Tender for dismantling and fabrication of steel works

Tender No. IREL/CO/PT/16/2023



IREL (India) Limited

(Formerly known as Indian Rare Earths Limited)

(A Govt. of India Undertaking – Dept. of Atomic Energy)

Plot No. 1207, Veer Savarkar Marg, Near Siddhi Vinayak Temple, Prabhadevi, Mumbai-400028. Website: http://irel.co.in

Schedule Of Tender

| Tender Ref No. | IREL/CO/PT/16/2023 |
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| Name of Work | Tender for dismantling and fabrication of steel works in IREL Corporate Office |
| Type of Tender | Open Tender, Single Stage Two Bid System Two cover System |
| Tendering Mode: CPP Portal https://etenders.gov.in/eprocure/ app | Public tender (Two cover System) Pre-Qualification Bid Financial Bid |
| Cost of Tender Document | NIL |
| Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) | NIL |
| Date of Starting of e-Tender | 07.07.2023, 1700 hrs |
| Date of closing of online e-tender for submission of Bids | 27.07.2023, 1500 hrs |
| Date & time of opening of Cover 1 | 28.07.2023, 1600 hrs |
| Date & time of opening of Financial Bid | Shall be informed separately to the eligible bidders |
| Issuance of Letter of Intent (LoI)/Work order | To be decided after price bid evaluation. |
| Estimated Cost | Rs. 70,000/- |
| Validity of tender | 60 days from date of opening of Cover 1 |
| Contact details of tender inviting | DGM – T and I/c Purchase |
| authority | IREL (India) Limited |
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| | Temple, Prabhadevi, Mumbai-400 028 |
| | Email: purchase-ho@irel.co.in; swaroopbiswas@irel.co.in Phone 022- 24211630 (Ext. No. 266) |

Notice Inviting Tender (NIT), Tender Document and Corrigendum/Addendum if any, will be posted on the website:<u>https://etenders.gov.in/eprocure/app</u>. Tenderers are advised to complete all submission related work well before the time and date for submission of tender online. Any request for modification in the time/date of submission of tender due to tenderer's failure to submit his offer, will not be accepted.

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The issue of this TENDER does not imply that IREL is bound to select and short-list qualified Bids for Price Bid stage or to appoint the Selected Bidder for the intended work, and IREL reserves the right to reject all or any of the Bids without assigning any reasons whatsoever.

The Bidder shall bear all its costs associated with or relating to the preparation and submission of its Bid including but not limited to preparation, copying, postage, delivery fees, expenses associated with any demonstrations or presentations which may be required by IREL or any other costs incurred in connection with or relating to its Bid. All such costs and expenses will remain with the Bidder and IREL shall not be liable in any manner whatsoever for the same or for any other costs or other expenses incurred by a Bidder in preparation or submission of the Bid, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the Bidding Process.

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1. General instructions to bidders w.r.t participation in the E-tendering event

The bidders are required to submit soft copies of their bids electronically on the CPP Portal, using valid Digital Signature Certificates. The instructions given below are meant to assist the bidders in registering on the CPP Portal, prepare their bids in accordance with the requirements and submitting their bids online on the CPP Portal.

More information useful for submitting online bids on the CPP Portal may be obtained at <u>https://etenders.gov.in/eprocure/app</u>.

REGISTRATION

- 1) Bidders are required to enroll on the e-Procurement module of the Central Public Procurement Portal (URL: <u>https://etenders.gov.in/eprocure/app</u>) by clicking on the link "Online bidder Enrolment" on the CPP Portal which is free of charge.
- 2) As part of the enrolment process, the bidders will be required to choose a unique username and assign a password for their accounts.
- 3) Bidders are advised to register their valid email address and mobile numbers as part of the registration process. These would be used for any communication from the CPP Portal.
- 4) Upon enrolment, the bidders will be required to register their valid Digital Signature Certificate (Class II or Class III Certificates with signing key usage) issued by any Certifying Authority recognized by CCA India (e.g.Sify / nCode / eMudhra etc.), with their profile.
- 5) Only one valid DSC should be registered by a bidder. Please note that the bidders are responsible to ensure that they do not lend their DSCs to others which may lead to misuse.
- 6) Bidder then logs in to the site through the secured log-in by entering their user ID / password and the password of the DSC / e-Token.

