

# Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd.

(A JV of GAIL GAS LIMITED & BPCL)
Plot No. 33 Rajan Villa, Journalist Colony, Porvorim, Goa. Pin-403521

**Tender Document for** 

Hiring agency for providing Technical and Non-Technical Manpower for City Gas Distribution Project of GNGPL

Tender No. GNGPL/C&P/T-22

<u>DOMESTIC COMPETITIVE BID</u>

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# GCC:

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) IS AVAILABLE AT OFFICE OF GNGPL AND/OR ON WEBSITE ALSO. GCC SHALL BE PART OF THIS TENDER. BIDDER SHALL READ, UNDERSTAND AND ACCEPT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF GCC BEFORE SUBMITTING THE BID. ANY BIDDER WHO HAS SUBMITTED THE BID SHALL BE DEEMED THAT HE/HER/COMPANY HAS READ, UNDERSTOOD AND ACCEPTED THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF GCC.

# SECTION-I INVITATION FOR BID (IFB)

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Ref No: GNGPL/C&P/T-22 Date: 11.12.2020

To, PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS,

**SUB:** Hiring agency for providing Technical and Non-Technical Manpower for City Gas Distribution Project of GNGPL

Dear Sir/Madam,

1.0 GNGPL, a JV of GAIL GAS LTD and BPCL is engaged in development of CNG & City Gas Distribution Networks (CGDN) at Geographical Areas of North Goa and Ponda for distribution of CNG and PNG to various consumer segments, invites bids from domestic bidders for the subject job/works, in complete accordance with the following details and enclosed Tender Documents.

#### 2.0 The brief details of the tender are as under:-

		TP2
(A)	NAME OF WORK / BRIEF SCOPE OF WORK/JOB	Hiring agency for providing Technical and Non- Technical Manpower for City Gas Distribution Project of GNGPL
(B)	TENDER NO. & DATE	GNGPL/C&P/T-22 Dated: <b>11.12.2020</b>
(C)	TYPE OF BIDDING SYSTEM	TWO PART BID SYSTEM (2 ENVELOPE)
(D)	TYPE OF TENDER	DOMESTIC TENDERING
(E)	COMPLETION/CONTRACT PERIOD	TWO YEAR (s) FROM THE DATE OF NOTIFICATION OF AWARD
(F)	TENDER FEE	NOT APPLICABLE
(G)	BID SECURITY / EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT (EMD)	APPLICABLE AMOUNT: RS. <b>2,50,500/-</b> (REFER CLAUSE NO.16 OF ITB)
(H)	DATE, TIME & VENUE OF PRE- BID MEETING	Not Applicable
<b>(I)</b>	DUE DATE & TIME OF BID- SUBMISSION	Date: 24.11.2020 Time: 15:00 Hrs at GNGPL Office
(J)	DATE AND TIME OF UN-PRICED BID OPENING	Date: 24.11.2020 Time: 16:00 Hrs at GNGPL office
(K)	CONTACT DETAILS	Shri Nilesh Nagawade Sr. Manager, CGD Email Id: contracts@goanaturalgas.com Ph.: 0832-2410266 GNGPL. Plot 33 Rajan Villa, Journalist Colony, Porvorim. Go-403 521

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

- 3.0 Bids must be submitted strictly in accordance with Clause No. 11 of ITB depending upon Type of Tender as mentioned at Clause no. 2.0 (D) of IFB. The IFB is an integral and inseparable part of the bidding document.
  - i) Demand Draft towards Tender fee (if applicable)
  - ii) EMD/Bid Security (if applicable)
  - iii) Power of Attorney
  - iv) Integrity Pact (if applicable)
- 4.0 In case of Manual Bids, bids complete in all respect should reach at the address specified in Bid Data Sheet on or before the due date & time. Bids received after the due date and time is liable to be rejected.
- 5.0 Bidder(s) are advised to quote strictly as per terms and conditions of the tender documents and not to stipulate any deviations/exceptions.
- 6.0 Any bidder, who meets the Bid Evaluation Criteria (BEC) and wishes to quote against this tender, may download the complete bidding document along with its amendment(s) if any from website <a href="www.goanaturalgas.com">www.goanaturalgas.com</a> and <a href="submit toffline">submit (offline)</a> their Bid complete in all respect as per terms & conditions of Tender Document on or before the due date of bid submission.
- 7.0 Clarification(s)/Corrigendum(s), if any shall also be available on above referred websites and/or will be sent on address/E-mail of prospective bidders/available at GNGPL office.
- 8.0 All the bidders including those who are not willing to submit their bid are required to submit F-11 (Acknowledgement cum Consent letter) duly filled within 7 days from receipt of tender information.
- 9.0 GNGPL reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received at its discretion without assigning any reason whatsoever.

This is not an Order.

For & on behalf of GNGPL

AJAY KUMAR JINDAL, CEO

# **SECTION-II**

# INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS (ITB) (TO BE READ IN CONJUNCTION WITH BIDDING DATA SHEET (BDS)

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# SECTION-II PART-1: BEC AND AWARD METHODOLOGY

# A] Bid Evaluation Criteria (BEC):

#### 1] TECHNICAL CRITERIA:

Bidder should furnish documents in support of the following criteria, failing which the offer shall not be considered for evaluation:

- 1. The bidder must have executed a single order/contract for deployment of Engineers and/or Diploma Engineers and/or Fire & Safety Professionals in any company in Public/Private sector in India for minimum executed value of Rs. 13.30 Lakhs in preceding 7 (seven) years prior to the due date of bid submission.
- 2. The bidder should have valid PF and ESIC registration certificate issued by Employees Provident Fund Organization (EPFO) and the Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) respectively, prior to the due date of bid submission

#### Note:

- 1. In case, bidder is executing a contract of above nature which is still running and the contract value executed till one day prior to the due date of submission of bid is equal to or more than the minimum prescribed value/quantity as mentioned above, such experience will also be taken into consideration provided that the bidder has submitted satisfactory work / supply execution certificate to this effect issued by the end user / owner / authorized consultant. For this also the minimum executed value/quantity in a single contract criteria will be as prescribed above.
- 2. Experience acquired by a bidder as a sub-Contractor shall not be taken into account for qualification of above BEC-Technical.
- 3. A job executed by a bidder for its own plant/projects cannot be considered as experience for the purpose of meeting requirement of BEC of the tender. However, jobs executed for Subsidiary / Fellow subsidiary / Holding company will be considered as experience for the purpose of meeting BEC subject to submission of tax paid invoice(s) duly certified by Statutory Auditor of -the bidder towards payments of statutory tax in support of the job executed for Subsidiary /Fellow subsidiary / Holding company. Such bidders to submit these documents in addition to the documents specified in the bidding documents to meet BEC.
- 4. Bidders not meeting any of the above-mentioned criteria shall be rejected without assigning any reasons.

# 2] FINANCIAL CRITERIA:

#### 1. Annual Turnover

The minimum annual turnover of the bidder as per their audited financial results in any one of the preceding three financial years i.e. 2017- 18, 2018-19 and 2019-2020 should be Rs. 44.23 Lakhs

#### 2. Net worth

Net worth of the bidder should be positive as per the immediately preceding audited financial results of financial year 2019-2020.

#### 3. Working Capital

The minimum working capital of the bidder as per the immediate preceding audited financial results of financial year i.e. 2019-2020, shall be Rs. 8.84 Lakhs

#### Note:

- 1. If the bidder's working capital is inadequate, the bidder should supplement this with a letter from the bidder's Bank (as per Format-3B), having net worth not less than Rs.100 crores, letter confirming the availability of line of credit for at least working capital requirement as stated above.
- 2. Govt. of India has issued notification no. CG-DL-E-29102020-222832 for relaxation in submission of audited financial statement for FY2019-20 till 31.12.2020. Hence, bidder may submit the audited balance sheet of FY 2018-19 for meeting Financial Bid Evaluation Criteria, if audited statement of FY 2019-20 is not available.

# Documents required to be submitted by bidder along with the bid for qualification of BEC:

BEC Clause no.	Documents required for qualification
A.1	Copy of work order and its completion / performance / execution certificate issued by Client indicating executed value.
	The above document(s) should be duly certified / attested by notary public with legible stamp.
B.1	Annual Turn Over: Bidder(s) shall submit copy of audited Annual Financial Statement [Balance Sheet and Profit & Loss Account Statement] of any of the three (3) preceding Financial Year(s), i.e. FY: 2017- 18, 2018-19 and 2019-2020 as the case may be along with un-price bid.
B.2	Net Worth: Bidder(s) shall submit copy of Audited Annual Financial Statement of last Financial Year, i.e. FY: 2019-2020 as the case may be along with un-price bid.
B.3	Working Capital: Bidder(s) shall submit copy of Audited Annual Financial Statement of last Financial Year, i.e. FY: 2019-2020 as the case may be along with un-price bid. In case Bidder's working capital is inadequate, the bidder shall supplement a letter (as per Format-3B) from the Bidder's bank having net worth not less than Rs 100 Crore, confirming the availability of the line of credit for at least working capital requirement as stated above.

For authentication of documents submitted in support of Financial Criteria of BEC, the bidder shall submit detail of financial capability of bidder in the prescribed format attached duly signed and stamped by a chartered accountant. Further copy of audited annual financial statements submitted in bid shall be duly certified / attested by notary public with legible stamp.

## B] AWARD METHODOLOGY

- 1. Subject to "ITB: CLAUSES", GNGPL will award the Contract 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.
- Evaluation and order placement shall be done on overall lowest offer basis subject in accordance with terms of contract and MSE policy. Bidders are required to quote for full quantity against item(s). In case, bidder quotes for PART QUANTITY OR DOESN'T QUOTE FOR ANY ITEM OF SOR, such bids shall be liable for rejection.
- In case it is observed that any bidder has not quoted for any item in the Schedule of Rates (such unquoted item not being in large numbers), the quoted price for the purpose of evaluation shall be considered as the maximum rate quoted by the remaining bidder for such items.
  - If after evaluation, such bidder is found to be the lowest evaluated bidder, the rates for the missing item shall be considered as included in quoted bid price.
  - If the estimated price impact of the unquoted items is more than 10% of the bidder's quoted price, the above provision shall not be applicable and such bid shall be rejected.
- 4. In case more than one bidder emerges as lowest (L-1) subject to terms and conditions of tender, contract shall be awarded to the bidder who is having higher financial turnover of last audited financial results/statements or relevant documents. In such cases, GNGPL may ask for the other financial documents to bidder, if required and bidder shall submit it within prescribed time schedule failing which bid shall be rejected.
- 5. Considering the nature of job, splitting of quantities for SOR will not be possible in this tender. **This tender is not split-able or non-dividable.** The bid evaluation shall be done as per the quoted rates in SOR.
- 6. In case, there is discrepancies observed in unit rate and total amount for any item in SOR, the unit rate shall be considered for evaluation and price bid analysis.
- 7. In case after price bid opening the lowest evaluated bidder (L-1) is not awarded the job/contract for any mistake committed by him in bidding or withdrawal of bid or varying any term in regard thereof, Goa natural gas pvt. Ltd. Shall forfeit earnest money paid by the bidder and such bidders shall be debarred from participation in tendering for the period of 6 months.

- 8. It is proposed to hire 1 nos. of contractor under this tender.
- Government of India, vide Gazette of India No. 503 dated 26.03.2012 has proclaimed the Public Procurement Policy on procurement of goods and services (not applicable for Works Contracts) from Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) by all Central Ministries/ Departments/ PSUs for promotion and development of Micro and Small Enterprises.

# Accordingly, following provisions shall be applicable for tenders:

- i) Issue of Tender Documents to MSEs free of cost.
- ii) Exemption to MSEs from payment of EMD/Bid Security.
- iii) In Tender, participating Micro and Small Enterprises quoting price within price brand 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 enterprises and such micro and small enterprises shall be allowed to supply upto 20% 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 20%, 4% (20% of 20%) shall be from MSEs owned by SC/ST entrepreneurs. This quota is to be transferred to other MSEs in case of non-availability of MSEs owned by SC/ST entrepreneurs.
- 10. In case tendered item is non-split able or non-dividable, MSE quoting price within price band L1 (other than MSE) +15%, may be awarded for full / complete value of supplies / contract subject to matching of L1 price. In case two or more MSE bidder(s) comes within the price band of L1+15%, the preference to match the L1 rate shall be given in sequence of their inter-se position (L2, L3...and so on).

# The MSEs 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 at least 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 quoted prices against various items shall remain valid in case of splitting of quantities of the items as above.

- 11. As per communication of MSME vide its letter no. F. No. 21(12)2016-MA dated 15.06.2018, Provision of Public Procurement Policy for MSEs-2012 and its benefits will be applicable for procurement of Goods and Services only and not for Procurement of Works.
- 12. As per communication of MSME vide its letter No. 21 (12) / 2016-MA dated 23.08.2018, Tender Fee and EMD exemption are to be given to the participating MSE bidders in tender for procurement of Works.

Accordingly, necessary provision may please be kept in the tender for procurement of WORKS clearly stipulating that MSE bidders are exempted from submission/payment of EMD / BID security. But such participating MSE bidders are not entitled for purchase preference in tenders for procurement of WORKS.

13. 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.

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#### [A] - GENERAL

#### 1 SCOPE OF BID

- 1.1 The Employer/ Owner/ GNGPL as defined in the "General Conditions of Contract [GCC]", wishes to receive Bids as described in the Bidding Document/Tender document issued by Employer/Owner/GNGPL.
- 1.2 SCOPE OF BID: The scope of work/ Services shall be as defined in the Bidding documents.
- 1.3 The successful bidder will be expected to complete the scope of Bid within the period stated in Special Conditions of Contract.
- 1.4 Throughout the Bidding 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 Employer for Corrupt/ Fraudulent/ Collusive/ Coercive practices, as defined in "Instructions to Bidders [ITB], Clause No. 39" (Action in case Corrupt/ Fraudulent/ Collusive/ Coercive Practices).
- 2.2 The Bidder is not put on 'Holiday' by GNGPL or Public Sector Project Management Consultant (like EIL, Mecon 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. If the bidding documents were issued inadvertently/ downloaded from website, offers submitted by such bidders shall not be considered for opening/ evaluation/Award and will be returned immediately to such bidders.

In case there is any change in status of the declaration prior to award of contract, the same has to be promptly informed to GNGPL by the bidder.

It shall be the sole responsibility of the bidder to inform GNGPL in case the bidder is put on 'Holiday' by GNGPL or Public Sector Project Management Consultant (like EIL, Mecon. 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 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 The Bidder should not be under any liquidation court receivership or similar proceedings on due date of submission of bid.

In case there is any change in status of the declaration prior to award of contract, the same has to be promptly informed to GNGPL by the bidder.

It shall be the sole responsibility of the bidder to inform GNGPL in case the bidder is under any liquidation court receivership or similar proceedings 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 no.39 of ITB.

- 2.4 Bidder shall not be affiliated with a firm or entity:
  - (i) that has provided consulting services related to the work to the Employer 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 Employer as an Engineer/ Consultant for the contract.
- 2.5 Neither the firm/entity appointed as the Project Management Consultant (PMC) for a contract nor its affiliates/ JV'S/ Subsidiaries shall be allowed to participate in the tendering process unless it is the sole Licensor/Licensor nominated agent/ vendor.
- 2.6 Pursuant to qualification criteria set forth in the bidding document, the Bidder shall furnish all necessary supporting documentary evidence to establish Bidder's claim of meeting qualification criteria.

# 4 ONE BID PER BIDDER

- 4.1 A Firm/Bidder shall submit only 'one [01] Bid' in the same Bidding Process. 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 Alternative Bids shall not be considered.

#### 5 COST OF BIDDING & TENDER FEE

## 5.1 **COST OF BIDDING**

The Bidder shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of the Bid including but not limited to Bank charges all courier charges including taxes & duties etc. incurred thereof. Further, GNGPL 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 of works 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 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 Employer 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 Employer 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 GNGPL 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] - BIDDING DOCUMENTS

#### 7 CONTENTS OF BIDDING DOCUMENTS

7.1 The contents of Bidding Documents / Tender Documents are those stated below, and should be read in conjunction with any 'Addendum / Corrigendum' issued in accordance with "ITB: Clause-9":

> Section-I : Invitation for Bid [IFB]

Section-II : Instructions to Bidders [ITB]

Section-III : Special Conditions of Contract [SCC]Section-IV : General Conditions of Contract [GCC]

Section-V : Forms and Format

> Section-VI : Annexures

7.2 The Bidder is expected to examine all instructions, forms, terms & conditions in the Bidding Documents. The ITB, SCC, GCC & Invitation for Bid (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 Bidding Documents or submission of a Bid not substantially responsive to the Bidding Documents in every respect will be at Bidder's risk and may result in the rejection of his Bid.

# 8 CLARIFICATION OF BIDDING DOCUMENTS

- 8.1 A prospective Bidder requiring any clarification(s) of the Bidding Documents may notify GNGPL in writing or by fax or email at GNGPL's mailing address indicated in the BDS 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 held. GNGPL reserves the right to ignore the bidders request for clarification if received after the aforesaid period. GNGPL may respond in writing to the request for clarification. Communicated to prospective bidders by e-mail/ fax.
- 8.2 Any clarification or information required by the Bidder but same not received by the Employer at clause 8.1 (refer BDS for address) above is liable to be considered as "no clarification / information required".

# 9 AMENDMENT OF BIDDING DOCUMENTS

- 9.1 At any time prior to the 'Bid Due Date', Owner may, for any reason, whether at its own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by a prospective Bidder, modify the Bidding Documents by addenda/ corrigendum.
- 9.2 Any addendum/ corrigendum thus issued shall be part of the Bidding Documents and may be communicated to prospective bidders by hosting in the websites only. Bidders have to take into account all such addendum/ corrigendum before submitting their bid.
- 9.3 The Employer, if consider necessary, may extend the date of submissions of Bid in order to allow the Bidders a reasonable time to furnish their most competitive bid taking into account the amendment issued thereof.

<sup>\*</sup>Request for Quotation', wherever applicable, shall also form part of the Bidding Document.

#### [C] - PREPARATION OF BIDS

#### 10 LANGUAGE OF BID:

The bid prepared by the bidder and all correspondence/drawings and documents relating to the bid exchanged by bidder and GNGPL shall be written in English language alone. Any printed literature furnished by the bidder may be written in another language as long as accompanied by an ENGLISH translation duly authenticated by the chamber of commerce of bidder's country, in which case, for the purpose of interpretation of the bid, the ENGLISH translation shall govern.

In the event of submission of any document/certificate by the Bidder in a language other than English, the English translation of the same duly authenticated by Chamber of Commerce of Bidder's country shall be submitted by the Bidder.

## 11. DOCUMENTS COMPRISING THE BID

11.1 In case the Bids are invited under the **MANUAL TWO BID SYSTEM**. The Bid prepared by the Bidder shall comprise the following components sealed in **2 DIFFERENT ENVELOPES**:

#### 11.1.1 **ENVELOPE-I**:

## "TECHNO-COMMERCIAL / UN-PRICED BID" shall contain the following:

- i. As a confirmation that the prices are quoted in requisite format complying with the requirements of **Schedule of Rate (SOR)** with prices blanked out mentioning quoted / not quoted (as applicable) written against each item. This is to be submitted on blank SOR copy.
- ii. Duly attested documents in accordance with the "BID EVALUATION CRITERIA [BEC]" establishing the qualification.
- iii. Power of Attorney for **authorized signatory** on non-judicial stamp paper OR on letterhead/copy of Board Resolution, the authorized signatory shall be signing the bid and any consequence resulting due to such signing shall be binding on the bidder.
- iv. EMD/Bid Security in original as per Clause 16 of ITB OR IFB.
- v. All applicable forms/Formats/Annexures duly filled, signed and stamped.

  APPLICABILITY OF FORMS/FORMATS/ANNEXURES FOR THIS TENDER IS

  MENTIONED IN SECTION V AND VI OF TENDER.
- vi. Tender Document duly signed/ digitally signed and stamped all pages by the Authorized Signatory.
- vii. Additional document specified/mentioned in Bidding Data Sheet (BDS) OR Elsewhere in Tender.

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

#### 11.1.2 ENVELOPE-II: PRICE BID

ONLY SCHEDULE OF RATE WITH QUOTED PRICES DULY SIGNED AND STAMPED BY AUTHORIZED PERSON SHALL BE SUBMITTED IN ENVELOPE-II.

#### **NOTES:**

- (i) The Prices are to be submitted strictly as per the Schedule of Rate of the bidding documents. GNGPL 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 offer. In case Bidder(s) intend to offer any Rebate/Discount, they should include the same in the item rate(s) itself under the "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 bids.
- (iv) In case, it is observed that any of the bidder(s) has/have offered suo-moto Discount/Rebate after opening of unpriced bid but before opening of price bids such discount /rebate(s) shall not be considered for evaluation. However, in the event of the bidder emerging as the lowest evaluated bidder without considering the discount/rebate(s), then such discount/rebate(s) offered by the bidder shall be considered for Award of Work and the same will be conclusive and binding on the bidder.
- (v) In the event as a result of techno-commercial discussions or pursuant to seeking clarifications / confirmations from bidders, while evaluating the un-priced part of the bid, any of the bidders submits a sealed envelope stating that it contains revised prices; such bidder(s) will be requested to withdraw the revised prices failing which the bid will not be considered for further evaluation.
- (vi) In case it is observed that any bidder has not quoted for any item in the Schedule of Rates (such unquoted item not being in large numbers), the quoted price for the purpose of evaluation shall be considered as the maximum rate quoted by the remaining bidder for such items.
- (vi) If after evaluation, such bidder is found to be the lowest evaluated bidder, the rates for the missing item shall be considered as included in quoted bid price. If the estimated price impact of the unquoted items is more than 10% of the bidder's quoted price, the above provision shall not be applicable and such bid shall be rejected.

