KAMARAJAR PORT LIMITED (A MINIRATNA GOVT OF INDIA UNDERTAKING)

MARINE DEPT

ADDENDUM/ CORRIGENDUM NOTICE NO: 3

Tender No: KPL/MS/PL/2019

Date: 08.02.2020

Subject: "Tender For Chartering of two (2) Pilot Launches (En Bloc) For A Period Of Seven (7) Years" - Reg.

With reference to the queries in respect of above mentioned tender, the Clarifications of KPL are furnished below.

The other conditions of the tender document shall remain unaltered.

Last date of submission of tender 1500 hrs on 26.02.2020

Opening of techno commercial bids 1500 hrs on 27.02.2020

General Manager (Marine Services)
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CLARIFICATIONS TO THE BIDDERS

REPLIES TO PRE-BID QUERIES RAISED BY BIDDERS IN RESPECT OF TENDER FOR THE " Tender For Chartering of two (2) Pilot Launches (En Bloc) For A Period Of Seven (7) Years"

S1.	Reference	Clarifications Sought/Suggested By	Clarifications issued By KPL
No		Bidders	
1	Clarification no.3 Yes. Integrity pact shall be executed in Rs.100/- non-judicial stamp paper. Integrity pact format in Full is as per schedule XI is attached with corrigendum 2	Please note that the attachment (full integrity pact format) is missing and not available on online portal. We request you to kindly provide the same.	The integrity pact is uploaded in the company website the same will be uploaded in e- procurement portal
2	Clarification no. 5 Similar Experience	We reiterate that acceptance of dredging experience for pre-qualification is a Major Deviation from previous KPT Tenders for Pilot and mooring boat. Major Ports tenders specify similar work	ship. The basic experience requirement is navigation and maintenance of craft which is

definition which is in line with the scope of including work.

With respect to have a wider participation, crew with adequate experience KPT has already diluted similar experience is recruited and posted on board definition as compared to previous Tender for pilot and mooring boats. crew with adequate experience is recruited and posted on board the vessel as per the manning requirement of the tender. The

We reiterate that degrading experience is not relevant as

- the shape & size of Vessel, type of machinery, type of and competency of the crew required are all very different in Pilot and Mooring boat as compared to Dredgers.
- the manoeuvrability requirement in Pilot Boat & Mooring Boat operation is much higher and is vastly different as compared to Dredgers. Hence, Dredging operation experience in not relevant for Port operation for crafts like Pilot boat and Mooring Boat
- Dilution of similar experience for such a crucial and demanding Pilot boat and mooring boat is likely to put the Port operations at Risk.

In this regard, we may also draw your attention to similar tenders floated by other Major ports such as neighbouring Chennai Port which had considered the experience of

dredgers. The responsibility to contractor's ensure that proper certified crew with adequate experience the vessel as per the manning requirement of the tender. The contractor also should ensure that the crews of the crafts are adequately experienced and the recruitment process are done in such a way that competent and knowledgeable crews are posted for working in the required environment.

Also It may be noted that the skill required for maneuvering of dredgers are more critical than for the requested crafts.

Hence no change and clause remains.

		operators only in Pilot boats, tugs, Offshore vessels and do not accept criteria of dredging experience. Other Ports such as NMPT, Kolkata Port trust have also not accepted dredging experience for similar Tenders. In view of above, we request you to kindly delete the dredger experience form similar work definition.	
3	Clarification no. 54 Qualification for Joint Venture partners	We have noticed that the prequalification criteria for Joint Venture has been diluted significantly by allowing the Joint venture partner to meet the pre-qualification criteria jointly. In this regard we wish to submit that since each of the JV partners is individually and jointly liable for the performance of the contract, it is of paramount importance that each of the Partners shall have experience and financial standing as if the contract can be individually performed in the absence of the other partners. In order to allow contractors who have atleast some experience, many of the Major Ports such as Paradip, Mumbai Port has stipulated tender conditions wrt JV/consortium participation that each of the JV/consortium partner must meet 26% of the	No change and clause remains.

single Work i.e. 80% of the estimated contract value

We strongly opine the above criteria safeguards the Port's interest in case a JV uses the experience of a partner only to qualify in the bid and subsequently the experienced partner leaves the project. This would also not be fair and equitable for other honest/serious bidders those are being evaluated against such consortiums. We request KPT to include the above criteria for evaluation of minimum eligibility of the bidders/ JV/consortium.

Further, in line with Paradip and Mumbai Port Tenders, the single work / two works / three works as indicated in the eligibility criteria shall not be spilt which means in case of a single work one JV partner should have executed the single work in full on his own as specified in Tender Call Notice and in case of two works / three works, if JV partners proposed to collectively meet the experience then they should have individually done each of the works in full on their own.

