

Answers to Pre-Bid Clarification

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1.	<p>Representatives of all participating companies requested that the bid opening date be revised and extended by two (02) weeks from the previously scheduled date, due to the requirement to submit samples along with the bids.</p>	<p>Agreed</p>
2.	<p>The representatives of the participating bidders requested that the procurement be divided into separate lots, stating that the ammunition items are manufactured by different manufacturers and that certain bidders may not be able to supply the entire quantity and range of items under a single lot.</p> <p>The bidders further stated that introducing a lot-wise arrangement would enhance competition and enable wider participation by suppliers specializing in different categories of ammunition.</p>	<p>The Procuring Entity accepted the request and agreed to divide the procurement into four (04) separate lots as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lot A – Red Smoke Grenade (High Density) • Lot B – CS Hand Grenade (Tear Gas) • Lot C – 38 mm CS Cartridge (Long Range) • Lot D – Handheld Rocket Flare <p>Accordingly, evaluation of bids shall be carried out separately for each lot on the basis of the DDP price quoted by the bidder.</p> <p>Bidders shall submit separate Price Schedules on a DDP basis for each respective lot they intend to bid for. Further, the Price Schedule format provided under Annexure I of the bidding document shall be completed and submitted separately for each lot.</p> <p>However, in the event a bidder submits a combined/common Price Schedule covering more than one lot, the Procuring Entity reserves the right to allocate overhead and related common costs among the respective lots on an appropriate weighted price basis for the purpose of evaluation, and the bidder shall be deemed to have accepted such methodology by submission of the bid.</p> <p>Failure to comply with the above requirement or any subsequent refusal to accept the evaluation and correction methodology applied in accordance with the bidding document may result in the bid being treated as non-responsive and action being taken in accordance with the provisions relating to bid security as specified in the bidding document.</p>

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3.		<p>With the acceptance of above request it was resulted to revise the bid security requirement on a lot-wise basis. Accordingly, bidders shall submit bid securities in accordance with the format provided in the bidding document for the respective lots they intend to bid for, as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lot A – Rs. 164,000/-• Lot B – Rs. 259,000/-• Lot C – Rs. 316,000/-• Lot D – Rs. 31,000/-• Total Bid Security Value for all Lots – Rs. 770,000/- <p>In the event a bidder submits bids for more than one lot, the bidder may either submit separate bid securities for each lot or submit a single bid security for an amount equivalent to the total aggregate bid security value applicable to all lots bid for.</p> <p>All other conditions relating to bid security shall remain unchanged as specified in the bidding document.</p>

Chairman,
Ministry Procurement Committee,
Ministry of Public Security and Parliamentary Affairs,
18th Floor, Suhurupaya,
Battaramulla.

Dear Sir,

**Procurement of Ammunitions for the Special Task Force.
IFB NO. PS/03/PB/08/07/26**

We hereby certify that three (03) pages of Pre-Bid meeting minute, Pre-Bid Clarification and Amended Technical Specification and Compliance sheet have been received by us and considered for pricing and bidding as a part of the original Procurement Document in accordance to the “Instructions to the Bidders”, Clause 11 – Documents Comprising the Bid, in Procurement Document.

Yours Truly,

Signature of the Bidder: Company Seal

Date

“Bidders shall enclose this letter with the “ORIGINAL” of Tender submission as a bid validity and completeness requirement.”