**Note**: The above provision should invariably be made a part of tender document.

Further in case SAP generated Schedule of Rates/where manual pricing is sought, the following provision should be included:

"Rates should be quoted both in figures as well as in words by the bidders".

## 12 SCHEDULE OF RATES / BID PRICES

- 12.1 Unless stated otherwise in the Bidding Documents, the Contract shall be for the whole works as described in Bidding Documents, based on the rates and prices submitted by the Bidder and accepted by the Employer. The prices quoted by the Bidders will be inclusive of all taxes except GST.
- 12.2 Prices must be filled in format for "Schedule of Rates [SOR]" enclosed as part of Tender document. If quoted in separate typed sheets and any variation in item description, unit or quantity is noticed; the Bid is liable to be rejected.
- 12.3 Bidder shall quote for all the items of "SOR" after careful analysis of cost involved for the performance of the completed item considering all parts of the Bidding Document. In case any activity though specifically not covered in description of item under "SOR" but is required to complete the works as per Specifications, Scope of Work / Service, Standards, "GCC", "SCC" or any other part of Bidding Document, the prices quoted shall deemed to be inclusive of cost incurred for such activity.
- 12.4 All duties, taxes [except GST and Cess thereon] and other levies [if any] payable by the Contractor under the Contract, or for any other cause, shall be included in the rates / prices and the total bid-price submitted by the Bidder. Applicable rate of GST shall be indicated in Agreed Terms & Conditions (Format-F10).
- 12.5 Prices quoted by the Bidder, shall remain firm and fixed and valid until completion of the Contract and will not be subject to variation on any account. Any new taxes & Duties, if imposed by the State/ Govt. of India after the last date of bid submission but before the Contractual Delivery Date, shall be reimbursed to the contractor on submission of documentary evidence for proof of payment to State/ Govt. Authorities and after ascertaining it's applicability with respect to the contract.
- 12.6 The Bidder shall quote the prices in 'figures' & words. There should not be any discrepancy between the prices indicated in figures and the price indicated in words. In case of any discrepancy, the same shall be dealt as per clause no. 30 of ITB.

#### 13 TAXES & DUTIES

- 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 GNGPL's account. Beyond the contractual delivery period, any increase in the rate of GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) 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.
  - 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 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 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 For Indian Bidder only: With respect to clause no. 11.1.1 D) and 11.1.2, the statutory variation in Import Duty on CIF value indicated, within contractual delivery period shall be to Purchaser's account against submission of the documentary evidence. However, any increase in the rate of Import Duty beyond the contractual delivery / completion period shall be to Bidder's account. In case of wrong classification, no variation including statutory variation of Import Duty will be payable to Supplier and any penalty due to the same shall be to Supplier's account. Any decrease in the rate of Import Duty shall be passed on to the Purchaser.
- 13.4 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.
- 13.5 Deemed Export benefits are not applicable and Bidder should furnish prices without considering the same.
- 13.6 Supplier shall ensure timely submission of correct invoice(s),as per GST rules/ regulation, with all required supporting document(s) within a period specified in Contract to enable GNGPL 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.
- 13.7 The supplier shall mention the particulars of Goa Natural Gas Private Limited, on the Invoice. Besides, if any other particulars of GNGPL are required to be mentioned, under GST rules/regulations on the date of dispatch, the same shall also be mentioned on the Invoice.
- 13.8 In case CBEC (Central Board of Excise and Customs)/ any equivalent government agency brings to the notice of GNGPL that the Supplier has not remitted the amount towards GST (CGST&SGST/UTGST or IGST) collected from GNGPL to the government exchequer, then, that Supplier shall be put under Holiday list of GNGPL for period of six months as mentioned in Procedure for Evaluation of Performance of Vendors/Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants.
- 13.9 GNGPL will prefer to deal with registered supplier of goods/ services under GST. Therefore, bidders are requested to get themselves registered under GST, it not registered yet.
  - However, in case any unregistered bidder/ Indian associate (in case of foreign bidder, if applicable), prices will be loaded with applicable GST (CGST&SGST/UTGST or IGST) during evaluation of bid.
- 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 GNGPL. Further, in case rating of bidder is negative / black listed after award of work for supply of goods / services, then GNGPL 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 GNGPL.

- 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 Supplier/ Service Provider may note the above and quote their prices accordingly. (A confirmation to above will be submitted on letterhead of the bidder).
- 13.12 The bidder while quoting the price may consider the rate of custom duty as per merit.

## 14 BID CURRENCIES:

Bidders must submit bid in Indian Rupees only.

#### 15 BID VALIDITY

- 15.1 Bids shall be kept valid for 'THREE [03] MONTHS' from the final 'Bid Due Date'. A Bid valid for a shorter period may be rejected by GNGPL as 'non-responsive'.
- 15.2 In exceptional circumstances, prior to expiry of the original 'Bid Validity Period', the Employer may request the Bidders to extend the 'Period of Bid Validity' for a specified additional period. The request and the responses thereto shall be made in writing or by fax/email. A Bidder may refuse the request without forfeiture of his 'Bid Security'. 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 'Bid Security' for the period of the extension and in accordance with "ITB: Clause-16" in all respects.

#### 16 EARNEST MONEY/BID SECURITY

Bids must be accompanied with 'Earnest Money / Bid Security' in the form of 'Demand Draft' [in favor of Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd., payable at North Goa] or 'Banker's Cheque' or 'Bank Guarantee' or online or 'Letter of Credit' as per the format given in Form -4/4A of the bidding documents. Bidders shall ensure that 'Bid Security', having a validity of at least ' two [02] months' beyond the validity of the bid, must accompany the Bid in the format(s) made available in the Bidding Document. Bid not accompanied with 'Bid Security', or 'Bid Security' not in requisite form shall be liable for rejection. The Bid Security shall be submitted in Indian Rupees only. The details of the GNGPL A/C for online payment is as mentioned below.

Account Title: GOA NATURAL GAS PRIVATE LIMITED.
Account no: 201001033459 RTGS code: INDB0000088.
RTGS IFSC and NEFT IFSC: INDB0000088. 9 Digit MICR code 403234002.

- 16.2 The 'Bid Security' is required to protect GNGPL against the risk of Bidder's conduct, which would warrant the 'Bid Security's' forfeiture, pursuant to "ITB: Clause-16.7".
- 16.3 GNGPL shall not be liable to pay any Bank charges, commission or interest etc. on the amount of 'Bid Security'. In case 'Bid Security' is in the form of a 'Bank Guarantee', the same shall be from any Indian scheduled Bank or a branch of an International Bank situated in India and registered with 'Reserve Bank of India' as Scheduled Foreign Bank.

However, in case of 'Bank Guarantee' from Banks other than the Nationalized Indian Banks, the Bank must be commercial Bank having net worth in excess of Rs. 100 Crores [Rupees One Hundred Crores] and a declaration to this effect should be made by such commercial Bank either in the 'Bank Guarantee' itself or separately on its letterhead. 'Earnest Money / Bid Security' shall be valid for 'two [02] months' beyond the 'Bid Validity Period'

- 16.4 Any Bid not secured in accordance with "ITB: Clause-16.1 & Clause-16.3" may be rejected by GNGPL as non-responsive.
- 16.5 Unsuccessful Bidder's 'Earnest Money / Bid Security' will be discharged/ returned as promptly as possible, but not later than 'thirty [30] days' after finalization of tender.
- 16.6 The successful Bidder's 'Bid Security' will be discharged upon the Bidder's acknowledging the 'Award' and signing the 'Agreement' and furnishing the 'Contract Performance Security / Security Deposit' pursuant to clause 37 & 38 of ITB.
- 16.7 Notwithstanding anything contained herein, the 'Bid Security' may also be forfeited in any of the following cases:
  - (a) If a Bidder withdraws his Bid during the 'Period of Bid Validity'
  - (b) If a Bidder has indulged in corrupt/fraudulent /collusive/coercive practice
  - (c) If the Bidder modifies bids during the period of bid validity (after submission date).
  - (d) Violates any other condition, mentioned elsewhere in the tender document, which may lead to forfeiture of EMD.
  - (e) In the case of a successful Bidder, if the Bidder fails to:
    - (i) to acknowledge receipt the "Notification of Award" / "Fax of Intent [FOI]/ Fax of Acceptance[FOA]",
    - (ii) to furnish "Contract Performance Security / Security Deposit", in accordance with "ITB: Clause-38"
    - (iii) to accept 'arithmetical corrections' as per provision of the clause 30 of ITB.
- 16.8 Bid Security should be in favor of GNGPL and addressed to GNGPL. In case Bid Security is in the form of 'Bank Guarantee' or 'Letter of Credit', the same must indicate the Bid Document No. and the Work for which the Bidder is quoting. This is essential to have proper correlation at a later date. The 'Bid Security' should be in the form provided at 'Form F-4'/Form F-4A'.
- 16.9 Wherever applicable, MSEs (Micro & Small Enterprises) are exempted from submission of EMD/Bid Security in accordance with the provisions of PPP-2012 and Clause 40 of ITB. The Government Departments/PSUs are also exempted from the payment of Bid Security.

#### 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 address 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 and give hands-on e-tendering, if applicable.

- 17.3 Text of the questions raised and the responses given, together with any responses prepared after the meeting, will be uploaded on GNGPL website against the Tender. Any modification of the Contents of Bidding Documents listed in "ITB: Clause-7.1", that may become necessary as a result of the Pre-Bid Meeting shall be made by the Employer exclusively through the issue of an Addendum / Corrigendum pursuant to "ITB: Clause-9", 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 original and all copies of 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 or persons duly authorized to sign on behalf of the Bidder (as per POA). The name and position held by each person signing, must be typed or printed below the signature. All pages of the Bid except for unamended printed literature where entry(s) or amendment(s) have 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 or persons signing the Bid.
- 18.3 In case of e-tendering, digitally signed documents to be uploaded as detailed in addendum to ITB.

## 19 ZERO DEVIATION AND REJECTION CRITERIA

- 19.1 ZERO DEVIATION: Deviation to terms and conditions of "Bidding Documents" may lead to rejection of bid. GNGPL will accept bids based on terms & conditions of "Bidding Documents" only. Bidder may note GNGPL will determine the substantial responsiveness of each bid to the Bidding Documents 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 Bidding Documents without deviations or reservations. GNGPL's determination of a bid's responsiveness is based on the content of the bid itself without recourse to extrinsic evidence. GNGPL reserves the right to raise technical and/or commercial query(s), if required, may be raised on the bidder(s). The response(s) to the same shall be in writing, and no change in the price(s) or substance of the bids shall be sought, offered or permitted. The substance of the bid includes but not limited to prices, completion, scope, technical specifications, etc. Bidders are requested to not to take any deviation/exception to the terms and conditions laid down in this "Tender Documents", and submit all requisite documents as mentioned in this "Tender Documents", failing which their offer 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.
- 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) Earnest Money Deposit / Bid Security, If required
  - (c) Specifications & Scope of Work
  - (d) Schedule of Rates / Price Schedule / Price Basis
  - (e) Duration / Period of Contract/ Completion schedule
  - (f) Period of Validity of Bid

- (g) Price Reduction Schedule
- (h) Contract Performance Bank Guarantee / Security Deposit, If required
- (i) Guarantee / Defect Liability Period, If required
- (j) Arbitration / Resolution of Dispute/Jurisdiction of Court
- (k) Force Majeure & Applicable Laws
- (I) Integrity Pact, if Applicable
- (m) Any other condition specifically mentioned in the tender document elsewhere that non-compliance of the clause lead to rejection of bid

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

# 20 <u>E-PAYMENT</u>

GNGPL has initiated payments to Suppliers and Contractors electronically, and to facilitate the payments electronically through **'e-banking'**. The successful bidder should give the details of his bank account as per the bank mandate form.

## [D] - SUBMISSION OF BIDS

# 21 SUBMISSION, SEALING AND MARKING OF BIDS

- 21.2 In case of manual tendering bid must be submitted in sealed envelope. If the envelope is not sealed & marked as per Clause No. 11 of ITB, the employer will assume no responsibility for misplacement or pre-mature opening of the bid.
- 21.3 All the bids shall be addressed to the owner at address specified in IFB.
- 21.4 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 BIDS

- 22.1 In case of manual tendering EMD along with bid must be submitted within the due date & time.
- 22.2 GNGPL may, in exceptional circumstances and at its discretion, extend the deadline for submission of Bids (clause 9 of ITB refers). In which case all rights and obligations of GNGPL and the Bidders, previously subject to the original deadline will thereafter be subject to the deadline as extended. Notice for extension of bid submission date will be uploaded on GNGPL's website/ communicate to the bidders.

# 23 LATE BIDS

- 23.1 Any bids received after the notified date and time of closing of tenders will be treated as late bids.
- 23.2 In case of e-tendering, e-tendering system of GNGPL shall close immediately after the deadline for submission of bid and no bids can be submitted thereafter. In case of manual tendering, bids received by GNGPL after the deadline for submission of bids shall not be considered. Such late bids shall be returned to the bidder within "10 days" in 'unopened conditions'. The bid bond of such bidders shall be returned along with the un-opened bid. In case of e-tendering, where the bid bond/physical documents has been received but the bid is not submitted by the bidder in the e-tendering portal, such bid bond/ physical documents shall be returned immediately.
- 23.3 Unsolicited Bids or Bids 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 BIDS

## 24.1 **IN CASE OF MANUAL BIDDING**

The bidder may withdraw or modify its bid after bid submission but before the due date for submission as per tender document provided that the written notice of the modification/substitution/withdrawal in received by GNGPL prior to the deadline for submission of bid.

- 24.2 The modification shall also the prepared, sealed, marked and dispatch in accordance with the provision of the clause 22 of ITB, with the after and inner envelopes additionally marked modification or withdrawal as appropriate. A withdrawal notice may also be sent by e-mail or fax but followed by a signed confirmation copy post not later than the deadline for submission of bids. No bid shall be modified/ withdrawn after the deadline for submission of bids.
- 24.3 No bid shall be allowed to be withdrawn/ modified/substitute in the interval between the deadline for submission of bids and the expiration of the period of bid validity specified by the bidder on the Bid Form. Withdrawal/Modification/Substitution of a bid during this interval shall result in the bidder's forfeiture of his bid security pursuant to clause 16 of ITB.
- 24.4 The latest bid hence submitted shall be considered for evaluation and all other bids shall be considered to be unconditionally withdrawn.
- 24.5 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, GNGPL shall forfeit EMD paid by the bidder and such bidders shall be debarred from participation in re-tendering of the same job(s)/item(s). Further, such bidder will be put on holiday for a period of six months after following the due procedure.

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

GNGPL 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 or Bidders or any obligations to inform the affected Bidder or Bidders of the ground for GNGPL Gas's action. However, Bidder if so desire may seek the reason (in writing) for rejection of their Bid to which GNGPL shall respond quickly.

#### [E] - BID OPENING AND EVALUATION

#### 26 BID OPENING

#### 26.1 **TECHNO-COMMERCIAL / UN-PRICED BID OPENING:**

GNGPL will open bids, in the presence of bidders' designated representatives who choose to attend, at date, time and location stipulated in the BDS/tender. The bidders' representatives, who are present shall sign a bid opening register evidencing their attendance.

#### 26.2 PRICED BID OPENING:

- 26.2.1 GNGPL will open the price bids of those bidders who meet the qualification requirement and whose bids is determined to be technically and commercially responsive. Bidders selected for opening of their price bids shall be informed about the date of price bid opening. Bidders may depute their authorized representative to attend the bid opening. The bidders' representatives, who are present shall sign a register evidencing their attendance and may be required to be present on a short notice.
- 26.2.2 The price bids of those bidders who were not found to be techno-commercially responsive shall be unopened and returned unopened after opening of the price bids of techno-commercially responsive bidders.
- 26.3 In case of bids invited under the single bid system, bid shall be opened on the specified due date & time.

## 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 persons not officially concerned with such process. Any effort by a Bidder to influence the Employer's processing of Bids or award decisions may result in the rejection of the Bidder's Bid.

## 28 CONTACTING THE EMPLOYER

- 28.1 From the time of Bid opening to the time of award of Contract, if any Bidder wishes to contact the Employer on any matter related to the Bid, it should do so in writing. Information relating to the examination, clarification, evaluation & recommendation for award shall not be disclosed.
- 28.2 Any effort by the Bidder to influence the Employer in the Employer's 'Bid Evaluation', 'Bid Comparison', or 'Contract Award' decisions may result in the rejection of the Bidder's Bid.

## 29 EXAMINATION OF BIDS AND DETERMINATION OF RESPONSIVENESS

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

- (a) Meets the "Bid Evaluation Criteria" of the Bidding Documents;
- (b) Has been properly signed;
- (c) Is accompanied by the required 'Earnest Money / Bid Security';
- (d) Is substantially responsive to the requirements of the Bidding Documents; and
- (e) Provides any clarification and/or substantiation that the Employer 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 and specifications of the Bidding Documents without material deviations or reservations or omissions for this purpose employer defines the foregoing terms below:
  - a) "Deviation" is departure from the requirement specified in the tender documents.
  - b) "Reservation" is the setting of limiting conditions 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.
- 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 documents.
    - ii) Limit, in any substantial way, inconsistent with the Tender Document, the Employer's rights or the tenderer's obligations under the proposed Contract.
  - b) If rectified, would unfairly affect the competitive position of other bidders presenting substantially responsive bids.
- 29.4 The employer shall examine all aspects of the bid to confirm that all requirements have been met without any material deviation reservation or omission.
- 29.5 If a Bid is not substantially responsive, it may be rejected by the Employer and may not subsequently be made responsive by correction or withdrawal of the of material deviation, reservation or omission.

## 30 CORRECTION OF ERRORS

- 30.1 Bids determined to be substantially responsive will be checked by the Employer for any arithmetic errors. Errors will be corrected by the Employer as follows:
  - (i) When there is a difference between the rates in figures and words, the rate which corresponds to the amount worked out by the contractor (by multiplying the quantity and rate) shall be taken as correct.
  - (ii) When the rate quoted by the contractor in figures and words tallies but the amount is incorrect, the rate quoted by the contractor shall be taken as correct and not the amount and the amount corrected.
  - (iii) When it is not possible to ascertain the correct rate, in the manner prescribed above, the rate as quoted in words shall be adopted and the amount worked out, for comparison purposes

30.2 The amount stated in the bid will be adjusted by the Employer in accordance with the above procedure for the correction of errors. If the bidder does not accept the corrected amount of bid, its bid will be rejected, and the bid security shall be forfeited.

# 31 CONVERSION TO SINGLE CURRENCY FOR COMPARISON OF BIDS

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

# 32 EVALUATION AND COMPARISON OF BIDS

Bid shall be evaluated as per evaluation criteria mentioned in **Section-II** (**BEC and Award Methodology**) of bidding documents after considering the effect of cenvatable GST wherever the work Centre is entitled to avail CENVAT credit. The employer shall only use the criteria and methodology indicated in Section-II of bidding documents. No other criteria/ methodology shall be permitted. In case any bidder doesn't charge GST, then evaluation shall be carried out considering the appropriate % of GST. However, payment shall be made without GST as per rate quoted by bidder.

#### 33 Compensation for Extended Stay

VOID

# 34 PURCHASE PREFERENCE

Purchase preference to Central government public sector Undertaking/other bidder shall be allowed as per Government instructions in vogue.

### [F] - AWARD OF CONTRACT

# 35 AWARD

Subject to "ITB: Clause-29", GNGPL will award the Contract 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 (As per BEC and award methodology of tender).

# 36 NOTIFICATION OF AWARD / FAX OF ACCEPTANCE

- 36.1 Prior to the expiry of 'Period of Bid Validity', GNGPL will notify the successful Bidder in writing, in the form of "Notification of Award" / "Fax of Intent [FOI]"/"Fax of Acceptance [FOA]", through fax/e-mail, that his Bid has been accepted. The notification of award / Fax of Intent will constitute the formation of the Contract.
- 36.2 Contract period shall commence from the date of "Notification of Award" or as mentioned in the Notification of Award. The "Notification of Award" will constitute the formation of a Contract, until the Contract has been effected pursuant to signing of Contract as per "ITB: Clause-37".

Upon the successful Bidder's / Contractor's furnishing of 'Contract Performance Security / Security Deposit', pursuant to "ITB: Clause-38", GNGPL will promptly discharge his 'Earnest Money / Bid Security', pursuant to "ITB: Clause-16"

#### 37 SIGNING OF AGREEMENT

- 37.1 GNGPL will award the Contract to the successful Bidder, who, within 'fifteen [15] days' of receipt of the same, shall sign and return the acknowledged copy to GNGPL.
- 37.2 The successful Bidder/Contractor shall be required to execute an 'Agreement' in the proforma given in this Bidding Document on a 'non-judicial stamp paper' of appropriate value [cost of the 'stamp-paper' shall be borne by the successful Bidder/Contractor] and of 'state' specified in Bidding Data Sheet (BDS) only, within 'fifteen [15] days' of receipt of the "Letter of Acceptance [LOA]" of the Tender by the successful Bidder/Contractor failure on the part of the successful Bidder/Contractor to sign the 'Agreement' within the above stipulated period, shall constitute sufficient grounds for forfeiture of EMD/Security Deposit.

#### 38 CONTRACT PERFORMANCE SECURITY / SECURITY DEPOSIT

38.1 Within 30 days of the receipt of the notification of award/ Fax of Acceptance from GNGPL, the successful bidder shall furnish the contract performance security/Guarantee in accordance with of General Conditions of the Contract. The Contract Performance Security/Guarantee shall be in the form of either Banker's Cheque or Demand Draft or Bank Guarantee or Letter of Credit and shall be in the currency of the Contract.

38.2 The contract performance security shall be for an amount equal to specified in Bidding Data Sheet (BDS) towards faithful performance of the contractual obligations and performance of equipment. For the purpose of Contract Performance Security, Contract/order value shall be exclusive of taxes and duties.

