mobile No. :

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FURNISHING
"CONTRACT PERFORMANCE SECURITY / SECURITY DEPOSIT" BY "BANK GUARANTEE"

1. The Bank Guarantee by successful Bidder(s) will be given on non-judicial stamp paper as per 'stamp duty' applicable. The non-judicial stamp paper should be in name of the issuing bank. In case of foreign bank, the said Bank Guarantee to be issued by its correspondent bank in India on requisite non-judicial stamp paper and place of Bid to be considered as Delhi.

2. A letter from the issuing bank of the requisite Bank Guarantee confirming that said Bank Guarantee and all future communication relating to the Bank Guarantee shall be forwarded to Purchaser as per format appended below.

3. The Bank Guarantee shall be from any Indian scheduled bank (excluding Co-operative banks and Regional Rural bank) or a branch of an International bank situated in India and registered with Reserve bank of India as scheduled foreign bank. However, in case of bank guarantees from banks other than the Nationalised Indian banks, the bank must be a commercial bank

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having net worth in excess of Rs 100 crores and a declaration to this effect shall be made by such commercial bank either in the Bank Guarantee itself or separately on its letterhead.

4. In case BG is issued directly by a bank outside India (if allowed), it should be executed on Letter Head of the Bank and should be advised and made payable through their Indian Branch/Corresponding Bank in India.

MATTER TO BE MENTIONED IN COVERING LETTER TO BE SUBMITTED BY VENDOR ALONG WITH BANK GUARANTEE

1	**BANK GUARANTEE NO**	**:**				
2	**VENDOR NAME / VENDOR CODE**	**:**	**NAME**			
			VENDOR CODE			
3	**BANK GUARANTEE AMOUNT**	**:**				
4	**PURCHASE ORDER/ LOA NO**	**:**				
5	**NATURE OF BANK GUARANTEE**	**:**				
	(Please Tick (√) Whichever is Applicable		**PERFORMANCE BANK GUARANTEE**	**SECURITY DEPOSIT**	**EMD**	**ADVANCE**
6	**BG ISSUED BANK DETAILS**					
		(A)	**EMAIL ID :**			
		(B)	**ADDRESS :**			
		(C)	**PHONE NO :**			

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Annexure-B

PROCUREMENT FROM A BIDDER WHICH SHARES A LAND BORDER WITH INDIA

1. OM no. 7/10/2021-PPD(1) dated 23.02.2023, Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Govt. of India refers. The same are available at website https://doe.gov.in/procurement-policy-divisions.

2. Any bidder from a country which shares a land border with India will be eligible to bid in this tender only if the bidder is registered with the Competent Authority. For details of competent authority refer to Annexure I of Order (Public Procurement no. 4) dated 23.02.2023.

   Further, any bidder (including bidder from India) having specified Transfer of Technology (ToT) arrangement with an entity from a country which shares a land border with India, shall also require to be registered with the same competent authority.

   Further the above will not apply to bidders from those countries (even if sharing a land border with India) to which the Government of India has extended lines of credit or in which the Government of India is engaged in development projects. Updated lists of countries to which lines of credit have been extended or in which development projects are undertaken are given in the website of the Ministry of External Affairs, Govt. of India

3. **"Bidder"** (including the term 'tenderer', 'consultant' 'vendor' or 'service provider' in certain contexts) **for purpose of this provision** means any person or firm or company, including any member of a consortium or joint venture (that is an association of several persons, or firms or companies), every artificial juridical person not falling in any of the descriptions of bidders stated hereinbefore, including any agency, branch or office controlled by such person, participating in a procurement process.

4. **"Bidder from a country which shares a land border with India"** for the purpose of this:

   a. An entity incorporated, established or registered in such a country; or
   b. A subsidiary of an entity incorporated, established or registered in such a country; or
   c. An entity substantially controlled through entities incorporated, established or registered in such a country; or
   d. An entity whose beneficial owner is situated in such a country; or
   e. An Indian (or other) agent of such an entity; or
   f. A natural person who is a citizen of such a country; or

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g. A consortium or joint venture where any member of the consortium or joint venture falls under any of the above

5. **"Beneficial owner"** for the purpose of above (4) will be as under:

i. In case of a company or Limited Liability Partnership, the beneficial owner is the natural person(s), who, whether acting alone or together, or through one or more juridical person(s), has a controlling ownership interest or who exercises control through other means.

Explanation—

a) "Controlling ownership interest" means ownership of, or entitlement to, more than twenty-five per cent of shares or capital or profits of the company;

b) "Control" shall include the right to appoint the majority of the directors or to control the management or policy decisions, including by virtue of their shareholding or management rights or shareholders agreements or voting agreements;

ii) In case of a partnership firm, the beneficial owner is the natural person(s) who, whether acting alone or together, or through one or more juridical person, has ownership of entitlement to more than fifteen percent of capital or profits of the partnership;

iii) In case of an unincorporated association or body of individuals, the beneficial owner is the natural person(s), who, whether acting alone or together, or through one or more juridical person, has ownership of or entitlement to more than fifteen percent of the property or capital or profits of such association or body of individuals;

iv) Where no natural person is identified under (i) or (ii) or (iii) above, the beneficial owner is the relevant natural person who holds the position of senior managing official;

v) In case of a trust, the identification of beneficial owner(s) shall include identification of the author of the trust, the trustee, the beneficiaries with fifteen percent or more interest in the trust and any other natural person exercising ultimate effective control over the trust through a chain of control or ownership.

6. **"Agent"** for the purpose of this Order is a person employed to do any act for another, or to represent another in dealings with third persons

Note :

(i) A person who procures and supplies finished goods from an entity from a country which shares a land border with India will, regardless of the nature of

his legal or commercial relationship with the producer of the goods, be deemed to be an Agent for the purpose of this Order.

(ii) However, a bidder who only procures raw material, components etc. from an entity from a country which shares a land border with India and then manufactures or converts them into other goods will not be treated as an Agent.]

7. **"Transfer of Technology**" means dissemination and transfer of all forms of commercially usable knowledge such as transfer of know-how, skills, technical expertise, designs, processes and procedures, trade secrets, which enables the acquirer of such technology to perform activities using the transferred technology independently. (Matters of interpretation of this term shall be referred to the Registration Committee constituted by the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, and the interpretation of the Committee shall be final.)

8. **"Specified Transfer of Technology**" means a transfer of technology in the sectors and/ or technologies, specified at Schedule-I, II & III of this order.

9. <u>SUBMISSION OF CERTIFICATE IN BIDS:</u>

Bidder shall submit a certificate in this regard as Form-I-A.

For cases falling under the category of Transfer of Technology, Bidder shall submit a certificate in this regard as Form-I-B.

If such certificate given by a bidder whose bid is accepted is found to be false, this would be a ground for immediate rejection of the bid/termination and further action as per "Procedure for Action in case of Corrupt/Fraudulent/ Collusive / Coercive Practices" of tender document.

10. The registration, wherever applicable, should be valid at the time of submission of bids and at the time of acceptance of bids. In respect of supply otherwise than by tender, registration should be valid at the time of placement of order. If the bidder was validly registered at the time of acceptance / placement of order, registration shall not be a relevant consideration during contract execution.

11. PROVISION TO BE IN WORKS CONTRACTS, INCLUDING TURNKEY CONTRACTS:

The successful bidder shall not be allowed to sub-contract works to any contractor from a country which shares a land border with India unless such contractor is registered with the Competent Authority. The definition of "contractor from a country which shares a land border with India" shall be as in Para 4 herein above. A Certificate to this regard is to be submitted by bidder is placed at Form-II.

Bidder's sign

Form-I of Annexure-B

UNDERTAKING ON LETTERHEAD

To,
M/s. BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED
_____

SUB: "PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR ."

TENDER No.: GEM/2026/B/8268522

Dear Sir

We have read the clause regarding Provisions for Procurement from a Bidder which shares a land border with India, we certify that, bidder M/s_____ ***(Name of Bidder)*** is :

(i)	Not from such a country	[ ]
(ii)	If from such a country, has been registered with the Competent Authority. (Evidence of valid registration by the Competent Authority shall be attached)	[ ]

(Bidder is to tick appropriate option (✓) above).

We hereby certify that bidder M/s_____ ***(Name of Bidder)*** fulfills all requirements in this regard and is eligible to be considered against the tender.

Place:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:

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Bidder's sign

Form-IB of Annexure-B

UNDERTAKING ON LETTERHEAD

(Applicable in case of Transfer of Technology cases only)

To,
M/s. BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED

_____

SUB: "PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR ."

TENDER No.: GEM/2026/B/8268522

Dear Sir

We, M/s_____ ***(Name of Bidder),*** have read the clause regarding restrictions on Procurement from a Bidder of a Country having Transfer of Technology (ToT) arrangement as mentioned in the tender document in line with the above referred guidelines dated 23.02.2023 for Procurement from a bidder which shares a land border with India and We certify that:

(i)	The Bidder does not have ToT with such a country	[ ]
(i)	If the Bidder is having ToT from such a country which share a land border with India, has been registered with the Competent Authority. (Evidence of valid registration by the Competent Authority to be attached by the bidder)	[ ]

(Bidder is to tick appropriate option (✓) above).

We hereby certify that we fulfill all requirements in this regard and is eligible to be considered against the subject tender.

Place:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:

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Bidder's sign

Form-II of Annexure-B

CERTIFICATE FOR TENDERS FOR WORKS INVOLVING POSSIBILITY OF SUB-CONTRACTING

To,
M/s. BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED
_____

SUB: "PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR ."

TENDER No.: GEM/2026/B/8268522

Dear Sir

We have read the clause regarding Provisions for Procurement from a Bidder of a country which shares a land border with India and on sub-contracting to contractors from such countries; we certify that, bidder M/s_____ ***(Name of Bidder)*** is:

(i)	not from such a country	[ ]
(ii)	if from such a country, has been registered with the Competent Authority. (Evidence of valid registration by the Competent Authority shall be attached)	[ ]

(Bidder is to tick appropriate option (✓) above).

We further certify that bidder **M/s_____ (Name of Bidder)** will not sub-contract any work to a contractor from such countries unless such contractor is registered with the Competent Authority.

We hereby certify that bidder **M/s_____ (Name of Bidder)** fulfills all requirements in this regard and is eligible to be considered.

Place:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:

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Bidder's sign

Schedule I

List of Category-I Sensitive sectors:

Sr. No.	Sector
(i)	Atomic Energy
(ii)	Brocasting/ Print and Digital Media
(iii)	Defense
(iv)	Space
(v)	Telecommunications

Schedule II

List of Category-II Sensitive sectors:

Sr.No.	Sector
(i)	Power and Energy (including exploration/ generation/transmission/ distribution/ pipeline)
(ii)	Banking and Finance including Insurance
(iii)	Civil Aviation
(iv)	Construction of ports and dams & river valley projects
(v)	Electronics and Microelectronics
(vi)	Meteorology and Ocean Observation
(vii)	Mining and extraction (including deep sea projects)
(viii)	Railways
(ix)	Pharmaceuticals & Medical Devices
(x)	Agriculture
(xi)	Health
(xii)	Urban Transportation

Schedule III

List of Sensitive Technologies:

Sr.No.	Sensitive Technologies
(i)	Additive Manufacturing (e.g. 30 Printing)
(ii)	Any equipment having electronic programmable components or autonomous systems (e.g. SCADA systems)
(iii)	Any technology used for uploading and streaming of data including broadcasting, satellite communication etc.
(iv)	Chemical Technologies
(v)	Biotechnologies including Genetic Engineering and Biological Technologies
(vi)	Information and Communication Technologies
(vii)	Software

Bidder's sign

Annexure-C

POLICY TO PROVIDE PURCHASE PREFERENCE AS PER PUBLIC PROCUREMENT (PREFERENCE TO MAKE IN INDIA), ORDER 2017

1.0 Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas vide Notification No. FP-20013/2/2017-FPPNG-Part (4) (E-17013) dated 21.08.2024 has notified the Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 (PPP-MII)-Revision issued by DPIIT on 19.07.2024.

The following modifications as per Notification No. FP-20013/2/2017-FP-PNG-Part(4) (E-41432) dated 26.04.2022 from MoP&NG and incorporated in Para 1.0 above shall continue:

- Limit for exemption of small purchase under para 4 of the PPP-MII Order, 2017 shall be Rs. 1 Crore.
- HP-HT operation in upstream oil and gas turbines activities shall be exempted from applicability of the Order.

Whereas, in respect of Local value addition through services, as per communication no. F.No. FP-200 I *312120* I7-FP-PNG-Part (4) (E-41432) dated 26.03.2024 of MoP&NG, the same is modified as under:

Local Value addition through services such as transportation, insurance, installation, commissioning, training and after sales services support like AMC/CMC etc. shall continue to be considered in local content calculation and the scope of this relaxation shall be limited to the items (as per list enclosed) to be installed/operated inflammable environment of Oil and Gas processing industry.

2.0 The Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 (PPP-MII) issued by DPIIT to encourage 'Make in India' and promote manufacturing & production of goods and services in India with a view to enhancing income and employment.

3.0 **DEFINITIONS:-**

(i) **Local Content** means the amount of value added in India which shall, unless otherwise prescribed by the Nodal Ministry, be the total value of item procured (excluding net domestic indirect taxes) minus the value of imported content in the item (including all custom duties) as a proportion of the total value, in percent.

Local value addition through services such as transportation, insurance, installation, commissioning, training, and after sale support like AMC/CMC etc. shall be considered in local content calculation and the scope of this relaxation shall be limited to the items (as per list enclosed) to be installed/operated in flammable environment of Oil and Gas processing industry.

Explanatory notes for calculation of local content given below:

a) Imported items sourced locally from resellers/distributors shall be excluded from calculation of local content.

b) The license fees/royalties paid/ technical charges paid out of India shall be excluded from local content calculation.

c) Procurement/Supply of repackaged/refurbished/rebranded imported products as understood commonly shall be treated as reselling of imported products and shall be excluded from calculation of local content. The definition of repackaged/refurbished/rebranded imported products is as follows:

'Refurbishing' means repair or reconditioning of an imported product does not amount to manufacture because no new goods come into existence.

'Repackaging' means repacking of imported goods from bulk pack to smaller packs would not ordinarily amount to manufacture of a new item.

'Rebranding' means relabeling or renaming or change in symbol or logo/ makes or corporate image of a company/ organization/ firm for an imported product would amount to rebranding.

d) To ensure that imported items sourced locally from resellers/distributors are excluded from calculation of local content, procuring entities to obtain from bidders, the cost of such locally-sourced imported items (Inclusive of taxes) along with break-up on license/royalties paid/technical expertise cost etc. sourced from outside India. For items sold by bidder as reseller, OEM certificate for country of origin to be submitted.

e) For contracts involving supply of multiple items, weighted average of all items to be taken while calculating the local content.

(ii) **'Class-I local supplier'** means a supplier or service provider, whose goods, services or works offered for procurement, meets the minimum local content of equal to or more than 50%.

'Class-II local supplier' means a supplier or service provider, whose goods, services or works offered for procurement, meets the minimum local content of more than 20% but less than 50%.

'Non - Local supplier' means a supplier or service provider, whose goods, services or works offered for procurement, has local content less than or equal to 20%.

(iii) **L1** mean the lowest tender or lowest bid or the lowest quotation received in a tender, bidding process or other procurement solicitation as adjudged in the evaluation process as per tender or other procurement solicitation.

Bidder's sign

(iv) **Margin of Purchase Preference:** means the maximum extent to which the price quoted by a Class-I local supplier may be above the L1 for purpose of purchase Preference.

(v) **Nodal Ministry** means the Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas

(vi) **Procuring Entity** means Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. (BCPL)

(ix) **Works** means all the works as per Rule 130 of GFR-2017 also include 'turnkey works'

3A Special treatment for items covered under PLI Scheme

The manufacturers manufacturing an item under PLI scheme shall be treated as deemed Class II local supplier for that item unless they have minimum local content equal to or higher than that notified for Class-I local supplier for that item, provided the manufacturer has received incentive from the concerned PLI Ministry for the Item. The above shall be applicable for the specific time period only, as notified by concerned PLI Ministry.

4.0 **Margin of Purchase Preference:** The margin of purchase preference shall be 20%.

5.0 **ELIGIBILITY OF 'CLASS-I LOCAL SUPPLIER'/ 'CLASS-II LOCAL SUPPLIER'/ 'NON-LOCAL SUPPLIERS' FOR DIFFERENT TYPES OF PROCUREMENT**

(a) In procurement of all goods, services or works in respect of which the Nodal Ministry / Department has communicated that there is sufficient local capacity and local competition, only 'Class-I local supplier', shall be eligible to bid irrespective of purchase value.

(b) Only 'Class-I local supplier' and 'Class-II local supplier', shall be eligible to bid in procurements undertaken by procuring entities, except when Global tender enquiry/ International Competitive bidding has been issued. In global tender enquiries/ International Competitive bidding 'Non local suppliers' shall also be eligible to bid along with 'Class-I local suppliers' and 'Class-II local suppliers'.

(c) Works includes Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) contracts and services include System Integrator (SI) contracts

(d) HP-HT Operations in upstream oil and gas business activities shall be exempted from this order.

6.0 MANDATORY SOURCING OF ITEMS, WITH SUFFICIENT LOCAL CAPACITY AND COMPETITION, FROM CLASS-I LOCAL SUPPLIERS IN SI/EPC/TURNKEY CONTRACTS/SERVICE TENDERS

(a) The items, notified as having sufficient local capacity and competition, shall mandatory be sourced from Class-I local suppliers in SI/EPC/Turnkey Contracts/ Services tenders. This provision will be applicable only for those items which have been notified by the Nodal Ministry as Class I i.e. having sufficient local capacity and competition, with specific HSN codes."

(b) Notwithstanding above, if in any project, it is considered that it is not practically feasible to source such items from Class I local suppliers, it may take relaxation from such stipulation with the approval of Secretary of the administrative Ministry/ Department concerned or with the approval of the Competent Authority specified by the Administrative Ministry/Department, on case-specific basis.

7.0 PURCHASE PREFERENCE METHODOLOGY UNDER PPP-MII

(a) Purchase preference shall be given to 'Class-I local supplier' in procurements in the manner specified here under.

(b) In the procurements of goods or works which are cover by para 5 (b) above and which are divisible in nature, the 'Class-I local supplier' shall get purchase preference over 'Class-II local supplier' as well as 'Non-local supplier', as per following procedure:

i. Among all qualified bids, the lowest bid will be termed as L1. If L1 is 'Class-I local supplier', the contract for full quantity will be awarded to L1.

ii. If L1 bid is not a 'Class-I local supplier', 50% of the order quantity shall be awarded to L1. Thereafter, the lowest bidder among the 'Class-I local supplier' will be invited to match the L1 price for the remaining 50% quantity subject to the Class-I local supplier's quoted price falling within the margin of purchase preference, and contract for that quantity shall be awarded to such 'Class-I local supplier' subject to matching the L1 price. In case such lowest eligible 'Class-I local supplier' fails to match the L1 price or accepts less than the offered quantity, the next higher 'Class-I local supplier' within the margin of purchase preference shall be invited to match the L1 price for remaining quantity and so on, and contract shall be awarded accordingly. In case some quantity is still left uncovered on Class-I local suppliers, then such balance quantity may also be ordered on the L1 bidder.

(c) In the procurements of goods or works which are covered by para 5 (b) and which are not divisible in nature, and in procurement of services where the bid is evaluated on price alone, the 'Class-I local supplier' shall get purchase preference over 'Class-II local supplier' as well as 'Non-local supplier', as per following procedure:

i. Among all qualified bids, the lowest bid will be termed as L1. If L1 is 'Class-I local supplier', the contract will be awarded to L1.

ii. If L1 is not 'Class-I local supplier', the lowest bidder among the 'Class-I local supplier', will be invited to match the L1 price subject to Class-I local supplier's quoted price falling within the margin of purchase preference, and the contract shall be awarded to such 'Class-I local supplier' subject to matching the L1 price.

iii. In case such lowest eligible 'Class-I local supplier' fails to match the L1 price, the 'Class-I local supplier' with the next higher bid within the margin of purchase preference shall be invited to match the L1 price and so on and contract shall be awarded accordingly. In case none of the 'Class-I local supplier' within the margin of purchase preference matches the L1 price, the contract may be awarded to the L1 bidder.

iii. "Class-II local supplier" will not get purchase preference in any procurement.

d) **Applicability in tenders where contract is to be awarded to multiple bidders** - In tenders where contract is awarded to multiple bidders subject to matching of L1 rates or otherwise, the 'Class-I local supplier' shall get purchase preference over 'Class II- local supplier' as well as 'Non-local supplier', as per following procedure:

i) If 'Class-I Local suppliers' qualify for award of contract for at least 50% of the tendered quantity in any tender, the contract may be awarded to all the qualified bidders as per award criteria stipulated in the bid documents. However, in case 'Class -I Local suppliers' do not qualify for award of contract for at least 50% of the tendered quantity, purchase preference should be given to the 'Class-I local supplier' over 'Class-II local suppliers'/ 'Non local suppliers' provided that their quoted rate falls within 20% margin of purchase preference of the highest quoted bidder considered for award of contract so as to ensure that the 'Class-I Local suppliers' taken in totality are considered for award of contract for at least 50% of the tendered quantity.

ii) First purchase preference has to be given to the lowest quoting 'Class-I local supplier', whose quoted rates fall within 20% margin of purchase preference, subject to its meeting the prescribed criteria for award of contract as also the constraint of maximum quantity that can be sourced from any single supplier. If the lowest quoting 'Class-I local supplier', does not qualify for purchase preference because of aforesaid constraints or does not accept the offered quantity, an opportunity may be given to next higher 'Class-I local supplier', falling within 20% margin of purchase preference, and so on.

8.0 EXEMPTION IN SOURCING OF SPARES AND CONSUMABLES OF CLOSED SYSTEMS FOR PURCHASE PREFERENCE

Procurement of spare parts/consumables and Maintenance/ Service contracts with Original Equipment Manufacturer/Original Equipment Supplier/Original Part Manufacturer shall be exempted from this Order.

9.0 VERIFICATION OF LOCAL CONTENT/ DOMESTIC VALUE ADDITION

a. The 'Class-I local supplier'/ 'Class-II local supplier' at the time of tender, bidding or solicitation shall require to indicate percentage of local content and provide **self-certification** (as per proforma at Form-1) that the item offered meets the minimum local content for 'Class-I local supplier'/ 'Class-II local supplier' as the case may be and shall give details of the location(s) at which the local value addition is made.

b. In cases of procurement for a value in excess of Rs. 10 crores, in addition to Form-1 'Class-I local supplier'/ 'Class-II local supplier' shall be required to provide a certificate from the statutory auditor or cost auditor of the company (in the case of companies) or from a practicing cost accountant or practicing chartered accountant (in respect of suppliers other than companies) giving the percentage of local content as per proforma at Form-2.

The bidder shall give self-certification for local content in the quoted item (goods/works/services) at the time of tendering. However, at the time of execution of the project, for all contracts above INR 10 Crore, the contractor/supplier shall be required to give local content certification" duly certified by cost/ chartered accountant in practice For cases where it is not possible to provide -certification by Cost/Chartered Accountant at the time of execution of project, the supplier shall be permitted to provide the certificate for local content from Cost/ Chartered Accountant after completion of the contract, within time limit acceptable to the procuring entity. In case the contractor/ supplier does not meet the stipulated local content requirement and the category of the supplier changes from Class-I to Class-III Non-local or from Class-II to Non-local, a penalty upto 10% of the contract value may be imposed. However, contract once awarded shall not be terminated on this account.

c. In case a complaint is received by the procuring agency relating to implementation of this order including the claim of a bidder regarding local content/ domestic value addition, the same shall be referred to Competent Authority who is empowered to look into procurement related complaints.

d. Nodal Ministry may constitute committees with internal and external experts for independent verification of self-declarations and auditor's/accountant's certificates on random basis and in the case of complaints. A complaint fee of Rs.2 Lakh or 1% of the value of the domestically manufactured products being procured (subject to a maximum of Rs. 5 Lakh), whichever is higher, shall be paid by Demand Draft to be deposited with BCPL. In case, the complaint is found to be incorrect, the complaint fee shall be forfeited. In case, the complaint is upheld and found to be substantially correct, deposited fee of the complainant would be refunded without any interest.

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Bidder's sign

e. In case of false declarations, BCPL shall initiate action for banning such manufacturer/supplier/service provider as per as per BCPL's extant "Procedure for action in case Corrupt/Fraudulent/Collusive/Coercive Practices"

f. A supplier who has been debarred by any procuring entity for violation of this Order shall not be eligible for preference under this Order for procurement by any other procuring entity for the duration of the debarment. The debarment for such other procuring entities shall take effect prospectively from the date on which it comes to the notice of other procurement entities, in the manner prescribed under paragraph g below.

g. The Department of Expenditure shall issue suitable instructions for the effective and smooth operation of this process, so that:

i. The fact and duration of debarment for violation of this Order by any procuring entity are promptly brought to the notice of the Member-Convenor of the Standing Committee and the Department of Expenditure through the concerned Ministry /Department or in some other manner;

ii. on a periodical basis such cases are consolidated and a centralized list or decentralized lists of such suppliers with the period of debarment is maintained and displayed on website(s);

iii. in respect of procuring entities other than the one which has carried out the debarment, the debarment takes effect prospectively from the date of uploading on the website(s) in the such a manner that ongoing procurements are not disrupted.

9.0 RECIPROCITY CLAUSE

i. When a Nodal Ministry/Department identifies that Indian suppliers of an item are not allowed to participate and/ or compete in procurement by any foreign government, due to restrictive tender conditions which have direct or indirect effect of barring Indian companies such as registration in the procuring country, execution of projects of specific value in the procuring country etc., it shall provide such details to all its procuring entities including CMDs/CEOs of PSEs/PSUs, State Governments and other procurement agencies under their administrative control and GeM for appropriate reciprocal action.

ii. Entities of countries which have been identified by the nodal Ministry/Department as not allowing Indian companies to participate in their Government procurement for any item related to that nodal Ministry shall not be allowed to participate in Government procurement in India for all items related to that nodal Ministry/ Department, except for the list of items published by the Ministry/ Department permitting their participation.

iii. The term 'entity' of a country shall have the same meaning as under the FDI Policy of DPIIT as amended from time to time.

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Bidder's sign

FORM-1 of Annexure-C

SELF CERTIFICATION BY BIDDER WHO CLASS-I /CLASS-II LOCAL SUPPLIER TOWARDS MANDATORY MINIMUM LOCAL CONTENT

To,

M/s. BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED

SUB:
TENDER NO:

Dear Sir

We, M/s_____ ***(Name of Bidder)*** confirm that as per the definition of mentioned in PP-LC Policy we are:

Class-I Local supplier [ ]

Class-II Local Supplier [ ]

(Bidder is to tick appropriate option (✓) above).

It is to further confirm that M/s _____ ***(Name of Bidder)*** meet the mandatory minimum Local content /Domestic Value Addition requirement for Class-I Local supplier/ Class-II Local supplier (as the case may be) under Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 (PPP-MII) and has value addition of ……%.

The details of the location (s) at which the local value addition is made is as under:

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……...
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We further confirm that in case we fail to meet the minimum local content/domestic value addition, the same shall be treated false information and BCPL will take action as per provision of tender document.

Place:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:

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Bidder's sign

FORM-2 of Annexure-C

CERTIFICATE BY STATUTORY AUDITOR/COST AUDITOR/ CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT OF BIDDER WHO CLASS-I /CLASS-II LOCAL SUPPLIER TOWARDS MANDATORY MINIMUM LOCAL CONTENT

[Applicable for Procurement/Purchase value in excess of Rs.10 Crores]

To,

M/s. BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED

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SUB:
TENDER NO:

Dear Sir

We _____ the statutory auditor/ cost auditor/chartered accountant (not an employee of the company) of M/s._____ (***Name of the bidder***) hereby certify that as per definition specified in PP-LC policy, M/s._____ (***Name of the bidder***) is

Class-I Local supplier [ ]

Class-II Local Supplier [ ]

(Bidder is to tick appropriate option (✓) above).

It is further confirm that M/s_____ ***(Name of Bidder)*** quoted vide offer No. _____ dated _____ against tender No._____ meet the mandatory minimum Local content/Domestic Value Addition requirement specified for Class-I Local supplier/ Class-II Local supplier (as the case may be) under Policy for Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 (PPP-MII) and has value addition of ……%

Name of Audit Firm:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:
Membership no.

Note:

(i) This certificate it to be furnished by the statutory auditor or cost auditor of the company (in the case of companies) or from a practicing cost accountant or practicing chartered accountant (in respect of suppliers other than companies)

The above format is indicative, the statutory auditor/ cost auditor/ cost accountant can modify the format without changing the intent of certification.

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Bidder's sign

CONCURRENT APPLICATION OF PUBLIC PROCUREMENT POLICY FOR MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES ORDER 2012, AND PUBLIC PROCUREMENT (PREFERENCE TO MAKE IN INDIA) ORDER, 2017.

No.F.1/4/2021-PPD
Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure
Public Procurement Division
*****

264-C, North Block, New Delhi.
18.05.2023.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Concurrent application of Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises Order, 2012 and Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India) Order, 2017.

The undersigned is directed to refer two Preferential Procurement Orders mandated for the Public Procurement in India, namely:

i. Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) Order dated 23.03.2012 (PPP-MSE Order) issued by Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MoMSME) in exercise of the powers conferred in Section 11 of the MSME Development Act, 2006. (Last revised on 09.11.2018)

ii. Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India) Order, 2017 (PPP-MII order), under Rule 153(iii) of the General Financial Rules (GFRs) 2017, approved by the Cabinet. Implementation of this PPP-MII order is monitored by Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT). (Last revised on 16.09.2020.)

2. It has been brought to the notice of this Department that concurrent application of these two orders are creating confusion to the procuring entities and different procuring entities interpret them differently. In order to bring predictability both to the procuring entities as well as bidders, following guidelines are being issued.

Guidelines

3. The Class-I local suppliers, under PPP-MII Order, participating in any government tender, may or may not be MSEs, as defined under the MSME Act. Similarly, MSEs participating in any government tender, may or may not be Class-I local suppliers. Suppliers may be categorised in following four broad categories for consideration or applicability of purchase preference:

Category	Terminology
Supplier is both MSE & Class-I local supplier.	"MSE Class-I local supplier"
Supplier is MSE but not Class-I local supplier.	"MSE but non-Class-I local supplier"
Supplier is not MSE but is Class-I local supplier.	"Non-MSE but Class-I local supplier"
Supplier is neither MSE nor Class-I local.	"Non-MSE non-Class-I local supplier"

Bidder's sign

4. The applicability of PPP-MSE Order and PPP-MII Order in various scenarios, involving simultaneous purchase preference to MSEs and Class-I local suppliers under PPP-MSE Order and PPP-MII Order respectively, shall be as under:

a) *Items covered under Para 3(a) of PPP- MII Order, 2017 for which Nodal Ministry has notified sufficient local capacity and competition:* For these items, only Class-I local suppliers are eligible to bid irrespective of purchase value. Hence, Class-II local suppliers or Non-local suppliers, including MSEs which are Class-II local suppliers/ Non-local suppliers, are not eligible to bid. Possible scenarios can be as under:

(i) L-1 is "MSE Class-I local supplier" - 100% of the tendered quantity is to be awarded to L-1.

(ii) L-1 is "Non-MSE but Class-I local supplier" - Purchase preference is given to MSEs as per PPP-MSE Order. Balance quantity is to be awarded to the L-1 bidder.

b) *Items reserved exclusively for procurement from MSEs as per PPP-MSE Order:* These items are reserved exclusively for purchase from MSEs. Hence, non-MSEs are not eligible to bid for these items. Possible scenarios can be as under:

(i) L-1 is "MSE Class-I local supplier" - 100% of the tendered quantity is to be awarded to L-1.

(ii) L-1 is "MSE non-Class–I local supplier" - Purchase preference is to be given to Class-I local supplier as per PPP-MII Order. Balance quantity, is to be awarded to L-1 bidder.

c) *If items are neither notified for sufficient local capacity nor reserved for MSEs, then the process will be as follows:*

c (a) Items covered under Para 3A(b) of PPP-MII Order are divisible items and both MSEs as well as Class-I local suppliers are eligible for purchase preference. Possible scenarios can be as under:

(i) L-1 is "MSE Class-I local supplier" - 100% of the tendered quantity is to be awarded to L-1.