SEARCHING FOR TENDER DOCUMENTS

- There are various search options built in the CPP Portal, to facilitate bidders to search active tenders by several parameters. These parameters could include Tender ID, Organization Name, Location, Date, Value, etc. There is also an option of advanced search for tenders, wherein the bidders may combine a number of search parameters such as Organization Name, Form of Contract, Location, Date, Other keywords etc. to search for a tender published on the CPP Portal.
- 2) Once the bidders have selected the tenders they are interested in, they may download the required documents / tender schedules. These tenders can be moved to the respective 'My Tenders' folder. This would enable the CPP Portal to intimate the bidders through SMS / e-mail in case there is any corrigendum issued to the tender document.
- 3) The bidder should make a note of the unique Tender ID assigned to each tender, in case they want to obtain any clarification / help from the Helpdesk.

PREPARATION OF BIDS

1) Bidder should take into account any corrigendum published on the tender document before submitting their bids.

- 2) Please go through the tender advertisement and the tender document carefully to understand the documents required to be submitted as part of the bid. Please note the number of covers in which the bid documents have to be submitted, the number of documents - including the names and content of each of the document that need to be submitted. Any deviations from these may lead to rejection of the bid.
- 3) Bidder, in advance, should get ready the bid documents to be submitted as indicated in the tender document / schedule and generally, they can be in PDF / XLS / RAR / DWF/JPG formats. Bid documents may be scanned with 100 dpi with black and white option which helps in reducing size of the scanned document.
- 4) To avoid the time and effort required in uploading the same set of standard documents which are required to be submitted as a part of every bid, a provision of uploading such standard documents (e.g. PAN card copy, annual reports, auditor certificates etc.) has been provided to the bidders. Bidders can use "My Space" or "Other Important Documents" area available to them to upload such documents. These documents may be directly submitted from the "My Space" area while submitting a bid and need not be uploaded again and again. This will lead to a reduction in the time required for bid submission process.

SUBMISSION OF BIDS

- 1) Bidder should log into the site well in advance for bid submission so that they can upload the bid in time i.e., on or before the bid submission time. Bidder will be responsible for any delay due to other issues.
- 2) The bidder has to digitally sign and upload the required bid documents one by one as indicated in the tender document.
- 3) Bidders are requested to note that they should necessarily submit their financial bid in the format provided and no other format is acceptable. If the price bid has been given as a standard BoQ format with the tender document, then the same is to be downloaded and to be filled by all the bidders. Bidders are required to download the BoQ file, open it and complete the white colored (unprotected) cells with their respective financial quotes and other details (such as name of the bidder). No other cells should be changed. Once the details have been completed, the bidder should save it and submit it online, without changing the filename. If the BoQ file is found to be modified by the bidder, the bid will be rejected.
- 4) The server time (which is displayed on the bidders' dashboard) will be considered as the standard time for referencing the deadlines for submission of the bids by the bidders, opening of bids etc. The bidders should follow this time during bid submission.
- 5) All the documents being submitted by the bidders would be encrypted using PKI encryption techniques to ensure the secrecy of the data. The data entered cannot be viewed by unauthorized persons until the time of bid opening. The confidentiality of the bids is maintained using the secured Socket Layer 128 bit encryption technology. Data storage encryption of sensitive fields is done. Any bid document that is uploaded to the server is subjected to symmetric encryption using a system generated symmetric key. Further this key is subjected to asymmetric encryption using buyers/bid openers public keys. Overall, the uploaded tender documents become readable only after the tender opening by the authorized bid openers.
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- 7) Upon the successful and timely submission of bids (i.e. after Clicking "Freeze Bid Submission" in the portal), the portal will give a successful bid submission message & a bid

summary will be displayed with the bid no. and the date & time of submission of the bid with all other relevant details.

8) The bid summary has to be printed and kept as an acknowledgement of the submission of the bid. This acknowledgement may be used as an entry pass for any bid opening meetings.

Contact person of Tendering Authority IREL (India) Limited, Corporate Office, Mumbai

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| Shri Swaroop Kr. Biswas DM (E&M) | swaroopbiswas@irel.co.in | + 91 8104997149 |

<u>NB:</u>

Bidders may please note that they are required to upload all the documents as called for in the tender document in order to enable them to be eligible for considering their price bid opening event.

2. Introduction:

IREL (India) Limited is a Mini-Ratna Category-I company, is a public sector enterprise of the Government of India under the administrative control of the Department of Atomic Energy invites a tender for dismantling and fabrication of steel works.

Detailed scope of work, duties and responsibilities, terms and conditions are described elsewhere in this tender document.