Bank Guarantee towards performance security/ security deposit shall be from any Indian scheduled bank or a branch of an International bank situated in India and registered with Reserve bank of India as scheduled foreign bank in case of Indian bidder as well as foreign bidder. However, in case of bank guarantees from banks other than the Nationalized Indian banks, the bank must be a commercial bank having net worth in excess of Rs 100 crores and a declaration to this effect should be made by such commercial bank either in the Bank Guarantee itself or separately on its letterhead. This bank guarantee shall be valid for a period as three months beyond the DLP specified in Bid Data Sheet.

- 38.3 Failure of the successful bidder to comply with the requirements of this article shall constitute sufficient grounds for the annulment of the award and forfeiture of the bid security.
- 38.4 The CPBG/Security deposit has to cover the entire contract value including extra works/services also. As long as the CPBG/Security deposit submitted at the time of award take cares the extra works/ services executed and total executed value are within the awarded contract price, there is no need for additional security deposit/ Contract Performance Security. As soon as the total executed value is likely to burst the ceiling of awarded contract price, the contractor should furnish additional security deposit/ CPBG.

# 40 PUBLIC PROCUREMENT POLICY FOR MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES (REFER BDS FOR APPLICABILITY OF THIS CLAUSE)

- 40.1 Following provision has been incorporated in tender for MSEs, 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 Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs)
  - i) Issue of tender document to MSEs free of cost.
  - ii) Exemption to MSEs from payment of EMD/Bid Security.

AS THIS TENDER IS NON-SPLITABLE OR NON- DIVIDABLE (SPECIFIED IN BID DATA SHEET.

- 40.2 The MSEs 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 at least 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.
- 40.3 The Public Procurement Policy for MSEs is meant for procurement of only goods produced & Services rendered by MSEs and hence shall not be applicable for works contracts

In case bidder is a Micro or Small Enterprise under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006, the bidder shall submit the following:

- a) Documentary evidence that the bidder is a Micro or Small Enterprises registered with District Industries Centers or Khadi and Village Industries National Small Industries Corporation or Directorate of Handicrafts and Handloom or any other body specified by Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises.
- b) If the MSE is owned by SC/ST Entrepreneurs, the bidder shall furnish appropriate documentary evidence in this regard.

The above documents 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.

40.4 If against an order placed by GNGPL, successful bidder(s) (other than Micro/Small Enterprise) is procuring material/services from their sub-vendor who is a Micro or Small Enterprise registered with District Industries Centers or Khadi and Village Industries Commission or Khadi and Village Industries Board or Coir Board or National Small Industries Corporation or Directorate of Handicrafts and Handloom or having Udyog Aadhar Memorandum or any other body specified by Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises with prior consent in writing of the purchasing authority/Engineer-in-charge, 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.

#### 41 AHR ITEMS

In items rate contract where the quoted rates for the items exceed 50% of the estimate rates, such items will be considered as Abnormally High Rates (AHR) Items and payment of AHR items beyond the SOR stipulated quantities shall be made at the lowest amongst the following rates:

- I) Rates as per SOR, quoted by the Contractor/Bidder.
- II) Rate of the item, which shall be derived as follows:
  - a. Based on rates of Machine and labour as available from the contract (which includes contractor's supervision, profit, overheads and other expenses).
  - b. In case rates are not available in the contract, rates will be calculated based on prevailing market rates of machine, material and labour plus 15% to cover contractor's supervision profit, overhead & other expenses.

# 42 <u>VENDOR PERFORMANCE EVALUATION</u>

SHALL BE AS STIPULATED ANNEXURE II OF SECTION: VI OF TENDER ATTACHED HEREWITH.

# 43 INCOME TAX & CORPORATE TAX

- 43.1 Income tax deduction shall be made from all payments made to the contractor as per the rules and regulations in force and in accordance with the Income Tax Act prevailing from time to time.
- 43.2 Corporate Tax liability, if any, shall be to the contractor's account.

# 44. <u>SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES BETWEEN GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT AND ANOTHER AND ONE GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISE AND ANOTHER</u>

In the event of any dispute or difference relating to the interpretation and application of the provisions of the contracts, such dispute or difference shall be referred by either party for Arbitration to the sole Arbitrator in the Department of Public Enterprises to be nominated by the Secretary to the Government of India in-charge of the Department of Public Enterprises. The Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 shall not be applicable to arbitrator under this clause. The award of the Arbitrator shall be binding upon the parties to the dispute, provided, however, any party aggrieved by such award may make a further reference for setting aside or revision of the award to the Law Secretary, Department of Legal Affairs, Ministry of Law & Justice, Government of India. Upon such reference the dispute shall be decided by the Law Secretary or the Special Secretary / Additional Secretary, when so authorized by the Law Secretary, whose decision shall bind the Parties finally and conclusively. The parties to the dispute will share equally the cost of arbitration as intimated by the Arbitrator.

# 45. BIDDING DATA SHEET (BDS) ITB TO BE READ IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE FOLLOWING:

A. GENERAL		
ITB clause	clause Description	
1.2	The Invitation for Bids/ Tender no is: GNGPL/C&P/T-22	
1.1	The Employer/Owner is: <i>M/S. GOA NATURAL GAS PVT. LTD.</i> (GNGPL)	
2.1	The name of the Works/Services to be performed is as per IFB.	
3	BIDS FROM CONSORTIUM/ JOINT VENTURE  NOT APPLICABLE	
B. BIDDING	DOCUMENT	
ITB clause	Description	
8.1	For <u>clarification purposes</u> only, the communication address is: Attention:	
	Sh Nilesh Nagawade, Sr. Manager, CGD	
	Street Address: GNGPL, 33 Rajan Villa. Journalist Colony. Porvorim. Goa-403 521.	
	Country: India	
	Email: contracts@goanaturalgas.com	
C. PREPARATION OF BIDS		
ITB clause	Description	
11.1.1 (viii)	The Bidder shall submit with its Techno-commercial/ Unpriced bid the following additional documents (SCC Refers):  NOT APPLICABLE	
12	Additional Provision for Schedule of Rate/ Bid Price are as under: <b>NOT APPLICABLE</b>	
14	The currency of the Bid shall be <i>INR</i>	
15	The bid validity period shall be <i>03 (THREE) MONTHS</i> from final 'Bid Due Date'.	
D. SUBMISS	ION AND OPENING OF BIDS	
ITB clause	Description	
18	In addition to the original of the Bid, the number of copies required is <b>NIL.</b> Not applicable in case of e-tendering.	
22	The E-Tender No. of this bidding process is: Not Applicable	
23.3	For <u>bid submission purposes</u> only, the Owner's address is: Attention: Sh Nilesh Nagawade. Sr. Manager CGD GNGPL, 33 Rajan Villa. Journalist Colony. Porvorim. Goa-403 521. Country: India	
26	The bid opening shall take place at:	
	Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd.	
	Plot No. 33 Rajan Villa. Journalist Colony. Porvorim. Goa-403 521.	

	Country: India	
E. EVALUAT	ION, AND COMPARISON OF BIDS	
ITB clause	Description	
32	EVALUATION METHODOLOGY IS MENTIONED IN SECTION-II	
	(ITB).	
33	Compensation for Extended Stay: <b>NOT APPLICABLE</b>	
F. AWARD O	F. AWARD OF CONTRACT	
ITB clause	Description	
37	State of which stamp paper is required for Contract Agreement: <b>GOA.</b>	
38	Contract Performance Security/ Security Deposit: PLEAE REFER	
	NOTE-1 TO BDS	
40	Public Procurement policy for MSEs: Since this is Service contract, award preference may be given as per Govt. guidelines. THIS TENDER IS NON-SPLIT ABLE OR NOT-DIVISIBLE.	
41	Provision of AHR Item: APPLICABLE	
71	Integrity Pact is APPLICABLE	
Clause no		
Clause no. 27.3 of GCC	Bonus for Early Completion: <b>NOT APPLICABLE</b>	

#### **NOTE-1 TO BDS**

#### SECURITY DEPOSIT/ CONTRACT PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE

1) Within 30 days of receipt of the notification of FOA from the OWNER, the successful bidder shall submit the Contract Performance Bank Guarantee (CPBG) as below-

7.5% of one year's contract value within 30 days of award or 5% of Contract/Order value within 30 days of award and balance to be deducted against each RA bills till balance 2.5% is deducted. This deducted amount can be released/deduction can be stopped against submission of bank guarantee of equivalent amount.

- 2) CPBG shall be retained at owner's end till completion of contract period (i.e. till completion of defect liability period/Final Bill in case of pure services against all the supplies/services awarded against this tender).
- 3) The contract performance bank guarantee shall be valid 03 (three) months beyond the expiry of defect liability period or contract period including extension, if any.
- 4) The Performance Guarantee shall be in form of either Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque or irrevocable Bank Guarantee or Letter of Credit and shall be in the currency of Contract (issued by any Indian Scheduled bank or a branch of an International Bank situated in India and registered with Reserve Bank of India as Scheduled Foreign Bank in case of Indian bidders).
- 5) GNGPL shall not be liable to pay any bank charges, commission or interest on the same.
- 6) However, in case of Bank Guarantee from banks other than the Nationalized Indian bank, the bank must be a commercial bank having net worth in excess of Rs. 100 Crores and a declaration to this effect should be made by such commercial bank either in the bank guarantee itself or separately on its letterhead.
- 7) Contract value for security Deposit/ Performance Guarantee purpose shall be excluding final GST.
- 8) Failure of the successful bidder to comply with the requirement of this clause shall constitute a breach of contract, cause for annulment of the award, forfeiture of the bid security (if available) and any such remedy the Owner may take under the Contract pursuant to Clause 34.0 of GCC- Works.
- 9) There is no exemption to PSUs/ MSEs including SSI units from submission of Security Deposit/ Contract Performance Bank Guarantee (CPBG).

# SECTION-III SPECIAL CONDITION OF CONTRACT

# SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

#### 1.0 GENERAL

- 1.1 Special conditions of Contract shall be read in Conjunction with the General conditions of Contract, specification of work, Drawings and any other documents forming part of this Contract wherever the context so requires.
- 1.2 Notwithstanding the sub-division of the documents into these separate sections and volumes, every part of each shall be deemed to be supplementary to and complementary of every other part and shall be read with and into the Contract so far as it may be practicable to do so.
- 1.3 Where any portion of the General Condition of Contract is repugnant to or at variance with any provisions of the Special Conditions of Contract, unless a different intention appears, the provisions of the Special Conditions of Contract shall be deemed to over-ride the provisions of the General Conditions of Contract and shall to the extent of such repugnancy, or variations, prevail.
- 1.4 Wherever it is mentioned in the specifications that the Agency shall perform certain work or provide certain facilities, it is understood that the Agency shall do so at its cost and the value of contract shall be deemed to have included cost of such performance and provisions, so mentioned.
- 1.5 The intending Agency shall be deemed to have visited the site and gone through the GCC. Non familiarity with site conditions and unawareness of GCC shall in no way be considered a reason for any extra claim or for not carrying out the work in strict conformity with the drawings, specifications or provisions of contract.
- 1.6 It will be the Agency's responsibility to bring to the notice of Engineer-in-Charge any irreconcilable conflict in the contract documents before starting the work(s) or making the supply with reference which the conflict exists.
- 1.7 Agency has to co-ordinate and liaison with the concerned Statutory Authority to obtain the necessary No Objection Certificate/ Clearance certificate etc. and submit to GNGPL/ Consultant. However, any statutory fees required to be submitted to the Authority shall be reimbursed to the Agency upon approval and submission of proper original receipt/ challan etc., other than statutory fee no other payment shall be made to the Agency on this account.

- 1.8 All Commissioning activities including testing, balancing, adjusting and measurement & verification shall be carried out only in the presence of a third party Commissioning Authority and an owner's representative. It is the responsibility of the Agency to ensure their presence at such times otherwise such activities shall not processed further in their absence.
- 1.9 All the work specifically mentioned in the tender document is under the scope of the Agency. All other works not specifically mentioned but required for successfully execution of the work shall also be performed by the Agency and payment shall be made as per the terms and conditions mentioned elsewhere in this document.
- 1.10 The work executed shall be to the satisfaction of Engineer In-Charge/ OWNER and contract rates shall include any Incidental and Contingent works charges so as to compete the work in all respect in prompt, efficient and workman like manner.

#### ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

In case of an irreconcilable conflict between Indian or other applicable standards, General Conditions of Contract, Special Conditions of contract, Specifications, Drawings or Schedule of Rates, the following shall prevail to the extent of such irreconcilable conflict in order of precedence:-

- i. Letter of Acceptance along with Statement of Agreed Variations & its enclosures and any corrigendum/addendum.
- ii. Fax/ Letter of Intent/ Fax of Acceptance.
- iii. Schedule of Rates as enclosures to Letter of Acceptance.
- iv. Special/ additional Conditions of Contract.
- v. Specifications, Special notes regarding specifications and Drawings, all three in conjunction with each other.
- vi. General Conditions of Contract.

#### 2.0 **DEFINITIONS**

- 2.1 The expression 'Vendor / Agency' shall mean the Agency selected by the employer for the execution of the subject work and shall include the successors and permitted assigns of the Vendor/ Agency.
- 2.2 The 'Engineer-in-Charge' shall mean the Engineer-In-charge' of GNGPL for this work and shall include any person acting as in charge on its behalf.
- 2.3 'Authorized Representative' shall mean any Officer/ Supervisor / Consultant/ Staff of GNGPL authorized by the Head of Department.

#### 3.0 **LOCATION**

- 3.1 The services are required to assist GNGPL in its CGD Projects activities in North Goa & Ponda.
- 3.2 The services will be provided based on the organizational requirement as assessed and identified from time to time.

#### 4.0 TERMINATION OF CONTRACT

- 4.1 No additional charges, other than the quoted rates and applicable taxes, shall be paid to the Agency during the contract period except statutory variation in service tax during the contract period. The contract will be for a period of two (2) years from the date of issuance of LoA or from the date specified in the LoA, after which the contract period can be further extended up to one year on the same terms and conditions, at the sole discretion of GNGPL.
- 4.2 GNGPL reserves the right to terminate the Contract either in part or in full without assigning any reason thereof. Engineer-In-Charge shall in such an event give thirty (30) days' notice in writing to the Agency of its decision to do so. Agency upon receipt of such notice discontinue the work. In the event of such termination, Agency shall be paid for the actual time performed and service provided till the date specified in the notice.
  - 4.3 Agency shall in no case lease/ transfer/ sublet/ appoint caretaker for services and the personnel to be deployed for carrying out the contractual job.
  - 4.3 No other person except Agency's authorized representative shall be allowed to enter GNGPL premises. Agency shall also not entertain any outsider or extend any service beyond GNGPL's premises.
  - 4.4 Within the GNGPL's premises, the Agency's personnel shall not do any private work other than their normal duties. The attendance and leave record of the personnel deployed by the Agency shall be maintained by the Agency whose. The AGENCY should coordinate with EIC regularly to attend to the contractual obligations and interact with the personnel deployed by the Agency. It is the sole responsibility of the AGENCY to manage the work force of Agency deployed in the contract e.g. the monthly attendance, leave details, Identity cards, the issues of contract personnel, police verification, etc.
  - 4.5 GNGPL shall have the authority to direct the Agency to terminate the services of any of its personnel without any prior notice, if GNGPL is satisfied on Medical grounds that the candidate is unfit and is likely to continue to be unfit for reasons of ill-health for the discharge of his/her duties.
  - 4.6 GNGPL will have authority to direct the Agency to terminate the services, without any prior notice to the candidate found to be prima—facie guilty of any insubordination, intemperance, moral turpitude or other misconduct, participation in strikes/ agitations/ Union/ Association or of any breach or non-performance of any of the provisions of these conditions or if otherwise found unsuitable for the efficient performance of his/her duties.

- 4.7 During the period of engagement, performance of the contract personnel shall be observed and GNGPL can direct the Agency to short terminate the contract engagement based on the performance.
- 4.8 The Agency personnel should be ready to work across the Geographical Area authorized by PNGRB as per the requirements of GNGPL.
- 4.9 Agency shall be directly responsible for any/ all disputes arising between it and its personnel and keep GNGPL indemnified against all loses, damages and claims arising thereof.
- 4.10 The personnel engaged by the Agency shall be subject to security check by the GNGPL's security staff while entering/ leaving the premises and shall co-operate with such security checks.
- 4.11 Agency shall be solely responsible for payment of wages/ remuneration including allowances to its personnel that might become applicable under any new act or order of Government. GNGPL shall have no liability whatsoever in this regard. Only variation in the statutory payments shall be borne by GNGPL.
- 4.12 Agency shall be fully responsible for theft, burglary, fire or any mischievous deeds by its staff.
- 4.13 Lists of persons employed by the Agency for the subject work mentioning qualifications, experience and residential address shall be submitted to EIC. In case of any change, the same shall be informed to EIC from time to time.

#### 5.0 PRICE BASIS

- 5.1 The quoted rate shall be firm and valid till the complete execution of the order. No escalation on what-so-ever account shall be paid under this contract.
- 5.2 The rate should be quoted in the Schedule of Rates as enclosed. The rates towards monthly service charges per person (in Rupees) only should be quoted in the schedule of rates. Bidder should take in to account all liabilities to be borne by it as indicated in the scope of services, special conditions of contract and other tender documents while quoting service charges.
- 5.3 Bidders are advised in their own interest to visit office and ascertain the conditions and quantum of work before quoting.

- 5.4 Agency should take care of GST (if applicable) while quoting rates and should separately indicate rate of GST to be charged.
- 5.5 The rate quoted by the Agency shall be all inclusive for provisions of all incidental expenses necessary for proper execution and completion of work in full in accordance with the Terms & Conditions of the Bid Documents.
- 5.6 **Contract Period**: The duration of Contract shall be Two years from the date of issuance of LoA or from the date specified in the LOA. The contract may be further extended for a period up to one year on the same terms and conditions.
- **6.0** GNGPL can increase or decrease the manpower on same terms and conditions during the contract period based on the requirement.

#### 7.0 TIME FOR START AND MOBLISATION

7.1 Successful Bidder will be given 15 days mobilization period. Agency shall ensure mobilization within the given time with the required manpower for smooth execution of job as specified by GNGPL/ EIC. In case the Agency is not able to mobilize within the time specified above, a penalty @ Rs.500/- per person per day shall be recovered from the Agency.

# 8.0 RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE AGENCY FOR COMPLIANCE WITH LABOUR/ INDUSTRIAL LAWS:

- 8..1 The contractor is required to comply with all applicable labour laws and regulations including, but not limited to the following:
- a) The Factories Act, 1948 / The Shops & Establishment Act, 1948 (which ever applicable)
- b) The Maternity Benefit Act, 1961
- c) The Building and Other Construction Workers (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Service) Act 1979 & Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Cess Act, 1996
- d) The Inter State Migrant Workmen (RECS) Act 1979 (if applicable)
- e) Contract Labour (R&A) Act-1970
- f) Employees' Provident Fund & Misc. Provisions Act- 1952
- g) Employees' State Insurance Act-1948
- h) Employees' Compensation Act, 1923
- i) Minimum of Wages Act, 1948
- j) The Payment of Wages Act,1936
- k) The Payment of Bonus Act,1965
  - 8.2 The Agency should have a valid license issued in its favour by the Competent Authority as provided under the Contract Labour (R&A) Act, 1970 in case the Agency employs / is required to employ more than 20 personnel.

- 8.3 The Agency shall have its own PF code no. with the RPFC as required under Employee PF & Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 and extend benefits of Provident Fund Scheme, 1952, Employee Deposit Linked Insurance Scheme, 1976 and Employee Pension Scheme, 1995.
- 8.4 The Agency shall have to obtain Insurance policy in lieu of Employees Compensation Act, 1923 for the personnel engaged by it and submit a copy of the same to EIC.
- 8.5 The Agency is required to submit copies of Electronic-Challan-cum-Return (ECR)/ Electronic Challan along with Online Uploaded list of contract personnel/ members for the proof of remittance of Provident Fund (PF) with respective authorities for the contract personnel engaged by it in GNGPL while submitting monthly bills.
- 8.5 Without prejudice to the foregoing, the Agency shall be responsible for bearing all registration and statutory inspection fees payable under any Applicable Laws in respect of the services performed pursuant to the Contract. If the Agency defaults in complying with the Applicable Laws, the Agency shall, at its own risk and Cost, bear any and all additional fees, fines, penalties or charges.
- 8.6 Without prejudice to the responsibility of the Agency to comply with the Applicable Laws under the Contract, the Agency shall, in relation to the execution of the Works, comply with all applicable labour laws, including but not limited to the Factories Act, 1948, the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923, the Payment of Wages Act, 1936, the Minimum Wages Act, 1948, the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947, the Employees' State Insurance Act 1948, the Weekly Holidays Act, 1942, the Employees State Insurance Act, 1948, the Employees Provident Funds Scheme, 1952, the Employees Provident Funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952, the Maternity Benefit Act, 1962, the Contract Labor (Regulation and Abolition) Act, 1970, The Building and other Construction Workers (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Services) Act, 1996, the Equal Remuneration Act, 1976, the Inter-State Migrant Workmen (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Service) Act, 1979, the Labour Laws (Exemption from Furnishing Returns and Maintaining Registers by Certain Establishments) Act, 1988, the Children (Pledging of Labour) Act, 1933, the Child Labour Prohibition and Regulation Act, 1951, the provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961, Environment Protection Act, 1986, Maritime Act, 2008, Wild life (Protection ) Act, 1972 and any other Applicable Law relating to the employment of workmen, employees or Labour or any subsequent modification or reenactment thereof.
- 8.7 The Agency shall not be absolved from any of its obligations under Applicable Laws or the Contract or claim any additional amount from GNGPL due to its ignorance of any Applicable Law.
- 8.9 The Agency shall be solely responsible for the payment of wages and other dues to the personnel deployed by it, latest by 7<sup>th</sup> day of the subsequent month in the

- presence of Engineer In-Charge. After disbursement of wages the authorized representative of Agency and Engineer In-Charge of GNGPL have to certify the payment of wages to the contract personnel and sign the wage register jointly.
- 8.10 The Agency shall at its own cost and initiative take and maintain at all times until the closure of the Contract, insurance policies in respect of manpower engaged by it for providing services under this Contract, in order to keep itself as well GNGPL fully indemnified from and against all claims whatsoever including but not limited to those arising out of the provisions contained in the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923.
- 8.11 The Agency shall be solely responsible and indemnify GNGPL against all charges, dues, claim etc. arising out of the disputes relating to the dues and employment of personnel, if any, deployed by it.
- 8.12 The Agency shall indemnify GNGPL against all losses or damages, if any, caused to it on account of acts of the personnel, if any, deployed by it.
- 8.13 All personnel deployed by the Agency should be on the rolls of the Agency.
- 8.14 No contract personnel below the age of 18 years shall be deployed on the work.
- 8.15 The Agency shall ensure regular and effective supervision and control of the personnel, if any, deployed by it and gives suitable direction for undertaking the contractual obligations.
- 8.16 The personnel to be deputed by the Agency shall observe all security, fire and safety rules of GNGPL while at the site/ work. Agency has to strictly adhere to the guidelines/ instructions issued from time to time.
- 8.17 Agency shall provide proper identification cards for its employees to be deputed by it for Work/ Services, duly signed by the Agency or authorized person on behalf of Agency. Also the Agency should obtain entry passes from Security Department through ENGINEER-IN-CHARGE for its employees.
- 8.18 Agency has to deploy the personnel with no past criminal records.
- 8.19 While confirming to any of these conditions, the Agency should ensure that no law of State regarding labour, their welfare, conduct etc., is violated. The Agency shall indemnify GNGPL for any action brought against it for violation, non-compliance of any act, rules & regulation of center / state / local statutory authorities.

