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WHEN CALLING WITH REFERENCE
TO THIS LETTER PLEASE ASK FOR

F. Nyamakambo

Date 27 June 2022

To all prospective bidders.

Subject: Clarifications on Tender Number ZETDC/INTER/06/2022 for the Design, Manufacturing, Testing, Supply and Delivery of 400kV SF6 Circuit Breakers.

Find below the queries raised by some prospective bidders and the responses from ZETDC as follows:

S.No	Description	Request for Clarifications	Response
1	Payment Terms (SCC Clause No GCC 22.3)	<p>While reviewing the tender document, we observe that the payment terms are not clear, please clarify the same</p> <p>We request you to consider the following payment Terms</p> <p>(i) Advance Payment: Ten (10) percent of the price of Goods shall be paid within thirty (30) days after signing of the Contract, and upon submission of invoice and a bank guarantee.</p> <p>(ii) On shipment: Eighty (80) percent of the price of Goods shipped shall be paid through Direct Payment within thirty (30) days after receipt of documents.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(or)</p> <p>(iii) 80% payment will be paid against irrevocable letter of credit within 45 days.</p> <p>(iv) Ten (10) percent of the price of Goods shipped shall be paid within thirty (30) days after receipt of documents and the acceptance certificate for the respective delivery issued by the</p>	<p>The payment Terms under Clause 22.3 of the Standard Bidding Document are clear and straightforward and cannot be substituted with any other terms. The Clause is drawn from "Part 3: Contract Agreement of the Standard Bidding Document" drafted by the Procurement Regulatory Authority of Zimbabwe (PRAZ) and cannot be changed at this stage.</p> <p>Clause 13 under "Part 1: Bidding Procedures" further states the Terms of Payment required by ZETDC. The payment terms remain the same for Zimbabwean registered companies. International bidders will be paid in United States Dollars within thirty (30) days after delivery against a Letter of Credit (LC) with those conditions or through Telegraphic Transfer.</p> <p>No any other payment terms are acceptable by ZETDC.</p>

		Purchaser	
2	Closing Date	In view of the above, we have requested for additional time, to enable them to review and propose their equipment complying with your technical requirements and to prepare competitive & comprehensive Bid Proposal, so we request you to grant additional time of 3 (Three) Weeks from the present bid closing date i.e. 12 th July 2022.	The equipment is urgently required and the tender closing date cannot be extended.

Yours faithfully,



F. Nyamakambo
Supply Chain Manager