(ii) L-1 is "Non-MSE but Class-I local supplier" - Purchase preference is to be given to MSEs, if eligible, as per PPP-MSE Order. Balance quantity is to be awarded to L-1 bidder.

(iii) L-1 is "MSE but non-Class-I local supplier" - Purchase preference is to be given to Class-I local suppliers, if eligible, as per PPP-MII Order. Balance quantity is to be awarded to L-1 bidder.

(iv) L-1 is "Non-MSE non-Class-I local supplier" - Purchase preference is to be given to MSEs as per PPP-MSE Order. Thereafter, purchase preference is to be given to Class-I local suppliers for "50% of the tendered quantity minus quantity allotted to MSEs

above" as per PPP- MII Order. For the balance quantity, contract is to be awarded to L-1 bidder. *(Kindly refer to the illustrative example in the annexure).*

c (b) Items covered under Para 3A(c) of PPP-MII Order, 2017 are non-divisible items and both MSEs as well as Class-I local suppliers are eligible for purchase preference. Possible scenarios can be as under:

(i) L-1 is "MSE Class-I local supplier" - Contract is awarded to L-1.

(ii) L-1 is not "MSE Class-I local supplier" but the "MSE Class-I local supplier" falls within 15% margin of purchase preference - Purchase preference is to be given to lowest quoting "MSE Class-I local supplier". If lowest quoting "MSE Class-I local supplier" does not accept the L-1 rates, the next higher "MSE Class-I local supplier" falling within 15% margin of purchase preference is to be given purchase preference and so on.

(iii) If conditions mentioned in sub paras (i) and (ii) above are not met i.e. L-1 is neither "MSE Class-I local supplier" nor "MSE Class-I local supplier" is eligible to take benefit of purchase preference, the contract is to be awarded/ purchase preference to be given in different possible scenarios as under:

A. L1 is "MSE but non-Class-I local supplier" or "Non-MSE but Class-I local supplier" – Contract is be awarded to L1.

B. L1 is "Non-MSE non-Class-I local supplier" - First purchase preference to be given to MSE as per PPP-MSE Order. If MSE not eligible/ does not accept - purchase preference to be given to Class- I Local supplier as per PPP-MII Order. If Class-I Local supplier also not eligible/ does not accept – contract to be awarded to L-1.

d) *Items reserved for both MSEs and Class-I local suppliers*: These items are reserved exclusively for purchase from MSEs as well as Class-I local suppliers. Hence, only "MSE Class-I local supplier" are eligible to bid for these items. Non-MSEs/Class-II local suppliers/ Non-local suppliers cannot bid for these items. Hence the question of purchase preference does not arise.

e) Non-local suppliers, including MSEs falling in the category of Non-local suppliers, shall be eligible to bid only against Global Tender Enquiry.

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To

1. Secretaries of all Central Government Ministries/ Departments.
2. Secretary Department of Public Enterprises with a request for issuing suitable instructions to all Central Public Sector Enterprises in this regard.

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Annexure

Example explaining applicability in scenario explained in para 4 c (a)(iv)

(Scenario: Divisible items, both MSEs as well as Class-I local suppliers eligible for purchase preference and L-1 is "Non-MSE non-Class-I local supplier")

Item – Desktop computer

Qty – 50 Nos.

Details of bids received

Sr. No.	Name of bidder	Rates quoted	Price Ranking	Status of bidder
1.	A	100	L1	"Non-MSE non- Class-I local supplier"
2.	B	110	L2	"Non-MSE but Class-I local supplier"
3.	C	112	L3	"MSE but non- Class-I local supplier"
4.	D	115	L4	"Non-MSE but Class-I local supplier"
5.	E	118	L5	"MSE but non- Class-I local supplier"
6.	F	120	L6	"MSE Class-I local supplier"

1. In this case, first purchase preference is to be given to MSEs as per PPP-MSE Order for 25% of tendered quantity of 50 Nos. i.e. 12.5 Nos. (rounded off to the next whole number say 13 Nos). Accordingly, invite L3 (bidder C), whose quoted rates falls within 15% margin of purchase preference to match L1 price i.e. Rs. 100/- for quantity of 13 Nos. Bidder "E" and "F", although MSEs, will not get purchase preference since their quoted rates don't fall within 15% margin of purchase preference. Bidder C will be considered for order of 13 Nos. on confirmation of reduction of price.

2. For 50% of balance quantity of 37 number (tendered quantity of 50 – 13 awarded to bidder C; assuming bidder C has confirmed to accept L1 rates), purchase preference will be given to lowest Class-I local supplier as per PPP-MII Order. Accordingly, bidder B will be invited to match L-1 price for 50% of 37 Nos i.e. 18.5 (say 19 Nos of computers). If bidder "B" does not accept the L1 price i.e. price of Rs. 100/- per unit, next higher Class-I local supplier falling within 20% margin of purchase preference, i.e. bidder "D", may be invited to match L-1 price for 19 Nos. of computers and so on.

3. For remaining quantity i.e. 18 Nos (50-13-19), the contract will be awarded to lowest quoting bidder i.e. Bidder "A", who is L-1 in the example.

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ANNEXURE-D

PROVISION REGARDING POLICY TO PROVIDE PREFERENCE TO DOMESTICALLY MANUFACTURED IRON & STEEL PRODUCTS (DMI&SP) – Not Applicable

Annexure-I

PROCEDURE FOR ACTION IN CASE CORRUPT/FRAUDULENT/COLLUSIVE/COERCIVE PRACTICES

A Definitions:

A.1 "Corrupt Practice" means the offering, giving, receiving or soliciting, directly or indirectly, anything of value to improperly influence the actions in selection process or in contract execution.

"Corrupt Practice" also includes any omission for misrepresentation that may mislead or attempt to mislead so that financial or other benefit may be obtained or an obligation avoided.

A2 "Fraudulent Practice" means and include any act or omission committed by an agency or with his connivance or by his agent by misrepresenting/ submitting false documents and/ or false information or concealment of facts or to deceive in order to influence a selection process or during execution of Contract/ order.

A3 "Collusive Practice amongst bidders (prior to or after bid submission)" means a scheme or arrangement designed to establish Bid prices at artificial non-competitive levels and to deprive the Purchaser of the benefits of free and open competition.

A.4 "Coercive practice" means impairing or harming or threatening to impair or harm directly or indirectly, any agency or its property to influence the improperly actions of an agency, obstruction of any investigation or auditing of a procurement process.

A.5 "Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant/Bidder" is herein after referred as "Agency" in this Annexure.

A.6 "Appellate Authority" shall mean Committee of Directors of BCPL consisting of Managing Director, BCPL & Director (Finance).

A.7 "Competent Authority" shall mean the authority of BCPL, who is competent to take final decision for Suspension of business dealing with an Agency(ies) and Banning of business dealings with Agency(ies) and shall be the "COO".

A.8 "Allied Agency" shall mean all concerns which come within the sphere of effective influence of the banned/suspended agency shall be treated as allied agency. In determining this, the following factors may be taken into consideration:

a) Whether the management is common;
b) Majority interest in the management is held by the partners or directors of banned/ suspended agency;

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c) Substantial or majority shares are owned by the banned/ suspended agency and by virtue of this it has a controlling voice.
d) Directly or indirectly controls, or is controlled by or is under common control with another bidder.
e) All successor agency will also be considered as allied agency.

A.9 "Investigating Agency" shall mean any department or unit of BCPL investigating into the conduct of Agency/ party and shall include the Vigilance Department of the BCPL, Central Bureau of Investigation, State Police or any other agency set up by the Central or State Government having power to investigate.

A.10 "Obstructive practice": materially impede the procuring entity's investigation into allegations of one or more of the above mentioned practices either by deliberately destroying, falsifying, altering; or by concealing of evidence material to the investigation; or by making false statements to investigators and/ or by threatening, harassing or intimidating any party to prevent it from disclosing its knowledge of matters relevant to the investigation or from pursuing the investigation; or by impeding BCPL's rights of audit or access to information.

B Actions against Bidder(s) indulging in corrupt /fraudulent/ collusive/ coercive practice

B.1 Irregularities noticed during the evaluation of the bids:

If it is observed during bidding process/ bids evaluation stage that a bidder has indulged in corrupt/fraudulent /collusive/coercive practice, the bid of such bidder (s) shall be rejected and its EMD shall be forfeited.

Further, such agency shall be banned for future business with BCPL for a period specified in para B 2.2 below from the date of issue of banning order.

B.2 Irregularities noticed after award of Contract

(i) During execution of Contract:

If an agency, is found to have indulged in corrupt/fraudulent/ collusive/coercive practices, action shall be initiated for putting the agency on banning list.

After conclusion of process and issuance of Speaking order for putting party on banning list, the order (s)/ contract (s) where it is concluded that such irregularities have been committed shall be terminated and Contract cum Performance Bank Guarantee (CPBG) submitted by agency against such order (s)/ contract (s) shall also be forfeited. Further such order/ contract will be closed following the due procedure in this regard.

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The amount that may have become due to the contractor on account of work already executed by him shall be payable to the contractor and this amount shall be subject to adjustment against any amounts due from the contractor under the terms of the contract. No risk and cost provision will be enforced in such cases.

Suspension of order/ contract:

Further, only in the following situations, the concerned order (s)/ contract(s) (where Corrupt/Fraudulent/ Collusive/ Coercive Practices are observed) and payment shall be suspended after issuance of Suspension cum Show Cause Notice:

(i) Head of Corporate Vigilance Department/CVO based on the investigation by them, recommend for specific immediate action against the agency.
(ii) Head of Corporate Vigilance Department/CVO based on the input from investigating agency, forward for specific immediate action against the agency.

Suspension cum Show Cause Notice being issued in above cases after approval of the competent authority (as per provisions mentioned under Clause no. D) shall also include the provision for suspension of Order (s)/ Contract (s) and payment. Accordingly, after issuance of Suspension cum Show Cause Notice, the formal communication for suspension of Order (s)/ Contract (s) and payment with immediate effect will be issued by the concerned person of BCPL.

During suspension, Contractor/ Service Providers will be allowed to visit the plant/ site for upkeep of their items/ equipment, BCPL's issued materials (in case custody of same is not taken over), demobilizing the site on confirmation of EIC, etc.
In addition to above, Recovery of payments (other than due payments) including balance advance payments, if any, made by along with interest thereon at the prevailing rate shall be recovered.

(ii) After execution of contract and during Defect Liability Period (DLP)/ Warranty/Guarantee Period:

If an Agency is found to have indulged in corrupt/fraudulent/ collusive /coercive practices, after execution of Contract and during DLP/ Warranty/Guarantee Period, the Agency shall be banned for future business with BCPL for a period specified in para B 2.2 below from the date of issue of banning order.

Further, the Contract cum Performance Bank Guarantee (CPBG)/Contract Performance Security (CPS) submitted by agency against such order (s)/ contract (s) shall be forfeited.

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(iii) After expiry of DLP/ Warranty/Guarantee Period

If an Agency is found to have indulged in corrupt/fraudulent/ collusive /coercive practices, after expiry of DLP/ Warranty/Guarantee Period, the Agency shall be banned for future business with BCPL for a period specified in para B 2.2 below from the date of issue of banning order.

B.2.2 Period of Banning

The period of banning of agencies indulged in Corrupt/ Fraudulent/ Collusive/Coercive Practices shall be as under and to be reckoned from the date of banning order:

S. No.	Description	Period of banning from the date of issuance of Banning order
1	Misrepresentation/False information other than pertaining to BEC of tender but having impact on the selection process. For example, if an agency confirms not being in holiday in BCPL/PSU's PMC or banned by PSUs/ Govt. Dept., liquidation, bankruptcy & etc. and subsequently it is found otherwise, such acts shall be considered in this category.	06 Months
2	Corrupt/Fraudulent (except mentioned at sl. no. 1 above) /Collusive/Coercive Practices	01 year
2.1	If an agency again commits Corrupt/Fraudulent (except mentioned at sl. no. 1 above) /Collusive/ Coercive Practices in subsequent cases after their banning, such situation of repeated offense to be dealt with more severity.	2 years (in addition to the period already served)
3	Indulged in unauthorized disposal of materials provided by BCPL	2 years
4	If act of vendor/ contractor is a threat to the National Security	2 years

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C Effect of banning on other ongoing contracts/ tenders

C.1 If an Agency is put on Banning, such agency should not be considered in ongoing tender(s)/future tender(s).

C.2 However, if such an Agency is already executing other order(s)/contract (s) where no corrupt/fraudulent/ collusive/coercive practice is found, the Agency should be allowed to continue till its completion without any further increase in scope except those incidental to original scope mentioned in the contract.

C.3 If an Agency is put on the Banning List during tendering and no irregularity is found in the case under process:

C.3.1 after issue of the Tender Document but before opening of Part-I/Technical Bid, the bid submitted by the Agency shall be ignored.

C.3.2 after opening Technical bid but before opening the Price bid, the Price bid of the Agency shall not be opened and BG/EMD submitted by the Agency shall be returned to the Agency.

C.3.3 after opening of price, BG/EMD submitted by the Agency shall be returned; the offer of the Agency shall be ignored & will not be further evaluated. In case such agency is lowest (L-1), next lowest bidder shall be considered as L-1

~~D. Procedure for Suspension of Bidder~~

~~D.1 Initiation of Suspension~~

~~Action for suspension business dealing with any Agency(ies) shall be initiated by Corporate C&P Department, BCPL when :~~

~~(i) Corporate Vigilance Department, BCPL based on the fact of the case gathered during investigation by them recommend for specific immediate action against the Agency.~~

~~(ii) Corporate Vigilance Department, BCPL based on the input from Investigating agency, forward for specific immediate action against the Agency.~~

~~(iii) Nonperformance of Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant leading to termination of Contract/Order.~~

~~D.2 Suspension Procedure:~~

D.2.1 The order of suspension would operate initially for a period not more than 6 (six) months and is to be communicated to the Agency and also to Corporate Vigilance Department, BCPL. Period of suspension can be extended with the approval of the Competent Authority by 1 (one) month at a time with a ceiling of 6(six) months pending a conclusive decision to put the Agency on banning list.

D.2.2 During the period of suspension, no new business dealing may be held with the Agency.

D.2.3 Period of suspension shall be accounted for in the final order passed for banning of business with the Agency.

D.2.4 The decision regarding suspension of business dealings should also be communicated to the Agency.

D.2.5 If a prima facie, case is made out that the agency is guilty on the grounds which can result in banning of business dealings, proposal for issuance of suspension order and show cause notice shall be put up to the Competent Authority. The suspension order and show cause notice must include that (i) the Agency is put on suspension list and (ii) why action should not be taken for banning the Agency for future business from BCPL.

The Competent Authority to approve the suspension will be same as that for according approval for banning.

D 3 Effect of Suspension of business:

Effect of suspension on other on-going/future tenders will be as under:

D.3.1 No enquiry/bid/tender shall be entertained from an Agency as long as the name of Agency appears in the Suspension List.

D.3.2 If an Agency is put on the Suspension List during tendering process:

D.3.2.1 after issue of the Tender Document but before opening of Part-I/Technical Bid, the Bid submitted by the Agency shall be ignored.

D.3.2.2 after opening Part-I/ Technical Bid but before opening of Part-II/ Price bid, the Price bid of the Agency shall not be opened and EMD submitted by the Agency shall be returned to the Agency.

D.3.2.3 after opening of price, EMD submitted by the Agency shall be returned; the Offer/Bid of the Agency shall be ignored & will not be further evaluated. If the Agency is put on Suspension list for fraud/ mis-appropriation of facts conducted in

the same/other tendering process where errant Agency emerges as the lowest (L1), then such tendering process shall also be cancelled and re-invited.

D.3.3 The existing contract (s)/ order (s) under execution shall continue.

D.3.4 Tenders invited for procurement of goods, works and services shall have provision that the bidder shall submit a undertaking to the effect that (i) neither the bidder themselves nor their allied agency/(ies) are on banning list of BCPL/GAIL or the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas and (ii) bidder is not banned by any Government department/ Public Sector.

E. Appeal against the Decision of the Competent Authority:

E.1 The Agency may file an appeal against the order of the Competent Authority for putting the Agency on banning list. The Appeal shall be filed to Appellate Authority of BCPL. Such an appeal shall be preferred within one month from the date of receipt of banning order.

E.2 Appellate Authority would consider the appeal and pass appropriate order which shall be communicated to the party as well as the Competent Authority.

E.3 Appeal process may be completed within 45 days of filing of appeal with the Appellate Authority.

F. Wherever there is contradiction with respect to terms of 'Integrity pact', GCC and 'Procedure for action in case of Corrupt/Fraudulent/ Collusive/Coercive Practice', the provisions of 'Procedure for action in case of Corrupt/Fraudulent/ Collusive/Coercive Practice' shall prevail.

Annexure-II

PROCEDURE FOR EVALUATION OF PERFORMANCE OF VENDORS/ SUPPLIERS/ CONTRACTORS/ CONSULTANTS

1.0 GENERAL

A system for evaluation of Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants and their performance is a key process and important to support an effective purchasing & contracting function of an organization.

Performance of all participating Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants need to be closely monitored to ensure timely receipt of supplies from a Vendor, completion of an assignment by a Consultant or complete execution of order by a contractor within scheduled completion period. For timely execution of projects and meeting the operation & maintenance requirement of operating plants, it is necessary to monitor the execution of order or contracts right from the award stage to completion stage and take corrective measures in time.

2.0 OBJECTIVE

The objective of Evaluation of Performance aims to recognize, and develop reliable Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants so that they consistently meet or exceed expectations and requirements.

The purpose of this procedure is to put in place a system to monitor performance of Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants associated with BCPL so as to ensure timely completion of various projects, timely receipt of supplies including completion of works & services for operation and maintenance of operating plants and quality standards in all respects.

3.0 METHODOLOGY

i) Preparation of Performance Rating Data Sheet

Performance rating data Sheet for each and every Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/Consultant for all orders/Contracts with a value of Rs. 50 Lakhs and above is recommended to be drawn up. Further, Performance rating data Sheet for orders/contracts of Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant who are on watch list/holiday list/ banning list shall be prepared irrespective of order/ contract value. These data sheets are to be separately prepared for orders/ contracts related to Projects and O&M. Format, Parameters, Process, responsibility for preparation of Performance Rating Data Sheet are separately mentioned.

ii) Measurement of Performance

Based on the parameters defined in Data Sheet, Performance of concerned Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant would be computed and graded accordingly. The measurement of the performance of the Party would be its ability to achieve the minimum scoring of 60% points in the given parameters.

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iii) Initiation of Measures:

Depending upon the Grading of Performance, corrective measures would be initiated by taking up the matter with concerned Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant. Response of Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant would be considered before deciding further course of action.

iv) Implementation of Corrective Measures:

Based on the response of Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant, concerned Engineer-in-Charge for the Projects and/or OIC in case of O&M would recommend for continuation or discontinuation of such party from the business of BCPL.

v) Orders/contracts placed on Proprietary/OEM basis for O&M will be evaluated and, if required, corrective action will be taken for improvement in future.

4.0 **EXCLUSIONS:**

The following would be excluded from the scope of evaluation of performance of Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants :

i) Orders/Contracts below the value of Rs. 50 Lakhs if Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant is not on watch list/ holiday list/ banning list.

ii) Orders for Misc./Administrative items/ Non stock Non valuated items (PO with material code ending with 9).

However, concerned Engineer-in-Charge /OICs will continue to monitor such cases so as to minimize the impact on Projects/O&M plants due to non performance of Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants in all such cases.

5.0 **PROCESS OF EVALUATION OF PERFORMANCE OF VENDORS/ SUPPLIERS/ CONTRACTORS/ CONSULTANTS**

5.1 FOR PROJECTS

i) Evaluation of performance of Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants in case of PROJECTS shall be done immediately with commissioning of any Project.

ii) On commissioning of any Project, EIC (Engineer-in-charge)/ Project-in-charge shall prepare a Performance Rating Data Sheet (Format at Annexure-1) for all Orders and Contracts.

iii) Depending upon the Performance Rating, following action shall be initiated by Engineer-in-charge/Project-in-charge:

Sl.No.	Performance Rating	Action
1	POOR	Seek explanation for Poor performance
2	FAIR	Seek explanation for Fair performance

3	GOOD	Letter to the concerned for improving performance in future
4	VERY GOOD	No further action

iv) Reply from concerned Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant shall be examined. In case of satisfactory reply, Performance Rating data Sheet to be closed with a letter to the concerned for improving performance in future.

v) When no reply is received or reasons indicated are unsatisfactory, the following actions need to be taken:

A) Where performance rating is "POOR" (as per Performance Rating carried out after execution of Order/ Contract and where no reply/ unsatisfactory reply is received from party against the letter seeking the explanation from Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant along with sharing the performance rating)

Recommend such defaulting Vendor / Supplier / Contractor / Consultant for the following action:

1. Poor Performance on account of Quality (if marks obtained against Quality parameter is less than 20):
   (a) First Instance: **Holiday (Red Card) for One Years**
   (b) Subsequent instance (s) in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Holiday (Red Card) for Two Years**
2. Poor Performance on account of other than Quality (if marks obtained against Quality parameter is more than 20):
   (a) First such instance: **Advisory notice (Yellow Card)** shall be issued and Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant shall be **put on watch list for a period of Two (2) Years**.
   (b) Second such instance in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Putting on Holiday (Red Card) for a period of One Year**
   (c) Subsequent instances (more than two) in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Putting on Holiday (Red Card) for a period of Two Years.**

B) Where Poor/Non-Performance leading to termination of contract or Offloading of contract due to poor performance attributable to Vendor/Supplier/ Contractor/Consultant (under relevant clause of GCC-Goods)

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(a) First instance: **Advisory notice (Yellow Card)** shall be issued and Vendor/Supplier/Contractor /Consultant shall be **put on watch list for a period of Two (2) Years.**

Further such vendor will not be allowed to participate in the re-tender of the same supply/work/services of that location which has terminated / offloaded. Moreover, it will be ensured that all other action as per provision of contract including forfeiture of Contract Performance Security (CPS) etc. are undertaken.

However, such vendor will be allowed to participate in all other tenders and to execute other ongoing order/ contract (s) or new contract/ order (s).

The Yellow card will be automatically revoked after a period of three years unless the same is converted into Red Card due to subsequence instances of poor/ non-performance in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant.

(b) Second instances in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Holiday (Red Card) for period of One Year** and they shall also to be **considered for Suspension**.

(c) Subsequent instances (more than two) in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Holiday (Red Card) for period of Two Years and they shall also to be considered for Suspension**.

(C) Where Performance rating is "FAIR":

Issuance of warning to such defaulting Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant to improve their performance.

5.2 FOR CONSULTANCY JOBS

Monitoring and Evaluation of consultancy jobs will be carried out in the same way as described in para 5.1 for Projects.

5.3 FOR OPERATION & MAINTENANCE

i) Evaluation of performance of Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants in case of Operation and Maintenance shall be done immediately after execution of order/ contract.

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ii) After execution of orders a Performance Rating Data Sheet (Format at Annexure-2) shall be prepared for Orders by Site C&P and for Contracts/Services by respective Engineer-In-Charge.

iii) Depending upon Performance Rating, following action shall be initiated by EIC:

Sl. No.	Performance Rating	Action
1	**POOR**	Seek explanation for Poor performance
2.	**FAIR**	Seek explanation for Fair performance
3	**GOOD**	Letter to the concerned for improving performance in future.
4	**VERY GOOD**	No further action

iv) Reply from concerned Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant shall be examined. In case of satisfactory reply, Performance Rating data Sheet to be closed with a letter to the concerned for improving performance in future.

v) When no reply is received or reasons indicated are unsatisfactory, the following actions need to be taken:

A) Where performance rating is "POOR" (as per Performance Rating carried out after execution of Order/ Contract and where no reply/ unsatisfactory reply is received from party against the letter seeking the explanation from Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant along with sharing the performance rating)

Recommend such defaulting Vendor / Supplier / Contractor / Consultant for the following action:

1. Poor Performance on account of Quality (if marks obtained against Quality parameter is less than 20):
   (a) First Instance: **Holiday (Red Card) for One Years**
   (b) Subsequent instance (s) in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Holiday (Red Card) for Two Years**
2. Poor Performance on account of other than Quality (if marks obtained against Quality parameter is more than 20):
   (a) First such instance: **Advisory notice (Yellow Card)** shall be issued and Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant shall be **put on watch list for a period of Two (2) Years.**
   (b) Second such instance in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/

Consultant: **Putting on Holiday (Red Card) for a period of One Year**

(c) Subsequent instances (more than two) in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Putting on Holiday (Red Card) for a period of Two Years.**

B) Where Poor/Non-Performance leading to termination of contract or Offloading of contract due to poor performance attributable to Vendor/Supplier/ Contractor/Consultant (under relevant clause of GCC-Goods)

(a) First instance: **Advisory notice (Yellow Card)** shall be issued and Vendor/Supplier/Contractor /Consultant shall be **put on watch list for a period of Two (2) Years**.

Further such vendor will not be allowed to participate in the re-tender of the same supply/work/services of that location which has terminated / offloaded. Moreover, it will be ensured that all other action as per provision of contract including forfeiture of Contract Performance Security (CPS) etc. are undertaken.

However, such vendor will be allowed to participate in all other tenders and to execute other ongoing order/ contract (s) or new contract/ order (s).

The Yellow card will be automatically revoked after a period of three years unless the same is converted into Red Card due to subsequence instances of poor/ non-performance in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant.

(b) Second instances in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Holiday (Red Card) for period of One Year** and they shall also to be **considered for Suspension**.

(c) Subsequent instances (more than two) in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Holiday (Red Card) for period of Two Years** and they shall also to be considered for **Suspension**.

(C) Where Performance rating is "FAIR"

Issuance of warning to such defaulting Vendors/Contractors/Consultants to improve their performance.

6.0 REVIEW & RESTORATION OF PARITES PUT ON HOLIDAY

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6.1 An order for Holiday passed for a certain specified period shall deemed to have been automatically revoked on the expiry of that specified period and it will not be necessary to issue a specific formal order of revocation.

Further, in case Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant is put on holiday due to quality, and new order is placed on bidder after restoration of Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant, such order will be properly monitored during execution stage by the concerned site.

7.0 EFFECT OF HOLIDAY

7.1 If a Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant is put on Holiday, such Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant shall not be considered in ongoing tenders/future tenders.

7.2 However, if such Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant is already executing any other order/ contract and their performance is satisfactory in terms of the relevant contract, should be allowed to continue till its completion without any further increase in scope except those incidental to original scope mentioned in the contract. In such a case CPBG will not be forfeited and payment will be made as per provisions of concerned contract. However, this would be without prejudice to other terms and conditions of the contract.

7.3. Effect on other ongoing tendering:

7.3.1 after issue of the enquiry /bid/tender but before opening of Technical bid, the bid submitted by the party shall be ignored.

7.3.2 after opening Technical bid but before opening the Price bid, the Price bid of the party shall not be opened and BG/EMD submitted by the party shall be returned to the party.

7.3.3 after opening of price, BG/EMD made by the party shall be returned; the offer of the party shall be ignored & will not be further evaluated. In case such agency is lowest (L-1), next lowest bidder shall be considered as L-1.

8.0 While putting the Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant on holiday as per the procedure, the holding company, subsidiary, joint venture, sister concerns, group division of the errant Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant shall not be considered for putting on holiday list.

Any bidder, put on holiday, will not be allowed to bid through consortium route also in new tender during the period of holiday.

9.0 If an unsuccessful bidder makes any vexatious, frivolous or malicious complaint against the tender process with the intention of delaying or defeating any procurement or causing loss to BCPL or any other bidder, such bidder will be put on holiday for a period of six months, if such complaint is proved to be vexatious, frivolous or malicious, after following the due procedure.

10. APPEAL AGAINST THE DECISION OF THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY:

Bidder's sign

(a) The party may file an appeal against the order of the Competent Authority for putting the party on Holiday list. The appeal shall be filed to Appellate Authority. Such an appeal shall be preferred within one month from the of receipt of Holiday order.

(b) Appellate Authority would consider the appeal and pass appropriate order which shall be communicated to the party as well as the Competent Authority.

(c) Appeal process may be completed within 45 days of filing of appeal with the Appellate Authority.

(d) "Appellate Authority" shall mean Committee of Managing Director, BCPL & Director (Finance), BCPL.

11. **ERRANT BIDDER**

In case after price bid opening the lowest evaluated bidder (L1) is not awarded the job for any mistake committed by him in bidding or withdrawal of bid or modification of bid or varying any term in regard thereof leading to re-tendering, BCPL shall forfeit EMD if paid by the bidder and such bidders shall be debarred from participation in retendering of the same job(s)/item(s).

Further, such bidder will be put on Watch List (Yellow Card) for a period of two years after following the due procedure. However, during the period in watch list such vendor will be allowed to participate in all other tenders and to execute other ongoing order/ contract (s) or new contract/ order (s).

In case of subsequent instances of default in other tender(s) during aforesaid watch list period, the action shall be initiated as per provision of sl. no. 2 of para A of Clause no. 5.1 (v) and 5.3 (v).

The Yellow card will be automatically revoked after specified period unless the same is converted into Red Card.

The above shall be in addition to the penalty imposed by GeM for such irregularities.

12. In case CBIC (Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs)/ any tax authority / any equivalent government agency brings to the notice of BCPL that the Supplier has not remitted the amount towards GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) collected from BCPL to the government exchequer, then, that Supplier shall be put under Holiday list of BCPL for period of six months after following the due procedure. This action will be in addition to the right of recovery of financial implication arising on BCPL.

