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BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER
LIMITED

(भारतसरकारकाउपक्रम)/ (A Government of India Enterprise)
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INVITATION FOR BID [IFB]

TENDER NO.: BCPL/C&P/LE23S208MC/6200

DATED: 06.01.2024

To,

PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

SUB: “PROCUREMENT OF METALLIC BELLOWS FOR CATALYST UNLOADING SYSTEM INSTALLED IN PP UNIT OF BCPL, LEPETKATA THROUGH OPEN TENDERING”.

Dear Sir/Madam,

- 1.0 Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited, Lepetkata (A Government of India Enterprise) invites bids from eligible bidders for the subject procurement, in complete accordance with the following details and enclosed Tender Documents.
- 2.0 The brief details of the tender are as under:

I	DELIVERY SCHEDULE/PERIOD	:	The delivery of items should be within 16 weeks from the date of PO.
II	Tender Fee	:	Not Applicable
III	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	:	NOT APPLICABLE
IV	BID DUE DATE & TIME	:	27.01.2024 up to 16:30 Hrs.
V	OPENING OF UNPRICED BID	:	27.01.2024 at 17:00 Hrs.
VI	VALIDITY OF OFFER UPTO	:	Three (03) months from the date of opening of technical bid
VII	DATE AND TIME OF PRE-BID CONFERENCE VENUE	:	Not applicable

In case of the days specified above happens to be a holiday in BCPL, the next working day shall be implied.

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MAJOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF TENDER			
I	DELIVERY/ CONTRACT PERIOD	:	The delivery of items should be within 16 weeks from the date of PO.
II	VALIDITY OF OFFER	:	The period of validity of the quotations should not be less than 180 days from the date of opening of technical bid. Quotations with less validity are likely to be ignored
III	PAYMENT TERMS	:	100% payment along with taxes and duties shall be made within 30 days of receipt and acceptance of materials at site.
IV	LOADING	:	Not Applicable in this Tender.
V	TRANSIT INSURANCE	:	Transit Insurance is in the scope of Vendor.
VI	SECURITY DEPOSIT	:	NOT APPLICABLE.
VII	GUARANTEE/WARRANTY	:	Material/spares supplied shall be guaranteed for defect originating from design, materials, workmanship, operating characteristics etc. for 12 months from date of installation or 18 months from the date of dispatch of material, whichever is earlier
VIII	PRICE BASIS	:	FOT- BCPL site basis inclusive of freight and GST
IX	REPEAT ORDER CLAUSE	:	As per ITB of tender
X	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". Bid(s) of techno-commercially acceptable bidder(s) will be evaluated on item wise L1 basis and will be considered for award.

For & on behalf of
 Brahmaputra Cracker & Polymer Limited

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INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS [ITB]

[A] – GENERAL

1 SCOPE OF BID:

- 1.1 The Purchaser, 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, ~~Meecon~~ 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 favour of 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.

- 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.

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 : Instructions to Bidders [ITB]
Annexure
Forms & Format**
- Section-III : General Conditions of Contract [GCC] – Goods***
- Section-IV : Schedule of Rates [SOR]
- Section-V : 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 Purchase Conditions (Rev.1) 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 at BCPL's mailing address indicated in the bid 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".

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) Copy of Power of Attorney in favour of the authorized signatory of the Bid, as per clause no.2.6 of ITB.
- (f) Any other information/details required as per Tender Document

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 its 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, GPC, 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.

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)**.
- 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, if 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.

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-12 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 extend the validity of its 'EMD' for the period of the extension and in accordance with "ITB: Clause-16" in all respects.

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-9", 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:**

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

- (a) Firm Price
- (b) Specifications
- (c) Schedule of Rates / Price Schedule / Price Basis
- (d) Delivery Period / Period of Contract/ Completion schedule
- (e) Period of Validity of Bid
- (f) Price Reduction Schedule
- (g) Contract Performance Security / Security Deposit
- (h) Warranty/ Guarantee
- (i) Arbitration / Resolution of Dispute/Jurisdiction of Court
- (j) Force Majeure & Applicable Laws
- ~~(k) Integrity Pact, if Applicable~~
- (l) 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.