3. Eligibility Criteria (PQ):

| SI. | Eligibility Criteria (PQ) | Documents Required |
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| 1. | The bidder should have functional office in Mumbai Metropolitan Region (MMR). | Documentary proof such as valid Shop & Establishment certificate, latest electricity bill/utility bill (not older than 3 months) etc. of the office address to substantiate the location shall be submitted. |
| 2. | Experience of having successfully completed "similar works" during last 7 years ending 30.06.2023, having work order value either of the following: (a) One similar successfully completed work costing not less than amount equal to Rs. 56,000/ Or (b) Two similar successfully completed works costing not less than amount equal to Rs. 35,000/ | Copies of Work Order and Satisfactory completion Certificate should be submitted. |
| 3. | Annual average financial turnover during the last three Financial Years ending 31.03.2023 shall not be less than Rs. 21,000/- | Copy of the audited balance sheet and Profit & Loss account for last three Financial Years ending 31.03.2023 to be submitted. In case, the audited balance sheet and Profit & Loss account for latest financial year is not available, a certificate from the Chartered Accountant on their letter head certifying the financial turnover for the above said financial year may be submitted. |

"Similar work" shall means repair-maintenance works in steel fabrication.

The Price bid will not be opened and considered, and the bid shall be rejected if the bidder fails to submit the documentary proofs for eligibility criteria.

4. Mode of bidding:

The tender bids duly filled in all aspects and uploaded at CPP Portal on or before the scheduled time and date as mentioned in the tender enquiry will be considered for evaluation.

The Bids shall be prepared in two parts viz. PQ cum Technical Bid (Part 1) and Price Bid (Part 2).

Technical bid (Part 1) and Price Bid (Part 2) shall be submitted be through CPP Portal. Bids submitted CPP portal shall only be considered.

Technical Bid will be opened at the first instance and evaluated by IREL's concerned authority. In the second stage, financial bids of only the technically eligible offers will be opened for further evaluation and ranking before awarding the contract.

Part 1. PQ cum Techno-commercial bid:

It contains documents in support of eligibility criteria, self-attested tender document and any other document specifically specified in this tender document.

| i. | The complete Qualifying Data as required in Prequalification Criteria (PQ) |
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| ii. | Duly filled Tender documents, all Annexures & Undertaking |
| iii. | Any other technical details/documents etc. required to be submitted by the bidder as contained in the bid document |

Part 2. Price Bid (to be submitted electronically).

This part shall contain only Schedule of prices duly filled in as per the Bid Proposal Schedules. No physical submission of hard copy is permitted.

Method of selection:

PQ cum Techno-commercial bid will be evaluated and bidders meeting the criteria and other tender conditions will be qualified as eligible bidders for opening of the price bids. The price bids opened subsequently will be scrutinized for responsiveness and IREL shall consider placement of order on the qualified bidder, whose offer shall be overall lowest. However, IREL reserves the right to accept or reject all or any tender without assigning any reasons and does not bind itself to accept the lowest offer.

Note: To assist in the examination of documents submitted by the bidder in support of eligibility criteria (PQ), IREL may, at its discretion, ask the Bidder for clarification of its bid. The request for clarification and the response shall be in writing and no change in the price or substance of the bid shall be sought, offered or permitted.

5. Scope of Work:

The Scope of work includes removing existing MS angular frame work structure for potted plants and providing, fabricating, welding and fixing in position horizontal and vertical framework with MS rectangular hollow tubes, welded with base plate fixed with anchor fastener to existing RCC structure; providing and welding new MS sheet - 18 gauge thick to new frame work structure; welding existing MS sheet to new frame work structure; providing and fixing in position MS sheet door with all fittings, all finish with one cost of priming coat of approved steel primer (red oxide); all labour, material, transportation etc. all complete and finished to the satisfaction of Engineer-In-Charge. Refer sketch drawing (Annexure 1) for first hand information. Bidders shall visit the site to obtain all relevant information required for satisfactory completion of job before submitting their bid.

All works shall be carried out as per relevant IS code and as per CPWD specifications. The total estimated cost is given in Schedule of Quantities and enclosed as Annexure 2.

Any damage to the installation(s)/building due to the carelessness on the part of contractor's staff shall be the responsibility of contractor and shall be replaced/rectified without any extra cost.

6. Period of work:

The work shall be completed within 15 days from the date of acceptance of order. On weekdays, work shall be carried out after office hours. Interested bidder shall visit the site and obtain all relevant information from EIC before participating in tender.

