

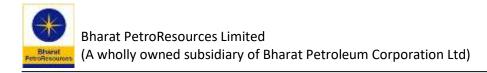
# Bharat PetroResources Limited (A wholly owned subsidiary of Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited,)

# Engaging a Third Party for End to End Online Examination Services for Recruitment in BPRL

**Tender No: 1000339489** 

e-Tender Id: 64780

**Domestic Open Tender** 



# <u>PART – 1</u> INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

Dear Sir/Madam,

Subject: Engaging a Third Party for End to End Online Examination Services for Recruitment in BPRL.

You are invited to submit your offer as E-bid in two-part (Bid Qualification cum techno-commercial and Price Bid) for the above work on the terms and conditions contained in this tender document.

- 1. This is a **Domestic Open two part bid tender** consisting of Techno-commercial bid (PART-A) and Price Bid (PART-B) as follows:
- a. Techno-commercial bid (Part A): consists of following:

i.	Instructions to Bidders	-Part 1
ii.	General Instructions for e-Tendering	-Part 2
iii.	GCC & Holiday Listing Policy	-Part 3
iv.	Bid Qualification Criteria	-Part 4
v.	Scope of Work	-Part 5
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vii.	Standard Formats/Annexures	-Part 7

- b. <u>Price bid (Part B):</u> Price bid shall have to be submitted **online** in the appropriate form provided for each Line Item. Price Bid of those bidders which qualify PART A would be opened.
- 2. The entire bid shall be online only.
- 3. Offers should strictly be in accordance with the tender terms & conditions and Scope of Work / specifications. Vendors are requested to carefully study all the documents/annexure and understand the conditions and specifications, before quoting the rates and submitting this tender. In case of doubt, written clarifications should be obtained, but this shall not be a justification for request for extension of due date for submission of bids.
- 4. Please visit the website <a href="https://bpcleproc.in">https://bpcleproc.in</a> for participating in the tender and submitting your bid online.
- 5. Bids submitted after the due date and time of closing of tender or not in the prescribed format is liable to be rejected. BPRL does not take any responsibility for any delay in submission of online bid due to connectivity problem or non-availability of site. No claims on this account shall be entertained.

- 6. It shall be understood that every endeavour has been made to avoid errors which can materially affect the basis of the tender and the successful vendor shall take upon himself and provide for risk of any error which may subsequently be discovered and shall make no subsequent claim on account thereof.
- 7. Price bid of only those vendors shall be opened whose techno-commercial terms are found to be acceptable to us. Price bid shall have to be submitted online in the appropriate form provided as per line Items.
- 8. It is advisable that bidders should review Part-6 (Special Conditions of Contract) before reviewing Part-3 (General Conditions of Contract).
- EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT: Vendors must submit an interest free EMD for participating in this tender as mentioned in the Special Conditions of Contract (Part-6) of the tender document.
- 10. Pre-bid meeting will be held on 09.10.2019 @ 1100 Hrs (IST) at below mentioned address:

Bharat Petro Resources Ltd.,

12th Floor, Maker Towers-F Wing,

Cuffe Parade, Mumbai- 400005.

- 11. You may please send your pre-bid queries, if any, on or before **07.10.2019 @ 1500 Hrs** (IST) through e-mail to <a href="mailto:rakesh.ujjawal@bharatpetroresources.in">rakesh.ujjawal@bharatpetroresources.in</a> and <a href="mailto:ravikumar.b@bharatpetroresources.in">ravikumar.b@bharatpetroresources.in</a>, K/A: Mr. Rakesh Ujjawal / Mr. Ravi Kumar Bura.
- 12. Your pre-bid queries should be in **MS-Word** format as per the format given below with the email Subject "**Pre bid queries Tender Title & Tender Ref No**":

S. No.	BPRL Tender Clause No.	BPRL Tender Clause Description	Query (if any)	Justification

- 13. Interested bidders, who are participating in the tender, are welcome to witness the techno-commercial opening of the bids at our office on bid opening date/time.
- 14. BPRL reserves the right to seek clarification / ask for additional documents from vendors, verify the originals and verify the credentials of the vendors with clients, if required.
- 15. For any clarification on e-tendering / training / uploading of document on e-procurement site, please contact our service provider M/s ETL on below numbers.

Contact Details: Tel Phone: +91-22-24176419, +91-79-68136861, +91-79-68136871, +91-120-2474951, +91-33-24293447, +91-44-26142669.

E-mail: satyanarayan@abcprocure.com; <a href="mailto:support@bpcleproc.in">support@bpcleproc.in</a>.

16. FOR ANY QUERIES / CLARIFICATIONS ON TENDER TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS / COMMERCIAL POINTS AND OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE TENDER PLEASE CONTACT AS UNDER:

Name	RAKESH UJJAWAL	RAVI KUMAR BURA	
Contact No	+91-22-22175665, +919929095701	+91-22-22175672,	
		+919892269446	
Email Id	rakesh.ujjawal@bharatpetroresour	ravikumar.b@bharatpetroresou	
	ces.in	rces.in	
Office	12 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Maker Tower-F wing, Cuffe Parade,		
Address	Mumbai-400 005		
	Board No : 022 -22175600		
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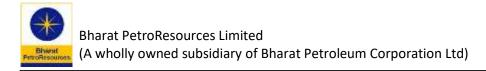
Thanking you, Yours faithfully,

For Bharat PetroResources Ltd.

Ravi Kumar Bura
Asst. Vice President (P&C)

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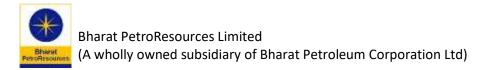


# Part -2

# General Instructions to vendors for e-tendering

- 1. Interested parties may download the tender from BPCL website (<a href="http://www.bharatpetroleum.in">http://www.bharatpetroleum.in</a>) or the CPP portal (<a href="http://eprocure.gov.in">http://eprocure.gov.in</a>) or from the e-tendering website (<a href="https://bpcleproc.in">https://bpcleproc.in</a>) and participate in the tender as per the instructions given therein, on or before the due date of the tender. The tender available on the BPCL website and the CPP portal can be downloaded for reading purpose only. For participation in the tender, please fill up the tender online on the e-tender system available on <a href="https://bpcleproc.in">https://bpcleproc.in</a>.
- 2. For registration on the e-tender site <a href="https://bpcleproc.in">https://bpcleproc.in</a>, one can be guided by the "Instructions to Vendors" available under the download section of the homepage of the website. As the first step, bidder shall have to click the "Register" link and fill in the requisite information in the "Bidder Registration Form". Kindly remember your e-mail id (which will also act as the login ID) and the password entered therein. Once you complete this process correctly, you shall get a system generated mail. Thereafter, login in to the portal using your credentials. When you log in for the first time, system will ask you to add your Digital Signature. Once you have added the Digital Signature, please inform <a href="makesh.ujjawal@bharatpetroresources.in">rakesh.ujjawal@bharatpetroresources.in</a> for approval. Once approved, bidders can login in to the system as and when required.
- 3. As a pre-requisite for participation in the tender, vendors are required to obtain a valid Digital Certificate of Class IIB and above (having both signing and encryption certificates) as per Indian IT Act from the licensed Certifying Authorities operating under the Root Certifying Authority of India (RCIA), Controller of Certifying Authorities (CCA). The cost of obtaining the digital certificate shall be borne by the vendor.
  - In case any vendor so desires, he may contact our e-procurement service provider M/s. E-Procurement Technologies Ltd., Ahmedabad (Contact no. Tel: +91 79 40270573) for obtaining the digital signature certificate.
- 4. Corrigendum/amendment, if any, shall be notified on the site <a href="https://bpcleproc.in">https://bpcleproc.in</a>. In case any corrigendum/amendment is issued after the submission of the bid, then such vendors who have submitted their bids, shall be intimated about the corrigendum/amendment by a system-generated email. It shall be assumed that the information contained therein has been taken into account by the vendor. They have the choice of making changes in their bid before the due date and time.
- 5. Vendors are required to complete the entire process online on or before the due date/time of closing of the tender.
- 6. Directions for submitting online offers, electronically, against e-procurement tenders directly through internet:

- I. Vendors are advised to log on to the website (https://bpcleproc.in) and arrange to register themselves at the earliest.
- II. The system time (IST) that will be displayed on e-Procurement web page shall be the time considered for determining the expiry of due date and time of the tender and no other time shall be taken into cognizance.
- III. Vendors are advised in their own interest to ensure that their bids are submitted in e-Procurement system well before the closing date and time of bid.
- IV. If the vendor intends to change/revise the bid already submitted, they shall have to withdraw their bid already submitted, change / revise the bid and submit once again. However, if the vendor is not able to complete the submission of the changed/revised bid within due date & time, the system would consider it as no bid has been received from the vendor against the tender and consequently the vendor will be out of contention. The process of change / revise may do so any number of times till the due date and time of submission deadline. However, no bid can be modified after the deadline for submission of bids.
- V. Once the entire process of submission of online bid is complete, they will get an auto mail from the system stating you have successfully submitted your bid in the following tender with tender details.
- VI. Bids / Offers shall not be permitted in e-procurement system after the due date / time of tender. Hence, no bid can be submitted after the due date and time of submission has elapsed.
- VII. No manual bids/offers along with electronic bids/offers shall be permitted.
- 7. For tenders whose estimated procurement value is more than Rs. 10 lakhs, vendors can see the rates quoted by all the participating bidders once the price bids are opened. For this purpose, vendors shall have to log in to the portal under their user ID and password, click on the "dash board" link against that tender and choose the "Results" tab.
- 8. No responsibility will be taken by BPRL and/or the e-procurement service provider for any delay due to connectivity and availability of website. They shall not have any liability to vendors for any interruption or delay in access to the site irrespective of the cause. It is advisable that vendors who are not well conversant with e-tendering procedures, start filling up the tenders much before the due date /time so that there is sufficient time available with him/her to acquaint with all the steps and seek help if they so require. Even for those who are conversant with this type of e-tendering, it is suggested to complete all the activities ahead of time. It should be noted that the individual bid becomes viewable only after the opening of the bid on/after the due date and time. Please be reassured that your bid will be viewable only to you and nobody else till the due date/ time of the tender opening. The non availability of viewing before due date and time is true for e-tendering service provider as well as BPRL officials.
- 9. BPRL and/or the e-procurement service provider shall not be responsible for any direct



or indirect loss or damages and or consequential damages, arising out of the bidding process including but not limited to systems problems, inability to use the system, loss of electronic information etc.