- 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 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 BCPL/Purchaser 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.

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 on lowest quoted bid basis.

In case of a tie at the lowest bid (L1) position between two or more bidders, the order/LOA will be placed 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 $\pm 5\%$ 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) 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 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 transshipment 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:

Not applicable.

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.bcpionline.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 GPC 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 GPC 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.

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.

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 (Invoice mart), 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.2 Lacs 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.
- (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:

2. ARBITRATION

All issue(s)/dispute(s) excluding the matters that have been specified as excepted matters and listed at clause no. 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 2.1 below or Institutionalized Arbitration as provided at Clause 2.2 below, the remaining clauses from 2.3 to 2.7 shall apply to both Ad-hoc and Institutional Arbitration:-

- 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’.

OR

- 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.
- 2.3 The cost of arbitration proceedings shall be shared equally by the parties.
- 2.4 The Arbitration proceedings shall be in English language and the seat, venue and place of Arbitration shall be New Delhi, India only.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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.

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.

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 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 its administrative Ministry/Department, whose decision will be final and binding on all concerned.

The above provisions shall supersede provisions relating to Conciliation, 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. REPEAT ORDER:

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.

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 STARTUPS (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 (if applicable) 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 GPC/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.

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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:

- 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.

(i) 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.

Witness:

- 1)
- 2)

For and on behalf of
(Supporting Company)
M/s.

Witness:

- 1)
- 2)

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 1st Floor, House No 6, Bhuban Road, Uzanbazar, Guwahati Assam, Pin-781001, 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 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.

**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.

Annexure-B

PROCUREMENT FROM A BIDDER WHICH SHARES A LAND BORDER WITH INDIA

1. Order (Public Procurement No. 1) dated 23.07.2020, Order (Public Procurement No. 2) dated 23.07.2020 and Order (Public Procurement No. 3) dated 24.07.2020, 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. 1) dated 23.07.2020.

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
 - 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
7. **SUBMISSION OF CERTIFICATE IN BIDS:**
- Bidder shall submit a certificate in this regard as Form-I to Section-II.
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.
8. 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.

Form-I of Annexure-B

UNDERTAKING ON LETTERHEAD

To,
M/s. BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED

SUB: “PROCUREMENT OF METALLIC BELLOWS FOR CATALYST UNLOADING SYSTEM INSTALLED IN PP UNIT OF BCPL, LEPETKATA”

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

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**CERTIFICATE FOR TENDERS FOR WORKS INVOLVING POSSIBILITY OF
SUB-CONTRACTING**

To,
M/s. BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED

**SUB: "PROCUREMENT OF METALLIC BELLOWS FOR CATALYST
UNLOADING SYSTEM INSTALLED IN PP UNIT OF BCPL,
LEPETKATA"**

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

**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.

A.2 “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.

A.3 “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;
- 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.

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.

(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

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 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.3.3 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.

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 valued 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 Year**



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- (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 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.
- 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



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- 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 Year**
 - (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 subsequent 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 PARTIES PUT ON HOLIDAY**

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.
- 7.3.3 after opening of price, 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:

- (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 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.



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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.



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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:



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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



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3. No. of deviations > 2 0 marks

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



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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
Marks Allocated (*)				

Remarks (if any)

PERFORMANCE RATING (**)

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2. No. of deviations ≤ 2 2 marks

3. No. of deviations > 2 0 marks

1.3 RELIABILITY PERFORMANCE

20 Marks

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BIDDER'S GENERAL INFORMATION