Bidder's sign

Annexure-1

Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited
PERFORMANCE RATING DATA SHEET [PRDS]
(FOR PROJECTS/ CONSULTANCY JOBS)

i) Project/Work Centre :

ii) Order/ Contract No. & date :

iii) Brief description of Items Works/Assignment :

iv) Order/Contract value (Rs.) :

v) Name of Vendor/Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant :

vi) Contracted delivery/ Completion Schedule :

vii) Actual delivery/ Completion date :

Performance Parameter	Delivery/ Completion Performance	Quality Performance	Reliability Performance#	Total
Maximum Marks	40	40	20	100
Marks Allocated				

Note:
Remarks (if any)

PERFORMANCE RATING (**) ____

Note:
(#) Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant who seek repeated financial assistance or deviation beyond contract payment term or seeking direct payment to the sub-vendor/ sub-contractor due to financial constraints, then '0' marks should be allotted against Reliability Performance.
(*) Allocation of marks should be as per enclosed instructions
(**) Performance rating shall be classified as under:

Sl. No.	Range (Marks)	Rating
1	60 & below	POOR
2	61-75	FAIR
3	76-90	GOOD
4	More than 90	VERY GOOD

Signature of
Authorised Signatory:

Name:

Designation:

Bidder's sign

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ALLOCATION OF MARKS

1. Marks are to be allocated as under:

1.1 DELIVERY/ COMPLETION PERFORMANCE — 40 Marks

Delivery Period/ Completion Schedule	Delay in Weeks	Marks
a) Upto 3 months	Before CDD	40
	Delay upto 4 weeks	35
	" 8 weeks	30
	" 10 weeks	25
	" 12 weeks	20
	" 16 weeks	15
	More than 16 weeks	0
b) Above 3 months	Before CDD	40
	Delay upto 4 weeks	35
	" 8 weeks	30
	" 10 weeks	25
	" 16 weeks	20
	" 20 weeks	15
	" 24 weeks	10
	More than 24 weeks	0

1.2 QUALITY PERFORMANCE — 40 Marks

For Normal Cases: No Defects/ No Deviation/ No failure: 40 marks

i) Rejection/Defects	Marks to be allocated on prorata basis for acceptable quantity as compared to total quantity for normal cases	10 marks
ii) When quality failure endanger system integration and safety of the system	Failure of severe nature	0 marks
	- Moderate nature	5 marks
	- low severe nature	10-25 marks
iii) Number of deviations	1. No deviation	5 marks
	2. No. of deviations ≤ 2	2 marks
	3. No. of deviations > 2	0 marks

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1.3 RELIABILITY PERFORMANCE 20 Marks

A.	FOR WORKS / CONTRACTS	Marks
i)	Submission of order acceptance, agreement, CPS/PBG, Drawings and other documents within time	4 marks
ii)	Mobilization of resources as per Contract and in time	4 marks
iii)	Liquidation of Check-list points	4 marks
iv)	Compliance to statutory and HS&E requirements or Reliability of Estimates/Design/Drawing etc. in case of Consultancy jobs	4 marks
v)	Timely submission of estimates and other documents for Extra, Substituted & AHR items	4 marks
B.	**FOR SUPPLIES**	**Marks**
i)	Submission of order acceptance, CPS/PBG, Drawings and other documents within time	5 marks
ii)	Attending complaints and requests for after sales service/ warranty repairs and/ or query/ advice (upto the evaluation period).	5 marks
iii)	Response to various correspondence and conformance to standards like ISO	5 marks
iv)	Submission of all required documents including Test Certificates at the time of supply	5 marks

Annexure-2

Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited
PERFORMANCE RATING DATA SHEET [PRDS]
(FOR O&M)

i) Location :

ii) Order/ Contract No. & date :

iii) Brief description of Items Works/Assignment :

iv) Order/Contract value (Rs.) :

v) Name of Vendor/Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant :

vi) Contracted delivery/ Completion Schedule :

vii) Actual delivery/ Completion date :

Performance Parameter	Delivery Performance	Quality Performance	Reliability Performance#	Total
Maximum Marks	40	40	20	100
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Remarks (if any)

PERFORMANCE RATING (**) ☐

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Signature of Authorised Signatory:

Name:

Designation:

Bidder's sign

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ANNEXURE-III

(DELETED)

Annexure-IV to Section-III

BIDDING DATA SHEET (BDS)

ITB (SECTION-III) TO BE READ IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE FOLLOWING:

ITB clause	Description
	A. GENERAL
1.1	The Purchaser is: Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. The consignee details for the goods are_____ BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER & POLYMER LIMITED CENTRAL WAREHOUSE BUILDING P.O. #LEPETKATA DIBRUGARH-786006, ASSAM PH-7086579554/ 9433272278
1.2	The Invitation for Bid/ Tender is for **PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR**
General	The Purchaser is: Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. The consignee details and Delivery Location for the goods are as under:- Consignee: Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. Delivery Location: Lepetkata ~~/ Lakwa~~
	B. TENDER DOCUMENT
8.1	For **clarification purposes** only, the communication address is: Attention: Olivia Rajkumari **Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited** (A Government of India Enterprise), C&P Department, Administrative Building, PO: Lepetkata, Distt.: Dibrugarh, Assam, Pin Code:786006, Phone no. 7399018425 E-Mail: olivia.rajkumari@bcplindia.co.in
	C. PREPARATION OF BID
11.1.1 (m)	Additional documents to be submitted by the Bidder with its Part-I (Techno-commercial/ Unpriced bid): SCC/Scope of Work refers
12	Price break up as provided shall not be a part of L1 evaluation. However the PDF document/format uploaded by the bidder will be considered as part of the contract. In case of any mismatch in the amount quoted in the financial bid and the above format, the figures/amount of financial bid of Gem will be considered.
12 & 13	Whether BCPL will be able to avail input tax credit in the instant tender YES: √ NO: X
12.2	Transit Insurance shall be arranged by :- BCPL: X

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	SUPPLIER: √ In case, transit insurance to be arranged by BCPL, the details of Transit Insurance Policy are as under:-
12.4	Delivery basis shall be FOT/FOR Site, ..*[Lepetkata]*: √ EX-WORKS/FOT Dispatch point, ……(Bidder to indication location): X
13.7 and 13.8	Details of Buyer: Consignee: Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. Lepetkata, Dibrugarh Assam-786006 PAN No.: AADCB2356E GST no.: 18AADCB2356E1ZY BCPL Bank details: *[Enter details]*
14	The currency of the Bid shall be INR
15	The bid validity period shall be 3 months as per GeM Bid Document no. GEM/2026/B/8268522
16.1	In case **'Earnest Money Deposit / Bid Security' is** in the form of **'Demand Draft'** or **Insurance Surety Bond'** or **'Fixed Deposit Receipt**,, the same should be favor of **Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd.**, payable at Lepetkata/Dibrugarh
16.9 & 38.5	In case of submission through online banking transaction i.e. IMPS / NEFT / RTGS / SWIFT, etc, the details of BCPL's Bank account are as under: Account Holder Name : Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited Bank Name: State Bank of India Branch Address : CAG II, New Delhi Account No.: 35662071729 IFSC: SBIN0017313 Bidder to mention reference no. "CPS/……." in narration while remitting the CPS amount in BCPL's Bank Account. *BG issuance message is to be transmitted through SFMS to beneficiary's bank as below:* Account Holder Name : Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited Bank Name: ICICI Bank Branch Address : HS Road, Dibrugarh IFSC: ICIC0000839 The issuing bank while issuing/amending the ***BG, should ensure that the***

	below information is correctly captured in the message i.e. IFN 760COV/ IFN 767COV: *Field Number* : *7037* *Particulars (to be mentioned in Row 1)* : *BCPL566911048*
D. SUBMISSION AND OPENING OF BIDS	
22	The GeM Bid No. of this bidding process is: GEM/2026/B/8268522
22.2	For submission of physical document as per clause no. 4.0 of IFB, the Owner's address is : Attention: Olivia Rajkumari, CM (C&P) **Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited** (A Government of India Enterprise), C&P Department, Administrative Building, PO: Lepetkata, Distt.: Dibrugarh, Assam, Pin Code:786006, Phone no.7399018425
E. EVALUATION, AND COMPARISON OF BIDS	
32	Evaluation Methodology is mentioned in Section-II. Tie-breaker methodology available on GeM portal will be followed.
34	The following Purchase Preference Policy will be applicable as per provisions mentioned in tender: i) Micro & Small Enterprises (MSEs) ii) Policy to Provide Purchase Preference as per Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 iii) Concurrent application of Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises Order, 2012 and Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India) Order, 2017
F. AWARD OF CONTRACT	
36	The following designated authority shall be contacted after receipt of Notification of Award for all contractual matters :- _____ _____
37.4	Whether part shipment is allowed: YES √ NO X
38	Contract Performance Security (CPS)/ Security Deposit APPLICABLE √ NOT APPLICABLE X Refer Section-II
~~**39.2**~~	~~Name and contact details of nodal officer:~~ ~~*[dealing officer has to fill details of nodal officer of concerned site]*~~

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FORMS & FORMATS

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F-1
BIDDER'S GENERAL INFORMATION

To,
M/s Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd.

TENDER NO: _____

1	Bidder's Name	M/s……
2	Status of Firm	Proprietorship Firm/Partnership firm/ Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) firm/ Public Limited/ Pvt. Limited/ Govt. Dept. / PSU/ Others If Others Specify:_____ [Enclose relevant certificates / partnership deed/certificate of Registration, as applicable]
3a	Name of Proprietor/ Partners/ Directors of the firm/company including their Father's Name and residential address, Aadhar No., Pan Card Details & DIN Nos. [As per clause for 'One Bid Per Bidder' under Section-III of Tender Document] If required, a separate sheet may be enclosed for providing the above details.	1. 2. 3.
3b	Name of Power of Attorney holders of Bidder	
4	Number of years in operation	
5	Address of Registered Office:	
		City:
		District:
		State:
		PIN/ZIP:
6	Bidder's address where order/contract is to be placed *	
		City:
		District:
		State:
		PIN/ZIP:
7	Address from where Goods/ Services are to be dispatched/ provided along with GST no. (In case supply of Goods / Services are from multiple locations, addresses and GST no. of all such locations are to be provided).	City: District: State: PIN/ZIP: GST No.:
8	Telephone Number & Contact Information address where Order/Contract is to be placed	_____ (Country Code) (Area Code) (Telephone No.)

_____
Bidder's sign

		Mobile No. : …… e-mail ID: ……
9	Website details	
10	Mobile Number of concerned personnel/authorized signatory	_____
11	ISO Certification, if any	Yes / No *[If yes, please furnish details]*
12	PAN No.	
13	GST No. (refer sl. no. 7 above)	
14a	Whether Micro or Small Enterprise	Yes / No (*If Yes, Bidder to submit requisite documents c specified it ITB:Clause No. 40*)
14b	Whether MSE is owned by SC/ST Entrepreneur(s)	Yes / No (*If Yes, Bidder to submit requisite documents c specified it ITB:Clause No. 40*)
14c	Whether MSE is owned by Women	Yes / No (*If Yes, Bidder to submit requisite documents c specified it ITB:Clause No. 40*)
14d	Details of registration in TReDS	…… *(Bidder to provide name of the portal along wi details)*
15a	Whether Bidder is a Startup or not	Yes / No *(, Bidder to submit requisite documents as specifie it ITB: Clause No. 49)*
15b	In case Bidder is a Startup, confirm the following: (i) Date of its incorporation/ registration [The certificate shall only be valid for the entity upto ten years from the date of its incorporation/ registration] (ii) Whether turnover for any financial years since incorporation/ registration has exceeded Rs.100 Crores.	

Note: **BCPL intends to place the Order/Contract directly on the address from where Goods are produced/dispatched. In case, Bidder intends to have Order/ Contract with some other address and also for supply of Goods from multiple locations, Bidder is required to provide the address on which Order/ Contract is to be placed as mentioned at sl.no.6 above and details of locations as mentioned at sl. no. 7 above.*

Place:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:

_____
Bidder's sign

FORMAT F-2A

DECLARATION FOR BID SECURITY

To,

M/s BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LTD.

_____

SUB: **PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR.**
TENDER NO: GEM/2026/B/8268522

Dear Sir

After examining / reviewing provisions of above referred tender documents (including all corrigendum/ Addenda), we M/s_____ ***(Name of Bidder)*** have submitted our offer/ bid no. …….

We, M/s_____ ***(Name of Bidder)*** hereby understand that, according to your conditions, we are submitting this Declaration for Bid Security.

We understand that we will be put on watch list/holiday/ banning list (as per polices of BCPL in this regard), if we are in breach of our obligation(s) as per following:

(a) have withdrawn/modified/amended, impairs or derogates from the tender, my/our Bid during the period of bid validity specified in the form of Bid; or

(b) having been notified of the acceptance of our Bid by the BCPL during the period of bid validity:
  (i) fail or refuse to execute the Contract, if required, or
  (ii) fail or refuse to furnish the Contract Performance Security, in accordance provisions of tender document.
  (iii) fail or refuse to accept 'arithmetical corrections' as per provision of tender document.

(c) having indulged in corrupt/fraudulent /collusive/coercive practice as per procedure.

Place:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:

OR

_____
Bidder's sign

FORMAT F-2

PROFORMA OF "BANK GUARANTEE" FOR "EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT/ BID SECURITY"

(To be stamped in accordance with the Stamp Act)

To, M/s Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. _____	**Bank Guarantee No.**	
	Date of BG	
	BG Valid up to (Expiry date)	
	Claim period up to (indicate date of expiry of claim period which includes minimum three months from the expiry date)	
	Stamp Sl. No./e-Stamp Certificate No.	

Dear Sir(s),

In accordance with Tender Document under your reference No _____ M/s. _____
having their Registered / Head Office at _____ (hereinafter called the Tenderer/Bidder), wish to participate in the said tender for
_____

As an irrevocable Bank Guarantee against Earnest Money Deposit for the amount of _____ is required to be submitted by the bidder as a condition precedent for participation in the said Tender Document which amount is liable to be forfeited on the happening of any contingencies mentioned in the Tender Document.

We, the _____ Bank at _____having our Head Office _____ (Local Address) guarantee and undertake to pay immediately on demand without any recourse to the Bidder by Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd., the amount _____ _____ without any reservation, protest, demur and recourse. Any such demand made by Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd., shall be conclusive and binding on us irrespective of any dispute or difference raised by the Bidder.

This guarantee shall be irrevocable and shall remain valid up to _____ [this date should be two (02) months beyond the validity of the bid].If any further extension of this guarantee is required, the same shall be extended to such required period on receiving instructions from Bidder M/s. _____ on whose behalf this guarantee is issued.

_____
Bidder's sign

Notwithstanding anything contained herein:
a) The Bank's liability under this Guarantee shall not exceed (currency in figures) . . . . . (currency in words only) . . . . .
b) This Guarantee shall remain in force upto _____ (this expiry date of BG should be two months beyond the validity of bid) and any extension(s) thereof; and
c) The Bank shall be released and discharged from all liability under this Guarantee unless a written claim or demand is issued to the Bank on or before the midnight of …….(indicate date of expiry of claim period which includes minimum three months from the expiry of this Bank Guarantee) and if extended, the date of expiry of the last extension of this Guarantee. If a claim has been received by us within the said date, all the rights of BCPL under this Guarantee shall be valid and shall not cease until we have satisfied that claim.

In witness whereof the Bank, through its authorized officer, has set its hand and stamp on this _____day of _____ 20__ at _____.

Details of next Higher Authority of the Officials who have issued the Bank Guarantee:

Name …….
Designation ……..

WITNESS:

(SIGNATURE)
(NAME)

(SIGNATURE)
(NAME)
Designation with Bank Stamp
E-Mail ID:
Telephone/Mobile No. :

(OFFICIAL ADDRESS)

Attorney as per
Power of Attorney No. _____
Date: _____

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FURNISHING "BID SECURITY DEPOSIT/ EARNEST MONEY" BY "BANK GUARANTEE"

1. The Bank Guarantee by Bidders will be given on non-judicial stamp paper as per "Stamp Duty" applicable. The non-judicial stamp paper should be in the name of the issuing Bank.
2. The expiry date should be arrived at in accordance with "ITB: Clause-16.1".
3. The Bank Guarantee by bidders will be given from Bank as specified in "ITB: Clause-16.3".

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4. A letter from the issuing Bank of the requisite Bank Guarantee confirming that said Bank Guarantee / all future communication relating to the Bank Guarantee shall be forwarded to the Purchaser at its address as mentioned at "ITB".

5. Bidder must indicate the full postal address of the Bank along with the Bank's E-mail / Fax / Phone from where the Bank Guarantee has been issued as per proforma provided below..

6. If a Bank Guarantee is issued by a commercial Bank, then a letter to be submitted to Purchaser confirming its net worth is more than Rs. 1,000,000,000.00 [Rupees One Hundred Crores] or equivalent alongwith documentary evidence or in the Bank Guarantee itself.

MATTER TO BE MENTIONED IN COVERING LETTER TO BE SUBMITTED BY VENDOR ALONG WITH BANK GUARANTEE

1	**BANK GUARANTEE NO**	:				
2	**VENDOR NAME / VENDOR CODE**	:	**NAME**			
			VENDOR CODE			
3	**BANK GUARANTEE AMOUNT**	:				
4	**PURCHASE ORDER/ LOA NO**	:				
5	**NATURE OF BANK GUARANTEE**	:				
	(Please Tick (√) Whichever is Applicable		**PERFORMANCE BANK GUARANTEE**	**SECURITY DEPOSIT**	**EMD**	**ADVANCE**
6	**BG ISSUED BANK DETAILS**					
		(A)	**EMAIL ID :**			
		(B)	**ADDRESS :**			
		(C)	**PHONE NO :**			

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LETTER OF AUTHORITY

[Proforma for Letter of Authority for Attending 'Pre-Bid Meetings']

Ref: Date:

To,
M/s Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd.

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SUB: **PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR .**
TENDER NO: GEM/2026/B/8268522

Dear Sir,

I/We, _____ hereby authorize the following representative(s) for attending Pre-Bid Meeting', against the above Tender Document:

[1] Name & Designation _____ Signature _____
Phone/Cell: Fax:
E-mail: …….. @ ……

[2] Name & Designation _____ Signature _____
Phone/Cell: Fax:
E-mail: …….. @ ……

We confirm that we shall be bound by all commitments made by aforementioned authorised representative(s).

Place: [Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Date: Name:
Designation:
Seal:

Note:

(i) This "Letter of Authority" should be on the **"letterhead"** of the Firm / Bidder and should be signed by a person competent and having the 'Power of Attorney' to bind the Bidder. Not more than 'two [02] persons per Bidder' are permitted to attend "Pre-Bid Meetings'.

(ii) Bidder's authorized representative is required to carry a copy of this authority letter while attending the 'Pre-Bid Meetings' /.

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PROFORMA OF "BANK GUARANTEE" FOR "CONTRACT PERFORMANCE SECURITY / SECURITY DEPOSIT"
(ON NON-JUDICIAL STAMP PAPER OF APPROPRIATE VALUE)
THIS FORMAT SUPERSEDE THE FORMAT OF GEM

To, M/s Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. _____	**Bank Guarantee No.**	
	Date of BG	
	BG Valid up to (Expiry date)	
	Claim period up to (indicate date of expiry of claim period which includes minimum three months from the expiry date)	
	Stamp Sl. No./e-Stamp Certificate No.	

Dear Sir(s),

M/s. _____ having registered office at _____ (herein after called the "contractor/supplier" which expression shall wherever the context so require include its successors and assignees) have been placed/ awarded the job/work of _____ vide PO/LOA /FOA No. _____dated_____ for Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. having registered office at 7th Floor, NRL Centre 122A G.S Road, Christian Basti Guwahati, Assam, Pin - 781005 (herein after called the "BCPL" which expression shall wherever the context so require include its successors and assignees).

The Contract conditions provide that the SUPPLIER/CONTRACTOR shall pay a sum of Rs. _____ (Rupees _____) as full Contract Performance Guarantee in the form therein mentioned. The form of payment of Contract Performance Guarantee includes guarantee executed by Nationalized Bank/Scheduled Commercial Bank, undertaking full responsibility to indemnify BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LTD., in case of default.

The said M/s._____ has approached us and at their request and in consideration of the premises we having our office at _____ have agreed to give such guarantee as hereinafter mentioned.

1. We _____ hereby undertake to give the irrevocable & unconditional guarantee to you that if default shall be made by M/s. _____ in performing any of the terms and conditions of the tender/order/contract or in payment of any money payable to BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LTD. we shall on first demand pay without demur, contest, protest and/ or without any recourse to the contractor to BCPL in such manner as BCPL may direct the said amount of Rupees _____ only or such portion thereof not exceeding the said sum as you may require from time to time.

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2. You will have the full liberty without reference to us and without affecting this guarantee, postpone for any time or from time to time the exercise of any of the powers and rights conferred on you under the order/contract with the said M/s. _____ and to enforce or to forbear from endorsing any powers or rights or by reason of time being given to the said M/s._____ and such postponement forbearance would not have the effect of releasing the bank from its obligation under this debt.

3. Your right to recover the said sum of Rs. _____ (Rupees _____) from us in manner aforesaid is absolute & unequivocal and will not be affected or suspended by reason of the fact that any dispute or disputes have been raised by the said M/s. _____ and/or that any dispute or disputes are pending before any officer, tribunal or court or arbitrator or any other authority/forum and any demand made by you in the bank shall be conclusive and binding. The bank shall not be released of its obligations under these presents by any exercise by you of its liberty with reference to matter aforesaid or any of their or by reason or any other act of omission or commission on your part or any other indulgence shown by you or by any other matter or changed what so ever which under law would, but for this provision, have the effect of releasing the bank.

4. The guarantee herein contained shall not be determined or affected by the liquidation or winding up dissolution or changes of constitution or insolvency of the said supplier/contractor but shall in all respects and for all purposes be binding and operative until payment of all money due to you in respect of such liabilities is paid.

5. The bank undertakes not to revoke this guarantee during its currency without your previous consent and further agrees that the guarantee shall continue to be enforceable until it is discharged by BCPL in writing. However, if for any reason, the supplier/contractor is unable to complete the supply/work within the period stipulated in the order/contract and in case of extension of the date of delivery/completion resulting extension of defect liability period/guarantee period of the supplier/contractor fails to perform the supply/work fully, the bank hereby agrees to further extend this guarantee at the instance of the supplier/contractor till such time as may be determined by BCPL. If any further extension of this guarantee is required, the same shall be extended to such required period on receiving instruction from M/s. _____ (contractor) on whose behalf this guarantee is issued.

6. Bank also agrees that BCPL at its option shall be entitled to enforce this Guarantee against the bank (as principal debtor) in the first instant, without proceeding against the supplier/contractor and notwithstanding any security or other guarantee that BCPL may have in relation to the supplier's/contractor's liabilities.

7. The amount under the Bank Guarantee is payable forthwith without any delay by Bank upon the written demand raised by BCPL. Any dispute arising out of or in relation to the said Bank Guarantee shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of courts at Dibrugarh.

8. Therefore, we hereby affirm that we are guarantors and responsible to you on behalf of the Supplier/Contractor up to a total amount of _____(amount of guarantees in words and figures) and we undertake to pay you, upon your first written demand declaring the Supplier/Contractor to be in default under the order/contract and without caveat or argument,

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any sum or sums within the limits of (amounts of guarantee) as aforesaid, without your needing to prove or show grounds or reasons for your demand or the sum specified therein.

9. We have power to issue this guarantee in your favor under Memorandum and Articles of Association and the undersigned has full power to do under the Power of Attorney, dated _____ granted to him by the Bank.

10. Notwithstanding anything contained herein:

a) The Bank's liability under this Guarantee shall not exceed (currency in figures) . . . . . (currency in words only) . . . . .

b) This Guarantee shall remain in force upto _____ (this date should be expiry date of defect liability period of the Contract) and any extension(s) thereof; and

c) The Bank shall be released and discharged from all liability under this Guarantee unless a written claim or demand is issued to the Bank on or before the midnight of …….(indicate date of expiry of claim period which includes minimum three months from the expiry of this Bank Guarantee) and if extended, the date of expiry of the last extension of this Guarantee. If a claim has been received by us within the said date, all the rights of BCPL under this Guarantee shall be valid and shall not cease until we have satisfied that claim.

Details of next Higher Authority of the Officials who have issued the Bank Guarantee:

Name …….
Designation ……..

Yours faithfully,

_____
Bank by its Constituted Attorney

Signature of a person duly
Authorized to sign on behalf of the Bank

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FURNISHING
"CONTRACT PERFORMANCE SECURITY / SECURITY DEPOSIT" BY "BANK GUARANTEE"

1. The Bank Guarantee by successful Bidder(s) will be given on non-judicial stamp paper as per 'stamp duty' applicable. The non-judicial stamp paper should be in name of the issuing bank.

2. The Bank Guarantee by Bidders will be given from bank as specified in cl.no. 38.2 of ITB [Section-III] of Tender Document.

3. A letter from the issuing bank of the requisite Bank Guarantee confirming that said Bank Guarantee and all future communication relating to the Bank Guarantee shall be forwarded to Purchaser.

4. If a Bank Guarantee is issued by a commercial bank, then a letter to Purchaser and copy to Consultant (if applicable) confirming its net worth is more than Rs. 100,00,00,000.00 [Rupees

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One Hundred Crores] or its equivalent in foreign currency alongwith documentary evidence or in the Bank Gaurantee itself.

5. Supplier shall submit attached cover letter (Annexure) while submitting Contract Performance Security / Security Deposit.

MATTER TO BE MENTIONED IN COVERING LETTER TO BE SUBMITTED BY VENDOR ALONG WITH BANK GUARANTEE

1	**BANK GUARANTEE NO**	**:**				
2	**VENDOR NAME / VENDOR CODE**	**:**	**NAME**			
			VENDOR CODE			
3	**BANK GUARANTEE AMOUNT**	**:**				
4	**PURCHASE ORDER/ LOA NO**	**:**				
5	**NATURE OF BANK GUARANTEE**	**:**				
	(Please Tick (√) Whichever is Applicable		**PERFORMANCE BANK GUARANTEE**	**SECURITY DEPOSIT**	**EMD**	**ADVANCE**
6	**BG ISSUED BANK DETAILS**					
		(A)	**EMAIL ID :**			
		(B)	**ADDRESS :**			
		(C)	**PHONE NO :**			

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AGREED TERMS & CONDITIONS

To,

M/s Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd.

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SUB: **PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR .**

TENDER NO: GEM/2026/B/8268522

This Format duly filled in, signed & stamped must form part of Bidder's Bid and must be submitted in Part –I (Un-priced Bid). Clauses confirmed hereunder need not be repeated in the Bid.

Sl.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
1.	Bidder's name, Vendor Code of BCPL (if any) and address	Bidder's name : BCPL's Vendor Code: Address:
2.	Bidder furnishes EMD/Bid Security details as under a) EMD/ Bid Security No. & date b) Value c) Validity d) Bank Address/e-mail ID/Mobile no. [in case of BG] **OR** e) Bidder furnishes bid security declaration [applicable for bidders to whom exemption is allowed as per cl.no.16.9 of Section-III].	
3.	Bidder confirms that the currency of quoted prices is in Indian Rupees.	
4.	Bidder confirms that quoted prices will remain firm and fixed (except where price escalation/variation is allowed in the Tender) till complete execution of the order.	
5.	Bidder confirms that quoted prices are strictly as per Price Schedule format of the GeM.	
6.	Bidder specify the Dispatch Point [Location, Dist. & State from where material will be dispatched]:	
7.	Bidder confirms acceptance of relevant Terms of Payment specified in the Bid Document.	
8.	Bidder confirms that Contract Performance Security/ Security Deposit (CPS) will be furnished as per Bid Document within 30 days of FOA in case of successful bidder.	
9.	Bidder confirms that CPS shall be from any Indian scheduled bank or a branch of an International bank situated in India and registered with Reserve bank of India as scheduled foreign bank.	

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Sl.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
	However, in case of bank guarantees from banks other than the Nationalised Indian banks, the bank must be a commercial bank having net worth in excess of Rs 100 crores and a declaration to this effect shall be made by such commercial bank either in the Bank Guarantee itself or separately on its letterhead.	
10.	Bidder confirms acceptance to Delivery/Completion Period as per Bid Document.	
11.	(i) Bidder confirms acceptance of Price Reduction Schedule (PRS) for delay in delivery as specified in Bid Document. (ii) In case of delay, the bills shall be submitted after reducing the price reduction due to delay (refer PRS Clause).	
12.	a) Bidder confirms acceptance of all terms and conditions of Bid Document (all sections & enclosures). b) Bidder confirms that printed terms and conditions of Bidder are not applicable.	
13.	Bidder confirms that their offer is valid for period specified in BDS from the final 'Bid Due Date'.	
14.	Bidder confirms that (i) none of Directors (in Board of Director) of bidder is a relative of any Director (in Board of Director) of BCPL or (ii) the bidder is not a firm in which any Director (in Board of Director) of BCPL or their relative is a partner.	
15.	Bidder confirms that all correspondence must be in ENGLISH language only.	
16.	Bidder confirms that all Bank charges associated with Bidder's Bank regarding release of payment etc. shall be borne by Bidder.	
17.	Bidder confirms that the quoted prices is in compliance with the Section 171 of CGST Act/ SGST Act as mentioned as clause no. 13.10 of ITB (Anti-profiteering clause)	
18.	Bidder confirms that they have included GST (CGST & SGST/ UTGST or IGS) in Price Schedule of GeM.	
19.	Bidder confirms that they have included GST (CGST & SGST/ UTGST or IGST) in Price Schedule of GeM.	
20.	Whether in the instant tender items are covered in reverse charge rule of GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST). If yes, Bidder confirms that they have quoted GST (CGST & SGST/ UTGST or IGST) in Price Schedule / Schedule of Rates of GeM	Yes/ No
21.	Bidder confirms that they have mentioned Harmonized System Nomenclature (HSN) in Price Schedule of Price Bid.	

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Sl.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
22.	Bidder confirms that (i) any variation in GST at the time of supplies for any reasons, other than statutory, including variations due to turnover, shall be borne by them and (ii) any error of interpretation of applicability of rate of GST (CGST & SGST/ UTGST or IGST) on components of an item and/or various items of tender by them shall be to bidder's account.	
23.	Whether bidder is liable to raise E-Invoice as per GST Act.	Yes/No
	If yes, bidder will raise E-Invoice and confirm compliance to provision of tender in this regard.	
24.	**Part Order:** (a) Bidder confirms acceptance to Part Order. (b) Bidder confirms that any charges quoted extra as lumpsum shall be applicable prorata on value basis in the event of part order.	
25.	**Testing and Inspection charges:** Bidder confirms that goods and services are subject to stage-wise and final Inspection by Owner / Owner's Authorized representative. Travel, Living and Personnel expenses of Owner / Authorized representative shall be borne by Owner / authorized representative.	*Not Applicable*
26.	<u>No Deviation Confirmation</u>: It may be note that any 'deviation / exception' in any form may result in rejection of Bid. Therefore, Bidder confirms that they have not taken any 'exception / deviation' anywhere in the Bid. In case any 'deviation / exception' is mentioned or noticed, Bidder's Bid may be rejected.	
27.	If the Bidder becomes a successful Bidder pursuant to the provisions of the Tender Document, the following Confirmation shall be automatically become enforceable: "Bidder agrees and acknowledges that the Employer is entering into the Contract/Agreement solely on its own behalf and not on behalf of any other person or entity. In particular, it is expressly understood & agreed that the Government of India is not a party to the Contract/Agreement and has no liabilities, obligations or rights thereunder. It is expressly understood and agreed that the Purchaser is authorized to enter into Contract/Agreement, solely on its own behalf under the applicable laws of India. Bidder expressly agrees, acknowledges and understands that the Purchaser is not an agent, representative or delegate of the Government of India. It is further understood and agreed that the Government of India is not and shall not be liable for any acts,	

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Sl.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
	omissions, commissions, breaches or other wrongs arising out of the Agreement. Accordingly, Bidder hereby expressly waives, releases and foregoes any and all actions or claims, including cross claims, VIP claims or counter claims against the Government of India arising out of the Agreement and covenants not to sue to Government of India as to any manner, claim, cause of action or things whatsoever arising of or under the Agreement."	
28.	Bidder hereby confirms that they are not on 'Holiday' by BCPL/GAIL or Public Sector Project Management Consultant (like EIL, Mecon only due to "poor performance" or "corrupt and fraudulent practices") or banned by Government department/ Public Sector on due date of submission of bid. Further, Bidder confirms that neither they nor their allied agency/(ies) (as defined in the Procedure for Action in case of Corrupt/ Fraudulent/ Collusive/ Coercive Practices) are on banning list of BCPL/GAIL or the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas.	
29.	The contents of this Tender Document have not been modified or altered by Bidder. In case, it is found that the tender document has been modified / altered by the bidder, the bid submitted by them shall be liable for rejection.	
30.	Bidder confirms that they have read and understood the General Conditions of Contract – Goods enclosed at Section-IV & no 'exception / deviation' anywhere has been taken in the same and that they shall abide by provisions of relevant GCC-Goods.	
31.	Bidder certifies that they ~~would adhere to the Fraud Prevention Policy of BCPL [available on BCPL's website (https://www.bcplonline.co.in/UploadFiles/PROCEDUREFORACTION.pdf)] and~~ shall not indulge themselves or allow others (working in BCPL) to indulge in fraudulent activities and that they would immediately apprise BCPL of the fraud/suspected fraud as soon as it comes to their notice. Concealment of facts regarding their involvement in fraudulent activities in connection with the business transaction(s) of BCPL is liable to be treated as crime and dealt with by the procedures of BCPL as applicable from time to time.	
32.	Bidders confirm to submit signed copy of Integrity Pact (wherever included in tender).	

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Sl.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
	If Bidder is a partnership concern or a consortium, this agreement must be signed by all partners or consortium members.	
33.	Bidder confirms that there is no conflict of interest with other bidders, as per clause no. 4.2 of Section-III (ITB) of Tender Document.	
34.	In case of any variance in the terms and conditions between GeM Contract and SAP PO/LOA, the terms and conditions of SAP PO/LOA shall prevail.	
35.	Bidder confirms that as specified in tender that evaluation bids will be based on the confirmations & documents submitted by bidders in the their bid and methodology specified in Section II of tender document irrespective of the status/evaluation on GeM portal and BCPL's decision in this regard shall be final.	
36.	As per GEM policy/guidelines, MSE bidders have to update their status in their Profile and declare whether they are participating as MSE on GeM Portal (including updating their status in Profile) while submitting the bid on GeM tender. Further, MSE are required to upload relevant documents in bid as per provision of tender. However, evaluation and applicability of EMD exemption and purchase preference policy will be based on the confirmations & documents submitted by the bidder in the their bid irrespective of selection/option made on GeM portal. (**Applicable only for MSE Bidders)**.	
37.	Confirm that, in case of contradiction between the confirmations provided in this format and terms & conditions mentioned elsewhere in the offer, the confirmations given in this format shall prevail.	