In case of any clarification pertaining to e-procurement process, the vendor may contact the following agencies / personnel:

For system related issues:

Contact Details: Tel Phone: +91-22-24176419, +91-44-26142669, +91-33-24293447, +91-79-40270573 E-mail: satyanarayan@abcprocure.com; support@bpcleproc.in

# End of Part -2

# Part-4

# **BID QUALIFICATION CRITERIA**

### A) Technical Criteria

1. The bidder must have experience of successfully completed providing similar works of value (including taxes) as noted below in the last seven years as on bid closing date and should meet either of the following:

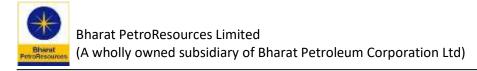
Α	ONE similar completed work, costing	Rs. 41 Lakh	
	not less than the amount		
В	TWO similar completed work each Rs. 26 Lakh		
	costing not less than the amount		
С	THREE similar completed work each	Rs. 21 Lakh	
	costing not less than the amount		

Similar works means having conducted online examination in India at minimum 10 centres in different states /cities including Mumbai, Delhi, Kolkata and Chennai, with minimum 6,000 candidates in one session for at least one reputed organization.

Consortium / Group companies/MOU tie-up are not allowed to participate in this tender. However, bidder is allowed to participate in the tender by using the credentials of parent/holding/subsidiary/sister concerns. In case bidder submits the bid based on parent/holding/subsidiary/sister concerns credentials, such parent / holding/ subsidiary/sister company has to provide guarantee on their letter head stating that they will support the bidder till the successful completion the job in all respects.

#### **Documents Required with Bid for meeting Technical Criteria:**

 In compliance of Technical Criteria of BQC, Bidder has to compulsorily submit copy of Purchase Order / Contract/LOA along with scope of works and Completion certificate issued by client (clearly indicating value of executed work)/Tax invoice along with proof of its payment to prove technical criteria.



# **B) Financial Criteria**

 The bidder should have achieved a minimum average annual financial turnover as mentioned below, as per the Audited Financial Statements (including Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account), for the last three consecutive accounting years (English language only) ending Dec'18/Mar'19.

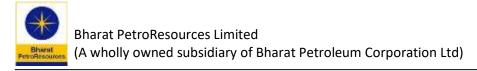
A.	Minimum average annual turnover for the last	Rs. 16 Lakh
	three consecutive accounting years.	

2. The vendor's net worth reflecting in the latest Audited Financial Statements (latest accounting financial year or latest calendar year as the case may be) should be positive. The net worth is defined as Paid up Capital plus Free Reserves.

**Note:** Any tie-up arrangement or MOU or bi-lateral agreement with third party will not be considered. Further, bidder may submit bid based on the financial credentials of Parent / holding company. In case, bidder submits the bid based on Parent / holding company financial credentials, parent / holding company has to provide guarantee on their letter head stating that they will support the bidder till the successful completion the job in all respects. Bidder has to justify the reason for not having its own financial credentials as per the tender conditions.

# **Documents Required with Bid for meeting Financial Criteria:**

- Latest available audited Balance Sheets, Profit & Loss account along with auditor's report, notes/schedules forming part of accounts of the bidder for the last three consecutive accounting years (English language only) ending Dec'18/Mar'19.
- ii. In addition to above mentioned financial documents in sl. no i, bidder to submit a Certificate from a Practicing Chartered Accountant (not being an employee or a Director or not having any interest in the bidder's company/firm) or Statutory Auditors of the bidder, certifying year wise turnover and net worth figure of above financial documents.
- iii. In case audited accounts are not mandatory as per law in Bidder's country, bidder to submit financial statements certified by a Practicing Chartered Accountant (not being an employee or a Director or not having any interest in the bidder's company/firm). Bidder is required to submit supporting documents conforming that audit not mandatory as per law in Bidder's country.



# C) Other Criteria:

- 1. The Bidder should not be barred / holiday listed by BPRL/Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, India (MoPNG) debarring them from carrying on business dealings with BPRL/MoPNG or serving a banning order by another Oil PSE.
- 2. The bidder should not be under liquidation, court receivership or similar proceedings.

At a later date, if it is found that the bidder has submitted false declaration, the offer will be liable to be rejected.

#### **Documents Required for Other Criteria:**

- i) An undertaking in support of not being barred / holiday listed by any of the mentioned Organizations on their letter head.
- ii) An undertaking in support of not under liquidation, court receivership or similar proceedings on their letter head.

### D) General Requirements:

All documents furnished by the bidder in support of meeting the Technical / Financial criteria of BQC shall be as follows:

- All the documents to be duly certified by Third Party Inspection Agencies (TPIA) accredited for verification of documents under "NABCB accredited bodies as per requirements of ISO/ IEC 17020 as Type-A" in QCI's NABCB website given here as on due date of bid submission <a href="http://nabcb.qci.org.in/accreditation/reg">http://nabcb.qci.org.in/accreditation/reg</a> bod inspection bodies.php.
   Bidder to submit the Certificate of Genuineness from TPIA as per the Annexure-F.
- 2. Bidder has to submit the undertaking documents as per the Annexure-G.
- 3. If any of documents submitted in support of meeting BQC, is not in English language, then the English translation copy of the same shall be furnished duly certified, stamped and signed by Local Chamber of Commerce of bidder's country or Indian Embassy in bidder's country or their embassy in India. Bidder shall be solely responsible for translation of documents.

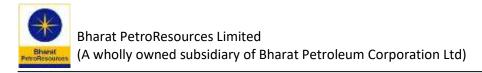


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- 4. Bidder shall furnish necessary documentary evidence as mentioned above along with the bid. In absence of such documents BPRL reserves the right to reject the bid without making any reference to the bidder or assigning any reason whatsoever.
- 5. In case of BPRL Purchase Order / Contract/LOA along with scope of works and Tax invoice /Completion certificate, certification by TPIA is not mandatory.
- 6. BPRL reserves the right of getting the document cross verified, at their discretion from the document issuing authority.
- 7. All the charges for verification/ attestation will be borne by the bidders.

End of Part -4

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# Part-5

# **SCOPE OF WORK**

Shortlisting of Candidates from the application database provided based on published job description, eligibility, work experience

Agency will shortlist the candidates from the application database provided based on published job description, eligibility, work experience. Final list of candidates as per eligibility criteria specified is to be generated and maintained by the Agency.

Agency to provide services for generation of roll nos. sending email and SMS to candidates for admit cards, online written test centers and for interviews. The format of the admit card for online written test to be designed in consultation with BPRL.

Download facility for Admit Cards (for Written Test) and Call letters (for Personal Interview/s) and any other particulars to be provided to candidates. Provision of access to eligible candidates to download the same. Corporation to have administrative powers to access and take print of admit cards, database, reports etc. at any point of time. The consolidated database to be presented to the Corporation for use.

Agency to provide Customer Service Details in the intimation to shortlisted candidates for online examination.

# **Setting up of the Question Paper**

Agency to prepare 4 sets of Multiple Choice Question (MCQ) Paper for each profile for online written test in bilingual (English & Hindi) -100 questions for a total of 100 marks with no negative marking (Break Up: Technical knowledge: 75, General Aptitude: 25) for the streams which would be confirmed post award of the job

Level of difficulty of the examination must remain consistent across tests conducted for one profile across all centers in the country. Difficulty level and depth of subject for setting question papers should be done in consultation with BPRL. The agency needs to ensure confidentiality.

#### **Arrangement of / at Test Centers**

Test Centers would be determined based on the applicants' current locations as filled by them in the application form. The agency should be in a position to provide test centers in multiple states/cities – as per Corporation's requirement – such as Mumbai, Delhi, Chennai, Kolkata, and Kochi etc. (minimum 10 centres) for Online Tests ensuring availability of required Computers and supporting Hardware and Software including power backup for conducting online tests for 6000 candidates in a single session.

The agency shall also be responsible for ensuring a Person with Disability (PWD)-friendly environment with qualified invigilating personnel who would handle queries.

The Agency shall ensure suitable drinking water and separate toilet facilities for both Boys and Girls at each examination center.

The Agency shall have a contingency plan for Candidate management/Shifting in case of any emergency.

The agency shall ensure that UPS facilities and Generator facility are available at each Exam Centre for un-interrupted power.

Maintaining sanctity/integrity and smooth proper conduct of the Examination will be the agency's responsibility. Agency has to ensure complete security management such as: Physical Security, Information Security, Server Security and Network Security.

