



Circular No. (2)

Reference: SEZAD Tender No. 11/2015 – Operation and Maintenance of a 2,000m³/d Sewage Treatment Plant in Duqm

Tender Documents collection: 20th Apr 2015

Submission (Closing) Date: 12/05/2015

Subject: Reply to Queries

S/N	Queries	Reply
1	As per the site visit confirmation, we assume that treated water from the STP will be disposed in the nearby Wadi area. The provision of disposal of the same by tankers will not be covered under present scope of work.	See reply to Query item 3 of Circular 1 and including similar/related situations.
2	Please confirm us the disposal area for the disposal of dry sludge cakes, what is the maximum distance from STP to the designated disposal area.	The main dumpsite for disposal of dry sludge cakes from domestic wastewater treatments is located next to the STP. Do also refer to items 5 & 6 of Circular 1.
3	As per the tender the Schedule J, Page No. 49, clause No. 5, please confirm us the space required for the setting up of camp will be provided by SEZAD. The Power for the camp will be provided by client or the same needs to be arranged by contractors. Please confirm.	Contractor can base on their operational/manpower requirements, propose the space requirement for SEZAD to consider and approve. All electrical/power bill shall be paid by the Client.

Amendment to Addendum 1 – Penalty Levy:

In ensuring the due performance by Contractor, kindly replace Addendum 1 (4th May 2015)'s "clause" with the following:

"A penalty of 2 percent (2.0%) of the Monthly Billing Value per day subject to a maximum of ten (10%) of the Contract Value shall be imposed on the Contractor, if the Contractor fails in any of the followings:

- (a): Fails to maintain the STP as per the guidelines specified in this Contract;
- (b): Fails to meet the quality of the effluent;
- (c): Fails to comply with any clause of the Contract; or
- (d): Found using unsafe practices.

Should the Contractor despite the imposition of the above penalties and also (if) after receipt of Notice(s) of Non-Performance, fails to improve and/or perform and diligently, SEZAD shall exercise its right of termination. All consequential losses and damages including additional costs to engage another Contractor, **shall be fully borne** by the Contractor. (The STP at Duqm must operationally be continued with its performance & function)".

NOTES:

- 1- All Bidders are to endorse this circular and attach it as part of their tender submission.
- 2- Bidders are advised that all queries are CLOSED.
- 3- Tenders submission (closing) date is: **Tue/12 May 2015, 12.00pm** Muscat time.

Yours Sincerely,



SEZAD Tenders and Contracts Department