Place:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT CUM CONSENT LETTER

(On receipt of Tender Document/information regarding the tender, Bidder shall acknowledge the receipt and confirm his intention to bid or reason for non-participation against the enquiry /tender through e-mail/fax to Purchase Officer in BCPL who issued the Tender Document, by filling up the Format)

To,
M/s Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd.

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SUB: **PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR ..**

TENDER NO: GEM/2026/B/8268522

Dear Sir,

We hereby acknowledge receipt of a complete set of Tender Document along with enclosures for subject item/job and/or the information regarding the subject tender.

- We intend to bid as requested for the subject item/job and furnish following details with respect to our quoting office:
  Postal Address with Pin Code: .....
  Telephone Number : .....
  Fax Number : .....
  Contact Person : .....
  E-mail Address : .....
  Mobile No. : .....
  Date : .....
  Seal/Stamp : .....

- We are unable to bid for the reason given below:
  Reasons for non-submission of bid:

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Agency's Name : .....
Signature : .....
Name : .....
Designation : .....
Date : .....
Seal/Stamp : .....

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BIDDER'S EXPERIENCE

To,

M/s Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd.

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SUB: **PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR .**

TENDER NO: GEM/2026/B/8268522

Sl. No	Descri-ption of the Supply/ Services	PO/ Contr-act No. and date	Full Postal Address & phone nos. of Client.	Value of Contract/ Order (*Specify* Currency Amount)	Date of Commence ment	Scheduled Completion/ Delivery Period (Months)	Date of Actual Compl-etion	Reasons for delay in execu-tion, if any
(1)	(2)	(3)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)

Place:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:

Note:
Only documents (Work Order, Completion certificate, Execution Certificate etc.) which have been referred/ specified in the bid shall be considered in reply to queries during evaluation of Bids. Any new document submitted against representation option provided on GeM portal shall also be not considered for re-valuation of bid.

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CHECK LIST

Bidders are requested to duly fill in the checklist. This checklist gives only certain important items to facilitate the Bidder to make sure that the necessary data/information as called for in the Tender Document has been submitted by them along with their offer/Bid. This, however, does not relieve the Bidder of his responsibilities to make sure that his Bid is otherwise complete in all respects. Please ensure compliance and tick (√) against following points:

S. No.	DESCRIPTION	CHECK BOX	REFERENCE PAGE NO. OF THE BID SUBMITTED
1.0	Confirm that the following details have been submitted in the Un-priced part of the Bid		
i	Covering Letter, Letter of Submission		
ii	Earnest Money Deposit / Declaration for Bid Security		
iii	Duly signed/Digitally signed Tender Document along with drawings and addendum (if any)		
iv	Power of Attorney in the name of person signing the bid.		
v	Confirm submission of documents alongwith unpriced bid as per tender requirement (including cl.no.11.1.1 of Section-III).		
2.0	Confirm that all forms duly filled in are enclosed with the bid duly signed by authorised person(s)		
3.0	Confirm that the price part as per Price Schedule format uploaded in GeM Portal.		
4.0	~~Confirm that Undertaking as per Form 1 of Annexure-V to Section-III has been submitted (applicable for MSE and Class I Local supplier).~~		
5.0	Confirm that Undertaking as per *Form-2 to Annexure-V to Section-III* and Certification from the statutory auditor or cost auditor of the company (in the case of companies) or from a practicing cost accountant or practicing chartered accountant (in respect of other than companies) as per *Form-3 to Annexure-V to Section-III* are submitted. (Applicable for all bidders including		

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	MSEs bidders).		
6.0	Confirm that Undertaking as per Form-1 to Section-II have been submitted by the bidder (Guidelines from Procurement from a Country sharing a Land Border with India)		
7.0	Confirm submission of Checklist against Bid Evaluation Criteria as per format F-8(B)		
8.0	Confirm submission of Integrity Pact as per format F-13 (if applicable)		

Place:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:

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CHECKLIST FOR BID EVALUATION CRITERIA (BEC) QUALIFYING DOCUMENTS
(refer Section II of Tender document)

BEC Clause No.	Description	Documents required for qualification	Documents Submitted by Bidder	Documents attested as per Section-II of Tender	Reference Page No. of the Bid submitted
	Technical BEC				
1.	**Experience**	***Ref. Section-II***		Yes/No	
2.	**Job executed for Subsidiary / Fellow subsidiary/ Holding company.**	Tax paid invoice(s) duly certified by statutory auditor of the bidder towards payment of statutory tax in support of the job executed for Subsidiary / Fellow subsidiary/ Holding company.		Yes/No	

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3.	**Any other technical criteria in BEC**	***Refer Section-II***		Yes/No	
4.	**Experience of bidder acquired as a subcontractor**	***Refer Section-II***			
	Financial BEC				
1.	**Average Annual Turn Over**	Audited Financial Statements [including Auditor's Report, Balance sheet, Profit & Loss Accounts statements, Notes & schedules etc.] for preceding three Audited Financial Years.	Submitted (*Mention specific year*……)	Yes/No	

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2.	**Net Worth**	Audited Financial Statements [including Auditor's Report, Balance sheet, Profit & Loss Accounts statements, Notes & schedules etc.] for last Audited Financial Year.	Submitted (M*ention specific year* ……)	Yes/No	
3.	**Working Capital**	Audited Financial Statements [including Auditor's Report, Balance sheet, Profit & Loss Accounts statements, Notes & schedules etc.] for last Audited Financial Year. If the bidder's working capital is negative or inadequate, the bidder shall submit a letter (in prescribed format) from their bank having net worth not less than Rs.100 Crores, confirming the availability of line of credit for at least working capital requirement as stated above.	Submitted (*Mention specific year*……) Submitted/ Not Applicable *(Bidder to tick appropriate option)*	Yes/No	
4.	**Format for Details of financial capability of Bidder**	Bidder shall submit "Details of financial capability of Bidder" in prescribed format duly signed and stamped by a chartered accountant / Certified Public Accountant (CPA).	Submitted		

Place:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:

Bidder's sign

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FORMAT FOR CERTIFICATE FROM BANK
IF BIDDER'S WORKING CAPITAL IS INADEQUATE/NEGATIVE

(To be provided on Bank's letter head)

Date:

To,

M/s. Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd.

Dear Sir,

This is to certify that M/s …….. (name of the Bidder with address) (hereinafter referred to as Customer) is an existing Customer of our Bank.

The Customer has informed that they wish to bid for Gem Tender No. **GEM/2026/B/8268522** dated 28.09.2026 for PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR and as per the terms of the said Tender Document they have to furnish a certificate from their Bank confirming the availability of line of credit.

Accordingly M/s …….. (name of the Bank with address) confirms availability of line of credit to M/s …….. (name of the Bidder) for at least an amount of Rs. _____

It is also confirmed that the net worth of the Bank is more than Rs. 100 Crores (or Equivalent USD) and the undersigned is authorized to issue this certificate.

Yours truly

for …… (Name & address of Bank)

(Authorized signatory)
Name of the signatory :
Designation :
Email Id :
Contact No. :
Stamp

Note:

- This Declaration Letter for line of credit shall be from single bank only. Letters from multiple banks shall not be applicable. However, banking syndicate will be acceptable wherein a group of banks can jointly provide line of credit to the bidder.
- This document to be uploaded alongwith the bid and submitted in original to BCPL within 7 days from the bid due date.

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Bidder's sign

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FORMAT FOR CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT CERTIFICATE/ CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT (CPA) FOR FINANCIAL CAPABILITY OF THE BIDDER

We have verified the Audited Financial Statements and other relevant records of M/s…… (Name of the bidder) and certify the following:

A. AVERAGE ANNUAL FINANCIAL TURNOVER* DURING THE LAST THREE FINANCIAL YEARS:

Year	Amount (Currency)
Year 1:	
Year 2:	
Year 3:	
Total (A)	
Average Annual Financial Turnover during the last three financial years (A/3)	

B. NETWORTH* AS PER LAST AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

Description	**Year _____**
	Amount (Currency)
1. Net Worth	

C. WORKING CAPITAL* AS PER LAST AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENT::

Description	**Year _____**
	Amount (Currency)
1. Current Assets	
2. Current Liabilities	
3. Working Capital (Current Assets-Current liabilities)	

Refer Instructions on page 2 of 2

Note:

1.0 **It is further certified that the above mentioned applicable figures are matching with the returns filed with Registrar of Companies (ROC) [Applicable only in case of Indian Companies]**

2.0 **We confirm that above figures are after referring instructions at page 2 of 2 of F-10.**

3.0 **Practicing Chartered Accountants shall generate Unique Document Identification Number (UDIN) for all certificates issued by them**

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Bidder's sign

Name of Audit Firm:
Chartered Accountant/CPA
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:
Membership No.:
UDIN:

Instructions for Format F-10:

1. The financial year would be the same as one normally followed by the bidder for its Annual Report.

2. The bidder shall provide the audited annual financial statements as required for this Tender document. Failure to do so would result in the Proposal being considered as non- responsive.

3. For the purpose of this Tender document:

   (i) **Annual Turnover** shall be "Revenue from Operations" as per Profit & Loss account of audited annual financial statements. In case the date of constitution/incorporation of the bidder is less than 3 years old, the average turnover in respect of the completed financial years after the date of constitution/ incorporation shall be taken into account for minimum Average Annual Financial Turnover criteria

   (ii) **Working Capital** shall be "Current Assets less Current liabilities" and

   (iii) **Net Worth** shall be Aggregate value of the paid-up share capital and all reserves created out of the profits and securities premium account, after deducting the aggregate value of the accumulated losses, deferred expenditure and miscellaneous expenditure not written off, if any, but does not include reserves created out of revaluation of assets, writeback of depreciation and amalgamation..

4. **Above figures shall be calculated after considering the qualification, if any, made by the statutory auditor on the audited financial statements of the bidder including quantified financial implication.**

5. This certificate is to be submitted on the letter head of Chartered Accountant/CPA.

Bidder's sign

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BIDDER'S QUERIES FOR PRE BID MEETING

To,
M/s Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd.
Sub : **PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR**
Tender No : GEM/2026/B/8268522

SL. NO.	REFERENCE OF TENDER DOCUMENT				BIDDER'S QUERY	BCPL'S REPLY
	SEC. NO.	Page No.	Clause No.	Subject		

NOTE: The Pre-Bid Queries may be sent by fax / e-mail before due date for receipt of Bidder's queries in terms of Clause No. 8.1 of ITB.

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVE OF BIDDER: _____
NAME OF BIDDER : _____

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Bidder's sign

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E-Banking Mandate Form

(APPLICABLE ONLY IN CASE BIDDER'S BANK ACCOUNT IS NOT MAPPED IN BCPL)

(To be issued on vendors letter head)

1. Vendor/customer Name :
2. Vendor/customer Code:
3. Vendor /customer Address:
4. Vendor/customer e-mail id:
5. Particulars of bank account
   a) Name of Bank
   b) Name of branch
   c) Branch code:
   d) Address:
   e) Telephone number:
   f) Type of account (Current/Savings/Overdraft/CC account etc.)
   g) Account Number:
   h) RTGS IFSC code of the bank branch
   i) NEFT IFSC code of the bank branch
   j) 9 digit MICR code

I/We hereby authorize Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. to release any amount due to me/us in the bank account as mentioned above. I/We hereby declare that the particulars given above are correct and complete. If the transaction is delayed or lost because of incomplete or incorrect information, we would not hold the Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. responsible.

(Signature of vendor/customer)

BANK CERTIFICATE

We certify that ---------- has an Account no. ---------- with us and we confirm that the details given above are correct as per our records.
Bank stamp

Date

(Signature of authorized officer of bank)
Name:
Designation:
Emp. ID:

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Bidder's sign

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INTEGRITY PACT

INTEGRITY PACT

INTRODUCTION:

BCPL as one of its endeavour to maintain and foster most ethical and corruption free business environment, have decided to adopt the Integrity Pact, a tool developed by the Transparency International, to ensure that all activities and transactions between the Company (BCPL) and its Counterparties (Bidders, Contractors, Vendors, Suppliers, Service Providers/Consultants etc.) are handled in a fair and transparent manner, completely free of corruption.

Considering the above, the details mentioned at attached Annexure-1 are applicable as stated in Instruction to Bidders of Bid Document in addition to the existing stipulation regarding Corrupt and Fraudulent Practices.

The attached copy of the Integrity Pact at Annexure- 2 shall be included in the Bid submitted by the bidder (to be executed by the bidder for all tenders of value Rs. 1 (One) crore and above). In case a bidder does not sign the Integrity Pact, his bid shall be liable for rejection.

For and on behalf of BCPL
for Integrity Pact

Arunjyoti Dutta
Chief Manager (C & P)
BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED
DIBRUGARH-786006 (ASSAM)

Bidder's sign

ANNEXURE-1

Bidder is required to sign the Integrity Pact with BCPL as per format & terms and conditions enclosed with tender. In case a bidder does not sign the Integrity Pact, his bid shall be liable for rejection.

I COMMITMENTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF THE "COUNTERPARTY"

a) The Counterparty, directly or indirectly (through agent, consultant, advisor, etc.), shall not pay any bribe/ influence or give undue/ unlawful benefit to anyone to gain undue advantage in dealing with BCPL.

b) The Counterparty will not engage in collusion of any kind including price fixation etc. with other Counterparts.

c) The counterparty will not pass BCPL's confidential information to any third party unless specifically authorized by BCPL in writing.

d) The Counterparties shall promote and observe best ethical practices within their respective organizations.

e) The Counterparty shall inform the Independent External Monitor.
   i) If it received any demand, directly or indirectly, for a bribe/ favour or any illegal gratification/ payment / benefit.
   ii) If it comes to know of any unethical or illegal payment / benefit.
   iii) If it makes any payment to any BCPL associate.

f) The Counterparty shall not make any false or misleading allegations against BCPL or its associates.

II VIOLATIONS & CONSEQUENCES:

a) If a Counterparty commits a violation of its Commitments and Obligations under the Integrity Pact Programme during bidding process, their entire Earnest Money Deposit/ Bid Security, would be forfeited and in addition, action shall be taken as per **"Procedure for action in case Corrupt /Fraudulent/ Collusive/Coercive Practices"**

b) In case of violation of the Integrity pact by Counterparty after award of the Contract, BCPL shall be entitled to terminate the Contract. Further, BCPL would forfeit the security deposits/ Contract Performance Bank Guarantee and in addition, action shall be taken as per **"Procedure for action in case Corrupt /Fraudulent/ Collusive/Coercive Practices"**

For and on behalf of BCPL
for Integrity Pact

Arunjyoti Dutta
Chief Manager (C & P)
BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED
DIBRUGARH-786006 (ASSAM)

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INDEPENDENT EXTRNAL MONITORS (IEMS)

Presently the panel consisting of the following Independent External Monitors (IEMs) has been appointed by BCPL, in terms of Integrity Pact (IP) which forms part of BCPL Tenders / Contracts.

i) Sh. Rajendra Prasad Sharma [email: drsharmarp5@gmail.com]
ii) Sh. Bam Bahadur Singh [email: bbsinghbeml@gmail.com]

This panel is authorized to examine / consider all references made to it under this tender/ contract. The bidder(s) , in case of any dispute(s) / complaint(s) pertaining to this tender may raise the issue either with the designated tender/contract issuing officer or Nodal Officer (presently Sh. Arunjyoti Dutta, CM (C&P)- Email ajdutta@bcplindia.co.in) in BCPL or directly with the IEMs on the panel or IEM c/o Chief Vigilance Officer, GAIL (India) Limited, GAIL Bhawan, 16, Bhikaiji Cama Place, R.K. Puram, New Delhi – 110066.

For and on behalf of BCPL
for Integrity Pact

Arunjyoti Dutta
Chief Manager (C & P)
BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED
DIBRUGARH-786006 (ASSAM)

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INTEGRITY PACT

(To be executed on plain paper)

Between Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd., a Government of India Public Sector, (here-in-after referred to as "Principal").

AND

_____(here-in-after referred to as "The Bidder/ Contractor").

(Principal and the Bidder / Contractor are here-in-after are referred to individually as "Party" or collectively as "Parties").

PREAMBLE

The Principal intends to award under laid down organizational procedures, contract/s for_____. The Principal values full compliance with all relevant laws of land rules, regulations, and economic use of resources and of fairness /transparency in its relations with its Bidder (s) and/or Contractor (s).

In order to achieve these goals, the Principal will appoint Independent External Monitors (IEMs) who will monitor the tender process and the execution of the contract for compliance with the principles mentioned above.

Section 1 – Commitments of the Principal

1. The Principal commits itself to take all measures necessary to prevent corruption and to observe the following Principles:-

i) No employee of the Principal, personally or through family members, will in connection with the tender for, or the execution of a contract, demand, take a promise for or accept, for self or for a third person, any material or immaterial benefit which the person is not legally entitled to.

ii) The Principal will, during the tender process treat all Bidder(s) with equity and reasons. The Principal will in particular, before and during the tender process, provide to all Bidder (s) the same information and will not provide to any Bidder (s) confidential / additional information through which the Bidder (s) could obtain an advantage in relation to the tender process or the contract execution.

iii) The Principal will exclude from the process all known prejudiced persons.

For and on behalf of BCPL
for Integrity Pact

Arunjyoti Dutta
Chief Manager (C & P)
BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED
DIBRUGARH-786006 (ASSAM)

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2. If the Principal obtains information on the conduct of any of its employees which is a criminal offence under the Indian Penal Code (IPC)/ Prevention of Corruption Act (PC Act), or if there be a substantive suspicion in this regard, the Principal will inform the Chief Vigilance Officers and in addition can initiate disciplinary actions.

Section 2 – Commitments of the Bidder (s)/Contractor (s)

1. The Bidder (s) / Contractor (s) commits themselves to take all measures necessary to prevent corruption. The Bidder (s)/ Contractor (s) commits themselves to observe the following principles during participation in the tender process and during the contract execution:

i) The Bidder (s) / Contractor (s) will not, directly or through any other person or firm, offer, promise or give to any of the Principal's employees involved in the tender process or the execution of the contract or to any third person any material or other benefit which he / she is not legally entitled to, in order to obtain in exchange any advantage of any kind whatsoever during the tender process or during the execution of the contract.

ii) The Bidder (s) / Contractor (s) will not enter with other Bidders into any undisclosed agreement or understanding, whether formal or informal. This applies in particular to prices, specifications, certifications, subsidiary contracts, submission or non-submission of bids or any other action to restrict competitiveness or to introduce cartelization in the bidding process.

iii) The Bidder (s) / Contractor (s) will not commit any offence under the relevant IPC/PC Act; further, the Bidder (s) / Contractor (s) will not use improperly, for purposes of competition or personal gain, or pass on to others, any information or document provided by the Principal as part of the business relationship, regarding plans, technical proposals and business details, including information contained or transmitted electronically.

iv) The Bidder (s)/ Contractor (s) of foreign origin shall disclose the name and address of the Agents/ representatives in India, if any. Similarly, the Bidder (s)/ Contractor (s) of Indian Nationality shall furnish the name and address of the foreign principals, if any. Further, all the payments made to the Indian agent/ representative have to be in India Rupees only.

v) The Bidder (s) / Contractor (s) will, when presenting their bid, disclose any and all payments made, is committed to or intends to make to agents, brokers or any other intermediaries in connection with the award of the contract.

vi) Bidder(s) / Contractor(s) who have signed the Integrity Pact shall not approach the Courts while representing the matter to IEMs and shall wait for their decision in the matter.

2. The Bidder(s)/ Contractor(s) shall not instigate third person to commit offences outlined above or be an accessory to such offences.

For and on behalf of BCPL
for Integrity Pact
Arunjyoti Dutta
Chief Manager (C & P)
BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED
DIBRUGARH-786184 (ASSAM)

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Section 3 – Disqualification from tender process and exclusion from future contracts

If the Bidder (s) / Contractor (s), before award or during execution has committed a transgression through a violation of Section 2, above or in any other form such as to put their reliability or credibility in question, the Principal is entitled to disqualify the Bidder (s) / Contractor (s) from the tender process or take action as per provisions of **"Procedure for action in case Corrupt /Fraudulent/ Collusive/Coercive Practices"**.

Section 4 – Compensation for Damages

1. If the Principal has disqualified the Bidder (s) from the tender process prior to the award according to Section 3, the Principal is entitled to demand and recover the damages equivalent to Earnest Money Deposit / Bid Security.

2. If the Principal has terminated the contract according to Section 3, or if the Principal is entitled to terminate the contract according to Section 3, the Principal shall be entitled to demand and recover from the Contractor liquidated damages equal to the Contract Value or the amount equivalent to Performance Bank Guarantee.

Section 5 – Previous transgression

1. The Bidder declares that no previous transgression occurred in the last three years, with any other Company in any country conforming to the anti-corruption approach or with any Public Sector Enterprise in India that could justify his exclusion from the tender process.

2. If the Bidder makes incorrect statement on this subject, he can be disqualified from the tender process or actions can be taken as per provisions of **"Procedure for action in case Corrupt /Fraudulent/ Collusive/Coercive Practices"**

Section 6 – Equal treatment to all Bidders / Contractors / Subcontractors

1. In case of a joint venture, all the partners of the joint venture should sign the Integrity Pact. In case of sub-contracting, the Principal contractor shall be solely responsible for the adherence to the provisions of IP by the sub-contractor(s).

2. The Principal will enter into agreements with identical conditions as this one with all Bidders and Contractors.

3. The Principal will disqualify from the tender process all bidders who do not sign this Pact or violate its provisions.

For and on behalf of BCPL
for Integrity Pact

Anunjyoti Dutta
Chief Manager (C & P)
BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED
DIBRUGARH-786004 (ASSAM)

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Section 7 – Criminal charges against violating Bidder (s) / Contractor (s) / Sub-contractor (s)

If the Principal obtains knowledge of conduct of a Bidder, Contractor or Subcontractor, or of an employee or a representative or an associate of a Bidder, Contractor or Subcontractor which constitutes corruption, or if the Principal has substantive suspicion in this regard, the Principal will inform the same to the Chief Vigilance Officer.

Section 8 –Independent External Monitor / Monitors

1. The Principal appoints competent and credible Independent External Monitor for this Pact after approval by Central Vigilance Commission. The task of the Monitor is to review independently and objectively, whether and to what extent the parties comply with the obligations under this agreement.

2. The Monitor is not subject to instructions by the representatives of the parties and performs his/her functions neutrally and independently. The Monitor would have access to all documents/records pertaining to the contract for which a complaint or issue is raised before them, as and when warranted. However, the documents/records/information having National Security implications and those documents which have been classified as Secret/Top Secret are not to be disclosed. It will be obligatory for him/ her to treat the information and documents of the Bidders/ Contractors as confidential. He/she reports to the MD, BCPL.

4. The Bidder (s)/ Contractor (s) accepts that the Monitor has the right to access without restriction to all Project documentation of the Principal including that provided by the Contractor. The Contractor will also grant the Monitor, upon his/her request and demonstration of a valid interest, unrestricted and unconditional access to their project documentation. The same is applicable to Sub-contractors.

5. The Principal will provide to the Monitor sufficient information about all meetings among the parties related to the Project provided such meetings could have an impact on the contractual relations between the Principal and the Contractor. The parties offer to the Monitor the option to participate in such meetings.

6. As soon as the Monitor notices, or believes to notice, a violation of this agreement, he/she will so inform the Management of the Principal and request the Management to discontinue or to take corrective action, or to take other relevant action. The monitor can in this regard submit non-binding recommendations. Beyond this, the Monitor has no right to demand from the parties that they act in a specific manner, refrain from action or tolerate action.

7. The Monitor will submit a written report to the MD, BCPL within 30 days from the date of reference or intimation to him by the 'Principal' and, should the occasion arise, submit proposals for correcting problematic situations.

For and on behalf of BCPL
for Integrity Pact

Arunjyoti Dutta
Chief Manager (C. & P)
BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED
DIBRUGARH-786184 (ASSAM)

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8. If the Monitor has reported to the MD, BCPL, a substantiated suspicion of an offence under relevant IPC/PC Act, and the MD, BCPL has not, within reasonable time, taken visible action to proceed against such offence or reported it to the Chief Vigilance Officer, then only in case of very serious issue having a specific, verifiable Vigilance angle, the matter should be reported directly to the Central Vigilance Commission.

9. The word 'Monitor' would include both singular and plural.

10. In case of any complaints referred under IP Program, the role of IEMs is advisory and would not be legally binding and it is restricted to resolving the issues raised by an intending bidder regarding any aspect of the tender which allegedly restricts competition or bias towards some bidder.

11. After award of contract, the IEMs shall look into any issue relating to execution of contract, if specifically raised before them. As an illustrative example, if a contractor who has been awarded the contract, during the execution of contract, raises issue of delayed payment etc. before the IEMs, the same shall be examined by the panel of IEMs.

Section 9 – Pact Duration

This Pact begins when both parties have legally signed it. It expires for the Contractor 12 months after the last payment under the respective contract, and for all other Bidders 6 months after the contract has been awarded. Any violation to the same would entail disqualification of the bidders and exclusion from future business dealing.

If any claim is made / lodged during this time, the same shall be binding and continue to be valid despite the lapse of this pact as specified above, unless it is discharged/determined by the MD, BCPL.

Section 10 – Miscellaneous provisions

1. This agreement is subject to Indian Law. Place of performance and exclusive jurisdiction is the Registered Office of the Principal, i.e. Guwahati.

2. Changes and supplements as well as termination notices, if any, need to be made in writing. Side agreements have not been made.

3. If the Contractor / Bidder is a Joint Venture or a partnership concern or a consortium, this agreement must be signed by all partners or consortium members.

4. Should one or several of the provisions of this agreement turn out to be invalid, the remainder of this agreement shall remain valid. In this case, the parties will strive to come to an agreement to their original intentions in such a case.

For and on behalf of BCPL
for Integrity Pact

Arunjyoti Dutta
Chief Manager (C & P)
BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED
DIBRUGARH-786008 (ASSAM)

5. Issues like warranty / guarantee, etc. shall be outside the purview of IEMs.

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6. In the event of any contradiction between the Integrity Pact and its Annexure, the Clause in Integrity Pact will prevail.

For and on behalf of BCPL
for Integrity Pact

Arunjyoti Dutta
Chief Manager (C & P)
BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED
DIBRUGARH-786006 (ASSAM)

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(For & on Behalf of Principal) **(For & on Behalf of Bidder / Contractor)**

(Office Seal) **(Office Seal)**

Place ----------
Date ----------

Witness 1:
(Name & Address) ……
……
……

Witness 2:
(Name & Address) ……
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……

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

SL.NO.	QUESTION	ANSWER
1.0	Can any vendor quote for subject Tender?	Yes. A Vendor has to meet Bid Evaluation Criteria given under Section II of Tender document in addition to other requirements.
2.0	Should the Bid Evaluation Criteria documents be attested?	Yes. Please refer Section II of Tender document
3.0	Is attending Pre Bid Meeting mandatory.	No. Refer Clause No. 17 of Instruction to Bidders of Tender Document. However attending Pre Bid Meeting is recommended to sort out any issue before submission of bid by a Bidder.
4.0	Can a vendor submit more than 1 offer?	No. Please refer Clause No. 4 of Instruction to Bidders of Tender Document.
5.0	Is there any Help document available for GeM.	Refer training module presentations and FAQs as available on GeM Portal.
6.0	Are there are any MSE (Micro & Small Enterprises) benefits available?	Yes. Refer Clause No. 40 of Instructions to Bidders of Tender Document.
7.0	Are there are any benefits available to Startups?	Refer Clause No. 48 of Instructions to Bidders of Tender Document.

All the terms and conditions of Tender remain unaltered.

Bidder's sign

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UNDERTAKING REGARDING SUBMISSION OF ELECTRONIC INVOICE (E-INVOICE AS PER GST LAWS)
(to be submitted on letter head along with documents for release of payment)

To,
M/s BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LTD.
……

SUB: ……
PO NO: …….

Dear Sir,

We _____ (Name of the Supplier) hereby confirm that E-Invoice provision as per the GST Law is

(i) Applicable to us [ ]

(ii) Not Applicable to us [ ]

(Supplier is to tick appropriate option (✓) above).

In case, same is applicable to us, we confirm that we will submit E-Invoice after complying with all the requirements of GST Laws. If the invoice issued without following this process, such invoice can-not be processed for payment by BCPL as no ITC is allowed on such invoices. We also confirm that If input tax credit is not available to BCPL for any reason attributable to Supplier (both for E-invoicing cases and non-E-invoicing cases), then BCPL shall not be obligated or liable to pay or reimburse GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) claimed in the invoice(s) and shall be entitled to deduct / setoff / recover such GST amount (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) or Input Tax Credit amount together with penalties and interest, if any, by adjusting against any amounts paid or becomes payable in future to the Supplier under this contract or under any other contract.

Place:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:

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Bidder's sign

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NO CLAIM CERTIFICATE
(TO BE SUBMITTED BEFORE RELEASE OF CPS/SECURITY DEPOSIT)

[On the Letter-head of Contractor]

We, _____, a company incorporated under the laws of India/ a Consortium between *___ and *____ (*name of Consortium partners to be inserted*)/ a Partnership Firm consisting of *___ and *___ (*name of Partners to be inserted*)/ a Sole Proprietorship (as the case may be), having its registered office at _____ and carrying on business under the name and style M/s. _____ were awarded the contract by Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. in reference to Tender No. _____ dated _____ ("Order/Contract").

After completion of the above-said items/job under the Order/Contract, we have scrutinized all our claims, contentions, disputes, issues and we hereby confirm that after adjusting all payments received by us against our R.A. Bills and final bill, we have no claims, dues, issues and contentions from Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd.

We further absolve Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd. from all liabilities present or future arising directly or indirectly out of the Contract.

There is no economic duress or any other compulsion on us for submission of this no claim certificate.

Place:
Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Service Provider]
Name:
Designation:
Seal:

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Bidder's sign

भाग – IV
SECTION – IV

संविदा की सामान्य शर्तें) जीसीसी(
GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC)

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT-GOODS

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1.0 DEFINITIONS, INTERPRETATIONS & PRIORITY OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

1.1 Definitions

In this document, General Conditions of Contract (GCC-Goods), the following terms shall have the following respective meanings:

1.1.1 "Approved" means prior approval in writing.

1.1.2 The "Bid" or "Tender" "Offer" means the proposal along with supporting documents submitted before Notification of Award by the Bidder for consideration / acceptance by the Purchaser.

1.1.3 "Bidder" Designates the person(s) or legal entity / Firm / Company /Corporation /Organisation, and it's legal representatives, successors and permitted assigns which has made a proposal or submitted Bid/Tender/Offer with the aim of concluding a Contract with the Purchaser.

1.1.4 "Consultant" or "PMC" [if engaged] shall mean M/s. ……having its registered office at……. who are the consultant to the Purchaser for this Contract. The term Consultant includes successors, assigns of M/s. …….

1.1.5 "Contract" shall mean all obligations, commitments, promises agreed upon between Purchaser and Supplier for supply of Goods including execution of the Services(if any) as per Purchase Order(PO) and its subsequent amendment(s), if any in writing thereto.

1.1.6 "Contract Price" or "Purchase Order Value" shall mean the total sum accepted or the total sum calculated in accordance with the prices accepted in the Contract as payable to the Supplier under the Contract for the full and proper performance of its contractual obligations. The Contract Price /Purchase Order Value is subject to Price Reduction Schedule clause.

1.1.7 "Completion Date" shall mean the date on which the supplied Goods are successfully commissioned by the Supplier and handed over to the Purchaser.

"Delivery Date" shall been the date on which Goods are supplied by Supplier as per delivery terms of the Contract.

1.1.8 "Commercial Operation" shall mean the condition of the operation in which the complete Goods / equipment covered under the Contract is officially declared by the Purchaser to be available for continuous operation at different loads upto and including rated capacity.

1.1.9 "Day" shall mean a day of 24 hours from midnight to midnight irrespective of the number of hours worked in that day.

1.1.10 "Delivery" shall mean the transfer of the Goods from the Supplier to the Purchaser in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the Contract.

Delivery terms shall be interpreted as per current edition of INCOTERMS, published by the International Chamber of Commerce before the due date of submission of Bid

1.1.11 "Drawings" shall mean and include Engineering drawings, sketches showing plans, sections and elevations in relation to the Contract together with modifications and/or revisions thereto.