Safe custody with proper security arrangement must be ensured. Agency should ensure biometric attendance of candidates. Identity of candidates will have be verified during the written test through any valid ID Proof. For the written test, it is the onus of the agency to ensure verification of the following:

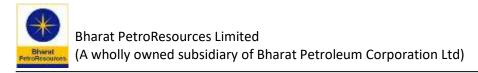
Identity verification of the candidate (through print-out of application form for BPRL and valid ID proof) and biometrics should also be done by the agency. Travel documents & Caste & Disability certificate of the candidates (through tickets and caste/Disability certificate copy) to be provided to BPRL as per travel claim form provided by BPRL. This is for travel reimbursement for candidates belonging to the SC/ST and PWD communities.

Proper verification & authentication mechanism to be put in place to ensure that there is no ambiguity regarding the identity of any given candidate, i.e. the candidate giving the examination is same and not different from the applicant.

All documents may be properly labeled and handed over to the nodal officer from BPRL, whose contact details will be provided later.

Within the venue for written examinations, agency must ensure that the candidates are properly seated in a room with adequate distance and proper invigilation throughout the period of test. The examination rooms should be properly ventilated with basic amenities viz, Fans, drinking water and wash rooms etc.

Agency will be responsible for deployment of invigilators / Center Superintendent and other staff related to examination, delivery of materials at all venues on the date of the examination and collection of all test materials from the centers after completion of examination.



The agency needs to ensure that all the Question Papers are loaded onto systems at the exact time, as notified by BPRL, with timing and confidentiality maintained.

In case of any issue of question paper leak, re-examination is the responsibility and sole expense of the agency. It would be the sole responsibility of the agency to maintain the integrity and in case of any eventuality leading to legal disputes, the onus shall lie on the agency. BPRL would not be held liable for the same.

The agency should also prepare and provide Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for all processes for safe and secure conduct of examination along with rules for contingency and exception handling/emergency procedures.

All processes shall be carried out by the agency in consultation with BPRL representatives.

#### **Post Examination Activities**

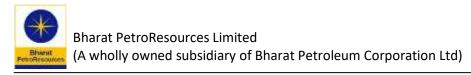
The agency has to ensure that candidate's responses (of the online test), audit trails should be uploaded automatically in a secured manner. There should not be any traces of any data pertaining to candidate whatsoever post uploads left on the exam server. The agency should also be able to demonstrate a 'click-by-click' audit trail for any type of enquiry.

Agency has to check and pre-validate answers and will compile results across all centers. Generating Merit Lists on different criteria based on requirements of the Corporation and to be handed over to BPRL along with other relevant reports/MIS. Declaring Result and communicating the same to candidates with the approval of BPRL.

The agency has to generate call letters for interview in the appropriate format post-generation of merit list and shortlisted candidates. The same may be available to be downloaded from the corporate Website by the candidates. Agency to send email and SMS to shortlisted candidates for interview/s.

#### **RTI and Queries**

The agency should also assist in replying to any RTI application/queries in connection with the shortlisting of candidates for online examination / registration for online examination / issuance of admit cards/ online written examination. All documents, including Question paper/s and Answer records of every candidate who attended the online examination, to be retained safely for a period of 18 months from the date of award of contract. The same also has to be handed over to BPRL. The Agency has to assist and co-ordinate with BPRL for providing replies to queries made under RTI Act. In case of any RTI, or any other related issues, the party should assist actively in providing documents for the interests of the Corporation.



# **Timelines and deliverables**

Complete sanctity and secrecy of the selection process will be the responsibility of the party. The entire process has to be completed as per the schedule appended below:

SI. No.	Activity	Timeline
1	Shortlisting of candidates for online examination and	Within 10 days after award
	provide BPRL with the shortlisted list, Report MIS etc.	of job
2	Online Written examination date	As advised by BPRL
3	Intimation to shortlisted candidates for online	Within 05 days of
	examination , venue allocation, Admit Card issuance,	completion of Sl. No. 2
	etc.	activity
4	Conducting online written examination	As advised by BPRL
5	Result compiling, Interview call letters issuance etc.	Within 6 days after
		completion of examination
6	Personal Interview/s	As advised by BPRL
7	Devising the final select list & communication	As advised by BPRL

# **Payment Schedule**

For the purpose of tender evaluation, the estimated no. of candidates is kept as 15,000. However, Payment will be made based on actual no. of applicants appearing for the online written examination in the following manner:

- 50% payment after conducting of online written examination
- Remaining 50% payment post final interview and handing over of all database related to the exercise to BPRL

#### **Tender Evaluation criteria**

Tender will be evaluated and awarded based on overall lowest quote basis.

#### **Price Compensation against Delay**

On any instance of deviation from the time schedule given above or in case Agency fails to complete the work, price adjustment for delay in completion shall be made, as per "Scope of Work" and "General Conditions of Contract", by way of deduction at 0.5% of contract value for the delay per week or part thereof, subject to a maximum of 10% of contract value. The same shall be recovered from the bills for the delays.

# Note:

- 1. All payments will be made after submission of service invoice against each completed job/activity.
- 2. Completion of activity above will be intimated by the Agency to BPRL for processing the releasing the payment.
- 3. For payments the invoice/bills must be supported by appropriate documents.



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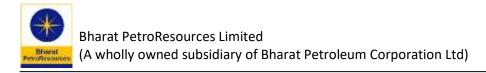
- 4. GST or any other taxes as applicable shall be payable to the service provider based on the document/proof submitted.
- 5. All payments will be made by NEFT

Agency shall be coordinating for all processes with the following Officer/or any others designated by BPRL throughout engagement process:

Mr. Jai Rattan Ekka, Senior Manager (HR) Contact no: 022-22175625, +919892962862

Email id: jairattan.ekka@bharatpetroresources.in

End of Part -5



# PART-6

# **Special Conditions of Contract**

#### 1. GENERAL

- 1.1. Contractor shall be responsible to carry out the Work / perform Services as per details contained in 'Part 5 Scope of Work' of this Tender Document.
- 1.2. Contractor will perform the Services with reasonable skill and care as can be expected from an experienced contractor carrying out such services.
- 1.3. Contractor shall be responsible for timely provision of all required personnel, materials and equipment necessary for the Work / Services.
- 1.4. Wherever, it is mentioned in the Tender Document that Contractor shall perform certain work or provide certain services / facilities, it is understood that the Contractor shall do so at its own cost and the value of Contract shall be deemed to have included the cost of such performance and provisions so mentioned.

#### 2. **DEFINITIONS**

Following terms and expressions shall have the meaning hereby assigned to them unless the context requires otherwise:

- 2.1. "Affiliate" shall mean any company which is a subsidiary or parent or holding company (at any tier) of a company or is the subsidiary (at any tier) of a company which is the parent or holding company (at any tier) of a company.
- 2.2. "Applicable Laws" shall include all Laws (National, State, Municipal, Local Government or others) and any requirement, bylaw, ordinance, rule, regulation, enactment, order or decree of any Governmental authority or agency (National, State, Municipal, Local or other) having jurisdiction over the Work/Services or Worksite or other locations where the Work/Services will be performed including, but not limited to, those laws related to Health, Safety and the Environment. "Applicable Laws" shall include all of the former laws which exist at the Effective Date as well as any new ones which may be enacted during the term of this Contract.
- 2.3. "Company" means Bharat PetroResources Limited (BPRL), a company incorporated under the laws of India.
- 2.4. "Contract" means the formal contract executed between the Company and the Contractor as a result of this tender. The instructions issued from time to time by Engineer in Charge or by his authorized representative and all documents taken together shall be deemed to form the Contract and shall be complementary to one another.

- 2.5. "Contractor" means the legal entity to whom Contract is awarded by Company for provision of various services being sought by the Company under this tender.
- 2.6. "Contractor's Items" / "Contractor's Equipment" means the equipment, vehicles and materials which are to be provided by Contractor at the expense of Contractor in order to render the Services which are listed in the Section under 'Scope of Work'.
- 2.7. "Contractor Personnel" means the operators, drivers, helpers, office staff and other personnel who are deployed by the Contractor for providing the Services.
- 2.8. "Contractor's Representative(s)" means such person(s) who has been duly appointed by Contractor to act on Contractor's behalf at site and whose appointment has been duly notified in writing to Company.
- 2.9. "Facility" means and includes all property of Company, owned or hired, to be made available for Services under the Contract and as is described herein, which is or will be a part of Company property.
- 2.10. "Government" means Government of India or the government of the state where Services are being provided by Contractor, inclusive of any ministry, agency, authority or other entity controlled by them.
- 2.11. "Gross Negligence" shall mean such wanton and reckless conduct, carelessness or omission as constitutes in effect an utter disregard for harmful, avoidable and reasonably foreseeable consequences of an act involving an extremely high degree of risk by which act harm is intended or harm is the inevitable result of conscious disregard of the safety of others.
- 2.12. "LOA" means the Letter of Award of Contact issued by Company to the successful bidder against this tender.
- 2.13. "Month" means a complete calendar month of the Year.
- 2.14. "Schedule of Rates" / "SOR" means the 'Schedule of Rates' or 'Price Schedule' annexed to the 'Letter of Award of Contract' ("LOA") specifying the agreed prices payable to Contractor for its various Services.
- 2.15. "Services / Work" mean the services to be provided / work to be performed by the Contractor under the Contract as are more particularly described in the 'Scope of Work' of the Tender Document and shall include such other services as may from time to time be agreed to in writing between the Contractor and the Company.
- 2.16. "Third Party" means any party or entity other than Company and Contractor.
- 2.17. "Wilful Misconduct" shall mean an intentional, knowing-conscious or reckless act or omission, the pernicious results of which are detrimental to the interest of the

other party and shall also mean to include a conscious wilful act or conscious wilful failure to act which is deliberately committed with the intent to cause harm or injury to persons or property.