- 8.20 All existing and amended Security and safety / fire rules of GNGPL are to be followed at the work site.
- 8.21 In case of accident, injury and death caused to the employee of the Agency while executing the Work under the contract, the Agency shall be solely responsible for payment of adequate compensation, insurance money, etc. to the next kith & kin of injured/ diseased. Agency shall indemnify GNGPL from such liabilities.
- 8.22 The Agency shall not employ or permit to be employed any person suffering from any contagious, loathsome or infectious disease. The Agency shall get its employees/ persons examined from a civil govt. doctor.
- 8.23 No employees or person of Agency shall be allowed to consume alcoholic drinks or any narcotics within the plant premise/ site. If found under the influence of above, the owner / GNGPL will terminate the contract immediately and may refer the case to police.
- 8.24 The Agency hereby agrees to indemnify owner / GNGPL from all claims, demands, actions, cost and charges, etc. brought by any court, competent authority/ statutory authorities against owner/ GNGPL.
- 8.25 The Agency is required to file half-yearly Return in Form-XXIV before concerned ALC (Central), the Licensing Officer within 30 days from the end of half-year.
- 8.26 Following documents shall be submitted by the Agency to Engineer In-charge at various stages during the currency of the contract:-

## <u>Documents to be submitted by the Contractor to EIC at various stages during the currency of the contract</u>

#### a) Immediately after issuance/receiving of Letter of Acceptance (LOA)

- i. Details as required for issuance of FORM VII (Notice of Commencement of Work)
- ii. Application for issuance of **FORM –III** (**Form of Certificate by Principal Employer**) for obtaining Labour License from Licensing Authority for engaging 20 or more resources.
- iii. Copy of **FORM VI** (**License**) before commencement of work if 20 or more resources are engaged.
- iv. Copy of **Provident Fund Registration Certificate** issued by concerned Regional Provident Fund Commissioner.
- v. Copy of **ESI Registration Certificate** issued by concerned ESIC.
- vi. Copies Insurance Policy(ies) as mentioned
- vii. Copy of Labour Identification Number (i.e. LIN) Registration done in Shram Suvidha Portal of Govt. of India.

#### b) Compliance of Government of India Directives

## 1. Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojna (PMSBY) and Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojna (PMJJBY)

Contractor shall, ensure that all its resources deployed under this contract have obtained additional insurance coverage under the Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana (PMSBY) and Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana (PMJJBY) through the participating banks and submit the proof of such insurance coverage to the satisfaction of GNGPL. The cost has been included in the estimate mentioned in SOR and the Contractor shall submit evidence / proof to GNGPL in this respect. Both the schemes are to be regulated continuously on yearly basis and the same should be renewed on each successive relevant date in subsequent years during the period of the contract.

#### 2. Labour Identification Number (i.e. LIN) Registration (Mandatory)

The Unified Shram Suvidha Protal, developed by Government of India, facilitates reporting of Inspections & submission of Returns and has also been envisaged as a single point of contact between employer, resources and enforcement agencies bringing in transparency in their day-to-day interactions. For integration of data among various enforcement Agencies, the Contractor, as an inspectable unit, is required to register and obtain Labour Identification Number (i.e. LIN) from Shram Suvidha Portal and submit the same in EIC.

#### 3. Pradhan Mantri Rojgar Protsahan Yojna (PMRPY) – if applicable

In order to support the Govt. of India's Initiative on Employment Generation, the Contractor must register for Pradhan Mantri Rojgar Protsahan Yojna (PMRPY) Scheme. The Contractor shall inform GNGPL/Engineer in Charge about the benefit availed, if any, against the scheme for adjustment against the invoice(s) / bill(s).

#### c) At the time of submission of monthly bills:-

- Copy of Employee Register in FORM A under The Ease of Compliance to Maintain Registers under various Labour Laws Rules, 2017 (to be replaced by FORM – IV (of Code on Wages-2019, after it comes into force).
- ii. Copy of Wage Register in FORM B under The Ease of Compliance to Maintain Registers under various Labour Laws Rules, 2017 ( to be replaced by Register of Wages, Overtime, Fine, Deduction for damage and Loss in FORM I of Code on Wages-2019, after it comes into force) duly certified by <a href="mailto:authorized representative">authorized representative</a> of the Contractor and <a href="mailto:authorised person">authorised person</a> in GNGPL certifying as "Certified that the amount shown in the column No. ----has been paid to the workman concerned in my presence on-----(date) at ------(place)" along with copy of bank statement duly certified by bank as proof of Cashless Transaction / Payment of wages through e-banking/digital mode.
- iii. As a part of compliance and proof of depositing Provident Fund, EDLI and ESI contributions the Contractor shall submit copies of the **Separate eChallans / ECR**, bank receipts/bank statement in respect of resources deployed in GNGPL in the previous month in this contract. The documents should also contain details of resources, PF account No., ESI No., contributions of resources and employer etc.
- iv. Copy of Wage Slips in FORM XIX

#### d) Records and Registers

#### 1. Maintenance of records and registers

The Contractor is required to maintain statutory records and registers for applicable labour laws as prescribed under the following rules:

- a) Ease of Compliance to Maintain Registers under the various Labour Laws, 2017
- b) Rationalization of Forms and Reports under Certain Labour Laws Rules, 2017
- c) Labour Codes (after they are made effective by Government of India)
- 2. The Contractor has to maintain the following (but not limited to) Registers/ Forms/ Reports / Returns at all times:
  - a) Employee Register in FORM A (to be replaced by FORM IV of Code on Wages-2019 after it comes into force)
  - b) Wage Register in FORM B (to be replaced by Register of Wages, Overtime, Fine, Deduction for damage and Loss in FORM I of Code on Wages-2019 after it comes into force)
  - c) Register of Loan / Recoveries in FORM C
  - d) Attendance Register in FORM D
  - e) Register of rest/leave/leave wages in FORM E
  - f) Copies of Wage Slips in FORM XIX ( to be replaced by FORM V of Code on Wages-2019, after it comes into force)
  - g) Copies of Employment Card in FORM XII

#### e) At the time of closure of contract

- i. **Indemnity Bond** of Rs. 100/- duly notarized from Notary indemnifying GNGPL from all liabilities w.r.t. the resource engaged by the Contractor regarding payment of wages, Provident Fund/ESI contributions, Insurance and other statutory payments. Format for Indemnity Bond is enclosed below.
- ii. Copy of the **Wage Register** in **FORM B** ( to be replaced by FORM-I of Code on Wages-2019 after it comes into force) for the last month.
- iii. Copies of Service Certificates issue to resource in FORM VIII
- iv. Copy of the ECR related to EPF and ESIC Compliance in respect of Resource.
- v. Details as required for issuance of FORM VII (Notice of Completion of Work)
- vi. Copies of FORM-C & FORM –D under the Payment of Bonus Act 1965 as proof of payment towards Bonus.
- vii. Copy of proof towards release of Leave Encashment
- viii. Copies of No Dues Certificate from contract workers stating they have received all statutory payments and social benefits.

#### 9. CLOSURE OF CONTRACT

Final payment shall be released only after satisfactory completion of the work / services. For final payment of the bill and release of Security deposit the Agency shall be required to submit Indemnity Bond of Rs. 100/- duly notarized from Notary indemnifying GNGPL from all liabilities w.r.t. the persons engaged by the Agency regarding Payment of Wages, Provident Fund, Insurance and other payments. Performa of Indemnity Bond is given below:

#### **10.0 PENALTY CLAUSE**

- 10.1 Agency shall submit PF no. and labour license (if applicable) within a time period of maximum THREE months from the date of FOI/LOA failing which a penalty of Rs.10000/- per month shall be deducted from the service charges of the Agency, in addition to the penalties as per provisions of the statutory legislations.
- **10.2** If the timely payment is not made to the personnel by 7th of each month, Rs.1000/- per day shall be deducted from the services charges of the Agency.
- 10.3 In case the bidder is not able to mobilize the manpower within the specified time, a penalty @Rs.500/- per person per day shall be recovered from the service provider.

#### 11.0 INCORPORATION CLAUSE:

11.1 GNGPL can incorporate any condition, which is not envisaged here at the time of agreement which can be of sole interest/advantages to GNGPL. Interpretation of terms and conditions of the document as confirmed by GNGPL shall be final and binding on the Agency.

#### 12.0 PAYMENT TERMS

The Agency shall submit bills on monthly basis enclosing therein the attendance details (duly verified/certified) and summary of the bill, to the Engineer-in-Charge of the Contract.

- **12.1** Agency shall submit following documents along with the bills to the EIC as per the schedule given below:
  - Copy of wage register latest by 10th of every month showing disbursement certified by EIC and Agency with certification (rule 73 of contract labour (R&A) Act 1970 monthly.
  - ii) Copy of PF challan along with statement of contract personnel with breakup of contribution by 26th of every month.
  - iii) Half yearly return under Contract Labour (R&A) Act 1970 within 30 days from close of half year.
  - iv) Statement of disbursement of annual bonus/ex gratia.
  - v) Copy of ESI challan (if applicable) etc.
  - 12.2 Invoices are to be raised in accordance with various provisions under Goods & Service Tax (GST) rules as GNGPL is intended to avail benefits under various statutes in force.
  - 12.3 The bills of Agency shall be processed for payment within 15 days of submission of the bills by Agency. Necessary statutory levies such as Income Tax etc. shall be

deducted as per the rules existing and in vogue then and there. PAN of the vendor also may be intimated along with 1st invoice.

12.4 GNGPL has initiated payments to suppliers and Agencies electronically. All payments, including refund of Earnest Money Deposit & Tender Fees, if applicable, shall be released only through electronic mode and to facilitate the payments electronically, the bidder must submit the bank account details on bidder's letterhead, duly certified by the bank in the attached format so that the payments through e-banking/RTGS/NEFT be made to the bidder, in case work is awarded to him.

#### 13.0 Goods & Service Tax

Please note that responsibility of payment of GST lies with Agency only.

The bidder shall furnish copy of GST registration along with the offer wherever applicable. Alternatively, bidder shall furnish the same within one month from the date of issue of Letter of Award or along with first Invoice. In case GST is applicable for the tendered work, Agency shall claim the GST indicating rate of abatement/deduction allowed as per GST act in the first invoice itself.

In case of statutory variation in GST/statutory variation in GST, should be raised subsequent months from the date of issue of Govt. Notification for payment of differential GST amount. In case such claim is not raised within specified period of two months, claim shall not be entertained for payment of arrear.

# 14.0 SECURITY DEPOSIT AS PER BID DATA SHEET OF ITB.

#### 15.0 NUISANCE

- 15.1 The Agency shall not at any time do cause or permit any nuisance in area of work in GNGPL and within 200 meters of above areas or do anything which shall cause unnecessary disturbance or inconvenience to owners and GNGPL officials or tenants or occupants of other properties near the works area and to the public in general.
- 15.2 Further GNGPL may take action of restricting the entry of Agency and its employees from indulging in public nuisance, violent activity causing damages to GNGPL's person or property.
- 15.3 The Agency in addition bears all cost of keeping law and order situation under control.

#### 16.0 Other Conditions:-

16.1 The Agency shall obtain all necessary insurance policies covering all risks such as accidents, injuries, death caused to his employees or labourers or to third

- person including loss to the properties of owner/GNGPL or to some other agency. The Agency shall submit the proof that he has purchased an insurance policy as mentioned above. Refer Annexure A.
- 16.2 The Agency shall not employ or permit to any persons suffering from any contagious, loathsome or infectious disease. The Agency shall get examined his employees/workers through a Govt. doctor/ Registered practitioner and produce the fitness certificate before deployment, if asked for.
- 16.3 The Agency has to comply and adhere with the fire prevention/ protection, safety rules, regulations and policies of the Company.
- 16.4 No employee or person of Agency be allowed to consume alcoholic drinks or any narcotics within the office premises. If found under the influence of above, the Agency shall have to change/replace him failing which GNGPL may terminate the contract.
- 16.5 The Agency hereby agrees to indemnify owner/GNGPL and harmless from all claims, demands, actions, cost and charges etc. brought by any court, competent authority/statutory authorities against any act or acts of the Agency or his workers.
- 16.6 The Agency should get the police verification of the character and antecedents of personnel to be deployed in GNGPL done, by him from the place of present residence/domicile. In case any worker is found having criminal record, he shall have to be immediately replaced without assigning any reasons.
- Agency shall not sub-let or assigns any work in part or whole to any firm, individual, partnership firm, Pvt. Ltd. Company, Proprietorship firm etc. without the prior written permission of GNGPL. In case the Agency sub-lets or assigns the contract in part or whole without the prior written permission of GNGPL and any claim preferred by any firm/individual to GNGPL that the main Agency has not paid his or their dues/payments, in that circumstances, GNGPL shall without assigning any reasons, withhold the payments of Agency, the amount equivalent to the claim amount of subcontractor/ individual/vendor(s) etc. The same shall be released to the Agency after

Agency and labour /supplier/sub Agency jointly submits a joint written settlement to GNGPL.

#### 17.0 SIGNING OF CONTRACT AGREEMENT:

- 17.1 GNGPL will award the Contract to the successful bidder, who, within 10 days of receipt of the same, shall sign and return the acceptance copy to GNGPL.
- 17.2 The successful bidder shall be required to execute an AGREEMENT in the Proforma given in this standard bidding document on non-judicial paper of appropriate value (the cost of stamp paper shall be borne by the Agency), within 10 days of the receipt by him of the Notification of Acceptance of Tender. In the event of failure on the part of the successful bidder to sign the AGREEMENT within the above stipulated period, the Bid Security shall be forfeited and the acceptance of the tender shall be considered as cancelled.

#### 18.0 FORCE MAJEURE:

18.1 In the event of either party being rendered unable by Force Majeure to perform any obligation as required under this contract, the relative obligation of the party affected by such force majeure shall, after notice under this article be suspended for the period during which such cause lasts. The term "Force Majeure" as employed herein shall mean acts of God, wars (declared or undeclared), riots or civil commotion, fires, floods and notices, acts and regulations of the Government of India or State Government of any of statutory agencies. Upon the occurrences of such cause and upon its termination, the party alleging that it has been rendered unable as aforesaid, thereby shall notify the other party in writing immediately but not later than twenty four (24) hours of the alleged beginning and ending thereof giving full particulars and satisfactory evidence in support of its claim. During the period, the obligations of the parties are suspended by force majeure, the Agency shall not be entitled to payment at any rate. In the event of force majeure conditions continuing or reasonably expected to continue for a period more than fifteen (15) days, GNGPL shall have the option of terminating the contract agreement by giving seven (7) days' notice thereof to the Agency. If this agreement is so terminated, both parties shall pay to the other party, the amount payable up to the date of occurrence of such force majeure.

#### 19.0 RESOLUTION OF DISPUTES/ARBITRATION

- 19.1 GNGPL has framed the Conciliation Rules 2010 in conformity with supplementary to Part III of the Indian Arbitration and Conciliation Act 1996 for speedier, cost effective and amicable settlement of disputes through conciliation. Unless otherwise specified, the matters where decision of the Engineer-in-Charge is deemed to be final and binding as provided in the Agreement and the issues/disputes which cannot be mutually resolved within a reasonable time, all disputes shall be settled in accordance with Conciliation Rules, 2010.
- 19.2 Any dispute(s)/difference(s)/issue(s) of any kind whatsoever between/amongst the Parties arising under/out of/ in connection with this contract shall be settled in accordance with the afore said rules.
- 19.3 In case of any dispute(s)/difference(s)/issues(s), a Party shall notify the other Party (ies) in writing about such a dispute(s) / difference(s) /issue(s) between / amongst the Parties and that such a Party wishes to refer the dispute(s)/difference(s)/issues(s) to Conciliation. Such Invitation for Conciliation shall contain sufficient information as to the dispute(s)/difference(s)/issue(s) to enable the other Party (ies) to be fully informed as to the nature of the dispute(s)/difference(s)/issue(s), the amount of monetary claim, if any, and apparent cause(s) of action.
- 19.4 Conciliation proceedings commence when the other Party (ies) accept(s) the invitation to conciliate and confirmed in writing. If the order Party (ies) reject(s) the invitation, there will be no conciliation proceedings.
- 19.5 If the Party initiating conciliation does not receive a reply within thirty days from the date on which he/she send the invitation, or within such other period of time as specified in the invitation, he/she may elect to treat this as a rejection of the invitation to conciliate. If he/she so elects, he/she shall inform the other Party (ies) accordingly.
- 19.6 Where Invitation for Conciliation has been furnished, the Parties shall attempt to settle such dispute(s) amicably under Part-III of the Indian Arbitration and

Conciliation Act, 1996 and GNGPL Conciliation Rules, 2010. It would be only after exhausting the option of Conciliation as an Alternate Dispute Resolution Mechanism that the Parties hereto shall go for Arbitration. For the purpose of this clause, the option of

'Conciliation' shall be deemed to have been exhausted, even in case of rejection of 'Conciliation' by any of the Parties.

- 19.7 The cost of Conciliation proceedings including but not limited to fees for Conciliator(s), Airfare, Local Transport, Accommodation, cost towards conference facility etc. shall be borne by the Parties equally.
- 19.8 The Parties shall freeze claim(s) of interest, if any, and shall not claim the same during the pendency of Conciliation proceedings. The Settlement Agreement, as and when reached/agreed upon, shall be signed between the Parties and Conciliation proceedings shall stand terminated on the date of the Settlement Agreement.
- 19.9 Unless otherwise specified, the matters where decision of the Engineer-in-Charge is deemed to be final and binding as provided in the Agreement and the issues/disputes which cannot be mutually resolved within a reasonable time, all disputes shall be referred to arbitration by Sole Arbitrator.
- The Employer [GNGPL] shall suggest a panel of three independent and distinguished persons to the bidder/Agency/supplier/buyer (as the case may be) to select any one among them to act as the Sole Arbitrator.
- In the event of failure of the other parties to select the Sole Arbitrator within 30 days from the receipt of the communication suggesting the panel of arbitrators, the right of selection of the sole arbitrator by the other party shall stand forfeited and the EMPLOYER (GNGPL) shall have discretion to proceed with the appointment of the Sole Arbitrator. The decision of Employer on the appointment of the sole arbitrator shall final and binding on the parties.
- The award of sole arbitrator shall be final and binding on the parties and unless directed/awarded otherwise by the sole arbitrator, the cost of arbitration proceedings shall be shared equally by the parties. The Arbitration proceedings shall be in English language and venue shall be Goa.
- Subject to the above, the provisions of (India) Arbitration & Conciliation ACT 1996 and the Rules framed there under shall be applicable. All matter relating to this contract is subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the court situated in the state of Delhi. 1
- Bidders/suppliers/Agency's may please note that the Arbitration & Conciliation Act 1996 was enacted by the Indian Parliament and is based on United Nations

  Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL mode law), which were prepared after extensive consultation with Arbitral Institutions and Centres of

International Commercial Arbitration. The United Nations General Assembly vide resolution 31/98 adopted the UNCITRAL Arbitration rules on 15 December 1976.

# 19.10 FOR THE SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES BETWEEN GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT AND ANOTHER AND ONE GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISE AND ONE PUBLIC ENTERPRISE AND ANOTHER THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE AS FOLLOWS

"In the Event of any dispute or difference between the parties hereto, such dispute or difference shall be resolved amicable by mutual consultation or through the good offices of empowered agencies of the Government. If such resolution is not possible, then, the unresolved dispute or difference shall be referred to arbitration of an arbitrator to be nominated by Secretary, Department of Legal Affairs ("Law Secretary") in terms of the Office Memorandum No.55/3/1/75-CF, dated the 19<sup>th</sup> December issued by the Cabinet Secretariat (Department of Cabinet Affairs), as modified from time to time. The Arbitration Act 1940 (10 of 1940) shall be applicable to the arbitration under this clause. The award of the Arbitrator shall be binding upon parties to the dispute. Provided, however, any party aggrieved by such award may make a further reference for setting aside or revision of the award to Law Secretary whose decision shall bind the parties finally and conclusively.