1.1.12 "Engineer" or "Engineer-in-Charge" shall mean the person designated from time to time by Purchaser/Consultant and shall include those who are expressly authorized to act for and on behalf of Purchaser/Consultant for operation of this Contract.

1.1.13 "Fax of Acceptance" shall mean intimation regarding notification of award by the Purchaser/Consultant to the successful Bidder/Supplier through a fax/ letter/ email conveying that the Tender/Bid/Offer has been accepted in accordance with the provisions contained therein.

1.1.14 "Final Acceptance" shall mean the Purchaser's written acceptance of the Goods supplied and works/Services performed under the Contract after successful completion of performance and guarantee test, at/after the Completion Date.

1.1.15 "Goods" shall mean articles, materials, equipment, machinery, instruments, stores, design and drawings, data and other property to be supplied by Supplier including Services (if any), to complete the Contract and Amendment(s) thereto.

1.1.16 "Inspector" shall mean any person or third party Agency nominated by Purchaser/ Consultant to inspect Goods, stage wise as well as final, before dispatch, at Supplier's works and/or on receipt at Site as per terms of the Contract.

1.1.17 "Initial Operation" shall mean the first integral operation of the complete Goods covered under the Contract with sub-systems and supporting equipment(s) in service or available for service.

1.1.18 "Purchase Order" means the Contract Document/Order collectively the Tender Documents, Designs, Drawings, Specification, Bill of Quantities, Schedule of Rates along-with its break-up (if any), Fax of Acceptance (if any), agreed variations and amendments (if any) and such other documents constituting the Tender and acceptance thereof.

1.1.19 "Purchaser" shall mean Brahmaputra Cracker & Polymer Limited having its registered office at Hotel Brahmaputra Ashok, M.G. Road, Guwahati-781001, Assam. The term PURCHASER includes successors, assigns of BCPL.

1.1.20 "Performance and Guarantee Tests" shall mean all operational checks and tests required to determine and demonstrate capacity, efficiency and operating characteristics as specified in the Purchase Order.

1.1.21 "Project" designates the aggregate of the Goods and/or Services to be provided by one or more Suppliers/Contractors.

1.1.22 "Quantities / Bills of Quantities" designate the quantity calculations to be taken into account when these calculations are made from detailed or construction drawings or from work actually performed, and presented according to a jointly agreed breakdown of the Goods and/or Services.

1.1.23 "Supplier" shall mean the successful Bidder whose Bid has been accepted by the Purchaser for supply of Goods and incidental Services (if any). The term Supplier is a synonyms of Seller and Vendor/Contractor and also includes its successor(s) and permitted assign(s).

1.1.24 "Service" shall mean those services ancillary to the supply of Goods, such as transportation and insurance and any other incidental services such as erection, installation, testing, commissioning, provision of technical assistance, training and other such obligations of the Supplier covered under the Contract.

1.1.25 "Site" means the land(s) and other place(s) on, under, in or across/through which the Goods and/or Services have to be supplied, erected, assembled, adjusted, tested, arranged and/or commissioned.

1.1.26 "Specifications" shall mean and include schedules, details, description, statement of technical data, performance characteristics, standards (Indian and/or International) and standard specifications including all addenda/corrigenda published before entering into the Contract, as applicable and specified in the Contract.

1.1.27 "Sub-Contract" shall mean order placed by the Supplier, for any portion of the Contract, after necessary consent and prior written approval of Purchaser unless otherwise explicitly mentioned in the Contract.

1.1.28 "Sub-Contractor" shall mean the person(s) / firm / Organisation / company (other than the Supplier)and it's legal representatives, successors and permitted assigns named in the Contract for supply of any part of the Goods or Service(s) or to whom any part of the Contract has been sub-let by the Supplier with the prior consent in writing of the Consultant/Purchaser unless otherwise explicitly mentioned in the Contract.

1.1.29 "Start-Up" shall mean the time period required to bring the Goods covered under the Contract from an inactive condition, when construction is essentially complete to the state of readiness for trial operation. The start-up period shall include preliminary inspection and check out of

Goods and supporting subsystems, initial operation of the complete Goods covered under the Contract to obtain necessary pre-trial operation data, perform calibration and corrective action, shutdown inspection and adjustment prior to the trial operation period.

1.1.30 "Tests" shall mean such process or processes to be carried out by the Supplier as are prescribed in the Contract or considered necessary by Purchaser or his representative in order to ascertain quality, workmanship, performance and efficiency of Goods or part thereof.

1.1.31 "Tests on Completion" shall mean such tests as prescribed in the Contract to be performed by the Supplier before the complete Goods and Services are taken over by the Purchaser.

1.1.32 "Week" shall mean a period of any consecutive seven Days.

1.2 Interpretations & Priority of Contract Documents

1.2.1 The documents forming the Contract are to be read together and interpreted as mutually explanatory of one another. If there is a direct inconsistency in specific obligation(s), then for the purposes of interpretation, and unless otherwise provided in the Contract, the priority of the Contract Documents shall be in accordance with following sequence:

(i) Purchase Order
(ii) Fax of Acceptance
(iii) Specific Technical Specification/Job Specifications (pertaining to Scope of Supply)
(iv) Drawings
(v) Special Purchase Conditions(SPC) / Special Conditions of Contract (SCC)
(vi) General Technical Specifications (if applicable)
(vii) Instructions to Bidders (ITB)
(viii) General Conditions of Contract (GCC)
(ix) Any other document forming part of the Contract

An Amendment issued to Purchase Order after signing of formal Contract shall take precedence over respective clauses of the formal Contract and its annexures.

The higher priority interpretation shall be adopted only to the extent required to deal with an inconsistency. Specific term(s) agreed take priority over general statement(s) and terms in Contract Document created at a later date govern over terms in earlier Contract Document. Subject to foregoing, the terms of the groups of documents set out above have equal importance within their group.

1.2.2 Headings and Marginal Notes: All headings and marginal notes to the clauses of these General Conditions of Contract or to the Specifications or to any other Tender Document are solely for the purpose of giving a concise indication and not a summary of the contents

thereof, and they shall never be deemed to be part thereof or be used in the interpretation thereof the Contract.

1.2.3 Singular and Plural: In Contract Documents unless otherwise stated specifically, the singular shall include the plural and vice versa wherever the context so requires.

1.2.4 Interpretation: Words implying `Person(s)/Party(ies)' shall include relevant Corporate Companies / Registered Associations/ Body of Individuals/ Firm of Partnership' and any firm/organization having legal capacity, as the case may be.

1.2.5 Gender: Where the context so requires, words imparting the masculine gender shall also include the feminine gender and the neuter gender and vice versa.

1.2.6 Severability: Should any provision of this Contract be found to be invalid, illegal or otherwise not enforceable by any court of law, such finding shall not affect the remaining provisions hereto and they shall remain binding on the parties hereto.

1.2.7 Incoterms:

(i) The meaning of any trade term and the rights and obligations of Parties thereunder shall be as prescribed by Incoterms® 2020 or its latest version.

(ii) EXW, FOB,FCA,CIF, CIP& CPT and other similar terms, shall be governed by the rules prescribed in the Incoterms® 2020 or its latest version, published by the International Chamber of Commerce, applicable as on due date of submission of Bid.

2.0 SUPPLIER TO INFORM

2.1 The Supplier shall be deemed to have carefully examined all Contract documents to his entire satisfaction. Any lack of information shall not in any way relieve the Supplier of his responsibility to fulfill his obligation under the Contract.

3.0 APPLICATION

3.1 These General Conditions of Contract (GCC-Goods) shall apply to the extent that they are not superseded by provisions of other parts of the Contract.

4.0 COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

4.1 All goods and services supplied under the contract shall have their Origin as quoted by the Bidder and accepted by Purchaser.

4.2 For purposes of this Clause "Origin" means the place where the Goods were mined, grown or produced, or from which the Services are supplied. Goods are produced when, through manufacturing, processing or substantial and major assembling of components, a commercially recognized new product results that is substantially different in basic characteristics or in purpose or utility from its components.

4.3 In case of Contract with foreign Suppliers, a certificate issued by relevant Chamber of Commerce specifying Country of Origin shall form part of shipping/disptach documents.

4.4 The Origin of goods and services is distinct from the nationality of the Supplier.

4.5 In case of any export/re-export control restrictions imposed by parent country of Bidder / country of origin on the Goods offered/supplied regarding Goods' end use or end user, then Bidder shall intimate the same upfront in their offer. In such case, right to accept or reject the Bid of such Bidder shall be decided by Purchaser on it's sole discretion.

5.0 SCOPE OF CONTRACT

5.1 Scope of the Contract shall be as defined in the Purchase Order/Contract Document(s)and Annexure thereto.

5.2 Completeness of the Goods and Services shall be the responsibility of the Supplier. Any equipment, fittings and accessories which may not be specifically mentioned in the Scope, Specifications or drawings, but which are usual or necessary for the satisfactory functioning of the Goods (i.e. successful operation and functioning of the Equipment being Supplier's responsibility) shall be provided by Supplier without any extra cost.

5.3 The Supplier shall follow the good engineering practices in the manufacture of Goods/Equipment(s) notwithstanding any omission in the Specifications. The true intent and meaning of these documents is that Supplier shall in all respects, design, engineer, manufacture and supply the Goods, equipment in a thorough workmanlike manner and supply the same in prescribed time to the entire satisfaction of Purchaser.

5.4 The Supplier shall furnish three (3) copies in English language of Technical documents, final drawings, preservation instructions, operation and maintenance manuals, test certificates, spare parts catalogues for all equipments to the Purchaser. The Supplier shall also furnish the above in computer readable soft copies in PDF format or equivalent by electronic mode.

5.5 The documents once submitted by the Supplier shall be firm and final and not subject to subsequent changes unless otherwise explicitly agreed by the Purchaser in writing. The Supplier shall be responsible for any loss to the Purchaser/Consultant consequent to furnishing of incorrect data/drawings.

5.6 All dimensions and weight should be in metric system.

5.7 All equipment to be supplied and work to be carried out under the Contract shall conform to and comply with the provisions of relevant regulations/Acts(State Government or Central Government) as may be applicable to the type of equipment/work carried out and necessary certificates shall be furnished.

5.8 The Supplier shall provide cross sectional drawings, wherever applicable, to identify the spare part numbers and their location

5.9 Specifications, design and drawings issued to the Supplier along-with Tender Document/RFQ and Contract are not sold or given but loaned. These remain property of Purchaser/Consultant or its assigns and are subject to recall by Purchaser/Consultant. The Supplier and his employees shall not make use of the drawings, specifications and technical information for any purpose at any time except for manufacture against the Contract and shall not disclose the same to any person, firm or corporate body, without prior written permission of Purchaser/Consultant. All such details shall be kept confidential.

5.10 Supplier shall pack, protect, mark and arrange for dispatch of Equipment as per instructions given in the Contract.

5.11 The Supplier on his own behalf and on behalf of Sub-Contractor(s) hereby represents that both have full legal right, power and authority to transfer the ownership of the equipment/material to Purchaser.

6.0 STANDARDS

6.1 The Goods supplied under the Contract shall conform to the standards mentioned in the Technical Specifications, or such other standards which ensure equal or higher quality, and when no applicable standard is mentioned, to the authoritative standard appropriate to the Goods' country of origin and such standards shall be the latest issued by the concerned institution(s).

7.0 INSTRUCTIONS, DIRECTION & CORRESPONDENCE

7.1 The Goods described in the Contract are to be supplied according to the standards, data sheets, tables, specifications and drawings attached thereto and/or enclosed with the Contract, itself and according to all conditions, both general and specific enclosed with the contract, unless any or all of them have been modified or cancelled in writing as a whole or in part.

7.2 All instructions and orders to Supplier shall, excepting what is herein provided, be given by Purchaser/Consultant.

7.3 All provision of Goods and supply of Services shall be carried out under the direction of and to the satisfaction of Purchaser/Consultant.

7.4 All communications including technical/commercial clarifications and/or comments shall be addressed to Purchaser/ Consultant and shall always bear reference to the Purchase Order number.

7.5 Invoices for payment against Contract shall be addressed to Purchaser.

7.6 The Purchase Order number shall be shown on all invoices, communications, packing lists, containers and bills of lading, etc.

8.0 CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS

8.1 Purchaser will be the sole judge in the matter of award of Contract and the decision of Purchaser shall be final and binding on the Supplier.

The Acceptance of Tender/Bid will be intimated to the successful Bidder by the Purchaser through notification of award of Contract either by fax / e - mail /letter or like means defined as Fax of Acceptance (FOA). The Contract shall enter into force on the date of Notification of Award and the same shall be binding on Purchaser and Supplier.

8.2 If after award of the Contract, the Supplier does not acknowledge the receipt of FOA/PO or fails to furnish the Contract Performance Security within the prescribed time limit, the Purchaser reserves the right to cancel the Contract and apply all remedies available to him under the terms and conditions of this Contract.

8.3 Once a Contract enters into force, the terms and conditions contained therein shall take precedence over the Supplier's bid and all previous correspondence.

8.4 Supplier's Responsibilities

8.4.1 The Supplier shall supply all the Goods and incidental Services as per terms and conditions of Purchase Order within the Delivery and Completion schedule mentioned therein.

8.5 Purchaser's Responsibilities

8.5.1 Whenever the supply of Goods and incidental Services requires that the Supplier obtain permits, approvals, and import and other licenses from local public authorities, the Purchaser shall, if so required by the Supplier, make its best effort to assist the Supplier in complying with such requirements in a timely and expeditious manner.

8.6 Joint and Several Responsibility:

8.6.1 Where Supplier's Goods/Equipment(s) or any part thereof are to be used jointly with other equipment(s) supplied by another manufacturer(s),the name of the such manufacturer(s) will be communicated separately to Supplier, the Purchaser/Consultant will hold Supplier and the manufacturer(s) jointly and severally responsible for the perfect operation of the entire group or section of equipment as regard the technical and mechanical characteristics stipulated in the specification. Such responsibility shall also include the mechanical coupling as well as dynamic and starting moment.

8.6.2 Consequently, Supplier shall establish and maintain all necessary contact with the manufacturer to be indicated by Purchaser/Consultant with a view to ensuring the exchange of all relevant data and information.

9.0 MODIFICATION IN CONTRACT

9.1 All modifications leading to changes in the Contract with respect to technical and/or commercial aspects including terms of delivery, shall be considered valid only when accepted in writing by Purchaser/Consultant by issuing amendment to the Contract. Issuance of acceptance or otherwise in such cases shall not be any ground for extension of agreed delivery date and also shall not affect the performance of contract in any manner except to the extent mutually agreed through a modification of Contract.

9.2 Based on the requirement, the Purchaser/Consultant in writing shall have the right to change the quantities, specifications, drawings etc. without changing the indented purpose of the Contract. If such changes cause an increase or decrease in the price or time required for the supply, the Supplier shall submit the proposal indicating the implications along with documentary evidence/ back-up documents/ calculations within 7 days, for review and processing of change order/amendment to the Contract by Purchaser/Consultant. On receipt of the amendment to the Contract, Supplier shall execute the change order.

9.3 Purchaser/Consultant shall not be bound by any printed conditions or provisions in the Supplier’s Bid Forms or acknowledgment of Contract, invoices, packing list and other documents which purport to impose any conditions at variance with or supplemental to Contract.

10.0 USE OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS & INFORMATION

10.1 The Supplier shall not, without the Purchaser’s/Consultant’s prior written consent, disclose the Contract or any provision thereof, or any specification, plan, drawing, pattern, sample or information furnished by or on behalf of the Purchaser in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the Supplier in the performance of the Contract. Disclosure to any such employed person shall be made in confidence and shall extend only so far as may be necessary for purpose of such performance.

10.2 The Supplier shall not, without the Purchaser's prior written consent, make use of any document or information enumerated in clause no. 10.1. except for purpose of performing the Contract.

11.0 PATENT RIGHTS, LIABILITY & COMPLIANCE OF REGULATIONS

11.1 Supplier hereby warrants that the use or sale of the materials delivered hereunder will not infringe claims of any patent covering such material and Supplier agrees to be responsible for and to defend at his sole expense all suits and proceedings against Purchaser based on any such alleged patent infringement and to pay all costs, expenses and damages which Purchaser and/or Consultant may have to pay or incur by reason of any such suit or proceedings.

11.2 The Supplier shall, indemnify and hold harmless the Purchaser/Consultant and its employees and officers from and against any and all suits, actions or administrative proceedings, claims, demands, losses, damages, costs, and expenses of any nature, including attorney's fees and expenses, which the Purchaser/Consultant may suffer as a result of any infringement or alleged infringement of any patent, utility model, registered design, trademark, copyright, industrial design rights or other intellectual property right registered or otherwise by reason of

(a) the installation or the use of the Goods or any part thereof in the country where the Site is located; and
(b) the sale of the products (which is produced by use of the Goods) in any country.

11.3 Supplier shall also protect and fully indemnify the Purchaser from any claims from Supplier's workmen/employees or their heirs, dependents, representatives, etc. or from any other person(s) or company(ies) etc. for any acts of commissions or omission while executing the Contract.

11.4 Supplier shall be responsible for compliance with all requirements under the laws and shall protect and indemnify completely the Purchaser from any claims/penalties arising out of any infringements.

12.0 CONTRACT PERFORMANCE SECURITY (CPS):

12.1 Within 30 days after the Supplier's receipt of FOA, the Supplier shall furnish Contract Performance Security (CPS) in the form of Demand Draft/online direct transfer/Bank Guarantee in the format attached as Appendix-III, for an amount equivalent to defined percentage (mentioned in tender/ FOA) of the total Purchase Order Value excluding GST on finished goods or for the amount mentioned in the Tender Document/FOA.

12.2 The proceeds of CPS shall be appropriated by the Purchaser as compensation for any loss resulting from the Supplier's failure to complete his obligations under the Contract without prejudice to any of the rights or remedies the Purchaser may be entitled to as per terms and conditions of Contract. The proceeds of this CPS shall also govern the successful performance of Goods and Services during the entire period of Contractual Warrantee/Guarantee.

In case of forfeiture of Contract Performance Security/ Security Deposit, the forfeited amount will be considered inclusive of tax and tax invoice will be issued by BCPL. The forfeiture amount will be subject to final decision of BCPL based on other terms and conditions of order/ contract.

12.3 The CPS shall be denominated in the currency of the Contract.

12.4 The CPS shall be valid for the duration upto expiry of Warrantee/Guarantee period with claim period as per the format attached as Appendix-III. The Bank Guarantee will be discharged by Purchaser within 3 months from the date of expiration of the Supplier's entire obligations, including any warrantee/guarantee obligations, under the Contract.

12.5 All compensation, claim or other sums of money payable by the Supplier to the Purchaser/Consultant under terms of this Contract may be deducted from or paid by the encashment or sale of a sufficient part of his Contract Performance Security or from any sums which may be due or may become due to the Supplier by the Purchaser/Consultant of any account whatsoever and in the event of his CPS being reduced by reasons of any such deductions or sale of aforesaid, the Supplier shall within ten days thereafter make good in bank drafts/Bank Guarantee as aforesaid any sum or sums which may have been deducted from or realized by sale of his CPS, or any part thereof. The Supplier shall pay to the Purchaser/Consultant on demand any balance remaining due. No interest shall be payable by the Purchaser/Consultant for sum deposited as CPS and no claim whatsoever in this regard shall be entertained by Purchaser.

13.0 INSPECTION, TESTING & EXPEDITING

13.1 The Purchaser or its representative shall have the right to inspect and/or to test the Goods to confirm their conformity to the Contract specifications. The special conditions of Contract and/or the Technical Specifications shall specify what inspections and tests the Purchaser requires and where they are to be conducted. The Purchaser shall notify the Supplier in writing the identity of any representative(s) retained for these purposes.

13.2 The inspections and tests may be conducted on the premises of the Supplier or his sub-contractor(s), at point of Delivery and/or at the Goods' final destination. When conducted on the premises of the Supplier or his sub-contractor (s), all reasonable facilities and assistance including access to the drawings and production data shall be furnished to the inspectors at no charge to the Purchaser.

13.3 Should any inspected or tested Goods fail to conform to the Specifications, the Purchaser may reject them and the Supplier shall either replace the rejected Goods or make all alterations necessary to meet Specifications' requirements, free of cost to the Purchaser.

13.4 The Purchaser's right to inspect, test and where necessary reject the Goods after the Goods' arrival in the Purchaser's country shall in no way be limited or waived by reason of the Goods having previously been inspected, tested and passed by the Purchaser, or their representative prior to the Goods shipment from the country of Origin.

13.5 The Inspector may follow the progress of the manufacture of the Goods under the Contract to ensure that the requirements outlined in the Contract are not being deviated with respect to schedule and quality. Supplier shall allow the Inspector to visit, during working hours, the workshops relevant for execution of the Contract during the entire period of Contract validity.

13.6 Any materials/goods covered under scope of Contract, which during the process of inspection by Inspector, at any stage of manufacture/fabrication and subsequent stages, prior to dispatch is found not conforming to the requirements/specifications of the Purchase Order, shall be liable for immediate rejection. Supplier shall be responsible and liable for immediate replacement of such material with acceptable material at no extra cost or impact on the delivery schedule to Purchaser.

13.7 In order to enable Purchaser's representatives to obtain entry visas in time, Supplier shall notify Purchaser two months before assembly, testing and packing of main Equipment. If requested, Supplier shall assist Purchaser's representatives in getting visas in the shortest possible time (applicable only in case of foreign order).

13.8 Supplier shall place at the disposal of the Inspector, free of charge, all tools, instruments, and other apparatus necessary for the inspection and/or testing of the Goods. The Inspector is entitled to prohibit the use and dispatch of Goods and/or materials which have failed to comply with the characteristics required for the Goods during tests and inspections.

13.9 Supplier shall advise in writing of any delay in the inspection program at the earliest, describing in detail the reasons for delay and the proposed corrective action.

13.10 All Tests and trials in general, including those to be carried out for materials not manufactured by Supplier shall be witnessed by the Inspector. Therefore, Supplier shall confirm to Purchaser by fax or e-mail about the exact date of inspection with at least 30 days notice. Supplier shall specify the Goods and quantities ready for testing and indicate whether a preliminary or final test is to be carried out.

13.11 If on receipt of this notice, Purchaser should waive the right to witness the test, timely information will be given accordingly.

13.12 Any and all expenses incurred in connection with tests, preparation of reports and analysis made by qualified laboratories, necessary technical documents, testing documents and drawings shall be at Supplier's cost. The technical documents shall include the reference and numbers of the standards used in the construction and, wherever deemed practical by the Inspector, copy of such standards.

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13.13 Nothing in Clause-13 shall in any way release the Supplier from any warrantee/guarantee or other obligations under this Contract.

13.14 Arrangements for all inspections required by Indian Statutory Authorities and as specified in technical specifications shall be made by Supplier.

13.15 **INSPECTION & REJECTION OF MATERIALS BY CONSIGNEES**

When materials are rejected by the consignee, the Supplier shall be intimated with the details of such rejected materials, as well as the reasons for their rejection, also giving location where such materials are lying at the risk &cost of the Supplier. The Supplier will be called upon either to remove the materials or to give instructions as to their disposal within 14 days and in the case of dangerous, infected and perishable materials within 48 hours from the date of such written Notice, failing which the consignee/Purchaser will either return the materials to the Supplier on freight to pay or otherwise dispose them off at the Supplier's risk and cost. The Purchaser shall also be entitled to recover handling &storage charges, as per Clause No. 27.4

14. TIME SCHEDULE & PROGRESS REPORTING

14.1 Time Schedule Network/Bar Chart

14.1.1 Together with the Contract confirmation, Supplier shall submit to Purchaser, his time schedule regarding the documentation, manufacture, testing, supply, erection and commissioning of the Goods.

14.1.2 The time schedule will be in the form of a network or a bar chart clearly indicating all main or key events regarding documentation, supply of raw materials, manufacturing, testing, delivery, erection and commissioning.

14.1.3 The original issue and subsequent revisions of Supplier's time schedule shall be sent to Purchaser.

14.1.4 The time schedule network/bar chart shall be updated at least every second month or as agreed with Purchaser.

14.2 **Progress Trend Chart/Monthly Report**

14.2.1 Supplier shall report monthly to Purchaser, on the progress of the execution of Contract and achievement of targets set out in time bar chart.

14.2.2 The progress will be expressed in percentages as shown in the progress trend chart attached to the Time Schedule specification.

14.2.3 The first issue of the Progress Trend Chart will be forwarded together with the time bar chart alongwith Contract confirmation.

14.2.4 Purchaser's/Consultant's representatives shall have the right to inspect Supplier's premises with a view to evaluating the actual progress of Contract execution on the basis of Supplier's time schedule documentation.

14.2.5 Irrespective of such inspection, Supplier shall advise Consultant, with copy to Purchaser, at the earliest possible date of any anticipated delay in the progress.

14.3 Notwithstanding the above, in case progress on the execution of contract at various stages is not as per time schedule and is not satisfactory in the opinion of the Purchaser/Consultant which shall be conclusive or Supplier shall neglect to execute the Contract with due diligence and expeditiousness or contravenes the provisions of the Contract, Purchaser/Consultant may give notice of the same in writing to the Supplier calling upon him to make good the failure, neglect or contravention complained of. Should Supplier fail to comply with such notice within the period considered reasonable by Purchaser/Consultant, the Purchaser/Consultant shall have the option and be at liberty to cancel the Contract wholly or in part out and make alternative arrangements to obtain the requirements and completion of Contract at the Supplier's risk and cost and recover from the Supplier, all extra cost incurred by the Purchaser on this account. In such event Purchaser/Consultant shall not be responsible for any loss that the Supplier may incur and Supplier shall not be entitled to any gain. Purchaser/Consultant shall, in addition, have the right to encash Contract Performance Security in full or part.

15. DELIVERY & DOCUMENTS AND DISPATCH SCHEDULE

15.1 Delivery of the Goods shall be made by the Supplier in accordance with terms specified in the Contract, and the goods shall remain at the risk of the Supplier until delivery has been completed.

15.2 Delivery shall be deemed to have been made:

(i) In the case of FOB/FCA, CFR/CPT& CIF/CIP Contracts, when the Goods have been put on board the ship/flight, at the specified port of loading and a clean Bill of Lading/Airway Bill is obtained. The date of Bill of Lading/Airway Bill shall be considered as the delivery date.

(ii) In case of FOT despatch point Contract (For Indian bidder), on evidence that the goods have been loaded on the carrier and a negotiable copy of the Goods receipt obtained. The date of LR/GR shall be considered as the date of delivery.

(iii) In case of FOT site (for Indian bidders) Contract, date of receipt of Goods by Purchaser/Consultant at the designated site(s) shall be considered as the date of delivery.

(iv) For Contracts involving Services, the delivery/completion period for such Services mentioned in Contract shall commence from zero date as intimated by the Purchaser/Consultant in writing or as mentioned in SCC or elsewhere.

15.3 The delivery terms are binding and essential and consequently, no delay is allowed without the written approval of Purchaser/Consultant. Any request concerning delay will be void unless accepted by Purchaser/Consultant through a modification to the Contract.

15.4 Delivery time shall include time for submission of drawings for approval, incorporation of comments, if any, and final approval of drawings by Purchaser/Consultant.

15.5 In the event of delay in delivery, Price Reduction Schedule as stipulated in Clasue– 26 shall apply. The Contract shall be continued to be in force till the delivery of Goods or written Notice from Purchaser to Supplier for termination of Contract.

15.6 It should be noted that if a Contract is placed on a higher bidder as a result of this tender, in preference to the lowest acceptable offer, in consideration of an earlier delivery, the Supplier will be liable to pay to BCPL the difference between the contract rate and the rate quoted by the lowest acceptable bidder in case of failure to complete the supply in terms of such Contract within the date of delivery specified in the Tender Document and incorporated in the Contract. This is without prejudice to other rights and remedies available to BCPL, under terms of Contract.

15.7 The documentation, in English Language, shall be delivered in due time, in proper form and in the required number of copies as specified in the contract.

15.8 The additional copies of final drawings and instructions will be included in the package of goods, properly enveloped and protected.

15.9 The Supplier should comply with the Packing, Marking and Shipping Documentation Specifications.

15.10 **Dispatch Schedule**

15.10.1 **Indian Bidder**:

If Purchase Order issued based on FOT (Free on Truck) / FOR (Free on Rail) project site basis, materials shall be delivered at the destination on freight prepaid & door delivery basis and for the cases where order(s) are finalized on Ex-works basis the transportation will be arranged by supplier(s) / BCPL on 'freight to pay' basis and the freight will be paid at the destination.

Supplier shall submit the following details of goods/cargo within 15 days from Notification of Award to the designated authority as per Purchase Order:

(v) Shipments Schedule
(vi) Dimension details of packages
(vii) Detailed technical write-up along with Catalogue (if applicable)
(viii) Any other document/details, if mentioned in Purchase Order

The consignment should be handed over to transporter with E-way bill, wherever required as per law/act. In case such e-way bill is required to be issued by BCPL, the concerned designated order issuing authority may be contacted in this regard. It will be the responsibility of the supplier to ensure the compliance of the provisions relating to E-Way bill before dispatch of the consignment and any financial implication arising due to non-compliance in this regard will be to the account of the supplier.

It shall be responsibility of the Supplier to send intimation immediately on dispatch of the material so that necessary arrangements can be made at site. Delays on account of the same shall solely be attributable to the Supplier.

15.10.2 **Foreign Bidder:**

Where the Supplier is required under the Contract to deliver the Goods on CFR or CIF, transportation of the Goods to the port of discharge or such other point in the country of destination as shall be specified in the Contract shall be arranged and paid for by the Supplier and the for the cases where order(s) are finalized on FOB or FCA basis the transportation will be arranged by BCPL.
Supplier shall submit the following details of goods/cargo within 15 days from Notification of Award to the designated authority as per Purchase Order:

(i) Shipments Schedule
(ii) Dimension details of packages
(iii) Detailed technical write-up along with Catalogue (if applicable)
(iv) Any other document/details, if mentioned in Purchase Order

It shall be responsibility of the Supplier to send intimation and Original Shipping Documents immediately on dispatch of the material so that necessary arrangements can be made at Destination Port. Delays on account of the same shall solely be attributable to the Supplier.

All equipments / materials are to be insured by BCPL for transit/marine risks unless specified otherwise in the purchase order, to cover the damages during the transportation etc.
Any such damage during the transportation shall be immediately notified to under-writers as well as the transporter, for further necessary action for recovery of transit damages.

For the purpose of arranging transit/marine insurance of the goods despatched / shipped, vendors are required to furnish the despatch / shipping particulars to the Insurance Company giving complete details of despatches along with Policy No. etc.

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16 TRANSIT RISK INSURANCE

16.1 All Goods supplied under the contract shall be fully insured in a freely convertible currency against loss or damage incidental to manufacture or acquisition, transportation, storage and delivery.

16.2 The Purchaser shall arrange transit risks Insurance for the Goods supplied by indigenous Supplier unless specified otherwise in the Purchase Order, to cover the risk & damages during the inland transportation. Further, where delivery is on FOB/FCA or CFR/CPT basis, marine insurance shall be the responsibility of the Purchaser.

Any such damage during the transportation shall be immediately notified to under-writers as well as the transporter under intimation to consignee, for further necessary action for recovery of transit damages.

16.3 Insurance Requirements:

Indigenous Supplier: Transit risk insurance from F.O.T. despatch point onwards shall be arranged and borne by BCPL unless specified otherwise in the Purchase Order.

Immediately after shipment, the Supplier shall inform the Purchaser's insurance agent and Purchaser/Consultant giving the details of shipment regarding LR number and date, invoice no. & date with value, number of packages/cases, gross/net weight, value of goods and Purchase Order number along with Insurance policy no., for arranging insurance of the consignment against transit risk from the despatch point to the Site/warehouse of the consignee.

Foreign Supplier : Marine insurance as well as transit insurance in Purchaser's country shall be arranged and borne by BCPL, in case of EXW, FOB/FCA, CFR/C&F orders as per INCOTERMS.