#### 3. SCOPE OF WORK

Contractor shall perform the Services as described herein and specified in the 'Scope of Work' (Part 5 of the Tender Document).

#### 4. EFFECTIVE DATE AND CONTRACT DURATION

- 4.1. The date of issue of Letter of Award ("LOA") by Company shall be the 'Effective Date' of the Contract and as such all terms and conditions of the Contract shall come into effect from the date of issue of the LOA by Company.
- 4.2. The Contract shall be valid for a period up to 12 months from the date of LOA. However the bidder has to complete the work/ service as per the timelines mentioned in the Scope of Work (Part-5 of the Tender Document).
- 4.3. BPRL shall have the option / right to terminate the Contract, at any time before the expiry date of the Contract in accordance with various provisions contained in the Contract.

#### 5. FORCE MAJEURE

- 5.1. Upon occurrence of Force Majeure as mentioned in the GCC and upon its termination, the party alleging that it has been rendered unable as aforesaid thereby, shall notify the other party in writing within twenty-four (24) hours of the alleged beginning and ending thereof, giving full particulars and satisfactory evidence in support of its claim.
- 5.2. Should 'force majeure' conditions as stated above occur and should the same be notified within twenty-four (24) hours after its occurrence either party will have the right to terminate the Contract if such 'force majeure' condition continue beyond fifteen (15) days with prior written notice.

#### 5.3. Rate Conflict

In any case where two or more rates could apply to a given situation, the Contractor accepts that Contractor shall be paid at the lowest applicable rate.

# 6. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

6.1. In the event Contractor fails complete the job in accordance with tender terms and conditions, then Liquidated Damages @ 0.5 % of Contract Value (basic value i.e. excluding GST) for every week of delay or part thereof up to a maximum of 10% of Contract Value (basic value i.e. excluding GST) will be deducted from the Invoice(s) value.

- 6.2. The Parties agree that the figures of Liquidated Damages indicated herein above are genuine pre-estimate of the loss/damage which Company would have suffered on account of delay/ breach on the part of the Contractor and the said amount would be payable without any requirement of proof of the actual loss or damage caused by such delay/breach.
- 6.3. All sums payable by way of liquidated damages shall be considered as reasonable compensation without reference to the actual loss or damages, which shall have been sustained. In the event of any difference(s) between the Parties, the decision of Company shall be final and binding.
- 6.4. Provisional Liquidated Damages (based on contract value excluding GST) would be deducted at the time of delay in delivery/mobilization. However, in cases where the concluded contract value is different from the original contract value due to change orders/variation in executed quantities/extension of time etc., the concluded contract value shall be considered for recovery of Liquidated Damages for late delivery/delayed completion. GST shall be applicable on the LD amount deducted.

#### 7. TERMINATION OF CONTRACT

- 7.1. **Termination for Convenience by Company:** Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, Company shall have the right to terminate the Contract at any time, even though Contractor has not defaulted hereunder and, in such an event, Company shall be under no obligation of any nature, except as provided hereunder, and Contractor shall not be entitled to any other compensation or remuneration of any nature, except for the Services rendered till such time the Contract is terminated and the due Demobilization Charges, if any.
- 7.2. **Termination due to default by Contractor:** Company shall have the right to terminate this Contract with immediate effect and forfeit the Performance Security Deposit submitted by the Contractor upon default of Contractor. Default shall be deemed to have occurred upon the occurrence of any of the following events:
- 7.3. If Company becomes dissatisfied with Contractor's conduct of Work hereunder, including, without limitation, slow progress, negligence, or insufficiently skilled Contractor Personnel and Contractor fails to commence to remedy and cure the same within 3 (three) Days after receipt of written notice thereof by Company.
- 7.4. If Contractor becomes insolvent, or makes any transfer or assignment for the benefit of creditors, or files for voluntary bankruptcy or receivership proceedings are instituted against Contractor.
- 7.5. If Contractor commits a breach or default in any of its covenants or obligations under this Contract and fails to cure and remedy the breach or default within 3 (three) Days after receipt of written notice thereof by Company, unless another time interval is provided herein for the same.

- 7.6. If any Governmental agency fails or refuses to grant Contractor Personnel the required entry permits pertaining to the location where Work is to be performed and Contractor fails to remedy the same within ten (10) Days after receipt of written notice thereof by Company.
- 7.7. If any Governmental agency fails or refuses to approve performance of Work by Contractor and/or Contractor Personnel and Contractor fails to remedy the same within ten (10) Days after receipt of written notice thereof by Company.
- 7.8. If Contractor and/ or Contractor Personnel commit an illegal act which: (i) is a violation of this Contract; or (ii) jeopardizes Company's relationship with the Government or any community where Company may conduct its operations, as determined by Company.
- 7.9. Termination for any of the aforesaid reasons shall be effective immediately from the date of default by Contractor and its Security Deposit shall be forfeited. Termination under this clause shall be without prejudice to any claim, which Company may have against Contractor or Contractor may have against Company as a result of Work performed hereunder prior to such termination.
  - i. **Termination due to Force Majeure situation:** Either Party shall have the right to terminate the Contract on account of Force Majeure.
  - ii. **Termination on expiry of Contract:** This Contract shall automatically terminate on the expiry of 'Duration of Contract' on successful completion of Work and discharge of its contractual obligations by Contractor in accordance with the 'Scope of Work'.

#### 8. **GST CLAUSE**

The Government of India is rolled out GST effective 01/07/2017; hence, price bid (s) has (ve) been prepared with tax column as GST. Hence bidders shall quote GST, HSN/SAC code and specify State from which invoice will be raised for each line item. To ascertain the CGST/SGST/IGST, Bidder is requested to clearly specify from where (State) the invoice will be raised for this tender (work done). The bidder has to provide complete address along with same state in the GST updation template. Bidder also shall submit the copy of GST along with the filled GST template. Please note that CGST/SGST/IGST will be determined by based on filled template of the bidder.

#### 8.1. New Statutory Levies

All new statutory levies levied on provision of Services to Company from the due date for opening of techno-commercial bids to the end of Contract Duration, if any, shall be payable extra by BPRL against documentary proof.

### 8.2. Variation in Taxes/Duties/Levies

Any increase/decrease in statutory levies viz. GST, from the due date for opening of techno-commercial bids to the end of Contract Duration, if any, will be to BPRL's account (If the work is performed within the timelines). Any upward variation in statutory levies after 'Duration of Contract' shall be to Contractor's account.

8.3. Central Government vide Notification 50/2018 dated 13/09/2018, has made TDS provision applicable under GST law on all payments affected by Public Sector Undertakings (PSU) w.e.f 01/10/2018. BPRL, being a PSU, these provisions will be applicable on or after 01/10/2018. TDS shall be deducted @2% of taxable value excluding GST.

#### 9. PAYMENT & INVOICING

- 9.1. Contractor shall submit invoices to BPRL in respect of the service rendered. The invoices complete in all respects will be processed and paid within 30 Days from the date of receipt of undisputed invoice by the Company. The Company shall not pay any interest for any delayed processing of bills. Payment terms shall be as follows:
  - i. 50% payment after conducting of online written examination
  - ii. Remaining 50% payment post final interview and handing over of all database related to the exercise to BPRL
- 9.2. The quantities mentioned in tender document/price bid form are indicative only. Owner reserves rights to execute in part or full or excess or not to execute based on the actual requirements. Payments shall be made on the actual executed quantities.
- 9.3. No claims whatsoever will be considered for increasing the charges during the period of agreement / extended period of Contract, if any.
- 9.4. Recovery of Income Tax applicable as per Income Tax Act shall be made from the bills.

#### 10. LIABILITY

The aggregate total liability of the Contractor to Owner under the Contract shall not exceed the total Contract Price, except that this Clause shall not limit the liability of the Contractor for following:

- 10.1. In the event of breach of any Applicable Law;
- 10.2. In the event of fraud, wilful misconduct or illegal or unlawful acts, or gross negligence of the Contractor or any person acting on behalf of the Contractor; or

- 10.3. In the event of acts or omissions of the Contractor which are contrary to the most elementary rules of diligence which a conscientious Contractor would have followed in similar circumstances; or
- 10.4. In the event of any claim or loss or damage arising out of infringement of Intellectual Property; or
- 10.5. For any damage to any third party, including death or injury of any third party caused by the Contractor or any person or firm acting on behalf of the Contractor in executing the Works. Neither Party shall be liable to the other Party for any kind of indirect/consequential loss or damage like, loss of use, loss of profit, loss of production or business interruption which is connected with any claim arising under the Contract.

# 11. CONSEQUENTIAL LOSS

The expression "Consequential Loss" shall mean indirect losses and/or loss of production, loss of product, loss of use and loss of revenue, profit or anticipated profit.

Notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary contained elsewhere in the Contract and except to the extent of any liquidated or other damages provided for in the Contract, the Company shall save, indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Contractor from Company's own Consequential Loss and the Contractor shall save, indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Company from Contractor's own Consequential Loss.