#### **Summary of Insurance Policies**

Contractor is required to cover all resources deployed by him with the following insurances / schemes:

SI. No.	SCHEME	APPLICABILITY	PREMIUM/ CONTRIBUTION	SUM ASSURED/ BENEFITS	REMARKS
1	The Employees' State Insurance Act, 1948	Applicable to all resources of the Contractor (within ESI wage limit) working in notified area.	3.25% of wages by employer 0.75% of wages by employees	Benefits under the Employees' State Insurance Act, 1948.	
2	The Employees' Compensation Act, 1923 (in lieu of ESI – mentioned at SI. 1)	Applicable to excluded employees under ESI and those who are working in non-notified area to extend similar benefits as available under ESI Act, 1948	Premium to be calculated considering wage limit under EC Act, 1923 (i.e. Rs. 15,000/- p.m currently)	Maximum Compensation Liability under Employee's Compensation Act, 1923 along with a Mediclaim policy within overall premium @ 3.25 % of Minimum wages (i.e. employer contribution towards ESI)	Provides compensation and medical facility to resources.
3	Group personal Accident Insurance	Applicable to all resources of the Contractor	Based on the coverage	Insured value: Rs. 3 Lakh to cover expenses associated with any accident.	Death, permanent disablement, temporary total disability or any other medical expenses related to accident.
4	Pradhan Matri Suraksha Bima Yojana (PMSBY)	Eligibility – age group 18 to 70 years	Rs. 12/- per annum	Accidental death and permanent disability:  (i) Permanent total disability – Rs. 2 lakhs.  (ii) Permanent partial disability – Rs. 1 Lakh.	
5	Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana(PMJJB)	Eligibility – age group 18 to 50 years. (can continue upto 55 years)	Rs. 330/- per annum.	Risk coverage – Rs. 2 Lakhs- in case of <b>death due to any reason</b>	

### **Grade wise details of Qualification & Experience**

GRADE/Category	MINIMUM CRITERIA
Senior Engineer	*B.E Mechanical/Civil/Electrical & Instrumentation
(Site Officer)	*total experience: 5 yrs. (Min 3 yrs. Project Management exp)
	*experience in GNGPL: 2 yrs.
	* Minimum 55% marks from a recognized AICTE approved Indian University/Institute
Engineer	* B.E Mechanical/Civil/Electrical & Instrumentation
9	*total yrs. of experience: 2 yrs. (CGD exp. preferred)
(0): 0(1)	*Minimum 55% marks from a recognized AICTE approved Indian
(Site Officer)	University/Institute
Junior Engineer	*Diploma Engineering in Mechanical/Civil/Electrical & Instrumentation
(Site Staff)	*total experience: 2 yrs. (CGD exp. preferred) OR  B.E fresher in Mechanical/Civil/Electrical & Instrumentation
	*Minimum 55% marks from a recognized Indian University/Institute.
	Diploma qualification must be recognized by respective State Board of
	Technical Education.
Sr. Technician	*ITI Fitter/Plumber/Welder/Electrician/Mechanic
(Site Staff)	*5yrs relevant experience
	*Exp in GNGPL: 2yrs *Minimum 55% marks from a recognized Indian Institute. (Govt/
	recognized by NCVT, through the Directorate General of Employment &
	Training)
Technician	*ITI Fitter/Plumber/Welder/Electrician/Mechanic
	*2 yrs. relevant experience
	*Minimum 55% marks from a recognized Indian Institute. (Govt/recognized by NCVT, through the Directorate General of Employment &
(Site Staff)	Training)
Sr. Officer Fire &	- 5/
Safety	*Graduate or Engineer
(Site Officer)	*PG Diploma or Certification in Fire & Safety
	*total experience: 5 yrs.
	*experience in GNGPL: 2 yrs.
Officer Fire & Safety	*Graduate or Engineer
(Site Staff)	*PG Diploma or Certification in Fire & Safety
(	*2 yrs. relevant experience
Sr. Executive	
Finance	*M. Com/MBA/PGDM in Finance from recognized University
(Office Staff)	* total experience: 5 yrs.
	*experience in GNGPL: 2 yrs.  *Minimum 55% marks from a recognized University
	William 35 % marks from a recognized Oniversity
Executive Finance	M Com/MBA/PGDM in Finance from recognized University
(Office Staff)	*total yrs. of experience after min qualification: 3yrs.
Senior Executive HR	*MBA/PGDM in HR from recognized University
(Office Staff)	*total yrs. of experience: 5 yrs.
	*experience in GNGPL: 2 yrs.
Executive HR	*MBA/PGDM in HR from recognized University
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(Office Staff)	*total yrs. of experience after min qualification: 3 yrs.		
Senior Office Asst	*ITI/Diploma in Secretarial Practices or COPA or Graduate in any stream		
(Office Staff)	*Minimum 2 yrs. experience in Office admin functions		
	*experience in GNGPL: 2 yrs.		
Office Asst	*ITI/Diploma in Secretarial Practices or COPA or Graduate in any stream		
(Office Staff)	*Minimum 2 yrs. experience in Office admin functions		
	*B.E. in Mechanical/Electrical/Civil/Instrumentation from recognized		
Executive C&P	University		
(Office Staff)	*total yrs. of experience: 2 yrs.		
Senior Officer			
Liasoning	*Graduate in any stream. Technical Qualification an added advantage		
	*5 yrs. Relevant experience of Liasoning with Govt. Depts and Statutory		
(Site Staff)	bodies		
	Years of Exp in GNGPL: 2 yrs.		
	*Full time Graduate in any stream. Technical Qualification an added		
Officer Liasoning	advantage		
	*3 yrs. Relevant experience of Liasoning with Govt. Depts and Statutory		
(Site Staff)	bodies		
<b>Executive Marketing</b>	*MBA/PGDM in Marketing from recognized University		
(Site Staff)	*total yrs. of experience: 1 yr.		

Age Limit: Not More than 35 years of Age at the time of Joining GNGPL

Note: In case a candidate is found suitable by GNGPL, the above mentioned Qualification/Experience criteria may be relaxed as per business requirement.

Based on the project plan and business forecast for calendar years 2021 and 2022, GNGPL would need the following manpower. This is only an indicative figure, and the same may vary as per business requirement.

Sr. No	Grade	Qty per year
1	Sr. Engineer	04
2	Engineer	
3	Junior Engineer	03
4	Sr. Technician	02
5	Technician	
6	Sr. Officer Fire & Safety	01
7	Officer Fire Safety	
8	Sr. Executive HR	01
9	Executive HR	
10	Sr. Accountant	01

<sup>\*</sup>Minimum 55% marks for highest qualification stated.

11	Accountant	
12	Executive C&P	01
13	Sr. Officer Liasoning	01
14	Senior Office Asst	01
15	Office Asst	
16	Executive Marketing	01
	TOTAL	16

#### **SCOPE OF WORK**

#### 1. SCOPE OF SERVICES:

- 1.1 The scope of AGENCY'S SERVICES shall be to provide qualified and experienced personnel on contract basis as are mentioned in ANNEXURE-B as and when requested by GNGPL, to assist GNGPL in its CGD Projects activities in entire Geographical Area of North Goa and Ponda.
- 1.2 The scope of SERVICES may be increased or decreased by GNGPL at any time in accordance with the provisions of this Contract.
- 1.3 AGENCY understands that GNGPL is not bound or committed to utilise any specific number of the AGENCY'S personnel during the contract period, the requirements being purely on as and when required basis.
- 1.4 Various categories of manpower to be deployed along with requisite qualification & experience and tentative requirement are mentioned in **ANNEXURE-B** of SCC.

The tentative requirement of manpower in different categories is indicative only and the actual manpower to be deployed may vary from time to time.

#### 2. DURATION OF CONTRACT/EMPANELMENT

2.1 The AGENCY shall be in contract for a period of Two (2) years with effect from the date of issue of Letter of Acceptance or from the date specified in LoA, after which the term of contract can be further extended up to one year, on the same rate, terms & conditions on mutually agreeable basis.

#### 3. PERFORMANCE OF SERVICES:

- 3.1 AGENCY warrants that the personnel offered by it under the Contract will be qualified skilled, experienced and capable of doing work SERVICES, mentioned in the contract and as per GNGPL's requirement.
- 3.2 The resources proposed to be deployed by the Agency should possess the requisite qualification and experience to the satisfaction of GNGPL. The contractor shall provide such credentials in proof of the same and obtain necessary permission before deployment.
- 3.4 In case the AGENCY is not in a position to provide resources of suitable expertise from its existing bench / resource-bank, they may augment their talent pool at its own cost to meet the contract obligation. While doing so, the contractor shall select candidates from across the country advertisement on the Agencies payroll.
- 3.5 If any of the persons deployed is reported to be not up to the mark by GNGPL in respect of his performance/ behaviour/ conduct, the AGENCY shall immediately withdraw him from the office/site of GNGPL where he is deployed and arrange for a suitable replacement immediately so that the work is carried out un-interrupted. No additional payment shall be made to the AGENCY by GNGPL for such replacement of personnel.

- 3.6 In order to meet the job requirement, the persons deployed by the Agency may be required to proceed to other location within the Geographical Area authorized by PNGRB to GNGPL for carrying out the City Gas Distribution project.
- 3.7 AGENCY shall forward to GNGPL a copy of the appointment letter issued to its personnel for deploying them in GNGPL on contract basis.
- 3.8 The requirement is on need basis and shall be intimated from time to time. The period of deployment shall initially as required by GNGPL from the date of joining duty. This could be further extended/reduced depending upon the requirement of the job. Provided further that the deployment of personnel shall be co-terminus with the completion of the project for which the personnel is deployed on contract basis or on completion of the contract period whichever is earlier.

#### 4 HOLIDAYS AND WORKING HOURS:

The AGENCY shall deploy the required personnel to provide the requisitioned SERVICES on monthly basis, unless requisitioned for a shorter duration. These personnel shall be entitled to one weekly off; to be scheduled by the AGENCY in consultation with the respective EIC of GNGPL, as well as Closed Office days as per the GNGPL Holiday List prescribed for the respective year. They shall observe 8 hours of working per day excluding half hour of lunch break, to be scheduled by the AGENCY in consultation with the EIC of GNGPL, including working in shifts of 08 defined working hours. Generally, the working hours would be in accordance with those applicable to employees of GNGPL at places where SERVICES of such persons would be utilized and nature of duty required.

The deployed personnel may have to work on holidays and for extended hours on any working day in order to meet the exigencies of work. For such extended hours of work of minimum 02 hours or more, additional payment of Rs 250/- per working day for all Site employees shall be made by Agency to its personnel. AGENCY shall submit expenses in respect of such extended hours of work as stated above, along with their monthly invoices. No direct additional payment, whatsoever, shall be made to individual AGENCY's personnel.by GNGPL. However, in the event of working on holidays/off days, Agency Personnel shall be allowed compensatory off in lieu of those holidays/off days. Compensatory offs will have to be availed by the concerned Agency personnel in consultation with the reporting manager within next 30 days failing which the same will lapsed.

#### **5 PAYMENT FOR LEAVE PERIOD**

For each contract personnel GNGPL shall admit payment of absence @ 1.25 days per calendar month on account of leave sanctioned by the AGENCY (on cumulative basis, maximum 15 days over a period of 12 months, at the end of which such cycle for payment of leave period shall start afresh).

- i) One day leave can be taken in two half day leaves.
- ii) Leave may be accumulated till tenure of the contract.
- iii) The leave will be granted by the agency after obtaining the consent of EIC.
- iv) Leaves cannot be encashed and are to be availed before completion of tenure.

5.1 GNGPL shall not be liable to make payment in respect of absence of any such deployed person for any reason whatsoever, except as provided in clauses 4 & 5 herein.

#### **6 FIXED EMOLUMENTS:**

Agency shall pay fixed monthly emoluments and annual increase in fixed emoluments to manpower to be deployed on contract basis in GNGPL as the rate given below. AGENCY shall include expenses towards fixed monthly emoluments and annual increase in fixed emoluments in their monthly invoices. No direct payment, whatsoever, shall be made to individual AGENCY's personnel.by GNGPL:

6.1 Monthly Fixed Emoluments:

	Monthly Fixed Emblamen		
SI No	Discipline	Category	Basic INR
1	Sr. Engineer	Site Officer	25400
2	Engineer	Site Officer	21000
3	Junior Engineer	Site Staff	16000
4	Sr. Technician	Site Staff	16900
5	Technician	Site Staff	14000
6	Sr. Officer Fire & Saftey	Site Officer	19350
7	Officer Fire Safety	Site Staff	16000
8	Sr. Executive HR	Office Staff	25400
9	Executive HR	Office Staff	21000
10	Sr. Accountant	Office Staff	19350
11	Accountant	Office Staff	16000
12	Executive C&P	Office Staff	21000
13	Sr. Liasoning Officer	Site Staff	16000
14	Senior Office Asst	Office Staff	16900
15	Office Asst	Office Staff	14000
16	Executive Marketing	Site	21000

6.2 <u>Annual increase in fixed emoluments</u> 8% increase in Fixed emoluments will be provided on cumulative basis after successful completion of each one-year deployment period by Agency personnel in GNGPL.

#### 7 Lodging Allowance:

GNGPL shall not provide any facilities for lodging and boarding. Additional allowances as mentioned below towards Loading and Boarding shall be provided to each such Agency personnel by the Agency. AGENCY shall include such expenses in their monthly invoices. However, the allowance mentioned below will not applicable, if a lodging facility is provided by GNGPL. In any case, no direct payment, whatsoever, shall be made to individual AGENCY's personnel.by GNGPL

SI No	Discipline	Category	Lodging / HRA INR
1	Sr. Engineer	Site Officer	7620
2	Engineer	Site Officer	6300
3	Junior Engineer	Site Staff	4800
4	Sr. Technician	Site Staff	5070
5	Technician	Site Staff	4200
6	Sr. Officer Fire & Saftey	Site Officer	5805
7	Officer Fire Safety	Site Staff	4800
8	Sr. Executive HR	Office Staff	7620
9	Executive HR	Office Staff	6300
10	Sr. Accountant	Office Staff	5805
11	Accountant	Office Staff	4800
12	Executive C&P	Office Staff	6300
13	Sr. Liasoning Officer	Site Staff	4800
14	Senior Office Asst	Office Staff	5070
15	Office Asst	Office Staff	4200
16	Executive Marketing	Site	6300

- 7.1 Annual increase in Lodging allowance 8% increase in lodging allowances will be provided on cumulative basis after successful completion of each one-year deployment period by Agency personnel in GNGPL.
- 8. Transportation Allowances: GNGPL shall not provide any facilities for transportation. Additional allowances as mentioned below towards transportation shall be provided to each such Agency personnel by the Agency. AGENCY shall include such expenses in their monthly invoices. However, the allowance mentioned below will be applicable to agency personnel only if agency personnel possess two wheeler/four wheeler and a valid driving licence and utilizing it for official activities. In any case, no direct payment, whatsoever, shall be made to individual AGENCY's personnel by GNGPL

SI No	Discipline	Category	Travel Allowance INR
1	Sr. Engineer	Site Officer	3000
2	Engineer	Site Officer	3000
3	Junior Engineer	Site Staff	2500
4	Sr. Technician	Site Staff	2500
5	Technician	Site Staff	2500
6	Sr. Officer Fire & Saftey	Site Officer	3000
7	Officer Fire Safety	Site Staff	2500
8	Sr. Executive HR	Office Staff	1000
9	Executive HR	Office Staff	1000
10	Sr. Accountant	Office Staff	1000
11	Accountant	Office Staff	1000
12	Executive C&P	Office Staff	1000
13	Sr. Liasoning Officer	Site Staff	2500
14	Senior Office Asst	Office Staff	1000
15	Office Asst	Office Staff	1000
16	Executive Marketing	Site	2500

# 8.1 Annual increase in Transportation allowance

No increase in the transport allowance to be considered unless notified by GNGPL.

#### 9. SECRECY

The personnel deployed to work at any of the offices/ sites of GNGPL shall discharge their duty and responsibility with due sincerity & care and shall observe complete confidentiality in respect of all information, data, technical information/ knowledge pertaining to and/ or owned by GNGPL and/ or any party associated with GNGPL in respect of the job in any capacity or relationship, and shall not disclose any such information, drawing, design, report, etc., in part or in full, to anybody without explicit authorization and/ or instruction of Competent Authority/ respective Controlling Officer of GNGPL. The AGENCY shall furnish a clause to this effect in the appointment letter of the personnel as an undertaking signed by each such deployed person, countersigned by the authorized representative of the AGENCY.

#### 10. COMPLIANCE BY THE AGENCY & AGENCY PERSONNEL:

- 10.1 All drawings, documents, data, specifications, standards, manuals etc. issued or made available to AGENCY's personnel shall be used only for the performance of SERVICES as explained to the AGENCY's personnel and shall be returned by AGENCY's personnel to GNGPL without retaining any copies thereof.
- 10.2 AGENCY'S personnel shall follow the applicable safety rules of GNGPL and be responsible for the security and protection of any of GNGPL's materials and equipment being used by AGENCY or its personnel in the performance of the SERVICES and shall take all reasonable precautions to protect such materials and equipment from loss or damage. AGENCY shall be held accountable for all such materials and equipment not consumed or used in providing the SERVICES.
- 10.3 AGENCY and its PERSONNEL shall comply with the health, safety & security rules and regulations of GNGPL including any subsequent changes or instructions whenever applicable as may be issued from time to time.
- 10.4 Unless otherwise specified in the Contract or agreed between the parties, AGENCY shall be solely responsible for and, where applicable, shall provide at its own cost and expense all facilities as may be required for its personnel to perform the SERVICES. Without prejudice to AGENCY's responsibility to ensure that each of its employees satisfies all statutory and other requirements to perform SERVICES assigned by GNGPL. GNGPL will, upon written request, provide such assistance to AGENCY's personnel deployed in GNGPL as may be reasonably required by them for arranging such facilities.
- 10.5 All medical treatment or hospitalization of AGENCY's personnel including medical examinations, vaccinations and inoculations shall be provided by AGENCY at its own cost and expense. However, in case of emergencies and depending upon the doctor's certification of the nature of illness, GNGPL may facilitate medical assistance, if available, to the AGENCY's personnel at the cost of the AGENCY. The AGENCY is required to take at its own cost Medical Insurance of minimum Rs.3, 00,000/- for each of their personnel deployed in GNGPL. AGENCY shall submit copy of the documentary evidence to this effect (along with list of personnel) at the time of raising 1st invoice and whenever required by GNGPL.
- 10.6 AGENCY shall have no claim for extra payment nor shall be relieved from its obligation under the Contract as a result of any lack of knowledge as to the nature of the work site, local facilities, labour conditions and practices or similar matters affecting performance of the SERVICES.
- 10.7 If GNGPL so demands in writing, AGENCY shall promptly remove from the performance of SERVICES, at AGENCY's own cost, any of its personnel who are not cooperative, are careless or are not qualified to perform the work assigned to them or for any other reasonable cause. AGENCY shall, at its own cost, provide acceptable substitutes, if so requested by GNGPL. If AGENCY desires to remove any of its personnel for any reason whatsoever, he shall do so only with prior consent of GNGPL, at its own cost and only after providing suitable substitute acceptable to GNGPL.
- 10.8 If it is desired to discontinue the SERVICES of any of personnel deployed by the AGENCY in GNGPL, it will be so by giving 30 days' notice on either side or by mutual consent.

If, however, discontinuance of any of AGENCY personnel is considered necessary for reasons of unsatisfactory performance/ misconduct, no notice shall be required. GNGPL may require his replacement by a competent person at the cost of the AGENCY. No payment for travel for going back, etc. shall be payable.

10.9 AGENCY shall keep full and detailed accounts and records of costs and charges relating to the Contract.

GNGPL shall have the right to examine during business hours at all places where SERVICES are performed or relevant information is maintained, any document, accounts, records, reports etc., which pertain to SERVICES in order to satisfy itself that:-

- 1. The charges made by AGENCY are properly computed in accordance with the provisions of Contract.
- 2. AGENCY has complied with all agreed procedures.

#### 11. PAYMENT TOWARDS SERVICES

- 11.1 In consideration of the SERVICES provided by AGENCY pursuant to the Contract, GNGPL shall pay to AGENCY such remuneration as is specified or computed in accordance with the provisions of Schedule of Rates.
- 11.2 The number of hours put in by AGENCY personnel shall be booked in GNGPL prescribed Time Sheets as instructed by GNGPL officers supervising the work who will approve the Time Sheets.

AGENCY shall submit monthly invoice along with supporting documents including GNGPL approved time sheets, PF/ ESI Challan (if applicable), Service Tax Challan (if any), Proof of Payment made to the AGENCY's personnel. Payment shall be made either by online transfer mode or through cheque payment mode only. No cash payment in any circumstances to be made to the agency personnel's by the AGENCY.

Payment shall be made by GNGPL within thirty (30) days after receipt of invoice with complete documents.

Payment for part of the month will be calculated on pro-rata basis depending upon the actual daysworked in particular calendar month.

- 11.3 All payments to AGENCY under the Contract will be made by direct transfer to a bank nominated by AGENCY and acceptable to GNGPL. AGENCY shall give the name of the bank and account number for the purpose of making payments by GNGPL.
- 11.4 The GST, as applicable, shall be reimbursed at actual.

#### 12. AGENCY'S REPRESENTATIVES, RECORDS AND REPORTS

12.1 Upon coming into force of this CONTRACT, AGENCY shall designate a competent authorized representative acceptable to GNGPL to represent and act for and on behalf of AGENCY in all matters concerning performance of SERVICES and shall inform GNGPL in writing of the name and address of such representative. All notices, determinations,

directions, instructions and other communications given to AGENCY'S authorized representative by GNGPL shall be deemed to be given to AGENCY. AGENCY may change its authorized representative by so advising GNGPL in writing.