Immediately after shipment, the Supplier shall inform the Purchaser's insurance agent and Purchaser/Consultant giving the details of shipment regarding name of vessel, B/L or AWB number and date, invoice no. & date with value, packing details including number of packages/cases&gross/net weight, value of goods and Purchase Order number & date, ETD & ETA of vessel at ports along with Insurance policy no., for arranging necessary insurance.

The Supplier shall ensure that in effecting despatch of Goods, the primary responsibility of the carriers for safe movement is always retained so that the Purchaser's interests are fully safeguarded and are in no way jeopardised. The Supplier shall furnish the cost of materials against each equipment.

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Purchaser's Insurance Agent& Insurance policy no.:

[The name and address of Insurance Agent and Insurance policy no. shall be mentioned in Tender Document/Purchase Order]

17. PACKING & SHIPPING INSTUCTIONS AND TRANSPORTATION

17.1 Packing & Marking:

The Supplier shall dispatch the materials in worthy/Sea worthy/Air worthy packing conforming to the international norms of packing/ prescribed standards in force to withstand air/ocean/land journey and ensuring the safety of cargo en-route and also arrival of materials at ultimate destination in good condition. Hazardous/dangerous cargo ordered along-with other material, against a particular supply order, the hazardous/dangerous cargo should be packed in a separate identifiable box to avoid payment of excess freight and delay in clearance. The consignment shall be comprehensively insured against all risks by the Supplier in case of contracts with transit insurance in Supplier's scope from Supplier's ware-house to ultimate consignee's ware-house basis and each case/packing shall have on its outer side the following marking in English in indelible ink:

(i) Purchase Order No. and date
(ii) Country of origin(Applicable for Foreign Suppliers)
(iii) Name of Supplier
(iv) Case number (running number upon total number of boxes).
(v) Gross and net weight in Kilogram on each box.
(vi) Dimension of packages
(vii) Port of destination (Applicable for Foreign Suppliers)
(viii) Consignee
(ix) TOP/DON'T TURNOVER/HANDLE WITH CARE (as applicable)
(x) The equipment which cannot be packed shall bear metal tags with above marking indicated thereon. Each box shall contain one copy of packing list and Material Safety Data Sheet (if applicable) in English.

In case of hazardous chemicals / materials the bidder will provide Material Safety Data Sheets along with quotation and also while dispatching the materials. The bidder will also provide special hazard identification symbols / markings on each packing of hazardous chemicals.

The Supplier shall be held liable for all damages or breakages to the goods due to the defective or insufficient packing as well as for corrosion due to insufficient protection. Packaged equipment or material showing damage, defects or shortages resulting from improper packaging material or packing procedures or having concealed damage or shortages, at the time of unpacking shall be to the Supplier's account.

17.2 **Shipping Instructions**:

The Supplier shall notify the Purchaser/Consultant& all concerned and also the port as well as ultimate consignee by e-mail the Bill of Lading/Airway Bill number and date, the name of ship/flight, ship manifest, the date of departure of the ship/flight, the port of loading and destination, brief description of materials, gross/net weight and total number of packages, quantity, value and Purchase Order number and date within 2 days from the departure of the ship or within 24 hours from the departure of the flight from the port of loading.

17.3 Copies of dispatch documents should reach Purchaser/Consultant well in advance failing which any demurrage/wharfage etc. incurred on account of late/ non-receipt of dispatch document/wrong dispatches of consignment will be recovered from Supplier. In case of documents through Bank, it may be noted that the documents will be retired only if the dispatches are made as per the terms of the Purchase Order.

17.4 Where the Supplier is required under the Contract to deliver the Goods on FOB/FCA basis, transport of the Goods until delivery, that is, upto and including the point of putting the Goods on board the export conveyance at the specified port of loading, shall be arranged and paid for by the Supplier and the cost thereof shall be included in the Purchase Order Value.

17.5 Where the Supplier is required under the Contract to deliver the Goods on CFR/CPT or CIF/CIP basis, transport of the Goods to the port of discharge or such other point in the country of destination as specified in the Contract shall be arranged and paid for by the Supplier and the cost thereof shall be included in the Purchase Order Value.

17.6 Where the Supplier is required under the Contract to deliver the Goods on FOT destination point basis, transport of the Goods upto the destination point shall be specified in the Contract shall be arranged and paid by the Supplier and the cost thereof shall be included in the Purchase Order Value.

17.7 As per the Section 3 of the "Carriage by Road Act 2007", no person can engage in the business of a common carrier unless granted a certificate of registration to do so and any transportation of goods through unregistered common carrier is illegal. Accordingly, Goods should be transported through registered common carriers only.

18. INCIDENTAL SERVICES

18.1 The Supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following Services:

18.1.1 Performance or supervision of onsite assembly and/or start-up of the supplied Goods:

18.1.2 Furnishing tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the supplied Goods:

18.1.3 Performance or supervision or maintenance and/or repair of the supplied Goods, for a period of time agreed by the parties, provided that this Service shall not relieve the Supplier of any warrantee/guarantee obligations under the Contract.

18.1.4 Training of the Purchaser's personnel at the Supplier's premise and/or at Site, in assembly, start-up operation, maintenance and/or repair of the supplied Goods at no extra cost. However, Purchaser will bear boarding, lodging & personal expenses of Trainees.

18.2 Prices charged by the Supplier for the preceding incidental Services, shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the Supplier for similar services.

18.3 When required, Supplier shall depute necessary personnel for supervision and/or erection of the Goods/Equipments at site for duration to be specified by Purchaser on mutually agreed terms. Supplier's personnel shall be available at Site within seven Days for emergency action and twenty-one Days for medium and long-term assistance, from the date of notice given by Purchaser.

18.4 If the cost of incidental Services is not shown separately in the Price Schedules /t Schedule of Rates, then the same shall be considered included in the quoted prices.

19. SPARE PARTS, MAINTENANCE TOOLS ETC.

19.1 Supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following materials and notification pertaining to Spare parts (including standby equipments, accessories, sub-assemblies/assemblies etc.)manufactured or sourced by the Supplier. Such Spares shall be supplied directly by Supplier and the responsibility shall not be passed on to his dealers/distributers/stockists or Indian associates.

19.1.1 Such Spare parts as the Purchaser may opt to purchase from the Supplier, provided that his option shall not relieve the Supplier of any warrantee obligations under the Contract, and

19.1.2 In the event of termination of production of the spare parts:

i) Advance notification to the Purchaser of the pending termination, in sufficient time to permit the Purchaser to procure such Spares, and
ii) Following such termination, furnishing at no cost to the Purchaser, the blue prints, drawings and specifications of the spare parts, if any when requested.

19.2 Supplier shall supply item wise list with value of each item of Spare parts and maintenance tools requirements, along with full details of all manufacturers/ sub-supplier(s)for spares/maintenance tools sourced by Supplier.

19.3 Spare parts shall be new and of first class quality as per engineering standards/ codes, free of any defects (even concealed), deficiency in design, materials &workmanship and also shall be completely interchangeable with the corresponding parts.

19.4 Type and sizes of FILTER ELEMENTS shall be clearly indicated.

19.5 Spare parts shall be packed for long storage under tropical climatic conditions in suitable cases, clearly marked as to intended purpose.

19.6 A list of special tools and gauges required for normal maintenance and special handling and lifting appliances, if any, for the Goods, shall be submitted to Purchaser.

19.7 Bidders should note that if they do not comply with above conditions, their Bid may be rejected.

20. GUARANTEE

20.1 All Goods or Materials shall be supplied strictly in accordance with the specifications, drawings, data sheets, other attachments and conditions stated in the Contract.

No deviation from such specifications or alterations or of these conditions shall be made without Purchaser's /Consultant's agreement in writing which must be obtained before any work against the order is commenced. All materials supplied by the Supplier pursuant to the Contract (irrespective of whether engineering, design data or other information has been furnished, reviewed or approved by Purchaser/Consultant) are guaranteed to be of the best quality of their respective kinds (unless otherwise specifically authorised in writing by Purchaser/Consultant) and shall be free from faulty design, workmanship and materials, and to be of sufficient size and capacity and of proper materials so as to fulfil in all respects all operating conditions, if any, specified in the Contract.

If any trouble or defect, originating with the design, material, workmanship or operating characteristics of any materials, arises at any time prior twelve(12) months from the date of the first commercial operation of the Goods/Equipments or twenty four (24) months from the date of last shipment whichever period shall first expire, and the Supplier is notified thereof, Supplier shall, at his own expense and as promptly as possible, make such alterations, repairs and replacements as may necessary to permit the materials to function in accordance with the specifications and to fulfil the foregoing guarantees. However, in no case, warranty of repaired/replaced part shall exceed 24 months from the date of commissioning of original equipment or 36 months from last supply, whichever is earlier. This period excludes repair/replacement/rectification period of defective goods.

Purchaser/Consultant may, at his option, remove such defective materials, at Supplier's expense in which event Supplier shall, without cost to Purchaser/Consultant and as promptly as possible, furnish and install proper materials.

In case defects are of such nature that Goods shall have to be taken to Supplier's works for rectification etc., Supplier shall take the Goods at his costs after giving necessary undertaking or security as may be required by Purchaser/Consultant. Purchaser/Consultant may, if so required by the Supplier, dispatch the Goods by quickest mode on "Freight-to-pay" basis to the Supplier's works. After repairs Supplier shall deliver the Goods at Site on freight pre-paid basis. All risks in transit to and fro and all expenses on account of to and fro freight, insurance, customs clearance, transportation and handling, port charges and customs duty etc. shall be borne by the Supplier.

In the event that the materials supplied do not meet the specifications and/or not in accordance with the drawings data sheets or the terms of the Contract (including guarantee period) and rectification is required at site, Purchaser/Consultant shall notify the Supplier giving full details of differences. The Supplier shall attend the site within seven (7) days of receipt of such notice to meet and agree with representatives of Purchaser/Consultant, the action required to correct the deficiency. Should the Supplier fail to attend meeting at Site within the time specified above, Purchaser/Consultant shall immediately rectify the work/materials and Supplier shall reimburse Purchaser all costs and expenses incurred in connection with such trouble or defect.

20.2 **Performance Guarantee of Equipment**

20.2.1 Supplier shall guarantee that the performance of the Equipment supplied under the Contract shall be strictly in conformity with the specifications and shall perform the duties specified under the Contract.

20.2.2 If the Supplier fails to prove the guaranteed performance of the Equipment set forth in the specification, the Supplier shall investigate the causes and carry out necessary rectifications/modifications to achieve the guaranteed performance. In case the Supplier fails to do so within a reasonable period, the Supplier shall replace the Equipment and prove guaranteed performance of the new equipment without any extra cost to Purchaser.

20.2.3 If the Supplier fails to prove the guarantee within a reasonable period, Purchaser/Consultant shall have the option to take over the Equipment and rectify, if possible, the Equipment to fulfil the guarantees and/or to make necessary additions to make up the deficiency at Supplier’s risk and cost. All expenditure incurred by the Purchaser/Consultant in this regard shall be to Supplier’s account.

21. TERMS OF PAYMENT

21.1 In case of supply, payment shall be released **within 15 days** after receipt and acceptance of goods and submission of relevant documents complete in all respects through e-banking unless otherwise specifically mentioned in the Special Conditions of Contract.

21.2 The type(s) of payment to be made to the Supplier under this Contract shall be as mentioned above unless otherwise specifically specified in the Special Conditions of Contract.

21.3 The Supplier's request(s) for payment shall be made to the Purchaser in writing accompanied by an invoice describing, as appropriate, the Goods delivered and services performed, and by shipping documents submitted, and upon fulfillment of other obligations stipulated in the Contract.

21.4 Payment will be made in the currency or currencies in which the Contract Price has been stated in the Supplier's bid, as well as in other currencies in which the Supplier had indicated in his bid that he intends to incur expenditure in the performance of the Contract and wishes to be paid. If the requirements are stated as a percentage of the bid price alongwith exchange rates used in such calculations these exchange rates shall be maintained.

21.5 Mentioning of PAN no. in Invoice/Bill

As per CBDT Notification No. 95/2015 dated 30.12.2015, mentioning of PAN no. is mandatory for transactions related to procurement of goods / services exceeding Rs. 2 Lakhs per transaction or as amended from time to time.

Accordingly, Supplier should mention their PAN no. in their invoice/ bill for any transaction exceeding Rs. 2 lakhs. As provided in the notification, in case Supplier do not have PAN no., they have to submit declaration in Form 60 along with invoice/ bill for each transaction.

Payment of Supplier shall be processed only after fulfilment of above requirement.

21.6 Foreign Suppliers should ensure submission of Tax Residency Certificate(TRC), Form 10F or Permanent Establishment(PE) information within specified time.

General Notes:

(i) All foreign currency payments to foreign bidder shall be released through Cash against Documents (CAD) through bank, If Supplier insists payment through an irrevocable Letter of Credit, which shall be opened through Government of India Nationalised Bank and hence shall not be confirmed. In case any bidder insists on confirmation, charges towards confirmation shall be borne by him. L/C shall be established within 30 days after receipt of acknowledgement of Letter/Fax of Acceptance/Purchase Order together with Contract Performance Security.

(ii) For dispatches on FOT dispatch point (in India) basis involving payment through bank, the payment shall be through Purchaser's bank. Payment through Bank, wherever applicable, shall be released as per normal banking procedures.

(iii) All bank charges incurred in connection with payments shall be to Supplier's account in case of Indian bidders and to respective accounts in case of Foreign bidder.

(iv) Unless otherwise specifically stated in Bid Document, all payments shall be made in the currency quoted.

(v) No interest charges for delay in payments, if any, shall be payable by Purchaser.

(vi) In case of Indian bidder, variation, if any, on account of customs duty on their built-in-import content, as per terms of bid document, shall be claimed separately by bidder after receipt of goods at site(s). However, any price benefits to the Purchaser, on account of such variation as per terms specified in the Bid Document, shall be passed on to the Purchaser alongwith invoicing itself.

(vii) Agency commission, if any, to Indian agent for Foreign bidders, indicated in prices, shall be paid to the agent in equivalent Indian Rupees on receipt and acceptance of material at site and after completion of its role & responsibility by such agent.

(viii) Wherever buy-back is involved, 5% payment towards supply of new item shall be made only after uplifting the buy-back items.

22. PRICES

22.1 Prices charged by the Supplier for Goods delivered and Services performed under the Contract shall not, with the exception of any price adjustments authorized by the Contract, vary from the prices quoted by the Supplier in his bid.

23. SUBLETTING & ASSIGNMENT

23.1 The Supplier shall not without previous consent in writing of the Purchaser authority, sublet, transfer or assign the Contract or any part thereof or interest therein or benefit or advantage thereof in any manner whatsoever. Provided, nevertheless, that any such consent shall not relieve the Supplier from any obligation, duty or responsibility under the Contract.

23.2 There is no obligation on part of Purchaser/Consultant to release any payment to Sub-Contractor.

24. TIME AS ESSENCE OF CONTRACT

24.1 The original or extended time of delivery/completion of the Goods/Services as stipulated in the Contract shall be deemed to be the essence of the Contract.

25. DELAYS IN THE SUPPLIER'S PERFORMANCE

25.1 If the specified delivery schedule is not adhered to or the progress of manufacture or supply of the items is not satisfactory or is not in accordance with the progress schedule, the Purchaser has the right to:

i) hire for period of delay from elsewhere goods which in Purchaser's opinion will meet the same purpose as the Goods which are delayed and Supplier shall be liable without limitation for such hire charges plus overhead charges @ 15% thereupon; or

ii) terminate /cancel the Contract in whole or in part without liability for termination/cancellation charges. In that event, Purchaser may procure from elsewhere goods which Purchaser's opinion would meet the same purpose as the Goods for which Contract is cancelled and Supplier shall be liable without limitations for the difference between the cost of such substitution and the price set forth in the Contract for the Goods involved; or

iii) hire the substitute goods vide (i) above and if the ordered goods continue to remain undelivered thereafter, cancel the order in part or in full vide (ii) above.

25.2 Any inexcusable delay by the Supplier or his sub-contractor shall render the Supplier liable, without prejudice to any other terms of the Contract, to any or all of the following sanctions:

- forfeiture of Contract Performance Security,
- imposition of price reduction for delay in delivery and
- termination of the contract for default.

As per Performance Evaluation procedure (Appendix-II), the Supplier's non-performance or poor performance shall affect the future business relationship with BCPL and its PMCs.

26. PRICE REDUCTION SCHEDULE (PRS) FOR DELAYED DELIVERY

26.1 Subject to Clasue-29, if the Supplier fails to deliver any or all of the Goods or performance of the services within the time period (s) specified in the Contract, the Purchaser shall, without prejudice to his other remedies under the Contract, deduct from the Contract Price, a sum calculated on the basis of the Contract Price, including subsequent modifications.

26.1.1 Deductions shall apply as per following formula:

A. For order including only supply of Goods/Equipment/Package

In case of delay in delivery of equipment/materials or delay in completion, PRS shall be applicable ½ % (half percent) of the order value per complete week of delay or part thereof subject to a maximum of 5% (five percent) of the Total Contract Price/ Order Value.

The portion of supply completed in all respect which can be used for commercial operation shall not be considered for applying PRS, if delivered within contractual delivery period. The remaining supplies which are completed beyond the contractual

delivery shall attract price reduction schedule @1/2 % of the delayed delivery value maximum up to 5% of total Purchase Order Value.

Decision of the Purchaser in the matter of usage for commercial operation shall be final and binding.

Note: When installation and/or commissioning is in Supplier's scope, the above clause 'A' will not be applicable, in such cases clause 'B' below will be applicable.

B. For order including both supply of Goods and Services (i.e. supervision, installation, erection, commissioning etc.)

For delay in supply:

The PRS shall be applicable @ ½ % (half percent) of price of respective goods/equipment / package (including spares etc. even if prices are indicated separately in the order but excluding value of Services) per week of delay or part thereof subject to maximum 5% (five percent) of Total Contract/ Order Value excluding value of Services.

For delay in Services (i.e. supervision, installation, erection, commissioning etc.):

The PRS shall be applicable @ ½ % (half percent) of Total Contract/ Order Value of respective equipment / package (including value of spares, Services etc. even if prices are indicated separately in the Contract) per week of delay or part thereof subject to maximum 5% (five percent)of Total Contract/ Order Value including value of Services.

In no case, total PRS shall exceed 5% (five percent)of Total Contract/ Order Value (Supply +Services).

However, if the completion of supply and services together are achieved within the overall completion period, no PRS shall be applicable.

For specific provision relating to supervision by Supplier (wherever applicable), refer SCC.

26.2 Both Supplier and Purchaser agree that the above percentages of price reduction are genuine pre estimates of the loss/damage which the Purchaser would have suffered on account of delay/breach on the part of the Supplier and the said amount will be payable on demand without there being any proof of the actual loss/or damage caused by such breach/delay. A decision of the Purchaser/EIC in the matter of applicability of price reduction shall be final and binding.

26.3 In case of delay in delivery on the part of Supplier, the invoice/document value shall be reduced proportionately for the delay and payment shall be released accordingly.

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26.4 In the event the invoice value is not reduced proportionately for the delay, the Purchaser may deduct the amount so payable by Supplier, from any amount falling due to the Supplier or by recovery against the Contract Performance Security.

26.5 In case of Annual Rate Contract (ARC), the PRS shall be applicable on the value of Release Order /Individual Order(s) and not on the entire value of ARC.

26.6 In case of FOT Site /dispatch point order, the value referred in PRS clause is the EXW value (i.e. excluding GST and Freight/Inland Transportation) for delay in supply. In case of Import, PRS shall be applicable on FOB amount (except EXW orders) for delay in supply.

26.7 PRS is the reduction in the consideration / contract value for the goods / services covered under this contract. In case of delay in supply/ execution of contract, Supplier should raise invoice for reduced value as per Price Reduction Schedule Clause (PRS clause). If Supplier has raised the invoice for full value, then Supplier shall issue Credit Note towards the applicable PRS amount with applicable taxes.

In such cases if Supplier fails to submit the invoice with reduced value or does not issue credit note as mentioned above, BCPL will release the payment to Supplier after giving effect of the PRS clause with corresponding reduction of taxes charged on vendor's invoice, to avoid delay in delivery/collection of material."

In case any financial implication arises on BCPL due to issuance of invoice without reduction in price or non-issuance of Credit Note, the same shall be to the account of Supplier. BCPL shall be entitled to deduct / setoff / recover such GST amount (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) together with penalties and interest, if any, against any amounts paid or becomes payable by BCPL in future to the Supplier under this contract or under any other contract.

27. REJECTIONS, REMOVAL OF REJECTED EQUIPMENT & REPLACEMENT

27.1 Preliminary inspection at Supplier's works by Inspector shall not prejudice Purchaser's/Consultant's claim for rejection of the Goods / Equipment on final inspection at Site or claims under warranty provisions.

27.2 If the Equipments are not of specification or fail to perform specified duties or are otherwise not satisfactory the Purchaser/Consultant shall be entitled to reject the Equipment/Material or part thereof and ask free replacement within reasonable time failing which obtain his requirements from elsewhere at Supplier's cost and risk.

27.3 Nothing in this clause shall be deemed to deprive the Purchaser and/or Affect any rights under the Contract which it may otherwise have in respect of such defects or deficiencies or in any way relieve the Supplier of his obligations under the Contract.

27.4 Goods/Equipment rejected by the Purchaser/Consultant shall be removed by the Supplier at his cost within 14 days of notice after repaying the amounts received against the Supply. Failure or any delays of Supplier for removal of Goods/Equipment, the Purchaser shall also be

entitled to recover handling and storage charges @5% of the estimated value of such Goods for each month or part of a month without relieving the Supplier from any other related liability. In the event of the Supplier's failure to remove the same within a period of 6 months or as decided by the Purchaser, the Purchaser may take action for removal through auction or sale on behalf of the Supplier and at his risk in all respects. The Supplier shall be liable to pay the Purchaser the handling & storage charges as mentioned above plus overhead charges @ 15% of sale value of such materials. The decision of Purchaser w.r.t. such removal and the amount of the proceeds shall be final and binding on the Supplier. The Purchaser shall in no way be responsible for any deterioration or damage to the Equipment under any circumstances whatsoever.

27.5 In case of rejection of Equipment, Purchaser shall have the right to recover the amounts, if any, from any of Supplier's invoices pending with Purchaser or by alternative method(s).

28. TERMINATION OF CONTRACT

28.1 Termination for Default

28.1.1 The Purchaser may, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of Contract, by written notice of default sent to the Supplier, terminate the Contract in whole or in part:

(i) If the Supplier fails to deliver any or all of the Goods within the time period(s) specified in the Contract; or

(ii) If the Supplier fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the Contract, and

(iii) If the Supplier, in either of the above circumstances, does not cure his failure within a period of 30 days (or any such period as the Purchaser may authorize in writing) after receipt of the default notice from the Purchaser.

28.1.2 In the event the Purchaser terminates the Contract in whole or in part, pursuant to clause no. 28.1.1, the Purchaser may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it deems appropriate, goods similar to those undelivered and the Supplier shall be liable to the Purchaser for any excess costs for such similar Goods. However, the Supplier shall continue performance of the Contract to the extent not terminated.

28.1.3 In case of termination of Contract herein set forth (under clause 28) [except under conditions of Force Majeure (under clause 29)], the Purchaser is entitled to put Supplier on under Suspension and/or Holiday as per provisions of "Procedure for Action in Case of Corrupt/Fraudulent/Collusive/Coercive Practices (Appendix-I)" and "Procedure for Evaluation of Performance of Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant" of Tender Document (Appendix-II)".

28.2 **Termination for Insolvency**

28.2.1 The Purchaser, may at any time, terminate the Contract by giving written notice to the Supplier, without compensation to the Supplier, if the Supplier becomes bankrupt or otherwise insolvent, provided that such termination will not prejudice or affect any right of action or remedy which has accrued or will accrue thereafter to the Purchaser.

28.3 **Termination for Convenience including short-closure**

28.3.1 The Purchaser may, by written notice/communication to the Supplier, may short-close/ terminate the Contract, in whole or part, at any time for his convenience. The notice/ communication to the Supplier shall specify that short-closure/termination is for the Purchaser's convenience, the extent to which performance of work under the Contract is short-closed/terminated and the date upon which such short-closure/termination becomes effective.

28.3.2 The Goods that are complete and ready for shipment within 30 days after the Supplier's receipt of notice/communication of termination/short-closure shall be purchased by the Purchaser at the Contract terms and prices. For the remaining Goods, the Purchaser may opt:

(i) to have any portion completed and delivered at the Contract terms and prices, and /or

(ii) to cancel the remainder and pay to the Supplier an agreed amount for partially completed Goods and for materials and parts previously procured by the Supplier.

28.4 Termination of Contract for Corrupt/Fraudulent/ Collusive/Coercive Practices and Non-Performance

If the Bidder/Supplier is found to have indulged in Corrupt/Fraudulent /Collusive/Coercive practices, the Contract shall be terminated and the Bidder/ Supplier shall be banned for future business with BCPL. The detailed procedure for banning including suspension in this regard is attached as Appendix-I to this GCC.

Due to non- performance of the Supplier leading to termination of the Contract, the Supplier shall be put on suspension list and also on holiday list of Purchaser for a period mentioned in the detailed procedure. The detailed procedure for evaluation of performance in this regard is attached as Appendix-II to this GCC.

29. **FORCE MAJEURE**

29.1 Force Majeure shall mean and be limited to the following:

(i) Act of terrorism;
(ii) Riot, war, invasion, act of foreign enemies, hostilities (whether war be declared or not), civil war, rebellion, revolution, insurrection of military or usurped power;
(iii) Ionizing, radiation or contamination, radio activity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from the combustion of nuclear fuel, radioactive toxic explosive or other hazardous properties of any explosive assembly or nuclear component;

(iv) Pandemic, Epidemics, earthquakes, flood, natural fire/wildfire, hurricanes, typhoons or other physical natural disaster, but excluding weather conditions regardless of severity; and
(v) Freight embargo, strikes at national or state-wide level or industrial disputes (more than 7 consecutive days) at a national or state-wide level where supplier's Works is located.

For the avoidance of doubt, inclement weather, third party breach, delay in supply of materials (other than conditions mentioned above at sl. no. (i) to (v)) or commercial hardship shall not constitute a Force Majeure event.

The Supplier shall advise Purchaser/Consultant by a registered letter/courier duly certified by the local Chamber of Commerce or statutory authorities, the beginning and end of the above causes of delay within ten (10) days of the occurrence and cessation of such Force Majeure Conditions.

The extension of time for a period upto the period of delay attributable to the causes of Force Majeure shall be the sole remedy of the Supplier for any delay under this clause and the Supplier shall not be entitled in addition to or in lieu of such extension to claim any damages or compensation on any account whatsoever whether under the law governing contracts or any other law in force, and the Supplier hereby waives and disclaims any and all contrary rights.

In case force majeure conditions persists for period exceeding 02 (Two) Months, the Purchaser reserves the right to cancel the Purchase order or part of it.

Supplier shall categorically specify the extent of Force Majeure Conditions prevalent in their works at the time of submitting their bid and whether the same have been taken into consideration or not in their quotations. In the event of any force majeure cause, the Supplier or the Purchaser shall not be liable for delays in performing their obligations under this order and the delivery dates will be extended to the Supplier without being subject to price reduction for delayed deliveries, as stated elsewhere.

Payment in case of termination due to Force Majeure

In case of termination of Order/contract due to Force Majeure, the Supplier will get payment of goods supplied and/ or services performed as at the date of the commencement of the relevant event of Force Majeure.

The Supplier has no entitlement and Purchaser has no liability for:
(i) Any costs, losses, expenses, damages or the payment of any part of the Order/ Contract Price during an event of Force Majeure; and
(ii) Any delay costs in any way incurred by the Supplier due to an event of Force Majeure.

30. DISPUTE RESOLUTION MECHANISM

30.1 PRE-LITIGATION GRIEVANCE/DISPUTE REDRESSAL MECHANISM:

i) Any issue should be first referred to EIC (for LOA/contracts)/Dealing C&P Executive (for Purchase Orders).

(ii) In case issue is not resolved by above, Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant may submit their issue to "Samadhan Committee". The same will be addressed by Samadhan Committee within 15days from the date of issue raised.

(iii) In case, Vendor/Supplier/ Contractor/Consultant is not satisfied with the decision of the Samadhan Committee, there is a provision of escalation of issue to higher authority in BCPL. This option is available two times only, one is at Chief General Manager (O&M) and the other one is Chief Operating Officer.

(iv) However, in case no mutual settlement is arrived at after exercising all pre-litigation grievance/dispute redressal mechanism as above, the matter shall be settled by arbitration in accordance with the provision of arbitration of the Indian Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996 and any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof and the Rules made there under and for the time being in force as stated below:

30.2 ARBITRATION

All issue(s)/dispute(s) excluding the matters that have been specified as excepted matters and listed at clause no. 30.2.6 and which cannot be resolved through pre-litigation grievance/dispute redressal mechanism, such issue(s)/dispute(s) shall be referred to arbitration for adjudication by Sole Arbitrator.

The party invoking the Arbitration shall have the option to either opt for Ad-hoc Arbitration as provided at Clause 30.2.1 below or Institutionalized Arbitration as provided at Clause 30.2.2 below, the remaining clauses from 30.2.3 to 30.2.7 shall apply to both Ad-hoc and Institutional Arbitration:-

30.2.1 On invocation of the Arbitration clause by either party, BCPL shall suggest a panel of three independent and distinguished persons (Retd. Supreme Court & High Court Judges only) to the other party from the Panel of Arbitrators maintained by 'Delhi International Arbitration Centre (DIAC) to select any one among them to act as the Sole Arbitrator. In the event of failure of the other party to select the Sole Arbitrator within 30 days from the receipt of the communication from BCPL suggesting the panel of arbitrators, the right of selection of the sole arbitrator by the other party shall stand forfeited and BCPL shall appoint the Sole Arbitrator from the suggested panel of three Arbitrators for adjudication of dispute(s).

The decision of BCPL on the appointment of the sole arbitrator shall be final and binding on the other party. The fees payable to Sole Arbitrator shall be governed by the fee Schedule of ''Delhi International Arbitration Centre'.

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30.2.2 If a dispute arises out of or in connection with this contract, the party invoking the Arbitration shall submit that dispute to any one of the Arbitral Institutions i.e ICADR/ICA/DIAC/SFCA and that dispute shall be adjudicated in accordance with their respective Arbitration Rules. The matter shall be adjudicated by a Sole Arbitrator who shall necessarily be a Retd. Supreme Court/High Court Judge to be appointed/nominated by the respective institution. The cost/expenses pertaining to the said Arbitration shall also be governed in accordance with the Rules of the respective Arbitral Institution. The decision of the party invoking the Arbitration for reference of dispute to a specific Arbitral institution for adjudication of that dispute shall be final and binding on both the parties and shall not be subject to any change thereafter. The institution once selected at the time of invocation of dispute shall remain unchanged.

30.2.3 The cost of arbitration proceedings shall be shared equally by the parties.

30.2.4 The Arbitration proceedings shall be in English language and the seat, venue and place of Arbitration shall be New Delhi, India only.

30.2.5 Subject to the above, the provisions of Arbitration & Conciliation Act 1996 and any amendment thereof shall be applicable. All matter relating to this Contract and arising out of invocation of Arbitration clause are subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Court(s) situated at New Delhi.

30.2.6 List of Excepted matters:

a) Dispute(s)/issue(s) involving claims below Rs.25 lakhs and above Rs.25 crores.

b) Dispute(s)/issue(s) relating to indulgence of Contractor/Vendor/Bidder in corrupt/fraudulent/ collusive/coercive practices and/or the same is under investigation by CBI or Vigilance or any other investigating agency or Government.

c) Dispute(s)/issue(s) wherein the decision of Engineer-In-Charge/owner/BCPL has been made final and binding in terms of the Contract.

30.2.7 Disputes involving claims below Rs 25 Lakhs and above Rs. 25 crores:- Parties mutually agree that dispute(s)/issue(s) involving claims below Rs 25 Lakhs and above Rs 25 crores shall not be subject matter of Arbitration and are subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Court(s) situated at Dibrugarh.

30.3 GOVERNING LAW AND JURISDICTION:

The Contract shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws in force in India. The Parties hereby submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Competent Courts of Dibrugarh having territorial & pecuniary jurisdiction for adjudication of disputes, injunctive reliefs, actions and proceedings, if any, arising out of this Contract other than those covered under the arbitration clause as stated herein above.

