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Circular No. (2)

Ref. SEZAD Tender No. 05/2014 "Consultancy Services for Design and Supervision of Road Nos. 1 & 5 and Drainage Systems at Duqm Port"

Collection date: 21/09/2014

Original Submission date: 21/10/2014

extended submission date: 11/11/2014

Subject: Response to Bidders Queries:

S. No.	Queries	Replies
1.	Is there an existing traffic model for the project? If yes, please specify the model software	The Consulting Engineer is required to perform traffic study & modelling necessary for design purposes.
2.	Will the model run be our responsibility or SEZAD's?	The Consulting Engineer shall undertake the running of any model, as part of his study.
3.	On page 38 of the TOR, it is clarified that the consultant shall collect the traffic counts from SEZAD, MoTC DGR & LT, kindly confirm if additional counts will be requested.	The Consulting Engineer shall review the traffic counts data, if any, collected from SEZAD, MoTC DGR< and undertake additional traffic count, if required for his design.
4.	Noted in Addendum No.1 Schedule A-1 of Remuneration item 10: "contingency- Fifteen Percent (10%) of subtotal" – In writing it is 15%, in numbers it is 10%, which is the required percentage?	Item 10 in Schedule A-1 of Addendum No.1 shall be corrected as follows: "Contingency - Fifteen Percent (15%) of subtotal of the items from 1 to 9 above"



5.	Kindly confirm if the existing provided Geotechnical Studies are adequate for the detailed design or further studies will be needed.	As stated in Clause 3.3 of the Scope of Design Services, the Consulting Engineer shall review all the available geotechnical reports and propose further site investigations, if necessary, for the design.
6.	Kindly confirm if the existing topographic survey needs validation or a new topographic survey will be required.	As stated in Clause 4.2.2 and 4.3.1 of the Scope of Services, the Consulting Engineer shall undertake Topographical Surveys for his preliminary design and Additional Topographical Survey during Final Design stage, respectively. Items have been provided in the Schedule of Remuneration for the Consulting Engineer to price for these works.
7.	Our scope of work does not include the design of service buildings. Kindly confirm.	The Consulting Engineer shall undertake the design of any structures required to house any of the services to be installed in this project.
8.	Kindly allow two weeks extension for the submittal date in order for us to prepare an adequate proposal.	SEZAD shall consider and would advise.

NOTE:

- 1- All bidders should endorse all Addendums and circulars and attach them as a part of their tender proposal.

Yours Sincerely,


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