# 12. ASSIGNMENT AND SUB-CONTRACTING

Contractor shall assign neither the Contract nor any part of it nor any benefit or interest in or under it without the prior approval by Company, which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed. However such consent to assign or sub - contract shall not relieve Contractor of any liability or obligation under the Contract.

Company is entitled to assign the Contract or any part of it or any benefit arising there from or interest in or under it to any Co-Venturer or Affiliate of the Company. Company may make any such assignment to any other third party but only with the prior consent of Contractor, which shall not be unduly withheld or delayed.

# 13. ARBITRATION

All disputes or differences which may arise out of or in connection with or are incidental to the Agreement(s) including any dispute or difference regarding the interpretation of the terms and conditions of any clause thereof, which cannot be amicably resolved between the parties, may be referred to Arbitration. The Arbitration proceedings shall be governed by and conducted in accordance with the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 including any statutory modification or reenactment therefore for the time being in force) by a tribunal of three (3)

arbitrators, with one (1) arbitrator each to be appointed by the Contractor and the Company and third arbitrator (who shall be the presiding arbitrator) by the two (2) arbitrators so appointed. In case of failure of the two arbitrators to appoint the third arbitrator, the arbitrator shall be appointed as per provisions of Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996." The venue of arbitration shall be Mumbai, India.

In case of Bidder(s) being CPSE(s), Arbitration shall be as per AMRCD (Administrative Mechanism for resolution of CPSEs Disputes) as Mentioned in DPE OM No. 4(1)/2013-DPE(GM)/FTS-1835 dated 22-05-2018.

#### 14. GENERAL LEGAL PROVISIONS

- 14.1. **General Legal Provision:** Contractor shall not, without the prior written approval of the Company, assign or transfer the Contract or any rights or benefits thereunder to any other person/firm/company. The Contractor hereby consents to Company assigning and transferring its rights and obligations under this Contract to any of its Co-venturers or Affiliates.
- 14.2. **Governing Law:** This Contract is to be construed and governed in accordance with laws of India. The Parties hereto irrevocably submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts at Mumbai.
- 14.3. Language: The ruling language of the Contract shall be the English language.
- 14.4. Mitigation of Loss: Both the Company and the Contractor shall take all reasonable steps to mitigate any loss resulting from any breach of Contract by the other party.
- 14.5. **Entire Contract:** This Contract constitutes the entire Agreement between the Parties hereto and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations or agreements either written or oral. No amendments to the Contract shall be effective unless issued in writing and agreed by both Parties.
- 14.6. **Headings:** The headings of the clauses of the Contract are for convenience only and shall not be used to interpret the provisions hereof.

#### **15. NOTICES**

- 15.1. All notices under this Contract shall be in writing and shall be served to the respective address set out below. Either Party may from time to time change its address and/or fax number for service herein by giving written notice to the other Party.
- 15.2. Notices to the Company shall be sent to the following address:

Company: M/s. Bharat PetroResources Limited

12th Floor, F Wing, Maker Towers,

# Cuffe Parade, Mumbai – 400005

#### 16. PRICE EVALUATION CRITERIA

Price Evaluation of bids shall be done on overall lowest quote basis.

17. If bidder quotes zero (0) against any of the items mentioned in the price bid form, the same will be considered as free of cost.

#### 18. CURRENCY OF QUOTE

Bidders have to quote in INR only.

#### 19. EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT

Bidders must submit interest free **EMDs** of Rs **1,00,000.00** (**Rs One Lakh only**) vide a Demand Draft drawn on Indian Nationalized Bank in favour of M/s **Bharat PetroResources Limited** payable at **Mumbai**.

Physical Instruments (DD) have to be sent to below mentioned address before the due date and time mentioned in the tender.

Mr. Rakesh Ujjawal/ Mr. Ravi Kumar Bura

Bharat PetroResources Ltd., 12th Floor, Maker Towers-F Wing,

Cuffe Parade, Mumbai 400005

EMD should be submitted in physical form in a sealed cover addressed to Mr. Rakesh Ujjawal / Mr. Ravi Kumar Bura, boldly super-scribed on the outer cover 1) Tender Number, 2) Tender Name, 3) Closing date / Time, 4) Name of the tenderer. BPRL will not be responsible for non-receipt of instrument(s) due to postal delay/loss in transit etc.

Cheques, cash, Money Orders, Bank Guarantee, Fixed deposit Receipts etc. towards EMD are not acceptable. Similarly, request for adjustment against any previously deposited EMD/Pending Dues/Bills/Security Deposits of other contracts etc. will not be accepted towards EMD. Bid (s) received without the EMD is liable to be rejected. DD copy should be uploaded in the Bid form.

#### **EXEMPTION FROM EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT:**

Micro and Small Enterprises registered with District Industries Centers or Khadi and Village Industries Commission or Khadi and Village Industries Board or Coir Board or National Small Industries Corporation or Directorate of Handicrafts and Handloom or any other body specified by Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises. Vendor has to upload the necessary documents as mentioned above to claim exemption for Earnest Money Deposit and copy of the document has to be sent to above mentioned

address and dropped in the tender box on / before the due date and time mentioned in the tender.

EMD is liable to be forfeited in the event of: i) Vendors withdraw or alter their bid during the bid validity period ii) Non-acceptance of LOI/order, if and when placed. iii) Non-payment of Performance Security Deposit amount within the stipulated period of 15 days from date of LOI/Mobilization Notice whichever is later. iv)Submission of forgery documents etc. as per tender conditions. EMD will be returned to unsuccessful bidder after award of the contract. EMD of the successful bidder will be released after submission of Performance Security Deposit.

#### 20. PERFORMANCE SECURITY DEPOSIT:

To ensure performance of the contract and due discharge of contractual obligations, the successful bidder will have to provide security deposit of 10% of the contract value.

This Security deposit has to be furnished in the form of an Account payee Demand Draft payable to BPRL or Bank Guarantee in the prescribed format within 15 days from date of issue of LOA/Contract, whichever is earlier. Any other form of Security deposit shall not be entertained/considered including deduction from running invoices.

The Bank guarantee, if submitted, shall remain valid till duration of the contract with a claim period of six months, thereafter. Bank Guarantee, if submitted, shall be from any Indian scheduled bank or an international bank of repute having a branch in India or a corresponding banking relationship with an Indian scheduled bank.

#### 21. DEFECT LIABILITY PERIOD: Nil.

#### 22. BID VALIDITY

Tender submitted by tenderers shall remain valid for acceptance for a period of one hundred Twenty (120) days from the date of opening of the tender (Technical Bid in the case of two bid). The tenderer shall not be entitled during the said period of four months, without the consent in writing of the Owner, to revoke, or cancel his tender or vary the tender given or any term thereof.

In case of tenderer revoking or cancelling his tender, varying any terms in regard thereof without the consent of Owner in writing, appropriate penal action will be taken by BPRL as deemed fit including forfeiting EMD and putting the tenderer/contractor on 'Holiday listing'/ 'Delisting' barring the tenderer/contractor from participating in future tenders for an appropriate period from the date of revocation/cancellation/varying the terms. Once the quotation is accepted the rates quoted shall be firm till the entire work is completed.

#### 23. VENDOR MASTER DATA:

Bidders have to submit the company details like type of company, PAN, GST etc. as per the formats given in the tender along with the relevant documents.

#### 24. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

- 24.1. The Contractor shall not receive any remuneration in connection with the assignment except as provided in the contract. The Contractor and its affiliates shall not engage in consulting or other activities that conflict with the interest of the owner under the contract. The contractor shall include provisions limiting future engagement of the consultant for other services resulting from or directly related to the firm's consulting services in according to the following requirements:-
- 24.2. The Contractor shall provide professional, objective and impartial advice and all times hold the owner's interest paramount, without considering any future work, and that in providing advice they avoid conflicts with other assignment and their own interest. There should not be any conflict of interest between the Contractor's consultancy activities and the other site activities. Neither Contractor (including their personnel and sub-consultants), nor any affiliate that directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with that firm, which is hired or shall be hired for any assignment that, by its nature may be in conflict with another assignment of the Contractor.
- 25. The scope of work under this tender is non-divisible and Purchase preference Policy for MSEs will be applicable accordingly. In case L1 bidder is Non-MSE and if any MSE bidder falling with in L1+15%, MSE bidder shall be given preference to match the L1 Price and if MSE bidder matches the L1 price entire order shall be placed on MSE bidder on each Set basis.
- 26. The scope of work under this tender is non-splitable/ non-dividable/non-divisible and Purchase preference Policy for MSEs and Purchase Preference linked with local content policy will be applicable accordingly.
- 27. In case of tender item is non-splitable OR non-dividable, the entire (100%) order will be placed on MSE bidder / PPLC qualified bidder as per the respective clauses.
- 28. Amendment to Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) Order, 2012 vide Government of India Gazette Notification S.O. 5670(E) dated 09th November 2018 by Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises, and Govt. of India shall be applicable.

# 29. Purchase preference Linked with Local Content Clause

MoP&NGhas notified the purchase preference (linked with local content) for the procurement of goods and services under Oil & Gas Projects in India. Under this Policy, the bidders are allowed to avail the purchase preference linked with attaining the stipulated Local content. Owner reserves the right to allow Manufacturers or Suppliers

or Service providers, purchase preference as admissible under the prevailing policy, subject to their complying with the requirements / conditions defined herein and submitting documents required to support the same.

