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1	Section-I	2 of 7	3.0	Dead time for submit sealed envelopes	The provisions of Bidding Documents are clear and shall prevail. Bidder's may refer Clause 3.0 of Section-I in this regard.
2	-	-	-	Discharge rate of Mongla Per day	Bidder may refer clause 5 and Attachment 4-3 of section – IV of Bidding documents regarding Limestone Delivery Point (LDP), which is MSTPP plant jetty and not Mongla Port. Regarding minimum average unloading rate of limestone at LDP, Bidder's may refer point no 7 of Attachment 4-3 in section –IV of Bidding document.
3	Section-III	40 of 72	16.0	Opening LC period after submitting envelops	The provisions of Bidding Documents are clear and shall prevail. Bidder's may refer Clause 16 of Section-III in this regard.
4	Section-III	43 of 72	17.0	Payment details (Please be more specific about payment for 70% option and 90% option also. What about 10% balance	The provisions of Bidding Documents are clear and shall prevail. Bidder's may refer Clause 17 of Section-III in this regard.
5	Section-I to V	Full Bidding Document	-	Document required for participate in tender.	The provisions of Bidding Documents are clear & shall prevail. Bidder's may refer Clause 7 of Section-I and Clause 5.3 of Section-II in this regard.
6	Section-IV	10 of 28	7.1	Tolerance in size less than 10mm percentage and more than 80mm percentage	Limestone size shall be (-) 80 mm (Sizes of limestone shall be 80 mm and below). Necessary amendment is issued in this regard. Bidder's may refer sl. No 1 of Amendment no-01 to the Bidding Document.
7	Section-IV	-	-	Packing details	Bidder may refer section-IV regarding ships/barges, loading/unloading requirements, environmental and other requirements, etc for transportation of limestone. Bidding Document is clear in this regard.

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8	Section-IV	7 of 28	5.1	Minimum order quantity allowed to deliver in one shipment & maximum order quantity to deliver in one shipment	<p>The single order quantity shall be based on Bidder's shipment size but within the maximum limit of 20000 Metric Tonne.</p> <p>Necessary amendment is issued in this regard.</p> <p>Bidder's may refer clause no 8 and 10 of section –III and clause 5.1 of section-IV of Bidding Documents.</p> <p>Bidder's may refer Sl. No 2 of Amendment no-01 to the Bidding Document for the above amendment.</p>
9	Section -III	40 of 72	14.2b and 14.3	<p>Stated in the clauses that no demurrage will be applicable for below 3000 MT vessel and or the vessel are not fully accordance with the TS & EIA guidelines;</p> <p>Question is- will BIFPCL allow if anyone want to use below 3000MT Barge/ vessel considering the above points?</p>	<p>The provisions of Bidding Documents are clear and shall prevail. However, for clarification following may be noted:</p> <p>BIFPCL preference is to use higher size vessel to minimize the movement in the channel. Regarding size of vessel, Bidder to note the provisions and restrictions provided in the of EIA guidelines and follow the Mongla Port Authority (MPA) guidelines. Further specification requirements shall also be followed in this regard. It is also Bidder's responsibility to check the suitability of the vessels for berthing, unloading (by ship unloader) at plant jetty. Bidder is requested to refer the relevant clauses and attachments in Sec-IV of the Bidding Document.</p>
10	Section-IV	10 of 28	7.1	<p>Table-1- Sl No-12 Regarding Color in desired specs of BIFPCL is white.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Is there any definition of White Color since the cargo with such specs are of grey color? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grey color of limestone is also acceptable provided it meets specification of limestone. Necessary amendment is issued in this regard. Bidder's may refer Sl. No 1 of Amendment no-01 to the Bidding Document.

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				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is the acceptable percentage of Oversize (80 mm) and undersize (below 10 mm)? • Minimum desired % of size (below 80 mm – above 10 mm on Sq. mesh). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refer reply at Sl. No.6 • Refer reply at Sl. No.6
11	Section-IV	7 of 28	5.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Could be performed shipment 25000 x 4 for the contract period 2 years or can be allowed part shipment? • When is the first shipment required? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refer reply at Sl. No 8 • The provisions of Bidding Documents are clear and shall prevail. Bidder may refer clause no 5 of section – III of the Bidding documents.
12	Section –II	12 of 33	5.5	<p>i. Is it mandatory to maintain the percentage of price component?</p> <p>ii. What is the price escalation offered during the 2 year contract ?</p>	<p>The provisions of Bidding Documents are clear and shall prevail.</p> <p>Bidder's may refer Clause 5.5 (i.e. 5.5.6 & 5.5.3) of Section-II and Clause 8 (i.e. 8.2) of Section-IV of Bidding Document</p>
13	Section –II	16 of 33	5.7	<p>How shall be VAT managed for the transactions - as a VAT registered local manufacturer we have to issue VAT @ 15% through 6.3 VAT challan against any supply. This is paid by our customers (Invoice price + VAT).</p>	<p>It shall be managed as per the provisions of VAT & Supplementary Duty Act 2012.</p> <p>VAT & AIT shall be borne by BIFPCL. Bidder's may refer Clause 12.5 of Section-III of Bidding Document</p>
14	Sec- IV	8 of 28	5.2	<p>Do local barges or bulkhead require insurance ?</p>	<p>The provisions of Bidding Documents are clear & shall prevail.</p> <p>Bidder's may refer Clause 19 of Section-III of Bidding Document.</p>
15	Sec-IV	10 of 28	7.1	<p>i. Will you accept marginal higher percentage of minor elements and moisture in limestone?</p>	<p>i. The provisions of Bidding Documents are clear and shall prevail.</p> <p>Bidder's may refer clause no 7.1 of section –IV of the Bidding documents.</p>

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				ii. Will limestone of 10 mm to 20 mm in sizes be acceptable? Can you specify the exact size of lump size since 10-120 mm is a big range?	ii. Refer reply at Sl.no 6 above.
16	Sec-IV	10 of 28	7.1	The color of the limestone available with mines in our region is usually naturally grey iron, however the color mentioned in the specification sheet is white color. Is it acceptable to BIFPCL ?	Refer reply at Sl.no 10 above.