7. Instructions to bidder regarding percentage rate tender:

I. In Percentage Rate Tenders, contractor shall fill up the BOQ form, stating at what percentage below/above (in figures as well as in words) the total estimated cost given in Schedule of Quantities at Annexure 2, he will be willing to execute the work. The tender submitted shall be treated as invalid if :-

(a) The contractor does not quote percentage above/below on the total amount of tender or any section/sub head of the tender.

(b) The percentage above/below is not quoted in figures & words both on the total amount of tender or any section/sub head of the tender.

(c) The percentage quoted above/below is different in figures & words on the total amount of tender or any section/sub head of the tender.

Tenders, which propose any alteration in the work specified in the said form of invitation to tender, or in the time allowed for carrying out the work, or which contain any other conditions of any sort including conditional rebates, will be summarily rejected.

In case the lowest tendered amount (estimated cost + amount worked on the basis of percentage above/below) of two or more contractors is same, such lowest contractors will be asked to submit sealed revised offer in the form of letter mentioning percentage above/ below on estimated cost of tender including all sub sections/sub heads as the case may be, but the revised percentage quoted above/below on tendered cost or on each sub section/ sub head should not be higher than the percentage quoted at the time of submission of tender. The lowest tender shall be decided on the basis of revised offers.

In case any of such contractors refuses to submit revised offer, then it shall be treated as withdrawal of his tender before acceptance and 50% of earnest money shall be forfeited.

In case all the lowest contractors those have quoted same tendered amount, refuse to submit revised offers, then tenders are to be recalled after forfeiting 50% of EMD of each contractor. Contractor(s), whose earnest money is forfeited because of non-submission of revised offer, shall not be allowed to participate in the re-tendering process of the work.

The officer inviting tenders shall have the right of rejecting all or any of the tenders and will not be bound to accept the lowest or any other tender.

II. In case of Percentage Rate Tenders only percentage quoted shall be considered. Any tender containing item rates is liable to be rejected. Percentage quoted by the contractor in percentage rate tender shall be accurately filled in figures and words, so that there is no discrepancy.

| 1. | Works to be carried | The work to be carried out under the Contract shall, except as |
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| | out | otherwise provided in these conditions, include all labourers, materials, tools, plants, equipment and transport which may be required in preparation of and for and in the full and entire execution and completion of the works. The descriptions given in the Schedule of Quantities (Annexure 1) shall, unless otherwise stated, be held to include wastage on materials, carriage and cartage, carrying and return of empties, hoisting, setting, fitting and fixing in position and all other labours necessary in and for the full and entire execution and completion of the work as aforesaid in accordance with good practice and recognized principles. |
| 2. | Sufficiency of | The Contractor shall be deemed to have satisfied himself before |
| | Tender | tendering as to the correctness and sufficiency of his tender for the works and of the rates and prices quoted in the Schedule of Quantities, which rates and prices shall, except as otherwise provided, cover all his obligations under the Contract and all matters and things necessary for the proper completion and maintenance of the works. |
| 3. | Time is the essence | The time allowed for execution of the work as specified in the |
| | of the contract | tender shall be the essence of the Contract i.e. the contract period will not be extended. If the contractor commits default in commencing the execution of the work as aforesaid the performance guarantee shall be forfeited by the Engineer in Charge and shall be absolutely at the disposal of the Government without prejudice to any other right or remedy available in law. |
| 4. | Contractor to keep | The droppings from welding electrode, small pieces of metal |
| | Site Clean | waste, primer paint etc., on walls, floor, windows, etc shall be removed and the surface cleaned simultaneously with the completion of these items of work in the individual rooms, |