In order to avail the Purchase preference under this policy, bidder shall achieve minimum Local Content (LC) of 35 %. The Policy shall be implemented in the following manner:

- 29.1. In case the lowest (L1) bidder meets the stipulated LC criteria, the order shall be awarded to such bidder.
- 29.2. In case none of the bidders meets the stipulated LC criteria, the order shall be awarded to the lowest bidder.
- 29.3. In case the lowest bidder does not meet the stipulated LC criteria, the bidders shall be ranked in the ascending order of evaluated prices and next bidder meeting minimum stipulated LC and with his evaluated price within a price band of (+) 10% of lowest bidder's evaluated price, shall be given opportunity to supply 50% of the requirement by matching the lowest bidder's evaluated price. However, if 50% quantity works out to a fraction of quantity, the bidder shall be considered for next higher quantity. In case the quantity cannot be split, the order shall be placed with the entire quantity.
- 29.4. In case there are more than one bidder within the price band of (+) 10% of lowest bidder's evaluated price, they shall be ranked in ascending order of their evaluated prices. The opportunity of matching the price shall be accorded starting from the lowest bidder out of these bidders and in case of his refusal, to the next bidder, and so on.
- 29.5. In case none of the bidders who meet the stipulated LC criteria agree to match the lowest price, the natural lowest bidder will be awarded the job.
- 29.6. The option in case of MSE bidders qualifying under both Policies, namely, Purchase Preference under the Public Procurement Policy 2012 (PPP- 2012) for MSE bidders and Purchase Preference Linked with Local Content (PP- LC 2017) shall be exercised as under
  - i. The MSE bidder can avail only one out of the two applicable purchase preference policies i.e. PP- LC 2017 or PPP- 2012 and therefore, bidder will be required to furnish the option under which he desires to avail purchase preference. This option must be declared within the offer and in case bidder fails to do so although he is eligible for both the Policies, evaluation shall be done of bidder's offer considering PPP- 2012 as the default chosen option.

In case a MSE bidder opts for preference under PPP- 2012, he shall not be eligible to claim benefit under PP- LC 2017 (irrespective of the fact whether he furnishes the details of LC in his offer and this LC meets the stipulated LC criteria).

- ii. In case a MSE bidder opts for purchase preference based on PP- LC 2017, he shall not be entitled to claim benefit of purchase preference benefit as applicable for MSE bidders under PPP- 2012. However, the exemptions from furnishing Bidding Document fee and Bid security shall continue to be available to such a bidder.
- 29.7. In view of the above, the bidder's quoted prices against various items of enquiry shall remain valid even in case of splitting of quantities of the items, except in case of items where the quantity cannot be split since these are to be awarded in a Lot or as a package or Group.
- 29.8. While evaluating the bids, for price matching opportunities and distribution of quantities among bidders, the order of precedence shall be as under
  - i. MSE bidder (PPP- 2012)
  - ii. PP- LC complied bidder (PP-LC)

Examples of Purchase Preference:

#### I. Non divisible item

- L1 bidder is non MSE, non PP-LC bidder
- L2 bidder is PP-LC (within 10%)
- L3 bidder is MSE bidder (within 15%)
- MSE bidder shall be given preference to match the L1 price, If L3
   bidder matches the L1 price, order shall be placed on him, otherwise, option for matching the L1 price shall be given to L2 bidder (PP-LC).

### II. Divisible item

- L1 bidder is non MSE, non PP- LC bidder
- L2 bidder is PP- LC (within 10%)
- L3 bidder is MSE bidder (within 15%)
- MSE bidder shall be given preference to match the L1 price, if bidder matches the L1 price, order shall be placed on him for the quantity specified in the bidding document.
- For the balance quantity (i.e. 50% of tendered quantity / value) option for matching the L1 price shall be given to L2 bidder (PP- LC). Balance quantity shall be awarded to natural lowest bidder.

• For further clarification, in case an item has quantity 4 nos. then 1 no can be given to MSE bidder, 2 nos. to PP-LC bidder and left out 01 no to natural L1 bidder.

#### Note:

The above two examples are not applicable to the Works Contracts since the Purchase Preference under PPP- 2012 is not applicable to works contracts.

- 29.9. In case lowest bidder is a MSE bidder, the entire work shall be awarded to him without resorting to purchase preference to bidders complying with Local Content.
- 29.10. In case lowest bidder is a PP- LC bidder, purchase preference shall be resorted to MSE bidder as per provisions specified in the enquiry document w.r.t. PPP-2012 only.
- 29.11. **Certification of Local Content:** Manufacturers of goods and / or providers of service, seeking Purchase Preference under the policy, shall be obliged to certify the LC of goods, service or EPC contracts as under:

# I. At Bidding Stage:

Bidder shall furnish the percentage of the local content, taking into account the factors and criteria listed out in the policy. These details shall be required only at aggregate level like supply value, transport value and other heads given in the price schedule.

The bidder claiming the PP- LC benefit shall be required to furnish an undertaking on bidder's letterhead confirming his meeting the Local Content and this undertaking shall be certified as under:

i. Where the total quoted value is less than INR 5 Crore

The LC content shall be self-assessed and certified by the authorized signatory of the bidder, signing the bid

- ii. Where the total quoted value is INR 5 Crore or above:
  - a. The Proprietor and an independent Chartered Accountant, not being an employee of the firm, in case of a proprietorship firm.
  - b. Any one of the partners and an independent Chartered Accountant, not being an employee of the firm, in case of a partnership firm.
  - c. Statutory auditors in case of a company, however, where statutory auditors are not mandatory as per laws of the country where bidder is

registered, an independent chartered accountant, not being an Employee of the bidder's organization.

#### Note:

- Local Content (LC) of goods shall be computed on the basis of the cost of domestic components in goods, compared to the whole cost of product. The whole cost of product shall be constituted of the cost spent for the production of goods, covering: direct component (material) cost; direct manpower cost, factory overhead cost and shall exclude profit, company overhead cost and taxes for the delivery of goods.
- However, LC of service shall be calculated on the basis of the ratio of service cost of domestic component in service to the total cost of service.
   The total cost of service shall be constituted of the cost spent for rendering of service, covering;
  - a. cost of component (material) which is used;
  - b. manpower and consultant cost; cost of working equipment/facility;
  - c. general service cost excluding profit, company overhead cost, taxes and duties.

The onus of submission of appropriately certified documents lies with the bidder and the purchaser shall not have any liability to verify the contents and will not be responsible for the same.

However, in case the procuring company has any reason to doubt the authenticity of the Local Content, it reserves the right to obtain the complete back up calculations before award of work failing which the bid shall be rejected.

# II. After award of Contract:

i. Where the estimated value is less than INR 5 Crore:

The LC certificate shall be submitted along with each invoice duly self-certified by the authorized signatory of the bidder.

ii. Estimated value is INR 5 Crore or above.

Supplier shall provide the necessary local-content documentation to the statutory auditor, who shall review and determine that local content requirements have been met, and issue a local content certificate to that effect on behalf of procuring company, stating the percentage of local content in the goods or service measured.

However, procuring company shall also have the authority to audit as well as witness production processes to certify the achievement of the requisite local

content and / or to obtain the complete back up calculation before award of work failing which the bid shall be rejected and appropriate action may be initiated against the bidder.

# 29.12. Failure of bidder in complying local content post award:

In case a bidder, who has specified in his bid that the bid meets the minimum Local Content specified in the enquiry document, fails to achieve the same, the following actions shall be taken by the procuring company;

- i. Pre-determined penalty @ 10% of total contract value.
- Banning business with the supplier / contractor for a period of one year

To ensure the recovery of above pre-determined penalty, payment against dispatch / shipping document shall be modified to the extent that the 10% payment out of this milestone payment shall be released after completion of this milestone as well as submission of certification towards achievement of Local Content, as per provision of enquiry document. Alternatively, this payment can be released against submission of additional bank guarantee valid till completion schedule plus 3 months or as required by purchasing company.

29.13. Purchase preference in case where negotiation is also required; In case purchase preference is applicable, but negotiation is to be conducted with L1 bidder, negotiation shall be carried out, MSE and / or LC-complied bidder shall be offered to match the negotiated prices (even if, post negotiation, they are higher by more than 10% as compared to L1 bidder provided they were within 10% of L1 bidder as per original quoted prices) and left out quantity, if any, as per provisions of enquiry document shall be awarded to that bidder.

#### 30. Order of Precedence for works / Services Contracts:

- i. Contract Agreement
- ii. Detailed letter of Acceptance along with its enclosures
- iii. Letter of Award / Fax of Acceptance
- iv. Scope of work
- v. Drawings
- vi. Special Conditions of Contract (SCC)
- vii. Technical Specifications
- viii. Instructions to Bidders
  - ix. General Conditions of Contract (in GCC)
  - x. Other Documents

- xi. Additionally, any variation or amendment / change order issued after signing of formal contract shall take precedence over respective clauses of the formal contract and its Annexures.
- 31. Bidder to submit Authorisation Letter / Power of Attorney in case of Company / Partnership firm in favour of Digital Signature Holder and Bid Signee.
- 32. Bidder shall submit Declaration related to PP-LC Policy as per Annexure B, C and D as applicable of Part-7.
- 33. The draft agreement enclosed as per Annexure-E shall be executed with successful bidder instead of GCC Part-IX.
- 34. **Confidentiality Agreement:** Successful Bidder to execute a requisite Confidentiality Agreement (CA) for the work assigned on Non-Judicial stamp paper of Rs. 100.00 as attached as Annexure H.