Example: if requirement under two similar work is Rs 10 crore each. In that case one partner to have 10 crore similar work and other partner Rs 10 crore. If there are 2 partners and they are having Similar work of 12 crore and 8 crore. Then the same will not

		be considered. In view of above, the Tender clause may be modified suitably to avoid any ambiguity during the Tender evaluation. Attached the JV qualification clauses from Paradip and Mumbai Tenders.	
4	Clarification no. 21: Future Taxes	We wish to submit that it will take significant time for finalization of the Tender (i.e. Time period between bid submission date and signing of the agreement date). If there is any change in Tax during the above stated period, the bidder can not factor in the same in their bid as bidders are not allowed to change the bid after Bid submission date. Therefore, we had requested you to replace the sentence ""after signing of the contract" with "after bid submission date" as it is beyond the capacity of the Bidder to predict such changes. This is a standard industry practice followed by Major Ports including Chennai Port. Please amend the clause suitably.	Accepted. Refer corrigendum/Addendum No 3
5	g) The Guarantor has	Please note that Banker does not have any	Not Accepted
	power to issue this		No change and clause remains.

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	undersigned is duly	be deleted.	
	authorised to execute		
	this Guarantee		
	pursuant to the		
	power granted under		
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6	Clarification no. 35	Please note that no Bank will extend the BG	Accepted.
		validity at the request of Port. Port will	-
	SCHEDULE - VII;	request the Contractor/bidder to extend the	Refer
	FORM OF BANK	validity of BG as may be required and then	corrigendum/Addendum No 3
	GUARANTEE FOR	bidder/contractor will send request to Bank.	8
	EMD	This is the standard industry practice	
	This Guarantee will	followed by the Banks as per RBI guidelines.	
	remain in force up to	Tonowed by the banks as per RDI galacinies.	
	and including the	In view of above, we had requested you to	
	date twenty eight (28)	kindly delete the highlighted sentence. The	
	days after the date of	3 0 0	
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	expiration of the Bid	for hiring of Tug/boats.	
	validity deadline for		
	as stated in the		
	Instructions to		
	Bidders or as it may		
	be extended by the		
	Employer, notice of		
	which extension(s) to		
	the		
	Bank is hereby		
	waived.		
7	Clarification no. 46	It is not clarified how the ROB at the time of	ROB will be determined basis on
	ROB at the time of on	on hire and off hire will be adjusted.	hire/ off hire survey at the time
	hire and off hire	, and the second se	and cost of the contractor.
			No change and clause remains.

8	Clarification no. 49 Clause 4; SCOPE OF WORK OF CHARTER; Port will endeavour support in obtaining permission and with no additional cost.	As you are aware that for going into other port may require various permission from authority and may also incur additional cost. At the time of bid we do not know the frequency of such events and thereby it is beyond the capacity of the Bidder to predict such cost.	No change and clause remains.
		In view of above, the clarification is not acceptable, and we cannot take the cost of such operation on our account. The port will have to reimburse such cost on actual basis.	
		actual basis.	
9	Request for extension in bid submission	Please note that post clarification only the specifications have been finalized and we will start looking for vessel meeting the requirement. This is a time-consuming process and we request you to kindly extend the bid submission date atleast by 12 days from current submission date.	Last date of Bid submission is extended upto 26.02.2020 and opening of the bid on 27.02.2020 Refer corrigendum/Addendum No 3
10	Pg 8 Clause 2.11.1 below para 2 under the title of 1)Note: Date 31.07.2018 to be amended to 31.12.2019. 2)Note:	Date to be as 31.12.2019 in place of 31.07.2018	Typo error of date is corrected to 31.12.2019 Refer corrigendum/Addendum No 3

Similar works means chartering/sup plying on hire on wet lease of self propelled crafts/offshore vessels/ships/ dredgers/Pilot launch's/moori ng boats including its manning, technical operation and maintenance of vessels or manning and operation of crafts/offshore vessels/ships/ dredgers/pilot launch's/moori boats ng registered under Merchant Shipping Act,

Our understanding is that the bidder should be in the same line of business for atleast three years during the last seven years

It is clarified that the bidder should have combined similar work experience of atleast three years during the last seven years ending 31.12.2019

No change and clause remains..

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In addition to the Addendum /Corrigendum notice No 2 issued, further based on the queries from prospective bidders. Following Addendum /Corrigendum No.3 is issued.

- 1. Pg 8 Clause 2.11.1 below para 2 under the title of NOTE: First bullet point is replaced as
- If any firm is having running contract but partial completed period is meeting the above amount of eligibility criteria as on **31.12.2019**, then the firm can also participate in the tender.
- 2. Pg 36 Clause 3.14.1 Goods and Service Tax (GST) is replaced as

3.14.1 GOODS AND SERVICE TAX (GST)

The GST shall be quoted separately in Price bid. The GST will be reimbursed by KPL on reflection of the ITC credit in the GST portal. Further the contractor has to strictly comply the provisions of GST act such as timely remittance & filing with GST authorities not withstanding whether Employer has released the payment or not. The Employer will perform such duties in regard to the deduction of such taxes at source as per applicable law. Any new taxes, levies, duties imposed **after bid submission date** shall be reimbursed by the employer on production of documentary evidence.

3. Pg 83/84 Schedule VII Form of Bank Guarantee for EMD In page 84 para 2 is replaced as

This Guarantee will remain in force up to and including the date twenty eight (28) days after the date of expiration of the Bid validity deadline for as stated in the Instructions to Bidders.

4. Date extension

Last date of submission of tender 1500 hrs on 26.02.2020

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NOTE: Please be informed that no more seeking of clarifications further is permitted.

General Manager (Marine Services)
For Kamarajar Port Limited