12.2 AGENCY shall maintain a record of the SERVICES performed, as well as of the personnel assigned to carry out the relevant SERVICES.

#### 13. LIABILITY, INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

- 13.1 AGENCY and its personnel shall exercise all reasonable skill, care and diligence in the discharge of their obligations under this CONTRACT. AGENCY shall in any case of negligence or default on part of its personnel, be responsible for satisfactory performance or re-performance, as the case may be, of such SERVICES as are found to be defective, at no cost to GNGPL and without delay, whatever performance or re-performance of the SERVICE is required by GNGPL which is a result of error/ default/ negligence of its employees. Such liability/ obligation shall remain in force for 6 months from the receipt of completion certificate from GNGPL.
- 13.2 AGENCY shall indemnify GNGPL, its employees and agents and hold them harmless from and against all claims, actions or proceedings brought or instituted against any of them by AGENCY's personnel or agents or any other party arising out or relating to the performance of the SERVICES by the AGENCY, for injury or death to its personnels and damage or loss to its property.
- 13.3 AGENCY shall indemnify GNGPL and hold it harmless from and against any liability for any accident, death or injury to AGENCY's employees or agents and against any loss or damage to any property belonging to AGENCY, its employees or agents caused by GNGPL, its employees or agents arising out of or in connection with the performance of the SERVICES and such indemnity and holding harmless shall extend to all costs, claims, demands and damages connected with such liability, loss or damage as aforesaid.
- 13.4 During the performance of SERVICES hereunder, AGENCY shall take out, carry and comply with the applicable laws, regulations, standards and safety rules prevailing at the place of deployment, some of them as listed below:-

Ensuring that appropriate insurance, as required by law exists for workman's compensation, employer's liability, public liability, motor-vehicle, third party and that adequate cover extending to the risk and events referred to in this clause covering all employees of AGENCY for statutory benefits as set out and required by local law in the area of operation or area in which AGENCY may become legally obliged to pay benefits for bodily injury or death. **The AGENCY is required to take Group Personal Accident Insurance (GPAI) of 3 lacs** for each of their personnel deployed in GNGPL. AGENCY shall submit copy of the documentary evidence to this effective (along with list of personnel) at the time of raising 1st invoice and whenever required by GNGPL.

GNGPL shall have no responsibility whatsoever for any loss of or damage to any property or personnel effects belonging to AGENCY's employees or agents. Without limitation to AGENCY's obligations and responsibilities for the period of contract, AGENCY shall cause its insurers to waive rights of subrogation against GNGPL and GNGPL's Clients.

- 13.5 AGENCY shall submit the copies of insurance policies and make available to GNGPL for examination the original policies issued in compliance with this requirement.
- 13.6 All deduction or liabilities in excess of the indemnities provided under the insurances arranged by AGENCY as required hereinabove shall be to the account of and be paid by AGENCY.

#### **SCHEDULE OF RATE (SOR):**

For the schedule of rate, please refer Annexure-V.

# SECTION-IV General Conditions of Contract

#### GCC:

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) IS AVAILABLE AT OFFICE OF GNGPL AND ON WEBSITE ALSO. GCC SHALL BE PART OF THIS TENDER. BIDDER SHALL READ, UNDERSTAND AND ACCEPT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF GCC BEFORE SUBMITTING THE BID. ANY BIDDER WHO HAS SUBMITTED THE BID SHALL BE DEEMED THAT HE/HER/COMPANY HAS READ, UNDERSTOOD AND ACCEPTED THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF GCC.

# SECTION-V FORMS & FORMAT

## **FORMS & FORMAT**

#### LIST OF FORMS & FORMAT WITH ITS APPLICABILITY FOR THIS TENDER

Form No.	Description	Applicability for this tender (Yes/No)
F-1	BIDDER'S GENERAL INFORMATION	Yes
F-2	BID FORM	Yes
F-3	LIST OF ENCLOSURES	Yes
F-4	PROFORMA OF "BANK GUARANTEE" FOR "EARNEST MONEY / BID SECURITY"	Yes
F-4A	PROFORMA OF "LETTER OF CREDIT" FOR "EARNEST MONEY / BID SECURITY"	Yes
F-5	LETTER OF AUTHORITY	Yes
F-6	NO DEVIATION CONFIRMATION	Yes
F-7	DECLARATION REGARDING HOLIDAY/BANNING AND LIQUIDATION, COURT RECEIVERSHIP ETC.	Yes
F-8	CERTIFICATE FOR NON-INVOLVMENT OF GOVT. OF INDIA	Yes
F-9	PROFORMA OF "BANK GUARANTEE" FOR "CONTRACT PERFORMANCE SECURITY / SECURITY DEPOSIT"	Yes
F-10	AGREED TERMS & CONDITIONS	Yes
F-11	ACKNOWLEDGEMENT CUM CONSENT LETTER	Yes
F-12	UNDERTAKING ON LETTERHEAD	Yes
F-13	BIDDER'S EXPERIENCE	No
F-14	CHECK LIST	Yes
F-15	FORMAT FOR CERTIFICATE FROM BANK IF BIDDER'S WORKING CAPITAL IS INADEQUATE	YES
F-16	FORMAT FOR CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT CERTIFICATE FOR FINANCIAL CAPABILITY OF THE BIDDER	YES
F-17	FORMAT FOR CONSORTIUM/JV AGREEMENT	NO
F-18	BIDDER'S QUERIES FOR PRE BID MEETING	Yes
F-19	E-BANKING FORMAT	No
F-20	PROFORMA FOR CONTRACT AGREEMENT	Yes
F-21	INTEGRITY PACT	YES

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### **BIDDER'S GENERAL INFORMATION**

To, M/s. Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. (GNGPL), Porvorim, North Goa- 403 521.

#### **TENDER NO:**

1	Bidder Name			
0	Status of Firm	Duanistanskin	Firm /Douts on hi	- <b>f</b> :::::::::/
2	Status of Firm	Proprietorship Limited/Others	Firm/Partnership	o firm/
		If Others Specify:		
		[Enclose certificate of	of Registration]	
3	Name of Proprietor/Partners/Directors			
	of the firm/company			
	o. a.e			
4	Number of Years in Operation			
5	Address of Registered Office:			
	*In case of Partnership firm,	City:		
	enclose letter mentioning current address of the firm and	District:		
	the full names and current	State:		
	addresses of all the partners	PIN/ZIP:		
	of the firm.			
	Operation Address			
6	(if different from above)	City:		
		District:		
		State:		
		PIN/ZIP:		
8	Telephone Number			
		(Country Code)	(Area Code)	(Telephone
9	E-mail address	No.)		
10	Website			
11	Fax Number:			
••	T dx (valido).	(Country Code) No.)	(Area Code)	(Telephone
12	ISO Certification, if any	{If yes, please furnis	h 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	EPF Registration No.	[Enclose copy of EPF Registration Certificate]
21	ESI code No.	[Enclose copy of relevant document]
22	We (Bidder) are cover under the definition of section 2 (n) of the MSMED Act	Yes / No (If the response to the above is 'Yes", Bidder to provide Purchaser a copy of the Enterpreneurs Memorandum (EM) filled with the authority specified by the respective State Government.)
23	Whether Micro/Small/Medium Enterprise	Yes/No (Bidder to submit documents as specified it ITB)
24	Type of Entity	Corporate/ Non-Corporate (As per GST Act). (In case of Non-Corporate Entity, bidder will submit documentary evidence for same).

[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder] Name: Place:

Date:

Designation: Seal:

## F-2 BID FORM

To, M/s. Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. (6 Porvorim, North Goa- 403 521.	GNGPL),			
SUB: TENDER NO:				
Dear Sir, After examining / reviewir	ng the Bidding	Documents	for the	tender of including
"Specifications & Scope of Work" of Contract [SCC]" and "Schedu acknowledged, we, the undersign and in conformity with the sain, if any.	le of Rates [SOR]", ened, are pleased to of	etc. the receipt fer to execute t	of which is he whole pa	al Conditions hereby duly art of the job
We confirm that this Bid is valid f "Techno-Commercial / Un-priced by any time before the expiry of the	Bid", and it shall remain			
If our Bid is accepted, we will proequal to " of the Coperformance within "thirty [30] day	ntract Price" or as me	ntioned in Tend	•	•
Until a final Agreement/Letter (including addenda/ corrigenda) binding Agreement between us.				
We understand that Bidding Domentioned in Bidding Documents Bidding Documents shall be deer specifically excluded and we conform the Work in all respects within	but may be inferred med to be mentioned firm to perform for fulf	to be included t in Bidding Docu illment of Agree	o meet the uments unle	intend of the ss otherwise
We understand that you are not receive.	bound to accept the	lowest priced of	or any Bid tl	nat you may
Place: Date:	[Signature of Authorize Name: Designation: Seal:	zed Signatory of	f Bidder]	
Duly authorized to sign Bid for an	d on behalf of			
[Signature of Witness] Name of Witness: Address:				

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# LIST OF ENCLOSURES

To, M/s. Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. ( Porvorim, North Goa- 403 521.	GNGPL),
SUB: TENDER NO:	
Dear Sir,	
We are enclosing the following documents of the	cuments as part of the bid:
on/before the bid due date or within	has the option to submit specified documents in physical form a seven days from the bid opening date. However, scanned copy be submitted on-line as part of e-bid before the bid due date/time.
Place: Date:	[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder] Name: Designation: Seal:

### <u>F-4</u>

## **FORMAT FOR**

## PROFORMA OF "BANK GUARANTEE" FOR "EARNEST MONEY / BID SECURITY"

(To be stamped in accordance with the Stamp Act)

Ref Date	Bank	Guarantee No	
То,			
M/s Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd.			
Rajan Villa,			
Plot-33,			
Porvorim, Goa-403521			
SUB: TENDER NO:			
Dear Sir(s),			
In accordance with Letter Inviting Tende	er under your refe	rence No	M/s.
having their Registered / Head Office at to participate in the said tender for		(hereinafter called the T	enderer), wish
As an irrevocable Bank Guarantee is required to be subr participation in the said tender which a any contingencies mentioned in the Ter	nitted by the Tend mount is liable to	derer as a condition pre	cedent for
We, the		Banl	k at
•	ving our		Office Address)
guarantee and undertake to pay immitenderers by GNGPL Ltd., the amount without any reservation, protest, demur shall be conclusive and binding on us irrunderer.  This guarantee shall be irrevocable and should be two (02) months beyond the	and recourse. Any control of any con	y such demand made by dispute or difference raised up to	y GNGPL, sed by the _ [this date
guarantee is required, the same shall	•	-	

behalf this guarantee is issued.	WIIOSE
In witness whereof the Bank, through thisday of	n its authorized officer, has set its hand and stamp on 20 at
WITNESS:	
(SIGNATURE) (NAME)	(SIGNATURE) (NAME) Designation with Bank Stamp
(OFFICIAL ADDRESS)	Attorney as per Power of Attorney No Date:

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR FURNISHING "BID SECURITY / EARNEST MONEY" BY "BANK GUARANTEE"

- 1. The Bank Guarantee by Bidders will be given on non-judicial stamp paper as per "Stamp Duty" applicable. The non-judicial stamp paper should be in the name of the issuing Bank. In case of foreign Bank, the said Bank's Guarantee to be issued by its correspondent Bank in India on requisite non-judicial stamp paper
- 2. The expiry date should be arrived at in accordance with "ITB: Clause-15.1".
- **3.** The Bank Guarantee by bidders will be given from Bank as specified in "ITB".
- 4. A letter from the issuing Bank of the requisite Bank Guarantee confirming that said Bank Guarantee / all future communication relating to the Bank Guarantee shall be forwarded to the Employer at its address as mentioned at "ITB".
- **5.** Bidders must indicate the full postal address of the Bank along with the Bank's Email / Fax / Phone from where the Earnest Money Bond has been issued.
- 6. If a Bank Guarantee is issued by a commercial Bank, then a letter to Employer confirming its net worth is more than Rs. 1,000,000,000.00 [Rupees One Hundred Crores] or equivalent alongwith documentary evidence.

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instructions from M/s

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#### PROFORMA OF "LETTER OF CRDIT" FOR "EARNEST MONEY/ BID SECURITY"

To,	
M/s G	NGPL,
(Full A	Address)
SUB: TEND	DER NO:
Irrevo	ocable and confirmed Letter of Credit No Amount: Rs.
	ity of this Irrevocable:
<b>Dear</b> 1.	Sir, You are here by authorized to draw on
(i) (ii) (iii)	The Bidder withdraws its Bid during the period of Bid validity or any extension thereof duly agreed by the Bidder.  The Bidder varies or modifies its Bid in a manner not acceptable to GNGPL during the period of bid validity or any extension thereof duly agreed by the Bidder.  The Bidder, having been notified of the acceptance of its Bids,  (a) Fails or refuses to execute the Supply Order/Contract  (b) Fails or refuses to furnish the Contract Performance Security within 30 days before expiry of Bid Security.  (c) Fails to accept arithmetic corrections as per tender conditions.
2. 3.	This Irrevocable Letter of Credit has been established towards Bid Security Tender No for (Item) We hereby guarantee to protect the Drawers, Endorsers and bonafide holders from any consequences, which may arise in the event of the non-acceptance or non-payment of Demand Letter (draft) in accordance with the terms of this credit.
4.	This Credit is issued subject to the Uniform Customs and Practices for Documentary Credits (1993 Revised) International Chamber of Commerce brochure No. 500.

Please obtain reimbursement as under: .....

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6.		foreign				charges	will	be	on	the	account	of	M/s.
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#### **LETTER OF AUTHORITY**

-	orma for Letter of Authority riced Bid Opening' / 'Price	/ for Attending Subsequent 'Negotiations' / 'Pre-Bid Meetings' Rid Opening'
Ref:	need bid Opening 7 1 nee	Date:
To,		
	Soa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. (	GNGPL),
Porvo	•	
North	Goa- 403 521.	
SUB:		
	ER NO:	
Dear :	Sir.	
I/We.	J.,	hereby authorize the following
	sentative(s) for attending a	ny 'Negotiations' / 'Meetings [Pre-Bid Meeting]', 'Un-priced Bid
		d for any subsequent correspondence / communication against
the ab	ove Bidding Documents:	
[1]	Name & Designation	Signature
ניו	Phone/Cell:	Oignature
	Fax:	
	E-mail:	
[2]	Name & Designation	Signature
	Phone/Cell:	
	Fax:	
	E-mail:	
		und by all commitments made by aforementioned authorized
repres	sentative(s).	
Place:		[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Date:		Name:
		Designation:
		Seal:

Note: This "Letter of Authority" should be on the <u>"letterhead"</u> 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 GNGPL.

# F-6 "NO DEVIATION" CONFIRMATION

To,	
M/s. Goa Natural	Gas Pvt. Ltd. (GNGPL)
Porvorim,	
North Goa- 403 52	21.
SUB:	

SUD.

**TENDER NO:** 

#### 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: [Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]

Date: Name:

Designation:

Seal:

# <u>DECLARATION REGARDING HOLIDAY/BANNING AND LIQUIDATION, COURT RECEIVERSHIP</u>

To, M/s. Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. (GNGPL), Porvorim, North Goa- 403 521.

SUB:

**TENDER NO:** 

#### Dear Sir,

We hereby confirm that we are not on 'Holiday' by GNGPL / GNGPL or Public Sector Project Management Consultant (like EIL, Mecon only due to "poor performance" or "corrupt and fraudulent practices") or banned by Government department/ Public Sector on due date of submission of bid.

Further, 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 GNGPL or the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas.

We also confirm that we are not under any liquidation, court receivership or similar proceedings or 'bankruptcy'.

In case it comes to the notice of GNGPL 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 award of contract, the same will be promptly informed to GNGPL by us.

Place: [Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]

Date: Name:

Designation:

Seal:

# F-8 CERTIFICATE FOR NON-INVOLVMENT OF GOVT. OF INDIA

Porvorin		Gas Pvt. Ltd.	. (GNGP	'L),							
SUB: TENDER	NO:										
Dear Sir,											
If we bed award	come a su is	ıccessful Bic given	lder and to	l pursuar us	nt to the property for	provisio the		te	nder	_	ocuments, for " Certificate
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Place: Date:			Name	gnation:	Authorize	d Signa	tory	of Bi	dder]		

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# PROFORMA OF "BANK GUARANTEE" FOR "CONTRACT PERFORMANCE SECURITY / SECURITY DEPOSIT"

(ON NON-JUDICIAL STAMP PAPER OF APPROPRIATE VALUE)

To, M/s (	GNGPL
PER	FORMANCE GUARANTEE No.
Dear	r Sir(s),
N 4 / -	
M/s.	as registered office at (herein after called the "contractor"
whicl	ng registered office at (herein after called the "contractor" h expression shall wherever the context so require include its successors and gnees) have been awarded the work of vide LOA /FOA No.
	dated for GNGPL, 3 <sup>rd</sup> floor, M S Complex
S-44	, New BEL Road, North Goa-560054.
	Contract conditions provide that the CONTRACTOR shall pay a sum of Rs (Rupees) ull Contract Performance Guarantee in the form therein mentioned. The form of
payn	nent of Contract Performance Guarantee in the form therein mentioned. The form of nent of Contract Performance Guarantee includes guarantee executed by Nationalized k, undertaking full responsibility to indemnify GNGPL, in case of default.
The and	said has approached us at their request and in consideration of the premises we having our office at have agreed to give such guarantee as hereinaften
ment	tioned.
1.	We
	_ hereby undertake to give the irrevocable & unconditional guarantee to you that if default shall be made by M/s in performing any of the terms and conditions of the tender or in payment of any money payable to GNGPL we shall on first demand pay without demur, contest, protest and/or without any recourse to the contractor to you in such manner as you may direct the said amount of Rupees only or such portion thereof not exceeding the said sum as you may require from time to time.
2.	You will have the full liberty without reference to us and without affecting this guarantee, postpone for any time or from time to time the exercise of any of the powers and rights conferred on you under the contract with the said

	endorsin	g any po	wers or	rights or b	y reason	of time b	orce or to being give forbearar	n to the	said
	have the	effect of	releasing	the bank fro	om its obli	gation und	ler this deb	ot.	
3.	Your	right	to	recover	the	said	sum	of (Ru	Rs. pees
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argument, any sum or sums within the limits of (amounts of guarantee) as aforesaid, without your needing to prove or show grounds or reasons for your demand or the sum specified therein.

8.	We have power to issue this guaranticles of Association and the under Attorney, dated grante	rsigned has full power to do	
			Yours faithfully,
		Bank by its 0	Constituted Attorney
		•	ure of a person duly sign on behalf of the Bank

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

- 1. The Bank Guarantee by successful Bidder(s) will be given on non-judicial stamp paper as per 'stamp duty' applicable. The non-judicial stamp paper should be in name of the issuing bank. In case of foreign bank, the said Bank Guarantee to be issued by its correspondent bank in India on requisite non-judicial stamp paper and place of Bid to be considered as Delhi.
- 2. The Bank Guarantee by Bidders will be given from bank as specified in Tender.
- 3. A letter from the issuing bank of the requisite Bank Guarantee confirming that said Bank Guarantee and all future communication relating to the Bank Guarantee shall be forwarded to Employer.
- 4. If a Bank Guarantee is issued by a commercial bank, then a letter to Employer and copy to Consultant (if applicable) confirming its net worth is more than Rs. 100,00,00,000.00 [Rupees One Hundred Crores] or its equivalent in foreign currency alongwith documentary evidence.

#### F-10 AGREED TERMS & CONDITIONS

To, M/s. Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. (GNGPL), Porvorim, North Goa- 403 521.

SUB:

**TENDER NO:** 

This Questionnaire duly filled in, signed & stamped must form part of Bidder's Bid and should be returned along with Un-priced Bid. Clauses confirmed hereunder need not be repeated in the Bid.

SI.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
1	Bidder's name and 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	Rate of applicable GST	%
5.	Confirm acceptance of relevant Terms of Payment specified in the Bid Document.  In case of delay, the bills shall be submitted after deducting the price reduction due to delay.	
6.	Confirm that Contract Performance Bank Guarantee will be furnished as per Bid Document.	
7.	Confirm that Contract Performance Bank Guarantee shall be from any Indian scheduled bank or a branch of an International bank situated in India and registered with Reserve bank of India as scheduled foreign bank. However, in case of bank guarantees from banks other than the Nationalised Indian banks, the bank must be a commercial bank having net worth in excess of Rs 100 crores and a declaration to this effect shall be made by such commercial bank either in the Bank Guarantee itself or separately on its letterhead.	
8.	Confirm compliance to Completion Schedule as specified in Bid document. Confirm contract period shall be reckoned from the date of Fax of Acceptance.	
9.	Confirm acceptance of Price Reduction Schedule for delay in completion schedule specified in Bid document.	
10.	Confirm acceptance of all terms and conditions of Bid Document (all sections).	
11.	Confirm your offer is valid for <b>3 MONTHS</b> from Final/Extended due date of opening of Technocommercial Bids.	

SI.	DESCRIPTION	BIDDER'S CONFIRMATION
12.	Please furnish EMD/Bid Security details : EMD/ Bid Security No. & date Value Validity	
13.	Confirm acceptance to all provisions of ITB read in conjunction with Bid Data Sheet (BDS).	
13.	Confirm that Annual Reports for the last three financial years are furnished alongwith the Un-priced Bid.	Please refer ITB
14.	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.	
15.	Confirm the none of Directors of bidder is a relative of any Director of Owner or the bidder is a firm in which any Director of Owner/ GNGPL or his relative is a partner.	
17.	All correspondence must be in ENGLISH language only.	
18	Owner reserves the right to make any change in the terms & conditions of the TENDER/BIDDING DOCUMENT and to reject any or all bids.	
19	Confirm that all Bank charges associated with Bidder's Bank shall be borne by Bidder.	