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30.4 DISPUTES BETWEEN CPSE'S/GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT'S/ ORGANIZATIONS

Subject to pre litigation grievance/dispute redressal mechanism as provided above, in the event of any dispute or difference relating to the interpretation and application of the provisions of commercial contract(s) between Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs/ Port Trusts inter se and also between CPSEs and Government Departments /Organizations (excluding disputes concerning Railways, Income Tax, Customs & Excise Departments), such dispute or difference shall be taken up by either party for resolution through AMRCD as mentioned in OPE OM No. 4(1)/2013-DPE(GM)/FTS-1835 dated 22-05-2018.

Any party aggrieved with the decision of the Committee at the First level (tier) may prefer an appeal before the Cabinet Secretary at the Second level (tier) within 15 days from the date of receipt of decision of the Committee at First level, through it's administrative Ministry/Department, whose decision will be final and binding on all concerned.

The above provisions mentioned shall supersede provisions relating to Conciliation, Arbitration, Governing Law & Jurisdiction and Disputes between CPSE's/ Government Department's/ Organizations mentioned elsewhere in tender document.

30.5 CONTINUANCE OF THE CONTRACT:

Notwithstanding the fact that settlement of dispute(s) (if any) may be pending, the parties hereto shall continue to be governed by and perform the work in accordance with the provisions under this Contract and no payment due or payable to the Supplier shall be withheld on account of such proceedings.

30.6 NON-APPLICABILITY OF ARBITRATION CLAUSE IN CASE OF BANNING OF VENDORS/ SUPPLIERS / BIDDERS INDULGED IN FRAUDULENT/ COERCIVE PRACTICES

Notwithstanding anything contained contrary in GCC or elsewhere in the Purchase Order, in case it is found that the Bidder/ Supplier indulged in fraudulent/ coercive practices at the time of bidding, during execution of the Contract and/or on other grounds as mentioned in BCPL's "Procedure for action in case Corrupt/ Fraudulent/ Collusive/Coercive Practices", the Bidder/Supplier shall be banned (in terms of aforesaid procedure) from the date of issuance of such order by BCPL to such Bidder/Supplier.

The Bidder /Supplier understands and agrees that in such cases where Bidder /Supplier has been banned (in terms of aforesaid procedure) from the date of issuance of such order by BCPL, such decision of BCPL shall be final and binding on the Bidder /Supplier and the 'Arbitration Clause' mentioned in the GCC or elsewhere in the Purchase Order shall not be applicable for any consequential issue /dispute arising in the matter.

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31. GOVERNING LANGUAGE

31.1 The Contract shall be written in English language as specified by the Purchaser/Consultant in the Instruction to Bidders. All literature, correspondence and other documents pertaining to the Contract which are exchanged by the parties shall be written in English language. Printed literature in other language shall only be considered, if it is accompanied by an English translation. For the purposes of interpretation, English translation shall govern and be binding on all parties. The Supplier shall bear all costs of translation to the governing language and all risks of the accuracy of such translation.

31.2 The Supplier shall ensure that the language/terminology/description of Goods used in Purchase Order/Bill of Lading/Airway Bill/Invoice is verbatim in English and not at variance.

32. NOTICES

32.1 TO THE SUPPLIER: Any notice to be given to the Supplier may be served by the Purchaser/Consultant by facsimile / e-mail or through registered post/Courier at the address/contact information furnished by the Supplier. Proof of issue of any such notice could be conclusive of the Supplier having been duly informed of all contents therein.

32.2 TO THE PURCHASER/CONSULTANT: Any notice to be given to the Purchaser/Consultant under the terms of the Contract may be served by the Supplier, by facsimile / e-mail or delivering the same through registered post /Courier at the concerned site office.

32.3 A notice shall be effective when delivered or on the notice's effective date, whichever is later.

33. TAXES & DUTIES

33.1 A foreign Supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, stamp duties, license fees, and other such levies imposed outside the Purchaser's country.

33.2 A domestic Supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, duties, license fees etc. incurred until the delivery of the contracted goods to the Purchaser. However, GST on finished products shall be reimbursed by Purchaser.

33.3 Customs duty payable in India for imported Goods ordered by Purchaser on foreign Supplier shall be borne and paid by Purchaser.

33.4 Any income tax payable in respect of supervisory services rendered by foreign Supplier under the Contract shall be as per the Indian Income Tax Act and shall be borne by Supplier. It is upto the Bidder/Supplier to ascertain the amount of these taxes and to include them in his Bid price.

33.5 **TDS**

33.5.1 TDS as applicable will be deducted by BCPL under section 194Q of the Income Tax Act, 1961 on Purchases exceeds Rs. 50 Lakhs or limit defined therein from time to time during the financial year.

33.5.2 Since BCPL is liable to deduct Income Tax TDS under section 194Q, the provision of TCS as per section 206C (1H) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 shall not be applicable.

33.5.3 Higher rate of TDS for non-filers of ITR

As per Section 206AB of Income Tax Act, 1961, in case of any vendor/customer who does not filed their Income Tax Return for both of the two previous years preceding to current year and aggregate amount of TDS is more than or equal to Rs. 50,000/- in each of those previous two years (or limit defined by Govt. from time to time), then TDS will be deducted at the higher of following rates:

(i) Twice the rate mentioned in relevant TDS section.
(ii) Twice the rate or rates in force
(iii) 5%

34. BOOKS & RECORDS

34.1 Supplier shall maintain adequate books and records in connection with Contract and shall make them available for inspection and audit by Purchaser/Consultant or their authorized agents or representatives during the terms of Contract until expiry of the Contract Performance Security. Fixed price (lumpsum or unit price) Contract will not be subject to audit as to cost except for cost reimbursable items, such as escalation and termination claims, transportation and comparable requirements.

35. PERMITS & CERTIFICATES

35.1 Supplier shall procure, at his expense, all necessary permits, certificates and licences required by virtue of all applicable laws, regulations, ordinances and other rules in effect at the place where any of the work is to be performed, and Supplier further agrees to hold Purchaser and/or Consultant harmless from liability or penalty which might be imposed by reason of any asserted or established violation of such laws, regulations, ordinances or other rules. Purchaser will provide necessary permits for Supplier's personnel to undertake any work at Site in connection with Contract.

36. GENERAL

36.1 In the event that terms and conditions stipulated in the General Conditions of Contract should deviate from terms and conditions stipulated in the Contract, the latter shall prevail.

36.2 **Losses due to non-compliance of Instructions**

Losses or damages occurring to the Purchaser owing to the Supplier's failure to adhere to any of the instructions given by the Purchaser/Consultant in connection with the Contract execution shall be recoverable from the Supplier.

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36.3 **Recovery of sums due**

All costs, damages or expenses which the Purchaser/Consultant may have paid, for which under the Contract Supplier is liable, may be recovered by the Purchaser(he is hereby irrevocably authorized to do so) from any money due to or becoming due to the Supplier under this Contract or other Contracts and/or may be recovered by action at law or otherwise. If the sums due to the Supplier be not sufficient to recover the recoverable amount, the Supplier shall pay to the Purchaser, on demand, the balance amount.

36.4 **Payments, etc. not to affect rights of the Purchaser**

No sum paid on account by the Purchaser nor any extension of the date for completion granted by the Purchaser/Consultant shall affect or prejudice the rights of the Purchaser against the Supplier or relieve the Supplier of his obligation for the due fulfillment of the Contract.

36.5 **Cut-off Dates**

No claims or correspondence on claims on this Contract shall be entertained by the Purchaser/Consultant after 90 days after expiry of the Contract Performance Security (from the date of final extension, if any)

36.6: **Indemnity**

The Supplier hereby irrevocably and unconditionally undertakes to indemnify and keep indemnified the Purchaser/BCPL and all its employees, agents and assigns from and against all losses, penalties interests, costs etc., which may arise out of breach of any terms and conditions of this Contract by the Supplier and the employees' /personnel/sub-contractors/agents or any third party appointed by the Supplier for the purpose of implementation of their obligations under this Contract. The Supplier undertakes to compensate the Purchaser/BCPL forthwith on demand without protest any loss suffered by the Purchaser/BCPL together with direct/indirect expenses . This Indemnity shall remain valid and irrevocable for all claims of the Purchaser/BCPL arising from any such case or court case filed for which Purchaser/BCPL or its employees has been made party until now or here -in- after.

36.7 **Paragraph heading**

The paragraph heading in these conditions shall not affect the construction thereof.

36.8 Retired Purchaser's Director

No Director of BCPL is allowed to participate in tender for a period of 1 (one) year after his retirement from the employment of BCPL, without the prior permission of BCPL. The Contract if awarded is liable to be cancelled if the tenderer is found at any time to be such a person and has not obtained the permission of BCPL before submission of the tender. Any tender by a person aforesaid shall carry a disclosure thereof on the tender, and shall be accompanied by a copy of the document by which the requisite consent is given. Such disqualifications shall apply to every partner of a partnership firm.

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The tenderer is required to state whether he is a relative of any Director of BCPL, or whether the tenderer is a partnership firm, whether a Director of BCPL or its relative is a partner in the firm, or whether the tenderer is a Company, whether a Director of BCPL or relative of such Director is a substantial member holding more than 10% (ten percent) of the paid up capital in the Company, or a Director of the Company. The definition of relative shall be as per The Companies Act, 2013 and its amendment(s).

37. **IMPORT LICENSE**

37.1 No import license is required for the imports covered under this Contract.

38. **FALL CLAUSE**

The following Fall Clause shall be applicable in the Contract, only if there is a specific mention of its applicability in ITB or SCC of Tender Document.

38.1 The price charged for the Goods supplied under the Contract by the Supplier shall in no event exceed the lowest price at which the Supplier or his agent/principal/dealer, as the case may be, sells the Goods of identical description to any Persons/Organizations including the Purchaser or any Department of the Central Govt. or any Department of a State Govt. or any Statutory Undertaking of the Central or State Govt. as the case may be, during the currency of the Contract.

38.2 If at any time during the said period, the Supplier or his agent/principal/dealer, as the case may be, reduces the sale price, sells or offers to sell such materials to any persons/organizations including the Purchaser or any Deptt. of Central Govt. or State Govt. as the case may be, at a price lower than the price chargeable under the Contract, he shall forthwith notify such reduction or sale or offer of sale to the Purchase Authority who has issued the Purchase Order and the price payable under the Purchase Order for the materials supplied after the date of coming into force of such reduction or sale or offer of sale shall stand correspondingly reduced.

The above stipulation will, however, not apply to:
(i) Exports by the Supplier or
(ii) Sale of Goods as original equipment at prices lower than the prices charged for normal replacement
(iii)Sale of Goods such as drugs which have expiry dates.

38.3 The Supplier shall furnish the following certificate to the concerned Paying Authority along with each bill for payment for supplies made against this order:-

"I/We certify that there has been no reduction in sale price of the items/Goods/materials of description identical to those supplied to the BCPL under the order herein and such items/Goods/materials have not been offered/sold by me/us to any person/organizations

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including the Purchaser or any Deptt. of Central Govt. or any Deptt. of State Govt. or any Statutory Undertaking of the Central or State Govt. as the case may be upto the date of bill/during the currency of the Contract whichever is later, at a price lower than the price charged to the BCPL under this Purchase Order".

Such a certificate shall be obtained, except for quantity of items/Goods/materials categories under sub-clause (i), (ii) & (iii) of sub-para 38.2 above, of which details shall be furnished by the Supplier.

39. PUBLICITY & ADVERTISING

39.1 Supplier shall not without the written permission of Purchaser/Consultant make a reference to Purchaser/Consultant or any Company affiliated with Purchaser/Consultant or to the destination or the description of goods or services supplied under the contract in any publication, publicity or advertising media.

40. REPEAT ORDER

40.1 Purchaser reserves the right, within 6 months of order to place repeat order up to 50% of the original quantity without any change in unit price or other terms and conditions.

41. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

41.1 Notwithstanding anything contrary contained herein, the aggregate total liability of Supplier, excluding his liability towards infringement of patent, trade mark or industrial design rights under the contract or otherwise shall be limited to 100% of value of Purchase order, except that this clause shall not limit the liability of the Supplier for following:

(i) In the event of breach of any Applicable Law;
(ii) In the event of fraud, Willful Misconduct or illegal or unlawful acts, or gross Negligence of the Supplier or any person acting on behalf of the Supplier; or
(iii) In the event of acts or omissions of the Supplier which are contrary to the most elementary rules of diligence which a conscientious Supplier would have followed in similar circumstances; or
(iv) In the event of any claim or loss or damage arising out of infringement of Intellectual Property; or
(v) For any damage to any third party, including death or injury of any third party caused by the Supplier or any person or firm acting on behalf of the Supplier in executing the Contract.

However, neither party shall be liable to the other party for any indirect and consequential damages, loss of profits or loss of production.

42. COMPLETION CERTIFICATE AND EXECUTION CERTIFICATE

42.1 No Completion Certificate shall be issued against orders for supply of goods only. However, for these cases, a copy of Good Receipt (GR) duly signed by concerned Store-in-charge will be forwarded to the Supplier.

42.2 Completion Certificate, in case of Purchase Orders for supply of Goods along with associated/incidental Services (like erection, installation, commissioning etc.) should be issued after completion of supplies/services in accordance with Contract.

42.3 Completion of supplies, for issuance of completion certificate, shall be completion of supply and acceptance of Goods in all respect as per provisions of Contract.

42.4 **Application for Completion Certificate**: When the Supplier fulfills his obligation under the Contract he shall be eligible to apply for Completion Certificate. The Purchaser/Consultant shall normally issue to the Supplier the Completion Certificate within one month after receiving any application thereof from the Supplier after verifying from the completion documents and satisfying himself that the supplies have been made in accordance with and as set out in the Contract.

42.5 **Completion Certificate**: Within one month from receipt of application from Supplier after the completion of the Supplies in all respects as specified above at clause no. 42.4, the Supplier shall be furnished with a certificate by the Purchaser/Consultant such completion. Purchaser's/Consultant's certification about completion of supplies in all aspects shall be binding and conclusive.

42.6 **Execution Certificate**: Execution Certificate during currency of Rate contract can be issued by Purchaser/Consultant against written request from Supplier.

43.0 PROVISIONS FOR BUY-BACK ITEMS:

The following provision for Buy-Back shall be applicable in the Contract, only if there is a specific mention of its applicability in ITB or SCC of Tender Document.

43.1 Old materials will be handed over to the Supplier in terms of the contract with proper documentation on "as is where is basis". The Supplier is required to take away such materials out of BCPL immediately after handing over to them.

43.2 The Supplier will not sell these materials to any Purchaser's employee without written permission of Purchaser/HR Department-Purchaser, to be obtained by the Purchaser employee(s). Even after such permission is obtained by employee(s), the Supplier is free to take decision whether to sell such item(s) to Purchaser employee(s) or not.

43.3 The Supplier will maintain a separate record for such sales to Purchaser employees and will make the same available as and when requited by Purchaser.

43.4 The Supplier will accept payment only by Cheque/Demand Draft/e-banking (NEFT) for sale of old item(s) to BCPL employee(s).

43.5 The Supplier is required to take away the buy-back items out of BCPL premises at his cost within 14 days of notice. Failure or any delays of Supplier for removal of buy-back items, the Purchaser shall be entitled to recover handling and storage charges @5% of the buy-back value of such items for each month or part of a month without relieving the Supplier from any other related liability. In the event of the Supplier's failure to remove the same within a period of 6 months, the Purchaser will take action for removal through auction or sale on behalf of the Supplier and at his risk in all respects. The buy back amount deducted from payment and proceed of such action or sale will be adjusted towards handling, storage and overhead charges of BCPL. The decision of Purchaser w.r.t. such removal and the amount of the proceeds shall be final and binding on the Supplier. The Purchaser shall in no way be responsible for any deterioration or damage to the Equipment under any circumstances whatsoever. Further, such action shall be considered as poor-performance and action will be taken as per procedure in this regard.

44.0 CONFIDENTIALITY:

The Supplier, it's Sub-Contractor and their personnel shall not, either during the term or within two (2) years after the expiration of this Contract, disclose any proprietary or confidential information related to work / Project, this Contract, or Purchaser's business or operations without the prior consent of the Purchaser.

45.0 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHT:

The Supplier shall retain the copy right and other intellectual property rights in the Supplier's document and other design documents made by (or on behalf of) the Supplier.

Subject to the confidentiality obligations, by signing the Contract, within the value of Contract, the Supplier shall be deemed to give to the Purchaser a non-terminable, transferable, non-exclusive and royalty-free right to copy, use and communicate the Supplier's documents for the operation, maintenance, repair of the Goods/Work / Plant, training and Statutory purposes, but not for any other purpose. Such documents of the Supplier shall not be used, copied or communicated to a third party by or on behalf of the Purchaser for the purposes other than those permitted, without the Supplier's Consent.

46.0 ACTION IN CASE OF CORRUPT/ FRAUDULENT/ COLLUSIVE/ COERCIVE PRACTICES AND POOR PERFORMANCE:

The procedure for action in case of Corrupt/ Fraudulent/ Collusive/ Coercive Practices containing provisions for putting a Bidder/Supplier on suspension and/or banning list (as the

case may be) if such an agency has indulged in Corrupt/ Fraudulent/ Collusive/ Coercive Practices. The Procedure is also enclosed as Appendix-I to this GCC.

Further, Bidder/Supplier accepts and solemnly affirms that they shall not indulge themselves or allow others (working in BCPL) to indulge in fraudulent activities and that they would immediately apprise the Owner/BCPL/Employer / Organization(s) of the fraud/ suspected fraud as soon as it comes to their notice. Concealment of facts regarding Bidder/Supplier's involvement in fraudulent activities in connection with the business transaction(s) of BCPL is liable to be treated as crime and dealt with by the procedures of BCPL as applicable from time to time.

47.0 VENDOR PERFORMANCE EVALUATION

The procedure for evaluation of performance of Supplier containing provisions for putting a Bidder / Supplier on suspension and/or holiday list (as the case may be) is enclosed as Appendix II to this GCC.

APPENDIX-I

PROCEDURE FOR ACTION IN CASE CORRUPT/FRAUDULENT/COLLUSIVE/COERCIVE PRACTICES

A Definitions:

A.1 "Corrupt Practice" means the offering, giving, receiving or soliciting, directly or indirectly, anything of value to improperly influence the actions in selection process or in contract execution.

"Corrupt Practice" also includes any omission for misrepresentation that may mislead or attempt to mislead so that financial or other benefit may be obtained or an obligation avoided.

A2 "Fraudulent Practice" means and include any act or omission committed by an agency or with his connivance or by his agent by misrepresenting/ submitting false documents and/ or false information or concealment of facts or to deceive in order to influence a selection process or during execution of Contract/ order.

A3 "Collusive Practice amongst bidders (prior to or after bid submission)" means a scheme or arrangement designed to establish Bid prices at artificial non-competitive levels and to deprive the Purchaser of the benefits of free and open competition.

A.4 "Coercive practice" means impairing or harming or threatening to impair or harm directly or indirectly, any agency or its property to influence the improperly actions of an agency, obstruction of any investigation or auditing of a procurement process.

A.5 "Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant/Bidder" is herein after referred as "Agency" in this Annexure.

A.6 "Appellate Authority" shall mean Committee of Directors of BCPL consisting of Managing Director, BCPL & Director (Finance).

A.7 "Competent Authority" shall mean the authority of BCPL, who is competent to take final decision for Suspension of business dealing with an Agency(ies) and Banning of business dealings with Agency(ies) and shall be the "COO".

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A.8 "Allied Agency" shall mean all the concerns within the sphere of effective influence of banned/ suspended agencies. In determining this, the following factors may be taken into consideration:

(a) Whether the management is common;
(b) Majority interest in the management is held by the partners or directors of banned/ suspended firm.
(c) substantial or majority shares are owned by banned/ suspended agency and by virtue of this it has a controlling voice.

A.9 "Investigating Agency" shall mean any department or unit of BCPL investigating into the conduct of Agency/ party and shall include the Vigilance Department of the BCPL, Central Bureau of Investigation, State Police or any other agency set up by the Central or State Government having power to investigate.

B Actions against Bidder(s) indulging in corrupt /fraudulent/ collusive/ coercive practice

B.1 Irregularities noticed during the evaluation of the bids:

If it is observed during bidding process/ bids evaluation stage that a bidder has indulged in corrupt/fraudulent /collusive/coercive practice, the bid of such bidder (s) shall be rejected and its EMD shall be forfeited.

Further, such agency shall be banned for future business with BCPL for a period specified in para B 2.2 below from the date of issue of banning order.

B.2 Irregularities noticed after award of Contract

(i) During execution of Contract:

If an agency, is found to have indulged in corrupt/fraudulent/ collusive /coercive practices, during execution of Contract, the agency shall be banned for future business with BCPL for a period specified in para B 2.2 below from the date of issue of banning order.

The concerned Order (s)/ Contract(s) where corrupt/ fraudulent/ collusive practices is observed, shall be suspended with immediate effect by Engineer-in-Charge (EIC)/ Employer whereby the supply/ work/ service and payment etc.

will be suspended. The action shall be initiated for putting the agency on banning.

After conclusion of process, the Order(s)/ Contract(s) where it is concluded that such irregularities have been committed, shall be terminated and Contract cum Performance Bank Guarantee (CPBG)/ Contract Performance Security (CPS) submitted by agency against such Order(s)/ Contract(s) shall also be forfeited. The amount that may have become due to the Contractor/Supplier on account of work/supplies already executed by him shall be payable to the Contractor/Supplier and this amount shall be subject to adjustment against any amounts due from the Contractor/Supplier under the terms of the contract.

No risk and cost provision will be enforced in such cases.

(iv) After execution of contract and during Defect Liability Period (DLP)/ Warranty/Guarantee Period:

If an Agency is found to have indulged in corrupt/fraudulent/ collusive /coercive practices, after execution of Contract and during DLP/ Warranty/Guarantee Period, the Agency shall be banned for future business with BCPL for a period specified in para B 2.2 below from the date of issue of banning order.

Further, the CPBG/CPS submitted by Agency against such Order(s)/Contract(s) shall be forfeited.

(v) After expiry of DLP/ Warranty/Guarantee Period

If an Agency is found to have indulged in corrupt/fraudulent/ collusive /coercive practices, after expiry of DLP/ Warranty/Guarantee Period, the Agency shall be banned for future business with BCPL for a period specified in para B 2.2 below from the date of issue of banning order.

B.2.2 Period of Banning

Banning period shall be reckoned from the date of banning order and shall be 3 years.

In exceptional cases where the act of Bidder/Supplier/Vendor/Contractor is a threat to the National Security, the banning shall be for indefinite period.

C Effect of banning on other ongoing contracts/ tenders

C.1 If an Agency is put on Banning, such agency should not be considered in ongoing tender(s)/future tender(s).

C.2 However, if such an Agency is already executing other order(s)/contract (s) where no corrupt/fraudulent/ collusive/coercive practice is found, the Agency should be allowed to continue till its completion without any further increase in scope except those incidental to original scope mentioned in the contract.

C.3 If an Agency is put on the Banning List during tendering and no irregularity is found in the case under process:

C.3.1 after issue of the Tender Document but before opening of Part-I/Technical Bid, the bid submitted by the Agency shall be ignored.

C.3.2 after opening Part-I/Technical bid but before opening the Price bid, the Price bid of the Agency shall not be opened and EMD submitted by the Agency shall be returned to the Agency.

C.3.3 after opening of price (Part-II), EMD submitted by the Agency shall be returned; the offer of the Agency shall be ignored & will not be further evaluated. If the agency is put on banning list for fraud/ mis-appropriation of facts committed in the same Tender Document/other tender where errant Agency emerges as the lowest (L1), then such tendering process shall also be cancelled and re-invited.

D. Procedure for Suspension of Bidder

D.1 Initiation of Suspension

Action for suspension business dealing with any Agency(ies) shall be initiated by Corporate C&P Department, BCPL when :-

(iv) Corporate Vigilance Department, BCPL based on the fact of the case gathered during investigation by them recommend for specific immediate action against the Agency.

(v) Corporate Vigilance Department, BCPL based on the input from Investigating agency, forward for specific immediate action against the Agency.

(vi) Nonperformance of Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant leading to termination of Contract/Order.

D.2 Suspension Procedure:

D.2.1 The order of suspension would operate initially for a period not more than 6 (six) months and is to be communicated to the Agency and also to Corporate Vigilance Department, BCPL. Period of suspension can be extended with the approval of the Competent Authority by 1 (one) month at a time with a ceiling of 6(six) months pending a conclusive decision to put the Agency on banning list.

D.2.2 During the period of suspension, no new business dealing may be held with the Agency.

D.2.3 Period of suspension shall be accounted for in the final order passed for banning of business with the Agency.

D.2.4 The decision regarding suspension of business dealings should also be communicated to the Agency.

D.2.5 If a prima-facie, case is made out that the agency is guilty on the grounds which can result in banning of business dealings, proposal for issuance of suspension order and show cause notice shall be put up to the Competent Authority. The suspension order and show cause notice must include that (i) the Agency is put on suspension list and (ii) why action should not be taken for banning the Agency for future business from BCPL.

The Competent Authority to approve the suspension will be same as that for according approval for banning.

D 3 Effect of Suspension of business:

Effect of suspension on other on-going/future tenders will be as under:

D.3.1 No enquiry/bid/tender shall be entertained from an Agency as long as the name of Agency appears in the Suspension List.

D.3.2 If an Agency is put on the Suspension List during tendering process:

D.3.2.1 after issue of the Tender Document but before opening of Part-I/Technical Bid, the Bid submitted by the Agency shall be ignored.

D.3.2.2 after opening Part-I/ Technical Bid but before opening of Part-II/ Price bid, the Price bid of the Agency shall not be opened and EMD submitted by the Agency shall be returned to the Agency.

D.3.2.3 after opening of price, EMD submitted by the Agency shall be returned; the Offer/Bid of the Agency shall be ignored & will not be further evaluated. If the Agency is put on Suspension list for fraud/ mis-appropriation of facts conducted in the same/other tendering process where errant Agency emerges as the lowest (L1), then such tendering process shall also be cancelled and re-invited.

D.3.3 The existing contract (s)/ order (s) under execution shall continue.

D.3.4 The Bidder confirms/undertake that (i) neither the Bidder themselves nor their allied Agency(ies) are on banning list of BCPL or the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas and (ii) Bidder is not banned by any Government department/ Public Sector.

E. Appeal against the Decision of the Competent Authority:

E.1 The Agency may file an appeal against the order of the Competent Authority for putting the Agency on banning list. The Appeal shall be filed to Appellate Authority of BCPL. Such an appeal shall be preferred within one month from the date of receipt of banning order.

E.2 Appellate Authority would consider the appeal and pass appropriate order which shall be communicated to the party as well as the Competent Authority.

E.3 Appeal process may be completed within 45 days of filing of appeal with the Appellate Authority.

F. Wherever there is contradiction with respect to terms of 'Integrity pact', GCC and 'Procedure for action in case of Corrupt/Fraudulent/ Collusive/Coercive Practice', the provisions of 'Procedure for action in case of Corrupt/Fraudulent/ Collusive/Coercive Practice' shall prevail.

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Bidder's sign

APPENDIX-II

PROCEDURE FOR EVALUATION OF PERFORMANCE OF VENDORS/ SUPPLIERS/ CONTRACTORS/ CONSULTANTS

1.0 OBJECTIVE

The objective of Evaluation of Performance aims to recognize, and develop reliable Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants so that they consistently meet or exceed expectations and requirements.

The purpose of this procedure is to put in place a system to monitor performance of Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants associated with BCPL so as to ensure timely completion of various projects, timely receipt of supplies including completion of works & services for operation and maintenance of operating plants and quality standards in all respects.

2.0 METHODOLOGY

i) Preparation of Performance Rating Data Sheet

Performance rating data Sheet for each and every Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/Consultant for all orders/Contracts with a value of Rs. 50 Lakhs and above is recommended to be drawn up. Further, Performance rating data Sheet for orders/contracts of Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant who are on watch list/holiday list/ banning list shall be prepared irrespective of order/ contract value. These data sheets are to be separately prepared for orders/ contracts related to Projects and O&M. Format, Parameters, Process, responsibility for preparation of Performance Rating Data Sheet are separately mentioned.

ii) Measurement of Performance

Based on the parameters defined in Data Sheet, Performance of concerned Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant would be computed and graded accordingly. The measurement of the performance of the Party would be its ability to achieve the minimum scoring of 60% points in the given parameters.

iii) Initiation of Measures:

Depending upon the Grading of Performance, corrective measures would be initiated by taking up the matter with concerned Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant. Response of Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant would be considered before deciding further course of action.

iv) Implementation of Corrective Measures:

Based on the response of Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant, concerned Engineer-in-Charge for the Projects and/or OIC in case of O&M would recommend for continuation or discontinuation of such party from the business of BCPL.

v) Orders/contracts placed on Proprietary/OEM basis for O&M will be evaluated and, if required, corrective action will be taken for improvement in future.

3.0 PROCESS OF EVALUATION OF PERFORMANCE OF VENDORS/ SUPPLIERS/ CONTRACTORS/ CONSULTANTS

3.1 FOR PROJECTS

i) Evaluation of performance of Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants in case of PROJECTS shall be done immediately with commissioning of any Project.

ii) On commissioning of any Project, EIC (Engineer-in-charge)/ Project-in-charge shall prepare a Performance Rating Data Sheet (Format at Annexure-1) for all Orders and Contracts.

iii) Depending upon the Performance Rating, following action shall be initiated by Engineer-in-charge/Project-in-charge:

Sl.No.	Performance Rating	Action
1	POOR	Seek explanation for Poor performance
2	FAIR	Seek explanation for Fair performance
3	GOOD	Letter to the concerned for improving performance in future
4	VERY GOOD	No further action

iv) Reply from concerned Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant shall be examined. In case of satisfactory reply, Performance Rating data Sheet to be closed with a letter to the concerned for improving performance in future.

v) When no reply is received or reasons indicated are unsatisfactory, the following actions need to be taken:

A) Where performance rating is "POOR" (as per Performance Rating carried out after execution of Order/ Contract and where no reply/ unsatisfactory reply is received from party against the letter seeking the explanation from Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant along with sharing the performance rating)

Recommend such defaulting Vendor / Supplier / Contractor / Consultant for the following action:

3. Poor Performance on account of Quality (if marks obtained against Quality parameter is less than 20):

   (b) First Instance: **Holiday (Red Card) for Two Years**

   (b) Subsequent instance (s) in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Holiday (Red Card) for Three Years**

4. Poor Performance on account of other than Quality (if marks obtained against Quality parameter is more than 20):

   (b) First such instance: **Advisory notice (Yellow Card)** shall be issued and Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant shall be **put on watch list for a period of Three (3) Years**.

   (b) Second such instance in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Putting on Holiday (Red Card) for a period of One Year**

   (c) Subsequent instances (more than two) in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Putting on Holiday (Red Card) for a period of Three Years.**

B) Where Poor/Non-Performance leading to termination of contract or Offloading of contract due to poor performance attributable to Vendor/Supplier/ Contractor/Consultant

(d) First instance: **Advisory notice (Yellow Card)** shall be issued and Vendor/Supplier/Contractor /Consultant shall be **put on watch list for a period of Three (3) Years.**

Further such vendor will not be allowed to participate in the re-tender of the same supply/work/services of that location which has terminated / offloaded. Moreover, it will be ensured that all other action as per provision of contract including forfeiture of Contract Performance Security (CPS) etc. are undertaken.

However, such vendor will be allowed to participate in all other tenders and to execute other ongoing order/ contract (s) or new contract/ order (s).

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Bidder's sign

The Yellow card will be automatically revoked after a period of three years unless the same is converted into Red Card due to subsequence instances of poor/ non-performance in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant.

(e) Second instances in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Holiday (Red Card) for period of One Year** and they shall also to be **considered for Suspension**.

(f) Subsequent instances (more than two) in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Holiday (Red Card) for period of Three Years and they shall also to be considered for Suspension**.

(C) Where Performance rating is "FAIR":

Issuance of warning to such defaulting Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant to improve their performance.

3.2 FOR CONSULTANCY JOBS

Monitoring and Evaluation of consultancy jobs will be carried out in the same way as described in para 3.1 for Projects.