# **End of Part-6**

Tender No. 1000339489 (64780)

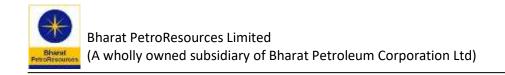
# **PART - 7**

**ANNEXURE- A** 

# PROFORMA OF UNDERTAKING

(for Non – Holiday-listed/Banned/ Liquidation /Court Receivership)

То,	Date:
Bharat PetroResources Ltd.  12th Floor, F Wing, Maker Tower,  Cuffe Parade, Mumbai-400005.	
<b>Sub:</b> Declaration for not being holiday-listed	l/banned /Liquidation /Court Receivership
We herewith declare that	
<ul><li>(MoPNG).</li><li>We are not debarred from carrying</li><li>We are not serving a banning orde</li></ul>	
We are not under liquidation, cour  For  (Sign and Stamp)	t receivership or similar proceedings

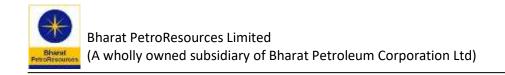


**ANNEXURE-B** 

# **UNDERTAKING BY BIDDER TOWARDS MANDATORY MINIMUM LC**

(Applicable where the quoted value is less than Rs. 5 Crore)

То,			
Bharat PetroResources Limited,			
12 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Maker Tower-F wing,			
Cuffe Parade, Mumbai - 400005.			
TENDER NO :			
TENDER TITLE:			
Dear Sir,			
We, M/s	(Name of Bidder) have		
submitted bid against aforesaid tender.			
We hereby undertake regarding the mandatory minimum Local content requirement specified in tender document.			
Declaration	Response by bidder (YES /NO)		
We meet the Minimum Local Content Requirement as specified in Tender document.			
We further confirm that in case we fail to meet the minimum local content, BPRL may take action as per provisions of tender document.			
[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]			
Name:			
Designation:			
Seal:			

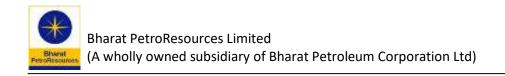


**ANNEXURE- C** 

# **CERTIFICATE BY STATUTORY AUDITOR OF BIDDER TOWARDS MANDATORY MINIMUM LC**

(Applicable where the quoted value is Rs. 5 Crores and above):

To,					
Bharat PetroResources Lim	ited,				
12 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Maker Tower-F v	ving,				
Cuffe Parade, Mumbai - 400	)005.				
TENDER NO :	<del>-</del>	 			
TENDER TITLE:		 			
Dear Sir					
We					verified
mandatory minimum LC %			ertify that	they n	neet the
Name of Audit Firm:					
Date:					
[Signature of Authorized Sig	gnatory]				
Name:					
Designation:					
Seal:					
Membership no.					



**Annexure-D** 

# **UNDERTAKING FOR APPLICABILITY OF POLICY**

To,		
Bharat PetroResources Limited,		
12 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Maker Tower-F wing,		
Cuffe Parade, Mumbai - 400005.		
TENDER NO :		
TENDER TITLE :		
Dear Sir,		
We, M/s(N	lame of Bidder) hereby confirm that following	
purchase preference to be considered for th	e subject tender:-	
Description	Preference	
Purchase Preference (linked with local content) PP-LC or		
Purchase Preference under Public		
Procurement Policy for MSE (PPP-2012)		
Note:		
1. Please indicate your preference against	only one policy.	
2. The above preference shall be extende (as mentioned in the tender documents)	d only after submission of requisite documents .	
_	efit under PP-LC policy as well as PPP for MSE cally seek benefits against only one of the two	
4. In case a MSEs bidder opts for purchase preference based on PP-LC, he shall not be entitled to claim purchase preference benefit available to MSE Bidders under PPP for MSE 2012. However, the exemptions from furnishing Bidding Document fee and EMD shall continue to be available to MSE Bidders		
5. The option once exercised cannot be mo	odified subsequently.	
[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidde	r]	
Name & Designation:		
Seal:		

Annexure-E

# **FORM OF CONTRACT**

THIS CONTRACT made at Mumbai this	day of	;
BETWEEN BHARAT PETRORESOURCES LTD., a Company	y Incorporated in India and ha	aving its
Registered Office at Bharat Bhavan, 4 & 6, Currimb	•	
400001 and also having its Office at 9 <sup>th</sup> Floor, "E" \	Wing, Maker Towers, Cuffe	Parade,
Mumbai-400005 (hereinafter referred to as the "OWNI	•	
successors and assigns) of the One Part; AND		
sole proprietorship/carrying on business in partne		
of a Company's Registered in		
having its registered office at		
referred to/as collectively referred to as the "CONTRAC	•	
his/their/its executors, administrators, representative	es and permitted assigns/suc	ccessors
and permitted assign) of the other part:		
WHEREAS		
The OWNER desires to have executed the work of $\_$		_ more
specifically mentioned and described in the contract	t documents (hereinafter cal	led the
"Services" which expression shall include all amendr	·	ications
thereof) and has accepted the tender of the CONTRACT	OR for the said Services.	
NOW, THEREFORE. THIS CONTRACT WITNESSETH as foll	lows:	
ARTICLE - 1		
CONTRACT DOCUMEN	NTS	
1.1 The following documents shall constitute the Contra	act Documents, namely:	
(a) This Agreement		
(b) 'Letter of Award' of Contract along with 'Schedule of	f Rates'	
(c) Tender Document and addenda issued thereon, if an	ıy	
(d) Performance Bank Guarantee (to be submitted after	r Letter of Award)	
ARTICLE - 2		
WORK TO BE PERFORM	MED	

2.1 The CONTRACTOR shall perform the said Services upon the terms & conditions and

within the time specified in the Contract Documents.

#### **ARTICLE - 3**

#### COMPENSATION

3.1 Subject to and upon the terms and conditions contained in the Contract Documents, the OWNER shall pay CONTRACTOR compensation as specified in the Contract Documents upon the satisfactory completion of the Services and/or otherwise as may be specified in the Contract Documents.

#### **ARTICLE - 4**

#### **JURISDICTION**

4.1 Notwithstanding any other court or courts having jurisdiction to decide the question(s) forming the subject matter of the reference if the same had been the subject matter of a suit, any and all actions and proceedings arising out of or relative to the Contract (including any arbitration in terms thereof) shall lie only in the court of competent civil jurisdiction in this behalf at Mumbai (where this Contract has been signed on behalf of the OWNER) and only the said Court(s) shall have jurisdiction to entertain and try any such action(s) and/or proceeding(s) to the exclusion of all other courts.

#### ARTICLE - 5

### **ENTIRE CONTRACT**

5.1 The Contract Documents mentioned in Article - I hereof embody the entire Contract between the parties hereto, and the parties declare that in entering into this Contract they do not rely upon any previous representation, whether express or implied and whether written or oral, or any inducement, understanding or agreements of any kind not included within the Contract Documents and all prior negotiations, representations, contracts and/or agreements and understandings relative to the Services are hereby cancelled.

#### **ARTICLE - 6**

#### **NOTICES**

6.1 Subject to any provisions of the Contract Documents to the contrary, any notice, order or

communication sought to be served by the CONTRACTOR on the OWNER with reference to the Contract shall be deemed to have been sufficiently served upon the OWNER (notwithstanding any enabling provisions under any law to the contrary) only if delivered by hand or by Registered Acknowledgment Due Post to the Engineer-in-Charge as defined in the General Conditions of Contract.

6.2 Without prejudice to any other mode of service provided for in the Contract Documents or otherwise available to the OWNER, any notice, order or other communication sought to be served by the OWNER on the CONTRACTOR with reference to the Contract, shall be deemed to have been sufficiently served if delivered by hand or through Registered Post Acknowledgement Due to the principal office of the CONTRACTOR at ................................ or to the CONTRACTOR's Representative as referred to in the Special Conditions of Contract forming part of the Contract Documents.

#### **ARTICLE-7**

#### WAIVER

7.1 No failure or delay by the OWNER in enforcing any right or remedy of the OWNER in terms of the Contract or any obligation or liability of the CONTRACTOR in terms thereof shall be deemed to be a waiver of such right, remedy, obligation or liability, as the case may be, by the OWNER and notwithstanding such failure or delay, the OWNER shall be entitled at any time to enforce such right, remedy, obligation or liability, as the case may be.

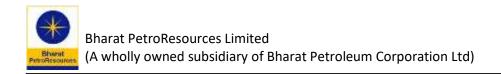
#### **ARTICLE-8**

#### **NON-ASSIGNABILITY**

The Contract and benefits and obligations thereof shall be strictly personal to the CONTRACTOR and shall not on any account be assignable or transferable by the CONTRACTOR.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have executed this Contract in duplicate at the place, day and year first above written.