To,

M/s BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED

**SUB: "PROCUREMENT OF METALLIC BELLOWS FOR CATALYST
UNLOADING SYSTEM INSTALLED IN PP UNIT OF BCPL, LEPETKATA"**



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Sl. No.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
1.	Bidder Name	
2.	Status of Firm	Proprietorship Firm/Partnership firm/ Limited/Others If Others Specify: _____ [Enclose relevant certificates / partnership deed/certificate of Registration, as applicable]
3.	Name of Proprietor/Partners/Directors of the firm/company	
4.	Number of Years in Operation	
5.	Erstwhile Name of Bidder /Details of name change during years of Operation	
6.	Address of Registered Office: *In case of Partnership firm, enclose letter mentioning current address of the firm and the full names and current addresses of all the partners of the firm.	City: District: State: PIN/ZIP:
7.	Telephone Number& Contact Information of Registered Office	_____ (Country Code) (Area Code) (Telephone No.) FAX No. : e-Mail ID:
8.	Operation Address (if different from above)	City: District: State: PIN/ZIP:



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Sl. No.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
9.	Telephone Number& Contact Information of Operation Address	(Country Code) (Area Code) (Telephone No.) FAX No. : E-mail ID:
10.	Website	
11.	Fax Number:	(Country Code) (Area Code) (Telephone No.)
12.	ISO Certification, if any	[If yes, please furnish details]
13.	Bid Currency	
14.	Banker's Name	
15.	Branch	
17.	Bank account number	
18.	PAN No.	[Enclose copy of PAN Card]
19.	GST No.	[Enclose copy of GST Registration Certificate]
20.	Vendor Classification with respect to GST. Mark (✓) on the applicable one.	Registered ☐ Un-Registered ☐ Compound Scheme ☐ PSU, GOVT ☐ SEZ ☐
21.	We (Bidder) are covered under the definition of section 2 (n) of the MSMED Act	Yes / No <i>(If the response to the above is 'Yes", Bidder to provide Purchaser a copy of the Entrepreneurs Memorandum (EM) filled with the authority specified by the respective State Government.)</i>
22.	Whether Micro or Small Enterprise	Yes / No <i>(If Yes, Bidder to submit requisite documents as specified it ITB: Clause No. 40)</i>
	Whether MSE is owned by SC/ST Entrepreneur(s)	Yes / No <i>(If Yes, Bidder to submit requisite documents as specified it ITB: Clause No. 40)</i>



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	<i>UAM of MSE bidders (This is Mandatory for declaration of UAM number by MSE bidders on CPPP w e f 1st April'2018, failing which such bidders will not be able to enjoy the benefits as per Public Procurement Policy for MSMEs Order, 2012)</i>	UAM No: Supporting documents to be submitted towards UAM No. duly notarized by notary.
23.	Type of Entity	Corporate/ Non-Corporate (As per CGST/SGST/UTGST Act). (In case of Non-Corporate Entity, bidder will submit documentary evidence for same).

Place:

Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]

Name:

Designation:

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BID FORM

To,

M/s. BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED

Dear Sir,

After examining / reviewing the Tender Document for the above mentioned Tender Document number _____ for

“_____”including "Technical Specifications & Scope of Work", "General Conditions of Contract [GCC]", "Special Conditions of Contract [SCC]" and "Price Schedule/Schedule of Rates [SOR]", etc. the receipt of which is hereby duly acknowledged, we, the undersigned, are pleased to offer to execute the whole part of the job and in conformity with the said Tender Document, including Addenda / Corrigenda Nos. _____.

We confirm that this Bid is valid for a period of as defined in BDS from the date of opening of "Techno-Commercial / Un-priced Bid", and it shall remain binding upon us and may be accepted by any time before the expiry of that period.

If our Bid is accepted, we will provide the "Contract Performance Security / Security Deposit" for Amount and Validity as mentioned in Tender Document for the due performance within "thirty [30] days" of such Award.

Until a detailed Purchase Order/Contract documents prepared and issued, the Tender Document (including addenda/ corrigenda) together with the Bid and "Notification of Award" shall constitute a binding agreement between us.