3.3 FOR OPERATION & MAINTENANCE

i) Evaluation of performance of Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants in case of Operation and Maintenance shall be done immediately after execution of order/ contract.

ii) After execution of orders a Performance Rating Data Sheet (Format at Annexure-2) shall be prepared for Orders by Site C&P and for Contracts/Services by respective Engineer-In-Charge.

iii) Depending upon Performance Rating, following action shall be initiated by EIC:

Sl. No.	Performance Rating	Action
1	**POOR**	Seek explanation for Poor performance
2.	**FAIR**	Seek explanation for Fair

		performance
3	**GOOD**	Letter to the concerned for improving performance in future.
4	**VERY GOOD**	No further action

iv) Reply from concerned Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant shall be examined. In case of satisfactory reply, Performance Rating data Sheet to be closed with a letter to the concerned for improving performance in future.

v) When no reply is received or reasons indicated are unsatisfactory, the following actions need to be taken:

A) Where performance rating is "POOR" (as per Performance Rating carried out after execution of Order/ Contract and where no reply/ unsatisfactory reply is received from party against the letter seeking the explanation from Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant along with sharing the performance rating)

Recommend such defaulting Vendor / Supplier / Contractor / Consultant for the following action:

3. Poor Performance on account of Quality (if marks obtained against Quality parameter is less than 20):

   (c) First Instance: **Holiday (Red Card) for Two Years**

   (d) Subsequent instance (s) in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Holiday (Red Card) for Three Years**

4. Poor Performance on account of other than Quality (if marks obtained against Quality parameter is more than 20):

   (d) First such instance: **Advisory notice (Yellow Card)** shall be issued and Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant shall be **put on watch list for a period of Three (3) Years.**

   (e) Second such instance in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Putting on Holiday (Red Card) for a period of One Year**

   (f) Subsequent instances (more than two) in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Putting on Holiday (Red Card) for a period of Three Years.**

B) Where Poor/Non-Performance leading to termination of contract or Offloading of contract due to poor performance attributable to Vendor/Supplier/ Contractor/Consultant

(d) First instance: **Advisory notice (Yellow Card)** shall be issued and Vendor/Supplier/Contractor /Consultantshall be **put on watch list for a period of Three (3) Years**.

Further such vendor will not be allowed to participate in the re-tender of the same supply/work/services of that location which has terminated / offloaded. Moreover, it will be ensured that all other action as per provision of contract including forfeiture of Contract Performance Security (CPS) etc. are undertaken.

However, such vendor will be allowed to participate in all other tenders and to execute other ongoing order/ contract (s) or new contract/ order (s).

The Yellow card will be automatically revoked after a period of three years unless the same is converted into Red Card due to subsequence instances of poor/ non-performance in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant.

(e) Second instances in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Holiday (Red Card) for period of One Year** and they shall also to be **considered for Suspension**.

(f) Subsequent instances (more than two) in other ongoing order (s)/ contract (s) or new order (s) /contact (s) on such Vendor/ Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant: **Holiday (Red Card) for period of Three Years** and they shall also to be considered for **Suspension**.

(C) Where Performance rating is "FAIR"

Issuance of warning to such defaulting Vendors/Contractors/Consultants to improve their performance.

4.0 **EXCLUSIONS:**

The following would be excluded from the scope of evaluation of performance of Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants :

i) Orders/Contracts below the value of Rs. 50 Lakhs if Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultants not on watch list/ holiday list/ banning list.

ii) Orders for Misc./Administrative items/ Non stock Non valuated items (PO with material code ending with 8).

However, concerned Engineer-in-Charge /OICs will continue to monitor such cases so as to minimize the impact on Projects/O&M plants due to non performance of Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants in all such cases.

5.0 REVIEW & RESTORATION OF PARITES PUT ON HOLIDAY

5.1 An order for Holiday passed for a certain specified period shall deemed to have been automatically revoked on the expiry of that specified period and it will not be necessary to issue a specific formal order of revocation.

Further, in case Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant is put on holiday due to quality, and new order is placed on bidder after restoration of Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant, such order will be properly monitored during execution stage by the concerned site.

6.0 EFFECT OF HOLIDAY

6.1 If a Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant is put on Holiday, such Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant shall not be considered in ongoing tenders/future tenders.

6.2 However, if such Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant is already executing any other order/ contract and their performance is satisfactory in terms of the relevant contract, should be allowed to continue till its completion without any further increase in scope except those incidental to original scope mentioned in the contract. In such a case CPBG will not be forfeited and payment will be made as per provisions of concerned contract. However, this would be without prejudice to other terms and conditions of the contract.

6.3. Effect on other ongoing tendering:

6.3.1 after issue of the enquiry /bid/tender but before opening of Technical bid, the bid submitted by the party shall be ignored.

6.3.2 after opening Technical bid but before opening the Price bid, the Price bid of the party shall not be opened and BG/EMD submitted by the party shall be returned to the party.

6.3.3 after opening of price, BG/EMD made by the party shall be returned; the offer of the party shall be ignored & will not be further evaluated. If errant party emerges as the lowest (L1), then such tender shall also be cancelled and re-invited.

7.0 While putting the Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant on holiday as per the procedure, the holding company, subsidiary, joint venture, sister concerns, group

division of the errant Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant shall not be considered for putting on holiday list.

Any bidder, put on holiday, will not be allowed to bid through consortium route also in new tender during the period of holiday.

8.0 If an unsuccessful bidder makes any vexatious, frivolous or malicious complaint against the tender process with the intention of delaying or defeating any procurement or causing loss to BCPL or any other bidder, such bidder will be put on holiday for a period of six months, if such complaint is proved to be vexatious, frivolous or malicious, after following the due procedure.

9. APPEAL AGAINST THE DECISION OF THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY:

(d) The party may file an appeal against the order of the Competent Authority for putting the party on Holiday list. The appeal shall be filed to Appellate Authority. Such an appeal shall be preferred within one month from the of receipt of Holiday order.

(e) Appellate Authority would consider the appeal and pass appropriate order which shall be communicated to the party as well as the Competent Authority.

(f) Appeal process may be completed within 45 days of filing of appeal with the Appellate Authority.

(d) "Appellate Authority" shall mean Committee of Managing Director, BCPL & Director (Finance), BCPL.

10. **ERRANT BIDDER**

In case after price bid opening the lowest evaluated bidder (L1) is not awarded the job for any mistake committed by him in bidding or withdrawal of bid or modification of bid or varying any term in regard thereof leading to re-tendering, BCPL shall forfeit EMD if paid by the bidder and such bidders shall be debarred from participation in retendering of the same job(s)/item(s).

Further, such bidder will be put on Watch List (Yellow Card) for a period of three years after following the due procedure. However, during the period in watch list such vendor will be allowed to participate in all other tenders and to execute other ongoing order/ contract (s) or new contract/ order (s).

In case of subsequent instances of default in other tender(s) during aforesaid watch list period, the action shall be initiated as per provision of sl. no. 2 of para A of Clause no. 3.1 (v) and 3.3 (v).

The Yellow card will be automatically revoked after specified period unless the same is converted into Red Card.

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Bidder's sign

11. In case CBIC (Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs)/ any tax authority / any equivalent government agency brings to the notice of BCPL that the Supplier has not remitted the amount towards GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) collected from BCPL to the government exchequer, then, that Supplier shall be put under Holiday list of BCPL for period of six months after following the due procedure. This action will be in addition to the right of recovery of financial implication arising on BCPL.

Annexure-1

BCPL
PERFORMANCE RATING DATA SHEET
(FOR PROJECTS/ CONSULTANCY JOBS)

i) Project/Work Centre :

ii) Order/ Contract No. & date :

iii) Brief description of Items Works/Assignment :

iv) Order/Contract value (Rs.) :

v) Name of Vendor/Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant :

vi) Contracted delivery/ Completion Schedule :

vii) Actual delivery/ Completion date :

Performance Parameter	Delivery/ Completion Performance	Quality Performance	Reliability Performance#	Total
Maximum Marks	40	40	20	100
Marks Allocated				

Note:
Remarks (if any)

PERFORMANCE RATING (**)

Note :

(#) Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant who seek repeated financial assistance or deviation beyond contract payment term or seeking direct payment to the sub-vendor/sub-contractor due to financial constraints, then '0' marks should be allotted against Reliability Performance.

(*) Allocation of marks should be as per enclosed instructions

(**) Performance rating shall be classified as under :

Sl. No.	Range (Marks)	Rating
1	60 & below	POOR
2	61-75	FAIR
3	76-90	GOOD
4	More than 90	VERY GOOD

Signature of Authorised Signatory:

Name:

Designation:

Bidder's sign

Instructions for allocation of marks

1. Marks are to be allocated as under :

1.1 DELIVERY/ COMPLETION PERFORMANCE — 40 Marks

Delivery Period/ Completion Schedule	Delay in Weeks	Marks
a) Upto 3 months	Before CDD	40
	Delay upto 4 weeks	35
	" 8 weeks	30
	" 10 weeks	25
	" 12 weeks	20
	" 16 weeks	15
	More than 16 weeks	0
b) Above 3 months	Before CDD	40
	Delay upto 4 weeks	35
	" 8 weeks	30
	" 10 weeks	25
	" 16 weeks	20
	" 20 weeks	15
	" 24 weeks	10
	More than 24 weeks	0

1.2 QUALITY PERFORMANCE — 40 Marks

For Normal Cases : No Defects/ No Deviation/ No failure:		40 marks
i) Rejection/Defects	Marks to be allocated on prorata basis for acceptable quantity as compared to total quantity for normal cases	10 marks
ii) When quality failure endanger system integration and safety of the system	Failure of severe nature	0 marks
	- Moderate nature	5 marks
	- low severe nature	10-25 marks
iii) Number of deviations	1. No deviation	5 marks
	2. No. of deviations $\leq$ 2	2 marks
	3. No. of deviations > 2	0 marks

Bidder's sign

1.3 RELIABILITY PERFORMANCE 20 Marks

A.	**FOR WORKS/CONTRACTS**	
i)	Submission of order acceptance, agreement, PBG, Drawings and other documents within time	4 marks
ii)	Mobilization of resources as per Contract and in time	4 marks
iii)	Liquidation of Check-list points	4 marks
iv)	Compliance to statutory and HS&E requirements or Reliability of Estimates/Design/Drawing etc. in case of Consultancy jobs	4 marks
v)	Timely submission of estimates and other documents for Extra, Substituted & AHR items	4 marks
B.	**FOR SUPPLIES**	
i)	Submission of order acceptance, PBG, Drawings and other documents within time	5 marks
ii)	Attending complaints and requests for after sales service/ warranty repairs and/ or query/ advice (upto the evaluation period).	5 marks
iii)	Response to various correspondence and conformance to standards like ISO	5 marks
iv)	Submission of all required documents including Test Certificates at the time of supply	5 marks

Bidder's sign

Annexure-2

BCPL
PERFORMANCE RATING DATA SHEET
(FOR O&M)

i) Location :

ii) Order/ Contract No. & date :

iii) Brief description of Items Works/Assignment :

iv) Order/Contract value (Rs.) :

v) Name of Vendor/Supplier/ Contractor/ Consultant :

vi) Contracted delivery/ Completion Schedule :

vii) Actual delivery/ Completion date :

Performance Parameter	Delivery Performance	Quality Performance	Reliability Performance#	Total
Maximum Marks	40	40	20	100
Marks Allocated (*)				

Remarks (if any)

PERFORMANCE RATING (**)

Note :

(#) Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant who seek repeated financial assistance or deviation beyond contract payment term or seeking direct payment to the sub-vendor/sub-contractor due to financial constraints, then '0' marks should be allotted against Reliability Performance

(*) Allocation of marks should be as per enclosed instructions

(**) Performance rating shall be classified as under :

Sl. No.	Range (Marks)	Rating
1	60 & below	POOR
2	61-75	FAIR
3	76-90	GOOD
4	More than 90	VERY GOOD

Signature of Authorised Signatory:

Name:

Designation:

Bidder's sign

Instructions for allocation of marks (For O&M)

1. Marks are to be allocated as under :

1.1 DELIVERY/ COMPLETION PERFORMANCE — 40 Marks

Delivery Period/ Completion Schedule	Delay in Weeks	Marks
a) Upto 3 months	Before CDD	40
	Delay upto 4 weeks	35
	" 8 weeks	30
	" 10 weeks	25
	" 12 weeks	20
	" 16 weeks	15
	More than 16 weeks	0
b) Above 3 months	Before CDD	40
	Delay upto 4 weeks	35
	" 8 weeks	30
	" 10 weeks	25
	" 16 weeks	20
	" 20 weeks	15
	" 24 weeks	10
	More than 24 weeks	0

1.2 QUALITY PERFORMANCE — 40 Marks

For Normal Cases : No Defects/ No Deviation/ No failure:		40 marks
i) Rejection/Defects	Marks to be allocated on prorata basis for acceptable quantity as compared to total quantity for normal cases	10 marks
ii) When quality failure endanger system integration and safety of the system	Failure of severe nature	0 marks
	- Moderate nature	5 marks
	- low severe nature	10-25 marks
iii) Number of deviations	1. No deviation	5 marks
	2. No. of deviations $\leq$ 2	2 marks
	3. No. of deviations > 2	0 marks

Bidder's sign

1.3 RELIABILITY PERFORMANCE **20 Marks**

A.	**FOR WORKS/CONTRACTS**	
i)	Submission of order acceptance, agreement, PBG, Drawings and other documents within time	4 marks
ii)	Mobilization of resources as per Contract and in time	4 marks
iii)	Liquidation of Check-list points	4 marks
iv)	Compliance to statutory and HS&E requirements or Reliability of Estimates/Design/Drawing etc. in case of Consultancy jobs	4 marks
v)	Timely submission of estimates and other documents for Extra, Substituted & AHR items	4 marks
B.	**FOR SUPPLIES**	
i)	Submission of order acceptance, PBG, Drawings and other documents within time	5 marks
ii)	Attending complaints and requests for after sales service/ warranty repairs and/ or query/ advice (upto the evaluation period).	5 marks
iii)	Response to various correspondence and conformance to standards like ISO	5 marks
iv)	Submission of all required documents including Test Certificates at the time of supply	5 marks

Bidder's sign

APPENDIX-III

PROFORMA OF "BANK GUARANTEE" FOR "CONTRACT PERFORMANCE SECURITY / SECURITY DEPOSIT (ON NON-JUDICIAL STAMP PAPER OF APPROPRIATE VALUE)

To, M/s BCPL _____	**Bank Guarantee No.**	
	Date of BG	
	BG Valid up to (expiry date)	
	Claim period up to (There should be three months gap between expiry date of BG & Claim period)	
	Stamp Sl. No./e-Stamp Certificate No.	

Dear Sir(s),

M/s. _____ having registered office at _____ (herein after called the "Contractor/Supplier" which expression shall wherever the context so require include its successors and assignees) have been placed/ awarded the job/work of _____ vide PO/LOA /FOA No. _____dated_____ Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited having Registered Office at 7th Floor, NRL Centre, 122A G.S Road, Christian Basti, Guwahati, Assam, Pin - 781005, India (herein after called the "BCPL" which expression shall wherever the context so require include its successors and assignees).

The Contract conditions provide that the Supplier/Contractor shall pay a sum of Rs.[or currency of Contract] _____ (Rupees _____) as full Contract Performance Guarantee in the form therein mentioned. The form of payment of Contract Performance Guarantee includes guarantee executed by Nationalized Bank/Scheduled Commercial Bank, undertaking full responsibility to indemnify BCPL, in case of default.

The said M/s._____ has approached us and at their request and in consideration of the premises we having our office at _____ have agreed to give such guarantee as hereinafter mentioned.

1. We _____ hereby undertake to give the irrevocable & unconditional guarantee to you that if default shall be made by M/s. _____ in performing any of the terms and conditions of the tender/order/contract or in payment of any money payable to BCPL we shall on first demand pay without demur, contest, protest and/ or without any recourse or

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reference to the contractor to BCPL in such manner and at time, as BCPL may direct the said amount of Rupees _____ only or such portion thereof not exceeding the said sum as you may require from time to time.

2. You will have the full liberty without reference to us and without affecting this guarantee, postpone for any time or from time to time the exercise of any of the powers and rights conferred on you under the order/contract with the said M/s. _____ and to enforce or to forbear from endorsing any powers or rights or by reason of time being given to the said M/s._____ and such postponement forbearance would not have the effect of releasing the bank from its obligation under this debt.

3. Your right to recover the said sum of Rs. _____ (Rupees _____) from us in manner aforesaid is absolute & unequivocal and will not be affected or suspended by reason of the fact that any dispute or disputes have been raised by the said M/s. _____ and/or that any dispute or disputes are pending before any officer, tribunal or court or arbitrator or any other authority/forum and any demand made by you in the bank shall be conclusive and binding. The bank shall not be released of its obligations under these presents by any exercise by you of its liberty with reference to matter aforesaid or any of their or by reason or any other act of omission or commission on your part or any other indulgence shown by you or by any other matter or changed what so ever which under law would, but for this provision, have the effect of releasing the bank.

4. The guarantee herein contained shall not be determined or affected by the liquidation or winding up or dissolution or changes of constitution or insolvency of the said supplier/contractor or any change in the legal constitution of the Bank or of BCPL but shall in all respects and for all purposes be binding and operative until payment of all money due to you in respect of such liabilities is paid.

5. The bank undertakes not to revoke this guarantee during its currency without your previous consent and further agrees that the guarantee shall continue to be enforceable until it is discharged by BCPL in writing. However, if for any reason, the supplier/contractor is unable to complete the supply/work within the period stipulated in the order/contract and in case of extension of the date of delivery/completion resulting extension of defect liability period/guarantee period of the supplier/contractor fails to perform the supply/work fully, the bank hereby agrees to further extend this guarantee at the instance of the supplier/contractor till such time as may be determined by BCPL. If any further extension of this guarantee is required, the same shall be extended to such required period on receiving instruction from M/s. _____ (contractor) on whose behalf this guarantee is issued.

6. Bank also agrees that BCPL at its option shall be entitled to enforce this Guarantee against the bank (as principal debtor) in the first instant, without proceeding against the

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supplier/contractor and notwithstanding any security or other guarantee that BCPL may have in relation to the supplier's/contractor's liabilities.

7. The amount under the Bank Guarantee is payable forthwith without any delay by Bank upon the written demand raised by BCPL. Any dispute arising out of or in relation to the said Bank Guarantee shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of courts at Dibrugarh.

8. Therefore, we hereby affirm that we are guarantors and responsible to you on behalf of the Supplier/Contractor up to a total amount of _____(amount of guarantees in words and figures) and we undertake to pay you, upon your first written demand declaring the Supplier/Contractor to be in default under the order/contract and without caveat or argument, any sum or sums within the limits of (amounts of guarantee) as aforesaid, without your needing to prove or show grounds or reasons for your demand or the sum specified therein.

9. We have power to issue this guarantee in your favor under Memorandum and Articles of Association and the undersigned has full power to do under the Power of Attorney, dated _____ granted to him by the Bank.

10. Notwithstanding anything contained herein:

a) The Bank's liability under this Guarantee shall not exceed (currency in figures) . . . . (currency in words only) . . . . .

b) This Guarantee shall remain in force upto _____ (this date should be expiry date of defect liability period / guarantee period of the Contract) and any extension(s) thereof; and

c) The Bank shall be released and discharged from all liability under this Guarantee unless a written claim or demand is issued to the Bank on or before the midnight of …….(indicate date of expiry of claim period which includes minimum 03 months from the expiry of this Bank Guarantee) and if extended, the date of expiry of the last extension of this Guarantee. If a claim has been received by us within the said date, all the rights of BCPL under this Guarantee shall be valid and shall not cease until we have satisfied that claim.

Yours faithfully,

_____
Bank by its Constituted Attorney

Signature of a person duly
Authorized to sign on behalf of the
Bank

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FURNISHING

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"CONTRACT PERFORMANCE SECURITY / SECURITY DEPOSIT" BY "BANK GUARANTEE"

1. The Bank Guarantee by successful Bidder(s) will be given on non-judicial stamp paper as per 'stamp duty' applicable. The non-judicial stamp paper should be in name of the issuing bank. In case of foreign bank, the said Bank Guarantee to be issued by its correspondent bank in India on requisite non-judicial stamp paper and place of Bid to be considered as Dibrugarh.

2. The Bank Guarantee by Bidders will be given from bank as specified in Tender.

3. A letter from the issuing bank of the requisite Bank Guarantee confirming that said Bank Guarantee and all future communication relating to the Bank Guarantee shall be forwarded to Purchaser.

4. If a Bank Guarantee is issued by a commercial bank, then a letter to Purchaser and copy to Consultant (if applicable) confirming its net worth is more than Rs. 100,00,00,000.00 [Rupees One Hundred Crores] or its equivalent in foreign currency along with documentary evidence.

5. In case claim period is not mentioned or same date is mentioned against validity and claim period, then the date of validity of BG shall be considered as three months prior to such date.

6. Supplier shall submit attached cover letter (Annexure) while submitting Contract Performance Security

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Annexure

MATTER TO BE MENTIONED IN COVERING LETTER TO BE SUBMITTED BY VENDOR ALONG WITH BANK GUARANTEE

1	BANK GUARANTEE NO	:	
2	VENDOR NAME / VENDOR CODE	:	NAME VENDOR CODE
3	BANK GUARANTEE AMOUNT	:	
4	PURCHASE ORDER/ LOA NO	:	
5	NATURE OF BANK GUARANTEE (Please Tick (√) Whichever is Applicable	:	PERFORMANCE BANK GUARANTEE | SECURITY DEPOSIT | EMD | ADVANCE
6	BG ISSUED BANK DETAILS	:	(A) EMAIL ID : (B) ADDRESS : (C) PHONE NO/ MOBILE NO. :

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भाग– V

SECTION – V

संविदा की विशेष शर्तें (एससीसी) और कार्य स्कोप
SPECIAL CONDITION OF CONTRACT (SCC) & SCOPE OF WORK

SPECIAL CONDITION OF CONTRACT [SCC]

1. The terms and conditions enumerated herein shall supersede the terms and conditions mentioned elsewhere in the tender document.

2. **SCOPE OF SUPPLY:**

a.) Additive (CAS No. 112-84-5) is used as Slip agent in production of Polyethylene and Polypropylene.

b.) **Total quantity required = 266750 Kg.**

c.) Bidder needs to provide rate of **Additive Slip Agent (CAS No. 112-84-5)** as per the Schedule of Rate (SOR).

d.) Bidder will supply **Additive Slip Agent (CAS No. 112-84-5)** against the BCPL's requirement while strictly adhering to Quality Assurance & Control.

e.) Bidder is required to submit duly signed check list enclosed as **Annexure – A** with technical bid of document.

3. **SPECIFICATION OF ADDITIVE:**

As per Technical Specification at Section-VI

4. **DELIVERY SCHEDULE:**

For DOMESTIC BIDDERS:

f) **1st lot: Approximate 60000 kg-70000 kg (According to packing size)** to be delivered within **60 days** from the date of award of order.

g) **Subsequent lots of approximately 60000 kg -70000 kg (according to packing size)** to be delivered within **60 days** after getting intimation from BCPL.

h) In case there is any change in the delivery schedule at any point of time, the same shall be intimated to Vendor in writing at least **15 days** in advance.

i) BCPL reserves the right to amend the delivery schedule at the time of placement of order.

j) Date of receipt of material at BCPL Lepetkata site shall be considered as date of delivery and the same shall be considered for calculation of PRS. Date of manufacturing of the supplied material shall not be more than 03 month from the date of dispatch.

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k) If bidder fails to deliver the material in stipulated time period as mentioned in delivery schedule, BCPL reserves the right to get the work done at risk and cost of the vendor to whom the purchase order had been awarded.

5. GUARANTEE / WARRANTY& REPLACEMENT:

i) Bidder should provide Guaranty/Warranty on the supplied material for the entire shelf-life period, (not less than 12 months) **either** from date of dispatch (L/R copy date will be considered as date of dispatch) or date of manufacturing (COA date will be considered as date of manufacturing). If the shelf-life is offered from date of manufacturing, then, the date of dispatch should not be more than three months from date of manufacturing. **Shelf life period should be mentioned by bidder in technical bid.**

ii) The material (Chemical) supplied shall not have any adverse effect in any form in BCPL PE /PP unit with respect to equipment/machinery/product characteristic etc. or should not be of inferior quality within self-life period. If at any point of time, material is not found suitable for use (the material shall be taken back by SELLER and material to be replaced immediately at its own cost (seller).

iii) In case the material supplied is creating issues in the pellet quality or additive feeding system/ Extrusion process under no fault of BCPL, the bidder shall take all necessary measures to replace the material at his own expense within a reasonable time acceptable to BCPL. Otherwise, BCPL also reserves the right to go for short closure of contract. Technical assistance to be provided by Bidder for addressing the problems, if any, encountered during dosing/feeding, processing, unloading and usage without any additional cost to BCPL.

iv) In case the vendor / supplier / seller fails to replace the material within 30 days of intimation, BCPL reserves the right to procure equal quantity of the supplied lot from other available sources at risk and cost to the vendor / supplier / seller.

6. CONTRACT PERIOD

The contract period shall be **Twelve (12) months** from the date of issue of Gem Order/Fax of Acceptance (FOA) / LOI / purchase order whichever is earlier. i.e. within this period BCPL can issue dispatch advice to seller. In case full contract quantity is not executed within the contract period, the contract period can be extended for a period of **Six (06) months** at same rate, terms and conditions at the sole discretion of BCPL.

7. DOCUMENTS REQUIRED:

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Technical offer of the bidder should contain the following documents:

- Product datasheet of Additive i.e. Slip Agent (**CAS No. 112-84-5**)
- Material safety data sheet (MSDS).
- Storage instruction and safe handling procedure
- Reference list of users and Names of contact persons

8. INSPECTION / CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS:

a.) Necessary test certificate conforming to the quality of the ADDITIVES as per the specification to be provided as a part of dispatch document of each lot.

b.) Certificate of Analysis for each lot of additives should be provided with dispatch document and it should be in line with BCPL specification mentioned in tender document.

c.) The documents submitted by Licensor Approved vendors of **M/s INEOS & M/s Novolen** -such as CoA , Test Certificates etc. in their formats will be accepted during material inspection which should be inline with offered specification during bid submission. However, the test parameters mentioned in the CoA MUST be in line with SPECIFICATION OF material mentioned in **point no: 3 of SCC** for **GAIL/BCPL approved vendors only.**

9. PACKING INSTRUCTION:

a.) The material shall be supplied under prevalent standard international industrial practice and in **palletized condition.**

b.) The quantity per lot shall be determined / adjusted according to the standard packing size / volume / weight offered by the bidder.

c.) Each bag packing shall be adequate in strength and moisture protection capability.

d.) Each bag packing should be marked with i.e**. Name of material & code no. Manufacturer's name & batch number, Date of manufacture & net quantity etc**.

e.) The packing size should be suitable for BCPL existing additive charging facility. If the offered material or packing will not be accommodable to BCPL existing hardware system, the material will not be acceptable. **Bidder may specify the dimension of packing (length/breath/ width of each bag)**

f.) **The bidder should mention their offered dimensions (Length/Breadth/Width of each bag) of bag during bid submission.** If the Difference in dimensions of the bag differ from the requirement of BCPL, it

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may create hindrance in the operation and spillage of additive while charging in the hopper. **BCPL reserves the right to reject the offer if bidder doesn't agree to supply the material as per package / bags requirement which is compatible with BCPL existing hardware for additive feeding system.**

g.) **For Domestic Bidders**: **1st Lot** material shall be supplied in **Palletized condition for 20/25 kg bags as per BCPL dispatch intimation** or prevalent standard international industrial practice

Remaining quantity to be supplied in Palletized 20/25 kg bags or prevalent standard international industrial practice**.**

10. APPROVAL AND ACCEPTANCE:

The basis for acceptance shall be inspection report & test results. All the parameters mentioned in the specification should be furnished in Bidder certificate of analysis for each lot (If bidder doesn't have facility for the all testing , then NABL certified third party test result to be furnished). BCPL reserves the right to recheck the test result at BCPL laboratory or any NABL certified third party. **In case the same is not found in conformity and not suitable for use, the whole material is liable to be rejected and vendor has to replace the entire lot at its own cost with in within 30 days from the date of communication from BCPL (OSRD intimation). Any delay for replacement will be liable to price reduction as per PRS clause (as accepted material receipt date will be considered for payment) Otherwise, BCPL reserves right to get the work done at the risk and cost of the vendor to whom the purchase order had been awarded.** In case of any doubt on supplied material or in packaging, BCPL reserves the right to take trial run with the material on the basis of mutually agreed quantity. Vendor representatives may be physically present during the trial at its own cost or give written consent. If it is found, the material or packaging is not suitable for use at BCPL end, Vendor has to replace the whole material including material consumed during the trial purpose.

11. QUANTITY VARIATION:

For reasons of packing being sensitive and delicate as Additives cannot be contacted to air / moisture and as per packing facility cannot pack exact quantity, a variation up to **± 5% (five percent)** of the total supplied quantity may occur against the Purchase order. The payment shall be made based on the actual quantity of Additives supplied as per provision of Purchase order.

12. PAYMENT TERM:

100% payment shall be released within 15 days after acceptance of materials at BCPL's Site. However BCPL will ensure that date of acceptance will be maximum 15 days from date of receipt unless there is no deviation in documents against

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supplied material and there is no issue with quality (has to be in line with tender specification) and packaging of the material. If there is any deviation, BCPL will intimate Vendor within 15 days from the date of initial receipt of material

N.B:

The bidder has to furnish a signed and stamped copy of this SCC as token of acceptance in confirmation that the bidder has quoted taking into consideration the points of SCC as mentioned herein. Deviation of any kind is not acceptable.

Annexure-A

CHECKLIST

S. N.	Particulars	To be filled Vendors Only
1	Name	
2	CAS No:	
3	Technical Data Sheet (Acceptance of BCPL specs in line with BCPL Tech specification)	
4	MSDS	
5	Quantity offered	
6	Packing size including bag dimension	
7	Delivery schedule	
8	Shelf Life	
9	Guarantee / Warrantee	
10	Contract period	

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भाग– VI

SECTION – VI

तकनीकी विनिर्देश (टीएस)

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION [TS] AND DRAWINGS

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION OF ADDITIVE

a.) **CAS NO. :112-84-5**

b.) **COMMERICIAL NAME:** Finawax E / Crodamide ER / Armoslip E / Kemamide E/Loxamid E.

c.) **Application:** Used as additive (Slip Agent) in production of Polyethylene and polypropylene.

Sl. No:	SPECIFICATIONS	UOM	SPECIFICATION LIMITS
1.	Moisture	%	**<=0.25**
2.	Melting Point	deg C	**78-88**
3.	Iodine Value	gl2/100g	**70-85**
4.	Colour molten product	G	**<=2**
5.	Acid Value	mgKOH/g	**<=1**
6.	Total Amide content	%	**>=98**
7.	Appearance		**Off White Powder / beads / microbeads**

* For Licensor approved vendors, **CAS no. and applicability** along with their own specification may be considered during technical evaluation, whereas for GAIL/BCPL approved vendors, vendor has to provide their offered material specifications which should be in line with the specifications mentioned in **point no: 3 of SCC.**

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भाग – VII
SECTION – VII

BILL OF QUANTITIES

BOQ for PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR.

Sl. No.	Mat. Code	Description of the item	UOM	Qty
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
1		AGENT, SLIP, ERUCAMIDE (CAS NO. 112-84-5)	KG	266750

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CUT-OUT SLIPS

ENVELOPE – (I): "BID SECURITY / EMD (as applicable), LINE OF CREDIT AND ANY OTHER TENDER DOCUMENTS"

DO NOT OPEN

SUB: PROCUREMENT OF 266750KG ERUCAMIDE FOR LLDPE/HDPE & PP UNITS AT BCPL FOR 01 YEAR

TENDER NO.: GEM/2026/B/8268522 (Bid doc: BCPL/C&P/LE26S173OR/00132)

TO

CONTRACTS & PROCUREMENT DEPT.
M/s Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited (A Government of India Enterprise),
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FROM:

TO BE PASTED ON THE OUTER ENVELOPE CONTAINING

BID SECURITY / EMD (as applicable), LINE OF CREDIT AND ANY OTHER TENDER DOCUMENTS

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