

Clarifications on Pre – Bid Meeting held on 02.03.2009 at HDPEL, Nazirgunge Works for Tender No. HDPEL/PPC/IN/RC/ STL.FAB/08-09 in respect of Rate Schedule (Annual) for Steel Fabrication of Panel & Blocks and Erection Work of Hull and Superstructure including Sand Blasting & primer Painting of Steel Plates/Sections for 04 nos. 1000 Ton Fuel Barges of Indian Navy.

At the outset it was emphasized by HDPEL that due to space constraints priority would be given to those contractors who will be executing the work outside HDPEL's yard and at their own premises. Following points have also been discussed. :-

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| 01. | Availability of lofting space | - | Whether space will be available in HDPEL yard. | Will be made available. |
| 02. | Compressed Air facility. | 2.6 | Whether facility will be provided by HDPEL. | As per tender specification point no. 2.6 this is under Contractor's scope of supply. |
| 03. | IRS approved drawings and approximate steel weight. | - | Before starting the work HDPEL should provide IRS approved drawings and approximate steel weight. | Will be provided. |
| 04. | Transportation charges. | - | Transportation charges will be on whose account for carrying materials to & fro contractor's site and HDPEL's yard. | Under Contractor's A/c. Vessels may be built in HDPEL's both the units at Nazirgunge & Salkia. Blocks/Panels to be delivered therefore in both the places as advised by HDPEL from time to time. |
| 05. | Erection of Panel | 2.1 | Destructive /Non-destructive, Radio graphy tests. | To be followed as per scope of work of the tender and in compliance with the requirement of Class. |

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| 06. | LPG, DA, or Industrial Gas to be used. | - | Which Gas to be used? | As per Class Requirement. |
| 07. | Guarantee period of 18 months. | 5 | 18 months is not feasible | Reduced to 12 months. |
| 08. | Date of Certification of Blocks by IRS. | - | Which date will be considered? | Final Inspection by IRS upon receipt of finished Blocks at HDPEL's yard. |
| 09. | Rates for Labour & Consumables. | - | To be shown separately. | Please refer to the Rate Schedule of the tender at Annexure-I. |
| 10. | Valid Welder Certificate. | - | When to be produced. | Before Starting the job at HDPEL/Contractors yard. |
| 11. | Inspection Authority. | | Who are the Inspection Authorities. | HDPEL, IRS & WOT, Kolkata. |
| 12. | Skid Materials | - | Whether HDPEL shall provide the materials. | For the job done inside HDPEL premises, HDPEL will provide the skid materials & at outside it is contractors responsibility. |
| 13. | QAP | - | When will be issued. | At the time of placement of order |
| 14. | 10% Performance Bank Guarantee | 4 | Whether it is essential. | Tender terms to be followed strictly. |
| 15. | Modification / Re-work | - | Whether Additional cost will be accepted. | Modification /rectification for bad workmanship on the part of contractor has to be undertaken without any additional cost. |