We understand that Tender Document is not exhaustive and any action and activity not mentioned in Tender Document but may be inferred to be included to meet the intend of the Tender Document shall be deemed to be mentioned in Tender Document unless otherwise specifically excluded and we confirm to perform for fulfillment of Contract and completeness of the supplies in all respects within the time frame and agreed price.

We understand that you are not bound to accept the lowest priced or any Bid that you may receive.

Place:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]

Date:

Name:

Designation:

Seal:

Duly authorized to sign Bid for and on behalf of _____

[Signature of Witness]

Name of Witness:

Address:



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LETTER OF AUTHORITY

[Proforma for Letter of Authority for Attending 'Pre-Bid Meetings' / 'Un-priced Bid Opening' / 'Price Bid Opening']

Ref:

Date:

To,

M/s. BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED

SUB: "PROCUREMENT OF METALLIC BELLOWS FOR CATALYST UNLOADING SYSTEM INSTALLED IN PP UNIT OF BCPL, LEPETKATA"

Dear Sir,

I/We, _____ hereby authorize the following representative(s) for attending Pre-Bid Meeting', 'Un-priced Bid Opening', 'Price Bid Opening' 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: 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 "Techno-commercial / Un-priced" & "Price Bid" Openings. Bidders authorized representative is required to carry a copy of this authority letter while attending the un-priced and priced bid opening, the same shall be submitted to BCPL.



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"NO DEVIATION" CONFIRMATION

To,

M/s. BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED

SUB: "PROCUREMENT OF METALLIC BELLOWS FOR CATALYST UNLOADING SYSTEM INSTALLED IN PP UNIT OF BCPL, LEPETKATA"

Dear Sir,

We understand that any 'deviation / exception' in any form may result in rejection of Bid. We, therefore, certify that we have not taken any 'exception / deviation' anywhere in the Bid and we agree that if any 'deviation / exception' is mentioned or noticed, our Bid may be rejected.

Place:

Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]

Name:

Designation:

Seal:



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DECLARATION REGARDING HOLIDAY/BANNING

To,

M/s. BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED

SUB: “PROCUREMENT OF METALLIC BELLOWS FOR CATALYST UNLOADING SYSTEM INSTALLED IN PP UNIT OF BCPL, LEPETKATA”

Dear Sir,

We hereby confirm that we are not on ‘Holiday’ by BCPL 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 as on due date of submission of bid.

Further, we confirm that neither we nor our allied agency/(ies) (as defined in the Procedure for Action in case of Corrupt/ Fraudulent/ Collusive/ Coercive Practices) are on banning list of BCPL or the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas.

In case it comes to the notice of BCPL that the bidder has given wrong declaration in this regard, the same shall be dealt as ‘fraudulent practices’ and action shall be initiated as per the Procedure for action in case of Corrupt/Fraudulent/Collusive/Coercive Practices.

Further, we also confirm that in case there is any change in status of the declaration prior to placement of order or till complete execution of the order, the same will be promptly informed to BCPL by us.

Place:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]

Date:

Name:

Designation:

Seal:



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AGREED TERMS & CONDITIONS

To,

M/s. BRAHMAPUTRA CRACKER AND POLYMER LIMITED

SUB: “PROCUREMENT OF METALLIC BELLOWS FOR CATALYST UNLOADING SYSTEM INSTALLED IN PP UNIT OF BCPL, LEPETKATA”

This Questionnaire 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. No.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
1.	Bidder's Name, Vendor Code of BCPL (if any) and address (FOA/ Purchase Order shall be released in this name); Detail Address to be provided	Bidder's Name : Vendor Code: Address:
2.	Please confirm the currency of quoted prices is in Indian Rupees.	
3.	Confirm quoted prices will remain firm and fixed till complete execution of the order.	
4.	i) Confirm quoted prices are on FOT dispatch point basis inclusive of P&F. ii) Confirm firm freight charges up to site are quoted in Price Schedule.	
5.	Please specify the Dispatch Point	
6.	i) Confirm acceptance of relevant Terms of Payment specified in the Bid Document. ii) In case of delay, the bills shall be submitted after deducting the price reduction due to delay (refer PRS Clause).	
7.	Confirm that Contract Performance Security/ Security Deposit (CPS) will be furnished as per Bid Document.	Not applicable
8.	Confirm that CPS shall be from any Indian scheduled bank or a branch of an International bank situated in	Not applicable



