

TRACTEBEL Engineering GDF SUEZ		REPLY TO PRE BID QUERIES #1 SUPPLY OF ISOLATION AND APPLIANCE VALVES FOR CNG & CITY GAS DISTRIBUTION PROJECT IN VIJAYAWADA PHASE 1B			Tender doc. No.: P.001385 G09 0009
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Sl. No.	Vol. No./Section	Tender Page No.	Clause No /Description	Bidder's Query	Clarification by TE-IN /BGL
COMMERCIAL (BIDDER 1)					
1	Volume I of II Special Conditions of Contract	100046	Clause No 19.0 - PRICE REDUCTION SCHEDULE(PRS)	Price Reduction Schedule(PRS)- If in case after submitting Inspection Release Note, we receive Dispatch Clearance beyond reasonable deliverable time from our warehouse to stores of customer, will we get extension of delivery without any reason of delay from our side.	Tender condition prevails. However bidder to note that Dispatch Clearance will be issued within 3 working days from the date of receipt of Inspection Release Note along with all relevant documents.
2	Volume I of II Payment Terms and Mode of Payment	100049	Clause No 1.2.1- Payment Terms & Terms of Payment(90% payment for Indian Bidders)	Is it so, once goods are delivered at designated stores and physical quantity & items are checked by stores in charge, we will receive payment of 90%	Clause No 1.2.1 of Payment Terms is explicitly clear regarding the same. Also refer Clause No 3.3 For Indian Bidders of Page No 100050. ie. "The Purchaser/Consultant will verify the invoices, relevant documents, and undisputed payment will be release directly to the contractor through cheque within 30 days of receipt of invoice alongwith all relevant documents"
3	Volume I of II Payment Terms and Mode of Payment	100049	Clause No 1.2.2- Payment Terms & Terms of Payment(10% payment for Indian Bidders)	Within what period we will receive this balance 10% payment after submission of all required documents after delivery. Is it within 30 days?	Please refer Clause No 1.2.2 of Payment Terms & Mode of Payment which is explicitly clear. Also refer Clause No 3.3 For Indian Bidders of Page No 100050. ie. "The Purchaser/Consultant will verify the invoices, relevant documents, and undisputed payment will be release directly to the contractor through cheque within 30 days of receipt of invoice alongwith all relevant documents"
4	Volume I of II Schedule of Rates(Indian Bidder)	100078	Column No (5)- " Unit freight extra upto Purchaser's store i.e. Vijayawada including Octroi/Entry tax, transit insurance & unloading etc at site."	Kindly inform us what percentage is Octroi/Entry Tax to be calculated in this column. Also reply, is there any Wall Bill required for shipment of order & will be arranged in advance by purchaser to smooth movement of consignment till purchaser's stores at Vijayawada	Tender condition prevails. Bidder to obtain this information from Municipal Corporation of Vijayawada/ Concerned Authority. Way Bill(Road Permit) if required will be issued by BGL. Bidder has to intimate BGL number of Way Bills required for inland transportation ,at least 20 days in advance of of dispatch of material .
TECHNICAL (BIDDER 1)					
1	Volume II of II Material Requisition	200006	Clause No 4.0 : INSPECTION : " Vendor shall appoint anyone of the following TPIA for inspection propose. Vendor has to propose minimum 4 Nos of below listed Apart for inspection by TPIA, inspection shall also be performed by Bhagyanagar Gas Ltd. (BGL) and or its authorized representative/ Tratebel Engineering pvt. Ltd..... documents forming this MR".	Who will bear the Third Party Inspection Cost ? & our place of inspection will be at our manufacturer's factory in China. Also clarify, Inspection will be done by Third Party agency on every lots or for particular lots or for entire lot at one time & finished stock for entire lot will be kept ready & delivered as per schedule.	Third Party inspection cost is to be borne by the bidder. Inspection of different lots can be done one time provided quantum and scope of inspection has to comply Tender QAP without effecting delivery schedule.
2	Volume II of II PTS-Isolation Ball Valve	200013	Clause No 4.0: REFERENCE STANDARDS & SPECIFICATION	All standards mentioned in this poing is not relevant to Isolation & Appliance Valves , it seems it is in reference to Polyethylene Valves & Fittings. Kindly correct this point	Bidder's understanding is correct. Please refer to Corrigendum #1.
3	Volume II of II PTS- Isolation Ball Valve	200015	Clause No 6.0 : DATA SHEET Point No 4.13: Operator Leaver arrangement	Whether Butterfly/T type Handle with locking arrangement is suitable or Lever type handle only is required	Tender condition prevails.
4	Volume II of II PTS- Appliance Ball Valve	200019	Clause No 4.0 : REFERENCE STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS	All standards mentioned in this poing is not relevant to Isolation & Appliance Valves , it seems it is in reference to Polyethylene Valves & Fittings. Kindly correct this point	Bidder's understanding is correct. Please refer to Corrigendum #1.

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26/8/2011