SIGNED AND DELIVERED	SIGNED AND DELIVERED
For and on behalf of	For and on behalf of
BHARAT PETRO RESOURCES LTD.	(CONTRACTOR)
By Mr./Ms	by Mr./Ms
In the presence of:	In the presence of:
(This day of 2019)	
1.	1.
2.	2

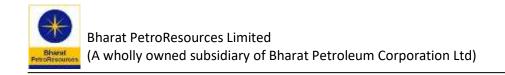


**Annexure-F** 

# **UNDERTAKING FROM TPIA**

(On TPIA Letter head duly stamped and signed)

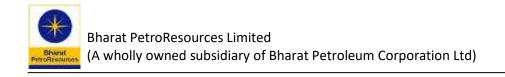
10,	
Bharat PetroResources Limited,	
12 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Maker Tower-F wing,	
Cuffe Parade, Mumbai - 400005.	
Dear Sir,	
Subject: Verification of Bidder's Qualification Tender.	n Criteria (BQC) related documents of the
Ref: Tender No.:	, E-tender ID
Tender Title:	
M/sat	intend to participate in the tender for
with registered office at Bharat Bhavan, 4 & and also having its Office at 9th Floor, "E" Wing	•
The tender conditions provide that the BIDDER independent Third Party Inspection Agency.	R shall submit BQC documents duly verified by
In this regard, this is to certify that copies of all for verification have been verified by us with have signed and stamped on the copies of all the	n the originals and found to be genuine. We
Signature of a person duly authorized to	
sign on behalf of the TPIA)	
(Seal of the company)	



Annexure-G

# **UNDERTAKING FROM VENDOR-BQC**

10,
Bharat PetroResources Limited,
12 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Maker Tower-F wing,
Cuffe Parade, Mumbai - 400005.
TENDER NO :
TENDER TITLE:
Dear Sir,
We, M/s (Name of Bidder) hereby confirm that all the BQC documents and credentials have been verified with the originals by TPIA.
It is certified that none of the documents are false/forged or fabricated. All the documents submitted have been made having full knowledge of (i) the provisions of the Indian laws in respect of offences including but not limited to those pertaining to criminal breach of trust, cheating and fraud and (ii) Provisions of bidding conditions which entitle the BPCL to initiate action in the event of such declaration turning out to be a misrepresentation or false representation.
I further certify that any additional documents, if any, required to be submitted by our company, shall be submitted under my knowledge and those documents shall also be true, authentic, genuine, exact copy of its original and shall not be false/forged or fabricated.
BPCL reserves the right not to consider our offer on account of non-compliance regarding submission of BQC related documents duly verified by the TPIA.
[Signature of Authorized Signatory of Bidder]
Name& Designation:
Seal:



Annexure- H

# **Confidentiality Agreement**

This Agreement is made as of the day of Between
having address at hereinafter referred as the Receiving Party
which expression shall unless repugnant to the subject or the context mean and
included its successors, nominees or assigns and BHARAT PETRORESOURCES LIMITED
having its registered office at 4&6 Currimbhoy Road, Ballard Estate, Mumbai - 400001
herein after called "Disclosing Party" which expression shall unless repugnant to the subject
or the context mean and include its successors, nominees or assigns.
Whereas in order to pursue the business purpose of this particular project as specified in
Exhibit A the Disclosing Party recognizes
that there is a need to disclose certain information to the Receiving Party, as defined in para
1 below, to be used only for the Business Purpose and to protect such confidentia
information from unauthorized use and disclosure.
In consideration of Disclosing Party's disclosure of such information, Receiving Party agrees
as follows:
1. This Agreement will apply to all confidential and proprietary information disclosed by
Disclosing Party to Receiving Party which the Disclosing Party identifies in writing as
Confidential before disclosure to the Receiving Party ("Confidential Information").
confidential before disclosure to the necessing rarry ( confidential morniation ).
Confidential Information consists of certain specifications, designs, plans, drawings,
software, prototypes and/or technical information, and all copies and derivatives
containing such Information, that may be disclosed to other part by Disclosing Party for
and during the Purpose, which Disclosing Party considers proprietary or confidentia
("Information").
( information ).

- 2. Receiving Party hereby agrees that during the Confidentiality Period:
  - a. It shall use Information only for the Business Purpose, shall hold Information in confidence using the same degree of care as it normally exercises to protect its own proprietary information, but not less than reasonable care, taking into account the nature of the Information, and shall grant access to Information only to its employees, who have a need to know, but only to the extent necessary to carry out the business purpose of this project as defined in exhibit A, shall cause its employees, to comply with the provisions of this Agreement. Receiving Party, shall reproduce Information only to the extent essential to fulfilling the Business Purpose, and shall prevent disclosure of Information to third parties. Receiving Party may, however, disclose the Information to its Affiliates, consultants and contractors with a need to know; provided that by doing so, it agrees to bind those Affiliates, consultants and contractors to terms at least as restrictive as those stated

herein, advise them of their obligations, and indemnify the Disclosing Party for any breach of those obligations.

"Affiliates" means, in relation to a Party, any company or legal entity that controls, or is controlled by, or that is controlled by an entity that controls, such Party. "Control" means the direct or indirect ownership of fifty (50) percent or more of the voting rights in a company or other legal entity.

- b. Upon the Disclosing Party's request, the Receiving Party shall either return to the Disclosing Party all Information or shall certify to the Disclosing Party that all media containing Information have been destroyed. Provided however that receiving party shall be entitled to keep one copy of every confidential information disclosed by the Disclosing Party thereof in a locked/protected location for tax, accounting and legal reasons. However confidentiality obligations contained in this Agreement shall continue to apply to such confidential information which is retained by the Receiving Party.
- 3. The foregoing restrictions on Receiving Party's use or disclosure of Information shall not apply to

Information that the Receiving Party can demonstrate:

- a. Was independently developed by or for the Receiving Party without reference to the Confidential Information, or was received without restrictions; or
- b. Has become generally available to the public without breach of confidentiality obligations of the Receiving Party. The information shall not be deemed to be available to the general public merely because it is embraced by more general information in the prior possession of the Receiving Party or of others, or merely because it is expressed in public literature in general terms not specifically in accordance with the Confidential Information; or
- c. Was in its possession without restriction or was known by it without restriction at the time of disclosure provided that the Receiving Party declares to the Disclosing Party of possession of such information within a day upon disclosure of Confidential Information by the Disclosing Party; or
- d. is required to be disclosed Pursuant to a court order or is otherwise required by law to be disclosed', provided that Receiving Party has notified the Disclosing Party immediately upon learning of the possibility of any such court order or legal requirement and has given the Disclosing Party a reasonable opportunity and co-operates with the Disclosing Party to contest or limit the scope of such required disclosure including application for a protective order; or
- e. Is disclosed with the prior consent of the Disclosing Party; or

- f. The Receiving Party obtains or has available from a source other than the Disclosing Party without breach by the Receiving Party or such source of any obligation of confidentiality or non- use towards the Disclosing Party.
- 4. Receiving Party agrees not to remove any of the Disclosing party's Confidential Information from the premises of the Disclosing Party without the Disclosing Party's prior written approval and exercise extreme care in protecting the confidentiality of any Confidential Information which is removed, only with the Disclosing Party's prior written approval, from the Disclosing Party's premises. Receiving Party agrees to comply with any and all terms and conditions the Disclosing Party may impose upon any such approved removal, such as conditions that the removed Confidential Information and all copies must be returned by a certain date, and that no copies are to be made off of the premises.
- 5. Receiving Party recognizes and agrees that all of the Disclosing Party's Confidential Information is owned solely by the Disclosing Party (or its licensors) and that the unauthorized disclosure or use of such Confidential Information would cause irreparable harm and significant injury, the degree of which may be difficult to ascertain. Accordingly, Receiving Party agrees that the Disclosing Party will have the right to obtain an immediate injunction enjoining any breach of this Agreement, as well as the right to pursue any and all other rights and remedies available at law or in equity for such a breach.
- 6. As between the parties, all Information shall remain the property of the Disclosing Party. By disclosing Information or executing this Agreement, the Disclosing Party does not grant any license, explicitly or implicitly, under any trademark, patent, copyright, mask work protection right, trade secret or any other intellectual property right. The Disclosing Party disclaims all warranties regarding the information, including all warranties as to the accuracy or utility of such information. Execution of this Agreement and the disclosure of Information pursuant to this Agreement does not constitute or imply any commitment, promise, or inducement by Disclosing Party to make any purchase or sale, or to enter into any additional agreement of any kind.
- 7. The Disclosing Party hereby confirms that the confidential information provided to the Receiving Party does not violate or infringe intellectual property rights of any third party.
- 8. Disclosing Party's failure to enforce any provision, right or remedy under this agreement shall not constitute a waiver of such provision, right or remedy.
- 9. This Agreement will be construed in, interpreted and applied in accordance with the laws of India.
- 10. Any dispute arising out of, relating to, or in connection with this Agreement, including any question regarding its existence, validity, or termination, which cannot

be amicably resolved between the parties shall be settled by Arbitration in accordance with the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 including any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force. The seat and venue of arbitration shall be Mumbai.

- 11. This Agreement and Exhibit A attached hereto constitutes the entire agreement of the parties with respect to the parties' respective obligations in connection with Information disclosed hereunder and supersedes all prior oral and written agreements and discussions with respect thereto. The parties can amend or modify this Agreement only by a writing duly executed by their respective authorized representatives. Neither party shall assign this Agreement without first securing the other party's written consent.
- 12. This Agreement will remain in effect for 5 YEARS from the date of last disclosure of Confidential Information, at which time it will terminate, unless extended by both the parties in writing.
- 13. With regard to the confidential information of Receiving Party disclosed to the Disclosing Party, The Disclosing Party agrees to comply with all the obligations of Receiving Party mentioned in this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement by their duly authorized officers or representatives.

BPRL:		_		
Signed:	Ravi Kumar Bura	_	Signed	

# Exhibit A

1.	Bu	siness Purpose:		
2.	LO	A Reference:		
3.	Со	nfidential Information of BPRL		
	a.	All communication/ information submitted to the Receiving Party for the purpose.		
	b.	. All information shared in oral or in written form by BPRL.		
BPRL:				
Signed	l: Ra	vi Kumar Bura Signed		

End of Part 7