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Sl. No.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
	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 shall be made by such commercial bank either in the Bank Guarantee itself or separately on its letterhead.	
9.	Confirm compliance to Delivery/ Completion Period as specified in Bid Document. Confirm Delivery/ Completion Period shall be reckoned from the date of Fax of Acceptance (FOA).	
10.	Confirm acceptance of Price Reduction Schedule (PRS) as specified in Bid Document. [Price reduction @0.5% of the value of undelivered quantity per complete week of delay or part thereof subject to a maximum (ceiling) of 5% of total order value will be applicable. the value referred in PRS clause excluding taxes and duties.] GST SHALL BE APPLICABLE ON THE PRS AMOUNT	
11.	a) Confirm acceptance of all terms and conditions of Bid Document (all sections& enclosures). b) Confirm that printed terms and conditions of Bidder are not applicable.	
12.	Confirm your offer is valid for 3 months from Final/Extended Due Date of opening of Techno-commercial Bids.	
13.	Please furnish EMD/Bid Security details: a) EMD/ Bid Security No. & date b) Value	Not applicable
14.	Confirm acceptance to all provisions of ITB read in conjunction with Bid Data Sheet (BDS).	
15.	Confirm that Annual Reports for the last three financial years are furnished along with the Un-priced Bid (wherever applicable).	Not applicable



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Sl. No.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
16.	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.	
17.	Confirm that none of Directors of bidder is a relative of any Director of purchaser or the bidder is a firm in which any Director of purchaser/ BCPL or his relative is a partner.	
18.	All correspondence must be in ENGLISH language only.	
19.	Purchaser reserves the right to make any change in the terms & conditions of the Tender Document and to reject any or all bids.	
20.	Confirm that all Bank charges associated with Bidder's Bank shall be borne by Bidder.	
21.	We hereby confirm that the quoted prices is in compliance with the Section 171 of CGST Act/ SGST Act as mentioned as clause no. 13.11 of ITB.	
22.	Rate of applicable GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST)	CGST: % + SGST/UTGST..... % Total:% Or IGST:..... % Cess (if any):..... %
23.	Confirm that item wise Harmonized System Nomenclature (HSN) codes has been submitted and mentioned in un-priced& priced SOR.	
24.	Confirm any variation in GST at the time of supplies for any reasons, other than statutory, including variations due to turnover, shall be borne by bidder.	
25.	Confirm that quoted freight rate is exclusive of GST and GST has been indicted separately in Price Schedule.	
26.	Confirm 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 bidder shall be to bidder's account.	
27.	Confirm acceptance of Anti-profiteering clause no. 171 of GST Act as per ITB clause No. 13.11 .	



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Sl. No.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
28.	Transit insurance-Confirm price quoted excludes transit insurance	
29.	Part Order: (a) Confirm acceptance to Part Order (i.e. BCPL can place order for lower quantity than tendered quantity as per its discretion). (b) Confirm any charges quoted extra as lumpsum shall be applicable prorata on value basis in the event of part order.	
30.	Repeat Order: Confirm acceptance of Repeat Order within 6 (six) months as per ITB.	
31.	Bidder accepts Guarantee clause as per as per tender. [Refer GPC- Goods (clause no. 20)]	
32.	Bidder accepts Arbitration/Resolution of Dispute clause.	
33.	Bidder accepts Force Majeure clause.	
34.	Whether bidder falls under MSE Act.	
	If yes, Whether bidder is a MSE belonging to SC/ST category.	
35.	Please confirm you have not been banned or delisted by any Government or Quasi Government agencies or PSUs. If you have been banned, then this fact must be clearly Stated. This does not necessarily be cause for disqualification. However if this declaration is not Furnished the bid shall be rejected as non- responsive.	
36.	Confirm that any correction in documents submitted in Physical form along with Un-priced part of bid Has been initialed and stamped by the authorized person.	
37.	Confirm that all documents submitted with bid against the subject tender are true and genuine and in case of any discrepancy noticed or observed at any stage, bidder shall be personally responsible not only for the damages or loss to BCPL, but also for criminal proceedings under the relevant laws.	