Place:	[Signature of Authorized S	Signator	v of Bidder

Date: Name: Designation: Seal:

# F-11 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT CUM CONSENT LETTER

(On receipt of tender document/information regarding the tender, Bidder shall acknowledge the receipt and confirm his intention to bid or reason for non-participation against the enquiry /tender through e-mail/fax to concerned executive in GNGPL issued the tender, by filling up the Format)

To,	
M/s GNGPL	
SUB: TENDER NO:	
Dear Sir,	
enclosures for subject item/	eceipt of a complete set of bidding document along with job and/or the information regarding the subject tender. equested for the subject item/job and furnish following details of the subject item subjec
Telephone Number Fax Number Contact Person E-mail Address Mobile No. Date Seal/Stamp	Pin Code: : : : : : : : : : for the reason given below: mission of bid:
Agency's Name Signature Name Designation Date Seal/Stamp	: : : : :

## <u>F-12</u> <u>UNDERTAKING ON LETTERHEAD</u>

To, M/s. Goa Na Porvorim, North Goa-		Pvt. Ltd. (G	NGPL),				
SUB: TENDER NO	O:						
Dear Sir							
We hereby	confirm that	"The conte	nts of this Tend	er Docume	ent No		
have	not	been		or	altered	by Name of	M/s.
with comple	te address). er, the bid su	In case, it in the state of the	s found that the M/section".	tender doo	cument has I	oeen modifi	ied / altered
Place: Date:		1	Signature of Au Name: Designation: Seal:	thorized Si	ignatory of E	Bidder]	

## F-13 BIDDER'S EXPERIENCE

VOID

#### F-14 CHECK LIST

Bidders are requested to duly fill in the checklist. This checklist gives only certain important items to facilitate the bidder to make sure that the necessary data/information as called for in the bid document has been submitted by them along with their offer. This, however, does not relieve the bidder of his responsibilities to make sure that his offer is otherwise complete in all respects. Please ensure compliance and tick  $(\sqrt{})$  against following points:

S. No.	DESCRIPTION	CHECK BOX		
1.0	Confirm that the following details have been submitted in the Un-priced part of the bid			
l.	Covering Letter, Letter of Submission			
II.	Bid Security			
III.	Signed and stamped original copy of bidding document along with drawings and addendum (if any)			
IV.	Power of Attorney in the name of person signing the bid.			
V.	Copies of documents defining constitution or legal status, place of registration and principal place of business of the company			
VI.	Bidders declaration that regarding, Holiday/ Banning, liquidation court receivership or similar proceedings			
VII.	Details and documentary proof required against BEC/qualification criteria along with complete documents establishing ownership of equipment as per SCC are enclosed			
VIII.	Confirm submission of document along with techno-commercial bid as per bid requirement.			
IX.	Confirm that all applicable forms duly filled in are enclosed with the bid duly signed by authorized person(s)			
X.	Integrity Pact duly filled, signed and stamped			
2.0	Confirm that the price part as per Price Schedule/SOR format submitted with Bidding Document/ uploaded in case of e-bid in separate envelope with title "Price Bid".			

Place:	[Signature of Authorized Signator	ory of Bidder]

Date:

Name:

Designation:

Seal:

### F-15 FORMAT FOR CERTIFICATE FROM BANK IF BIDDER'S WORKING CAPITAL IS INADEQUATE

(To be provided on Bank's letter head)

<b>T</b> .				Date:
To, M/s. Goa Natural Gas Porvorim, North Goa- 403 521.	s Pvt. Ltd. (GNGPL),			
Dear Sir,				
This is to certify that (hereinafter referred t	t M/sto as Customer) is an	(na existing customer of	ame of the bid of our Bank.	dder with address)
of the supply/work/se	informed that the dated rvices/consultancy) and from their Bank confi	for	of the said RFC	(Name Q/Tender they have
Accordingly M/s	(r /s	name of the Bank v	vith address) c	onfirms availability
	nat the net worth of th igned is authorized to			ores (or Equivalent
Yours truly				
for	(Name & addr	ess of Bank)		
(Authorized signatory Name of the signatory Designation Stamp				

# F-16 FORMAT FOR CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT CERTIFICATE FOR FINANCIAL CAPABILITY OF THE BIDDER

We	have	verified	the	Annual	Accounts	and	other	relevant	records	of
M/s				(Name of	the bidder) a	and cer	tify the fo	llowing		

#### **ANNUAL TURNOVER OF LAST 3 YEARS:**

Year	Amount (Currency)
Year 1:	
Year 2:	
Year 3:	

#### FINANCIAL DATA FOR LAST AUDITED FINANCIAL YEAR:

Description	Year
	Amount (Currency)
1. Current Assets	
2. Current Liabilities	
3. Working Capital (Current Assets-	
Current liabilities)	
4. Net Worth (Paid up share capital and	
Free Reserves & Surplus)	

Name of Audit Firm: [Signature of Authorized Signatory]

Chartered Accountant Name:
Date: Designation:

Seal:

Membership no.

#### Instructions:

The financial year would be the same as one normally followed by the bidder for its Annual Report. The bidder shall provide the audited annual financial statements as required for this Tender document. Failure to do so would result in the Proposal being considered as non-responsive.

For the purpose of this Tender document, (i) Annual Turnover shall be "Sale value/ Operating Income" (ii) Working Capital shall be "Current Assets less Current liabilities" and (iii) Net Worth shall be "Paid up share capital" and Free Reserves & Surplus"

This certificate is to be submitted on the letter head of Chartered Accountant.

# F-17 FORMAT FOR CONSORTIUM/JV AGREEMENT (ON NON- JUDICIAL STAMP PAPER OF APPROPRIATE VALUE)

# CONSORTIUM/JV AGREEMENT Bid received from JV or consortium shall not be accepted.

(Not Applicable)

# F-18 BIDDER'S QUERIES FOR PRE BID MEETING

To,	
M/s. Go	a Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. (GNGPL)
Porvori	m,
North G	ioa- 403 521.
Sub	•

Sub	
Tender No	

SL		ERENCE Ument		BIDDING	BIDDER'S	GNGPL'S REPLY
	Sec No.	Page No.	Clause No.	Subject	QUERY	
	140.					

NOTE: The Pre-Bid Queries may be sent by fax and/or also by e-mail before due date for receipt of Bidder's queries.

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER:	
NAME OF BIDDER:	

### F-19 E-Banking Mandate Form

VOID

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#### PROFORMA FOR CONTRACT AGREEMENT

LOA/WORK ORDER NO.	DATED
Contract Agreement for the work of	
	of GOA NATURAL GAS PRIVATE
LIMITED made on	between (Name and Address)
	, hereinafter called the "CONTRACTOR" (which
term shall unless excluded by or repu	ignant to the subject or context include its successors
and permitted assignees) of the on	e part and GOA NATURAL GAS PRIVATE LIMITED
hereinafter called the "EMPLOYER"(	which term shall, unless excluded by or repugnant to the
subject or context include its success	ors and assignees) of the other part.

#### **WHEREAS**

A. The EMPLOYER being desirous of having provided and executed certain work mentioned, enumerated or referred to in the Tender Documents including Letter Inviting Tender, General Tender Notice, General Conditions of Contract, Special Conditions of Contract, Specifications, Drawings, Plans, Time Schedule of completion of jobs, Schedule of Rates, Agreed Variations, other documents has called for Tender.

B. The CONTRACTOR has inspected the SITE and surroundings of WORK specified in the Tender Documents and has satisfied himself by careful examination before submitting his tender as to the nature of the surface, strata, soil, sub-soil and ground, the form and nature of site and local conditions, the quantities, nature and magnitude of the work, the availability of labour and materials necessary for the execution of work, the means of access to SITE, the supply of power and water thereto and the accommodation he may require and has made local and independent enquiries and obtained complete information as to the matters and thing referred to, or implied in the tender documents or having any connection therewith and has considered the nature and extent of all probable and possible situations, delays, hindrances or interferences to or with the execution and completion of the work to be carried out under the CONTRACT, and has examined and considered all other matters, conditions and things and probable and possible contingencies, and generally all matters incidental thereto and ancillary thereof affecting the execution and completion of the WORK and which might have influenced him in making his tender.

C. The Tender Documents including the Notice Letter Inviting Tender, General Conditions of Contract, Special Conditions of Contract, Schedule of Rates, General Obligations, SPECIFICATIONS, DRAWINGS, PLANS, Time Schedule for completion of Jobs, Letter of Acceptance of Tender and any statement of agreed variations with its enclosures copies of which are hereto annexed form part of this CONTRACT though separately set out herein and are included in the expression "CONTRACT" wherever herein used.

#### AND WHEREAS

The EMPLOYER accepted the Tender of the CONTRACTOR for the provision and the execution of the said WORK at the rates stated in the schedule of quantities of the work and finally approved by EMPLOYER (hereinafter called the "Schedule of Rates") upon the terms and subject to the conditions of CONTRACT.

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH AND IT IS HEREBY AGREED AND DECLARED AS FOLLOWS:-

- 1. In consideration of the payment to be made to the CONTRACTOR for the WORK to be executed by him, the CONTRACTOR hereby covenants with EMPLOYER that the CONTRACTOR shall and will duly provide, execute and complete the said work and shall do and perform all other acts and things in the CONTRACT mentioned or described or which are to be implied there from or may be reasonably necessary for the completion of the said WORK and at the said times and in the manner and subject to the terms and conditions or stipulations mentioned in the contract.
- 2. In consideration of the due provision execution and completion of the said WORK, EMPLOYER does hereby agree with the CONTRACTOR that the EMPLOYER will pay to the CONTRACTOR the respective amounts for the WORK actually done by him and approved by the EMPLOYER at the Schedule of Rates and such other sum payable to the CONTRACTOR under provision of CONTRACT, such payment to be made at such time in such manner as provided for in the CONTRACT.

#### AND

3. In consideration of the due provision, execution and completion of the said WORK the CONTRACTOR does hereby agree to pay such sums as may be due to the EMPLOYER for the services rendered by the EMPLOYER to the CONTRACTOR, such as power supply, water supply and others as set for in the said CONTRACT and such other sums as may become payable to the EMPLOYER towards the controlled items of consumable materials or towards loss, damage to the EMPLOYER'S equipment, materials construction plant and machinery, such payments to be made at such time and in such manner as is provided in the CONTRACT.

It is specifically and distinctly understood and agreed between the EMPLOYER and the CONTRACTOR that the CONTRACTOR shall have no right, title or interest in the SITE made available by the EMPLOYER for execution of the works or in the building, structures or work executed on the said SITE by the CONTRACTOR or in the goods, articles, materials etc., brought on the said SITE (unless the same specifically belongs to the CONTRACTOR) and the CONTRACTOR shall not have or deemed to have any lien whatsoever charge for unpaid bills will not be entitled to assume or retain possession or control of the SITE or structures and the EMPLOYER shall have an absolute and unfettered right to take full possession of SITE

and to remove the CONTRACTOR, their servants, agents and materials belonging to the CONTRACTOR and lying on the SITE.

The CONTRACTOR shall be allowed to enter upon the SITE for execution of the WORK only as a licensee simpliciter and shall not have any claim, right, title or interest in the SITE or the structures erected thereon and the EMPLOYER shall be entitled to terminate such license at any time without assigning any reason.

The materials including sand, gravel, stone, loose, earth, rock etc., dug up or excavated from the said SITE shall, unless otherwise expressly agreed under this CONTRACT, exclusively belong to the EMPLOYER and the CONTRACTOR shall have no right to claim over the same and such excavation and materials should be disposed off on account of the EMPLOYER according to the instruction in writing issued from time to time by the ENGINEER-IN-CHARGE.

In Witness whereof the parties have executed these presents in the day and the year first above written.

Signed and delivered for and on behalf

Signed and Delivered for and

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#### **INTEGRITY PACT**

#### INTRODUCTION:

M/s. Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. (GNGPL), Porvorim, North Goa- 403 521. GNGPL as one of its endeavor to maintain and foster most ethical and corruption free business environment, have decided to adopt the Integrity Pact, a tool developed by the Transparency International, to ensure that all activities and transactions between the Company (GNGPL) and its Counterparties (Bidders, Contractors, Vendors, Suppliers, Service Providers/Consultants etc.) are handled in a fair and transparent manner, completely free of corruption.

Considering the above, the details mentioned at attached Annexure-1 are applicable as stated in Instruction to Bidders of Bid Document in addition to the existing stipulation regarding Corrupt and Fraudulent Practices.

The attached copy of the **Integrity Pact at Annexure- 2** shall be included in the Bid submitted by the bidder (to be executed by the bidder for all tenders of value Rs. 1 (One) crore and above). In case a bidder does not sign the Integrity Pact, his bid shall be liable for rejection.

# SECTION –VI ANNEXURES TO BID DOCUMENT

Bidder is required to sign the Integrity Pact with GNGPL as per format & terms and conditions enclosed with tender. In case a bidder does not sign the Integrity Pact, his bid shall be liable for rejection.

#### I COMMITMENTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF THE "COUNTERPARTY"

The Counterparty, directly or indirectly (through agent, consultant, advisor, etc.), shall not pay any bribe/ influence or give undue/ unlawful benefit to anyone to gain undue advantage in dealing with GNGPL.

The Counterparty will not engage in collusion of any kind including price fixation etc. with other Counterparts.

The counterparty will not pass GNGPL's confidential information to any third party unless specifically authorized by GNGPL in writing.

The Counterparties shall promote and observe best ethical practices within their respective organizations.

The Counterparty shall inform the Independent External Monitor.

- i) If it received any demand, directly or indirectly, for a bribe/ favour or any illegal gratification/ payment / benefit;
- ii) f it comes to know of any unethical or illegal payment / benefit;
- iii) If it makes any payment to any GNGPL associate.

The Counterparty shall not make any false or misleading allegations against GNGPL or its associates.

#### II VIOLATIONS & CONSEQUENCES:

If a Counterparty commits a violation of its Commitments and Obligations under the Integrity Pact Programme during bidding process, their entire Earnest Money Deposit/Bid Security, would be forfeited and in addition, they may be blacklisted from the GNGPL business in future.

In case of violation of the Integrity pact by Counterparty after award of the Contract, GNGPL shall be entitled to terminate the Contract. GNGPL would forfeit the security deposits, encash the bank guarantee (s) and other payments payable to Counterparty in such cases, subject to satisfaction of the Independent External Monitor, GNGPL may ban/ blacklist/ put on holiday and exclude the Counterparty from future dealings until GNGPL is satisfied that the Counterparty shall not commit any such violation in future.

In addition to above, GNGPL reserves its right to initiate criminal proceedings against the violating Counterparty, if the allegations by Counterparty are found frivolous, untrue and misleading and may also impose exemplary cost for the same.

The Counterparty will be entitled to claim as determined by the Independent External Monitor, if the above (d) is found incorrect.

#### **INDEPENDENT EXTRNAL MONITORS (IEMS)**

The Bidder(s), in case of any dispute(s) / complaint(s) pertaining to this Tender may raise the issue with the designated Tender Issuing Officer in GNGPL.

## **INTEGRITY PACT**

(To be executed on plain paper)

	(here-in-after referred to as "The Bidder/ Contractor").
•	ncipal and the Bidder / Contractor are here-in-after are referred to individually as ty" or collectively as "Parties").
PRE	AMBLE
The for	Principal intends to award under laid down organizational procedures, contract/s

In order to achieve these goals, the Principal co-operates with the renowned International Non-Governmental Organisation 'Transparency International' (TI). Following TI's national and international experience, the Principal will appoint an Independent External Monitor who will monitor the tender process, the execution of the contract etc. for compliance with the principles mentioned above.

#### Section 1 – Commitments of the Principal

and Contractor/s.

**1.** The Principal commits itself to take all measures necessary to prevent corruption and to observe the following Principles in this regard:-

No employee of the Principal, either in person or through family members, including relatives, will in connection with the tender for or the execution of a contract, demand or accept a promise for or accept for him/herself or for a third person, any material or immaterial benefit to which he/she is not legally entitled.

The Principal shall, during the tender process treat all Bidders with equity. The Principal undertakes and ensures that before and during the tender process shall provide and share the same information to all Bidders and will not provide to any Bidder confidential / additional information through which one particular Bidder could take an advantage in relation to the tender process or the contract execution.

The Principal will exclude from the process all known prejudiced persons.

2. If the Principal obtains information on the conduct of any of its employees which is a criminal offence under the Anti-Corruption Laws of India, or if there be a substantive suspicion in this regard, the Principal will inform its Vigilance Office and in addition can initiate disciplinary actions.

#### Section 2 – Commitments and Undertakings by the Bidder/Contractor

1. The Bidder / Contractor commits and undertakes to take all measures necessary to prevent malpractices & corruption. He commits himself to observe the following principles during his participation in the tender process and during the contract execution:

The Bidder / Contractor undertakes not to, directly or through any other person or firm offer, promise or give or influence to any employee of the Principal associated with the tender process or the execution of the contract or to any other person on their behalf any material or immaterial benefit to which he / she is not legally entitled in order to obtain in exchange any advantage of any kind whatsoever during the tender process or during the execution of the contract.

The Bidder / Contractor undertakes not to enter into any undisclosed agreement or understanding, whether formal or informal with other Bidders. This applies in particular to prices, specifications, certifications, subsidiary contracts, submission or non-submission of bids or any other action to restrict competitiveness or to introduce cartelization in the bidding process.

The Bidder / Contractor undertakes not to commit any offence under the relevant Anticorruption Laws of India. Further, the Bidder / Contractor will not use improperly any information or document provided by the Principal as part of the business relationship regarding plans, technical proposals and business details, including information contained or transmitted electronically for the purposes of competition or personal gain and will not pass the information so acquired on to others.

The Bidder / Contractor will, when presenting his bid undertakes to disclose any and all payments made, is committed to or intends to make to agents, brokers or any other intermediaries in connection with the award of the contract.

2. The Bidder / Contractor will not instigate and allure third persons / parties to commit offences outlined above or be an accessory to such offences.

#### Section 3 – Disqualification from tender process and exclusion from future contracts

If the Bidder, before the award of contract, has committed a transgression through a violation of any provisions of Section 2 or in any other form so as to put his reliability or credibility as Bidder into question, the Principal shall be entitled to disqualify, put on holiday or blacklist the Bidder including from the future tender process or to terminate the contract, if already signed, on that ground.

1. If the Bidder / Contractor has committed a transgression through a violation of any provisions of Section 2 so as to put his reliability or credibility into question, the Principal shall be entitled to exclude including blacklist and put on holiday the Bidder / Contractor from entering into any GNGPL future contract tender processes. The imposition and duration of the exclusion will be determined by the severity of the transgression. The severity will be determined by the Principal taking into consideration the full facts and circumstances of each case particularly taking into account the number of transgressions, the position of the transgressors within the company hierarchy of the Bidder and the amount of the damage. The exclusion may be imposed for a minimum period of 6 months and maximum of three years.

- **2.** A transgression is considered to have occurred if the Principal after due consideration of the available evidence, concludes that no reasonable doubt is possible.
- 3. The Bidder with its free consent and without any influence agrees and undertakes to respect and uphold the Principal's absolute rights to resort to and impose such exclusion and further accepts and undertakes not to challenge or question such exclusion on any ground, including the lack of any hearing before the decision to resort to such exclusion is taken. This undertaking is given freely and after obtaining independent legal advice.
- **4.** Subject to the full satisfaction of the Principal, the exclusion of the Bidder / Contractor could be revoked by Principal prematurely if the bidder / contractor can prove that he has restored / recouped the damage caused by him and has installed a suitable corruption prevention system in his organization.

#### Section 4 – Forfeiture of EMD / Security Deposits

- 1. If the Principal has disqualified the Bidder from the tender process prior to the award in terms of Section 3, and during the execution of the contract, the Principal shall forfeit earnest money deposit / bid security money, encash the bank guarantee including due payments in addition to blacklisting or putting on holiday the bidder and terminating the contract.
- 2. If the Principal has terminated the contract according to Section 3, or if the Principal is entitled to terminate the contract according to Section 3, the Principal shall be entitled to demand and recover from the Contractor liquidated damages equivalent to Earnest Money Deposit / Security Deposit / Performance Bank Guarantee.
  - 1. The bidder agrees and undertakes to pay the said amounts without protest or demur subject only to condition that if the Bidder / Contractor can prove and establish that the exclusion of the Bidder from the tender process or the termination of the contract after the contract award has caused no damage or less damage than the amount of the liquidated damages, the Bidder / Contractor shall compensate the Principal only to the extent of the damage in the amount proved.

#### **Section 5 – Previous transgression**

- 1. The Bidder swears on oath that no previous transgression has occurred during the last three years with any other Company in any country conforming to the TI approach or including with any other Public Sector Enterprise / Undertaking in India that could justify his exclusion from the tender process.
- 2. If the Bidder makes incorrect statement on this subject, he shall be disqualified from the tender process or the contract, if already awarded, could be liable to be terminated on this ground.

#### Section 6 - Equal treatment to all Bidders / Contractors / Subcontractors

1. The Bidder / Contractor undertakes to demand from all its sub-contractors, if any, an undertaking and commitment in conformity with this Integrity Pact, and to submit it to the Principal before signing of the contract.

- 2. The Principal will enter into agreements with similar conditions, as stipulated herein, with all Bidders, Contractors and Subcontractors.
- **3.** The Principal shall disqualify from the tender process all Bidders who do not sign this Pact or violate any of its provisions.

#### Section 7 - Criminal charges against violating Bidders / Contractors / Sub-contractors

If the Principal obtains knowledge of conduct of a Bidder, Contractor or Subcontractor, or of an employee or a representative or an associate of a Bidder, Contractor or Subcontractor which constitutes corruption, or if the Principal has substantive suspicion in this regard, the Principal will inform the Vigilance Office / Department for initiating appropriate action for above.