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Sl. No.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
38.	Confirm that the contents of the tender documents, its enclosures, amendment(s) /corrigenda/addenda etc. have not been modified or altered and in case, it is found that the tender document has been modified / altered by the bidder, the bid at any stage, shall be liable for rejection.	
39.	PURCHASE reserves the right at the time of award of ORDER to increase or decrease the quantity of GOODS specified in the Material Requisition, without any change in unit price or other terms and conditions. Variation beyond this limit will be subject to mutual agreement between the PURCHASE and the Seller.	
40.	Confirm that owner reserves the right to make any change in the terms & conditions of the Bid Document and to reject any or all bids including those received late or incomplete.	
41.	e-Mail ID, Mobile No. & Contact information of Authorized person	

Place:

Date:

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]

Name:

Designation:

Seal:



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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 Brahmputra 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:

- 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.
- 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.
- The Bidder/ Supporting Company holds more than 50% paid up equity capital of the Supporting Company/ Bidder.
- 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.
- 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.
- The bidder shall have the overall responsibility of satisfactory execution of the contract awarded by GAIL, however without prejudice to any rights that BCPL might have against the Supporting Company.
- It is further agreed that, if contract pursuant to Supporting Company shall be jointly and severally 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.

Witness:

For and on behalf of
(Supporting Company)
M/s.

Witness:



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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 1st Floor, House No 6, Bhuvan Road, Uzanbazar, Guwahati Assam, Pin-781001, 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 its 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.....:



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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 without any cost to the GAIL 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 GAIL 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



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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 GAIL 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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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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Annexure-C

POLICY TO PROVIDE PURCHASE PREFERENCE (LINKED WITH LOCAL CONTENT) (PP-MII)

Not applicable



GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC)

Dear Sir,

In reference to the GEM tender, I/we have read the following Conditions of Contract as per the list below which is available in the BCPL website and I/ We have agreed to all the conditions as printed in the Contract/s in entirety unconditionally.

General Conditions of Contract-Goods:

http://www.bcplonline.co.in/content/tender/GCC_Goods.pdf

Thanking you,

(Sign of the authorized signatory with the Company/ Firm seal)

Name:

Designation:

Company Seal:



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SCHEDULE OF RATES (SOR)

NAME OF VENDOR:

Sl. No.	Material Code	Material Description	HSN Code	Qty.	UoM	Unit Rate (₹) (Inclusive of GST)	Total Amount (₹) (Inclusive of GST)
1	3799010553	METALLIC BELLOW WITHOUT INNER SLEEVE, CATALYST DRUM UNLOADING STATION LENGTH: 184 MM, INLET FLANGE: 4 INCH 150 CLASS (SS316L), OUTLET FLANGE: 4 INCH 150 CLASS (SS316L), NOMINAL MOVEMENT ABSORPTION: ±40 MM		4.000	EA		
2	3799010563	METALLIC BELLOW WITH INNER SLEEVE, CATALYST DRUM UNLOADING STATION BELLOW MOC: SS GRADE 1.4571 (316Ti) (FOR CHLORIC ATMOSPHERE), MANUFACTURED TOTAL LENGTH: 149MM INLET FLANGE: 3 INCH 150 CLASS (SS316L), OUTLET FLANGE: 3 INCH 600 CLASS(SS316L), NO. OF CONVO LUTION: 3 NOS.		4.000	EA		

Total Amount (Inclusive of GST) in words (₹): _____

Place:

Date:

(SIGNATURE OF BIDDER & COMPANY SEAL)