#### Section 8 –Independent External Monitor / Monitors

- 1. The Principal appoints competent and credible external independent Monitor for this Pact. The task of the Monitor is to review independently and objectively, whether and to what extent the parties comply with the obligations under this agreement.
- 2. The Monitor is not subject to any instructions by the representatives of the parties and performs his functions neutrally and independently. He reports to the Chairperson of the Board of the Principal.
- 3. The Contractor accepts that the Monitor has the right to access without restriction to all Project documentation of the Principal including that provided by the Contractor. The Contractor will also grant the Monitor, upon his request and demonstration of a valid interest, unrestricted and unconditional access to his project documentation. The same is applicable to Sub-contractors. The Monitor is under contractual obligation to treat the information and documents of the Bidder / Contractor / Sub-contractor with confidentiality.
- 4. The Principal will provide to the Monitor sufficient information about all meetings among the parties related to the Project provided such meetings could have an impact on the contractual relations between the Principal and the Contractor. The parties offer to the Monitor the option to participate in such meetings.
- 5. As soon as the Monitor notices, or believes to notice, a violation of this agreement he will so inform the Management of the Principal and request the Management to discontinue or heal the violation or to take other relevant action. The monitor can in this regard submit non-binding recommendations. Beyond this, the Monitor has no right to demand from the parties that they act in a specific manner, refrain from action or tolerate action. However, the Independent External Monitor shall give an opportunity to the bidder / contractor to present its case before making its recommendations to the Principal.
- 6. The Monitor will submit a written report to the Chairperson of the Board of the Principal within 8 to 10 weeks from the date of reference or intimation to him by the 'Principal' and should the occasion arise, submit proposals for taking corrective measures.
- 7. Monitor shall be entitled to compensation by the Principal.
- 8. If the Monitor has reported to the Chairperson of the Board a substantiated suspicion of an offence under relevant Anti-Corruption laws of India, and the Chairperson has not,

within reasonable time, taken visible action to proceed against such offence or reported it to the Vigilance Office, the Monitor may also transmit this information directly to the Central Vigilance Commissioner, Government of India.

- 9. The word 'Monitor' would include both singular and plural.
- 10. Independent External Monitor shall be required to maintain confidentiality of the information acquired and gathered during their tenure / role as Independent Monitor. Any breach in this regard would be subject to the legal judicial system of India.
- 11. The Independent External Monitors shall be responsible to oversee the implementation of Integrity Pact Program to prevent corruption, bribes or any other unethical practices in the GNGPL. However, Monitor(s) shall be personally and severally be liable for any action or suit brought by Bidder / Contractor / against the Monitor, in case the findings of Independent Monitor is / are found incorrect or biased or prejudiced.
- 12. Independent External Monitor(s) shall be required to furnish an Undertaking and shall disclose before taking any assignment that he / she has no interest in the matter or connected with the party (bidder / contractor) in any manner.

#### **Section 9 – Pact Duration**

The provisions of this Pact shall come into effect from the date of signing of this Pact by the both parties. It expires for the Contractor 12 months after the last payment under the respective contract, and for all other Bidders 6 months after the contract has been awarded.

If any claim is made / lodged by either party during this time, the same shall be binding and continue to be valid despite the lapse of this pact as specified above, unless it is discharged/determined by the Chairperson of the Principal.

#### Section 10 – Miscellaneous provisions

- 1. This agreement is subject to Indian Law. Place of performance and jurisdiction is the Registered Office of the Principal, i.e. Goa. The Arbitration clause provided in main tender document / contract shall not be applicable for any issue / dispute arising under Integrity Pact.
- 2. Changes and supplements as well as termination notices, if any, need to be made in writing. Side agreements have not been made.
- 3. If the Contractor / Bidder is a partnership concern or a consortium, this agreement must be signed by all partners or consortium members.
- 4. In case any or several of the provisions of this agreement turn out to be void, the remainder of this pact shall remain valid. The parties to this pact however, shall strive to come to an agreement to their original intentions in such a case.

(Name & Designation) For the Principal	(Name & Designation) For the Bidder/Contractor		
Place	Witness 1:		
Date	Witness 2:		
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# PROCEDURE FOR ACTION IN CASE CORRUPT/FRAUDULENT/COLLUSIVE/COERCIVE PRACTICES

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#### 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.
- A.2 "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.3 "Fraudulent Practice" means and include any act or omission committed by a 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.4 "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 Employer of the benefits of free and open competition.
- A.5 "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.6 "Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant/Bidder" is herein after referred as "Agency"
- A.7 "Appellate Authority" shall mean Committee of Directors of Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd.
- A.8 "Competent Authority" shall mean the authority, 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 "CEO".
- A.9 "Allied Agency" shall mean all the concerns within the sphere of effective influence of banned/ suspended agencies. In determining this, the following factors may be taken into consideration:
  - (a) Whether the management is common;
  - (b) Majority interest in the management is held by the partners or directors of banned/ suspended firm.

- (c) substantial or majority shares are owned by banned/ suspended agency and by virtue of this it has a controlling voice.
- A.10 "Investigating Agency" shall mean any department or unit of GNGPL investigating into the conduct of Agency/ party and shall include the Vigilance Department of the GNGPL, Central Bureau of Investigation, State Police or any other agency set up by the Central or state government having power to investigate.

## B. <u>Actions against bidder(s) indulging in corrupt/fraudulent/collusive/coercive practice</u>

#### 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 Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) shall be forfeited.

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

#### **B.2.** Irregularities noticed after award of contract

(i) During execution of contract:

If an agency, is found to have indulged in corrupt/fraudulent/collusive/coercive practices, during execution of contract, the agency shall be banned for future business with Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. for a period specified in para B 2.2 below from the date of issue of banning order.

The concerned order (s)/ contract(s) where corrupt/fraudulent/collusive practices is observed, shall be suspended with immediate effect by Engineer-in-Charge (EIC)/ Employer whereby the supply/ work/ service and payment etc. will be suspended. The action shall be initiated for putting the agency on banning.

After conclusion of process, the order (s)/ contract (s) where it is concluded that such irregularities have been committed shall be terminated and Contract cum Performance Bank Guarantee (CPBG)/ Contract Performance Security (CPS) submitted by agency against such order (s)/ contract (s) shall also be forfeited. The amount that may have become due to the contractor 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.

## (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 GOA NATURAL GAS PVT. LTD. 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 Defect liability period (DLP)/ Warranty/Guarantee Period

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

#### **B.2.2 Period of Banning**

Banning period shall be reckoned from the date of banning order and shall be as under.

SI. No.	Descriptio n	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/banning list of PSUs/ Govt. Dept., liquidation, bankruptcy etc. and subsequently it is found otherwise, and pate shall be considered in this actor gard.	02 years
2	such acts shall be considered in this category.  Corrupt/Fraudulent (pertaining to BEC of tender) /Collusive/Coercive Practices	03 years
2.1	If an agency again commits Corrupt/Fraudulent (pertaining to BEC of tender) /Collusive/ Coercive Practices in subsequent cases after their banning, such situation of repeated offense to be dealt with more severity and following shall be the period of banning:	
	(i) Repeated once	7 years (in addition to the period already served)
	(ii) Repeated twice or more	15 years (in addition to the period already served)

3	Indulged in unauthorized disposal of materials provided by Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd.	7 years
4	If act of vendor/ contractor is a threat to the National Security	15 years
5	Corrupt/Fraudulent/Collusive/Coercive Practices during execution of contract	02 years

In exceptional cases where the act of vendor/ contractor is a threat to the National Security, the banning shall be for indefinite period.

#### C. Effect of banning on other ongoing contracts/ tenders

- C.1. If an agency is put on Banning, such agency should not be considered in ongoing tenders/future tenders.
- 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 enquiry /bid/tender but before opening of Technical bid, the bid submitted by the agency shall be ignored.
- C.3.2 after opening Technical bid but before opening the Price bid, the Price bid of the agency shall not be opened and BG/EMD submitted by the agency shall be returned to the agency.
- C.3.3 after opening of price, BG/EMD made by the agency shall be returned; the offer of the agency shall be ignored & will not be further evaluated. If the agency is put on banning list for fraud/ mis-appropriation of facts committed in the same tender/other tender where errant agency emerges as the lowest (L1), then such tender shall also be cancelled and re-invited.

#### D. Procedure for Suspension of Bidder

#### D.1 Initiation of Suspension

Action for suspension business dealing with any agency/(ies) shall be initiated by Corporate C&P Department when

- (i) Corporate Vigilance Department based on the fact of the case gathered during investigation by them recommend for specific immediate action against the agency.
- (ii) Corporate Vigilance Department based on the input from Investigating agency, forward for specific immediate action against the agency.

#### D.2 <u>Suspension Procedure:</u>

- D.2.1 The order of suspension would operate initially for a period not more than six months and is to be communicated to the agency and also to Corporate Vigilance Department. Period of suspension can be extended with the approval of the Competent Authority by one month at a time with a ceiling of 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
  - the agency is put on suspension list and (ii) why action should not be taken for banning the agency for future business from Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd..

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.2.6 No enquiry/bid/tender shall be entertained from an agency as long as the name of agency appears in the Suspension List.
- D.2.7 If an agency is put on the Suspension List during tendering:
- D.3.2.1 after issue of the enquiry /bid/tender but before opening of Technical bid, the bid submitted by the agency shall be ignored.
- D.3.2.2 after opening Technical bid but before opening the Price bid, the Price bid of the agency shall not be opened and BG/EMD submitted by the agency shall be returned to the agency.
- D.3.2.3 after opening of price, BG/EMD made by the agency shall be returned; the offer of the agency shall be ignored & will not be further evaluated. If the agency is put on Suspension list for fraud/ mis-appropriation of facts conducted in the same tender/other tender where errant agency emerges as the lowest (L1), then such tender shall also be cancelled and re-invited.
  - D.3.3 The existing contract (s)/ order (s) under execution shall continue.
  - D.3.4 Tenders invited for procurement of goods, works and services shall have provision that the bidder shall submit a undertaking to the effect that (i) neither the bidder themselves nor their allied agency/(ies) are on banning list of Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. 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. Such an appeal shall be preferred within one month from the 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-IV**

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

#### 1.0 OBJECTIVE

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

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

#### 2.0 METHODOLOGY

#### i) Preparation of Performance Rating Data Sheet

Performance rating data Sheet for each and every Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant for all orders/Contracts with a value of Rs. 7 Lakhs and above is recommended to be drawn up. 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) <u>Initiation of Measures:</u>

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) <u>Implementation of Corrective Measures:</u>

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 Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd..

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

#### 3.0 PROCESS OF EVALUATION OF PERFORMANCE OF VENDORS/ SUPPLIERS/ CONTRACTORS/ CONSULTANTS

#### 3.1 FOR PROJECTS

- 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 need to be initiated by Engineer-in-charge/Project-in-charge:

SI.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":

Recommend such defaulting Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant for putting on Holiday for a period from Six months to three years as given below:

- (i) Poor Performance due to reasons other than Quality: Six Months
- (ii) Poor Performance on account of Quality (if any mark obtained against Quality parameter is less than 30): Six Months
- (iii) Poor Performance leading to termination of contract or Offloading of contract due to poor performance solely attributable to Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant or Repeated Offence: Six Months

In case of repeated offence on above ground covered under sl. no. (i), (ii) and (iii):

- For once- 1 year.
- > For two and above-3 years

Non-performance of a Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant leading to termination of Contract/ Order, such Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/Consultant are also to be considered for Suspension.

In all such cases, concerned site will put up recommendation for issuance of SCN and putting the party on suspension list as per process defined for suspension in clause no. 5.4 of "Procedure for evaluation of performance of Vendors/Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants"

#### (B) Where Performance rating is "FAIR":

Recommend for issuance of warning to such defaulting Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant to improve their performance.

#### **3.2** FOR CONSULTANCY JOBS

Monitoring and Evaluation of consultancy jobs will be carried out in the same way as described in para 3.1 for Projects.

#### 3.3 FOR OPERATION & MAINTENANCE

 Evaluation of performance of Vendors/ Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants in case of Operation and Maintenance shall be done immediately after execution of order/ contract.

- 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 need to be initiated by Site C&P:

SI. 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 infuture.	
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"

Recommend such defaulting Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/ Consultant for putting on Holiday for a period from Six months to three years as given below:

- (i) Poor Performance due to reasons other than Quality: Six Months
- (ii) Poor Performance on account of Quality (if any mark obtained against Quality parameter is less than 30): **Six Months**
- (iii) Poor Performance leading to termination of contract or Offloading of contract due to poor performance solely attributable to Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant or Repeated Offence: Six Months

In case of repeated offence on above ground covered under sl. no. (i), (ii) and (iii):

- > For once- 1 year.
- > For two and above-3 years

Non-performance of a Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant leading to termination of Contract/ Order such Vendor/ Supplier/Contractor/Consultant are also to be considered for Suspension.

In all such cases, concerned site will put up recommendation for issuance of SCN and putting the party on suspension list as per process defined for suspension in clause no. 5.4 of "Procedure for evaluation of performance of Vendors/Suppliers/Contractors/ Consultants"

#### B) Where Performance rating is "FAIR"

Recommend for issuance of warning to such defaulting Vendors/Contractors/Consultants to improve their performance.

#### 4.0 REVIEW & RESTORATION OF PARITES PUT ON HOLIDAY

**4.1** 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.

#### 5.0 EFFECT OF HOLIDAY

- **5.1** If a Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant is put on Holiday, such Vendor/Supplier /Contractor/ Consultant should not be considered in ongoing tenders/future tenders.
- 5.2 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.
- **5.3** Effect on other ongoing tendering:
- **5.3.1** after issue of the enquiry /bid/tender but before opening of Technical bid, the bid submitted by the party shall be ignored.
- **5.3.2** after opening Technical bid but before opening the Price bid, the Price bid of the party shall not be opened and BG/EMD submitted by the party shall be returned to the party.
- **5.3.3** after opening of price, BG/EMD made by the party shall be returned; the offer of the party shall be ignored & will not be further evaluated. If errant party emerges as the lowest (L1), then such tender shall also be cancelled and re- invited.

#### 5.4 Procedure for Suspension of Bidder

#### **5.4.1 Initiation of Suspension**

Action for suspension of business dealing with any agency/(ies) shall be initiated by C&P Department when Non-performance of Vendor / Supplier Contractor/ Consultant leading to termination of Contract/ Order.

#### **5.4.2 Suspension Procedure:**

- 5.4.2.1 The suspension period shall be limited to maximum six months.
- 5.4.2.2 The suspension order shall also be hosted on Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. intranet and a copy will be forwarded to all OICs/ HODs by C&P Department. During the period of suspension, no new business dealing may be held with the agency.
- 5.4.2.3 Period of suspension shall be accounted for in the final order passed for putting the party for holiday
- 5.4.2.4 The decision regarding suspension of business dealings should also be communicated to the agency.
- 5.4.2.5 Prior to putting the party on holiday, 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 putting the agency on holiday for future business from Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd..
  - The competent authority to approve the suspension will be same as that for according approval for holiday.
- 5.4.2.6 The process for putting the agency on suspension list shall be completed within 30 days from the date of recommendation by site committee.

#### 5.4.3 Effect of Suspension of business:

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

- 5.4.3.1 No enquiry/bid/tender shall be entertained from an agency as long as the name of Agency appears in the Suspension List.
- 5.4.3.2 If an agency is put on the Suspension List during tendering:
- 5.4.3.2.1 after issue of the enquiry /bid/tender but before opening of Technical bid, the bid submitted by the agency shall be ignored.
- 5.4.3.2.2 after opening Technical bid but before opening the Price bid, the Price bid of the agency shall not be opened and EMD submitted by the agency shall be returned to the agency.
- 5.4.3.2.3 after opening of price, the offer of the agency shall be ignored & will not be further evaluated.
  If the agency emerges as the lowest (L1), then such tender shall also be cancelled and re- invited. EMD submitted by such agency shall be returned.
- 5.4.3.3 The existing contract (s)/ order (s) under execution shall continue.
- 5.4.3.4 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 Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. or the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas and (ii) bidder is not banned by any Government department/ Public Sector
- **6.0** 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.

7.0 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 Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. 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.

#### 8.0 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 of receipt of Holiday order.
- (b) Appellate Authority would consider the appeal and pass appropriate order which shall be communicated to the party as well as the Competent Authority.
- (c) Appeal process may be completed within 45 days of filing of appeal with the Appellate Authority.
- (d) "Appellate Authority" shall mean Committee of Directors.

#### 9.0 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, Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. shall forfeit EMD paid by the bidder and such bidders shall be debarred from participation in re-tendering of the same job(s)/item(s).

Further, such bidder will be put on holiday for a period of six months after following the due procedure.

10.0 In case CBEC (Central Board of Excise and Customs)/ any equivalent Central Government agency/ State Government agency brings to the notice of Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. that the Supplier of Goods / Services (Service Provider) has not remitted the amount towards GST (CGST & SGST/UTGST or IGST) collected from Goa Natural Gas Pvt. Ltd. to the government exchequer, , then party will be put on holiday for a period of six months after following the due procedure.

#### **ANNEXURE-A**

# PERFORMANCE RATING DATA SHEET (FOR PROJECTS/ CONSULTANCY JOBS)

i) Project/Work Centre :

ii) Order/ Contract No. & date :

iii) Brief description of Items

Works/Assignment

iv) Order/Contract value (Rs.) :

v) Name of Vendor/Supplier/

Contractor/ Consultant

vi) Contracted delivery/

Completion Schedule

vii) Actual delivery/ : Completion date

Performance	Delivery/	Quality	Reliability	Total
Parameter	Completio	Performance	Performance#	
	n			
	Performanc			
	е			
Maximu	40	40	20	100
m				
Marks				
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:

SI. No.	Range (Marks)	Rating
1	60 & below	POOR
2	61-75	FAIR
3	76-90	GOOD
4	More than 90	VERY GOOD

### **Instructions for allocation of marks**

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# 1.1 DELIVERY/ COMPLETION PERFORMANCE 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 - Moderate nature	0 Marks 5 Marks
	- low severe nature	10-20 Marks
iii) Number of deviations	1. No deviation	5 Marks

2. No. of deviations ≤ 2	2 Marks
3. No. of deviations > 2	0 Marks

#### 1.3 RELIABILITYPERFORMANCE

#### 20 Marks

A.	FOR WORKS/CONTRACTS	
i)	Submission of order acceptance, agreement, PBG, Drawings and other documents within time	4 marks
ii)	Mobilization of resources as per Contract and in time	4 marks
iii)	Liquidation of Check-list points	4 marks
iv)	Compliance to statutory and HS&E requirements or	4 marks
	Reliability of Estimates/Design/Drawing etc. in case of Consultancy jobs	
v)	Timely submission of estimates and other documents for Extra, Substituted & AHR items	4 marks
B.	FOR SUPPLIES	
i)	Submission of order acceptance, PBG, Drawings and other documents within time	5 marks
ii)	Attending complaints and requests for after sales service/ warranty repairs and/ or query/ advice (upto the evaluation period).	5 marks
iii)	Response to various correspondence and conformance to standards like ISO	5 marks
iv)	Submission of all required documents including Test Certificates at the time of supply	5 marks

#### **ANNEXURE-B**

#### **GNGPL PERFORMANCE RATING DATA SHEET**

(FOR O&M)

i) Location :

ii) Order/ Contract No. & date :

iii) Brief description of Items :

Works/Assignment

iv) Order/Contract value (Rs.) :

v) Name of Vendor/Supplier/ :

Contractor/ Consultant

vi) Contracted delivery/

Completion Schedule

vii) Actual delivery/ : Completion date

Performanc	Delivery	Quality	Reliability	Total
е	Performanc	Performanc	Performance	
Parameter	е	е	#	
Maximum Marks	40	40	20	100
Marks Allocated (*)				

Remarks (if any)

PERFORMANCE RATING (\*\*)

#### Note:

- (#) Vendor/Supplier/Contractor/Consultant who seek repeated financial assistance or deviation beyond contract payment term or seeking direct payment to the subvendor/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:

SI. 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:

### **Instructions for allocation of marks (For O&M)**

# 1.1 DELIVERY/ COMPLETION PERFORMANCE Marks

40

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	-Failure of severe nature	0 Marks
the system	- Moderate nature	5 Marks
	- low severe nature	10-20 Marks
iii) Number of deviations	1. No deviation	5 Marks
	2. No. of deviations < 2	2 Marks
	3. No. of deviations > 2	0 Marks

A.	FOR WORKS/CONTRACTS	
i)	Submission of order acceptance, agreement, PBG, Drawings and other documents within time	4 marks
ii)	Mobilization of resources as per Contract and in time	4 marks
iii)	Liquidation of Check-list points	4 marks
iv)	Compliance to statutory and HS&E requirements or Reliability of Estimates/Design/Drawing etc. in case of Consultancy jobs	4 marks
v)	Timely submission of estimates and other documents for Extra, Substituted & AHR items	4 marks
B.	FOR SUPPLIES	
i)	Submission of order acceptance, PBG, Drawings and other documents within time	5 marks
ii)	Attending complaints and requests for after sales service/ warranty repairs and/ or query/ advice (upto the evaluation period).	5 marks
iii)	Response to various correspondence and conformance to standards like ISO	5 marks
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### **SCHEDULE OF RATE**

**Annexure-V** 

**SUBJECT:** Hiring agency for providing Technical and Non-Technical Manpower for City Gas Distribution Project of GNGPL

Item No.	Work Description	Unit	Total Estimated man months for 2 years contract period	Unit Rate inclusive of all applicable taxes, duties & other levies [if any] payable by the Contractor under the Contract or any other cause except final GST (Rs)	Total Amount inclusive of all applicable taxes & duties & other levies [if any] payable by the Contractor under the Contract, or for any other cause except final GST (in Rs)
а	b	С	d	е	f= e x d
1	Management Fees for complete scope of work per man month	Man Month	417		

Note: Bidder to quote lowest firm rates in SOR.

GST will payable as extra on above quoted as per guideline of Govt.

Management fees quoted in SOR to remain fixed during complete contract period, including extension period.

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