8. Special Conditions of Contract (SCOC):

| | | quarters or premises etc. where the work is done; without waiting for the actual completion of all the other items of work in the contract. In case the contractor fails to comply with the requirements of this clause, the Engineer-in- Charge shall have the right to get this work done at the cost of the contractor either departmentally or through any other agency. Before taking such action, the Engineer-in- Charge shall give two days notice in writing to the contractor. |
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| 5. Materials to be T provided by the re Contractor a m ir s re th th | The contractor shall, at his own expense, provide all materials, required for the works other than those which are stipulated to be supplied by IREL. The contractor shall, at his own expense and without delay; supply to the Engineer-in- Charge samples of materials to be used on the work and shall get these approved in advance. All such materials to be provided by the Contractor shall be in conformity with the specifications laid down or referred to in the contract. The contractor shall, if requested by the Engineer-in- Charge furnish proof, to the satisfaction of the Engineer-in-Charge that the materials so comply. | |
| | | The Contractor shall at his risk and cost submit the samples of materials to be tested or analyzed and shall not make use of or incorporate in the work any materials represented by the samples until the sample is approved and accepted by the Engineer-in-Charge. The Contractor shall not be eligible for any claim or compensation either arising out of any delay in the work or due to any corrective measures required to be taken on account of approving of sample materials. |
| | | The contractor shall, at his risk and cost, make all arrangements and shall provide all facilities as the Engineer-in-Charge may require for collecting, and preparing the required number of samples and bear all charges and cost of testing unless specifically provided for otherwise elsewhere in the contract or specifications. The Engineer -in- Charge or his authorized representative shall at all times have access to the works and the contractor shall afford every facility and all assistance in obtaining the right to such access. |
| | | The Engineer-in-Charge shall have full powers to require the removal from the premises of all materials which in his opinion are not in accordance with the specifications and in case of default, the Engineer-in-Charge shall be at liberty to employ at the expense of the contractor, other persons to remove the same without being answerable or accountable for any loss or damage that may happen or arise to such materials. The Engineer-in-Charge shall also have full powers to require other proper materials to be substituted thereof and in case of default, the Engineer-in-Charge may cause the same to be supplied and all costs which may attend such removal and substitution shall be borne by the Contractor. |

| 6. | Work to be | The contractor shall execute the whole and every part of the |
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| | Executed | work in the most substantial and workmanlike manner both as |
| | in Accordance with | regards materials and otherwise in every respect in strict accordance with the relevant IS codes and as per CPWD |
| | Technical | specifications. The contractor shall also conform exactly, fully |
| | Specifications, | and faithfully to the instructions in writing in respect of the work assigned by the Engineer-in-Charge. |
| | CPWD | The contractor shall comply with the provisions of the contract |
| | Specifications, EIC | The contractor shall comply with the provisions of the contract and with the care and diligence execute and maintain the works |
| | Orders | and provide all labour and materials, tools and plants including |
| | etc. | for measurements and supervision of all works, structural plans and other things of temporary or permanent nature required for |
| | | such execution and maintenance in so far as the necessity for providing these, is specified or is reasonably inferred from the contract. |
| | | The Contractor shall take full responsibility for adequacy, suitability and safety of all the works and methods of construction. |
| 7. | Action where no | In the case of any class of work for which there is no such specifications as referred to in technical specification and CPWD |
| | Specifications are | specifications, such work shall be carried out in accordance with |
| | Specified | the Bureau of Indian Standards Specifications. In case there are no such specifications in Bureau of Indian Standards, the work |
| | | shall be carried out as per manufacturers' specifications. In case |
| | | there are no such specifications as required above, the work shall be carried out in all respects in accordance with the |
| | | instructions and requirements of the Engineer-in-Charge |
| 8. | Contractor to | The contractor shall provide at his own cost all materials, machinery, tools & plants for satisfactory execution of work. In |
| | Supply | addition to this, ladders, cordage, tackle, scaffolding and |
| | Tools & Plants etc. | temporary works required for the proper execution of the work, whether original, altered or substituted and whether included in the specifications or other documents forming part of the contract or referred to in these conditions or not, or which may be necessary for the purpose of satisfying or complying with the requirements of the Engineer-in-Charge as to any matter as to which under these conditions he is entitled to be satisfied, or which he is entitled to require together with carriage therefore to and from the work. The contractor shall also supply without charge the requisite number of persons with the means and materials, necessary for the purpose of setting out works, and counting, weighing and assisting the measurement for examination at any time and from time to time of the work or materials. Failing his so doing, the same may be provided by the Engineer-in- Charge at the expense of the contractor and the expenses may be deducted, from any money due to the contractor, under this contract or otherwise and/or from his security deposit or the proceeds of sale thereof, or of a sufficient portions thereof. |

9. Inspection of site:

Before submission of bid, the contractor shall with prior intimation to EIC inspect the IREL Corporate office situated at Plot 1207, V S Marg, Prabhadevi, Mumbai 28) on working days and fully acquaint himself about the condition with regard to accessibility of site and site nature and the extend of grounds, working condition affecting movement of labour etc., complete required for the satisfactory execution of the contract. No claim whatsoever on such account shall be entertained by the IREL in any circumstances after bid submission.

Prior to Inspection: Prospective bidder may contact EIC for this work Shri. Swaroop Biswas, DM (Est. & M), IREL (India) Limited, Corporate Office, Mumbai, Contact No. 8104997121, Email ID: swaroopbiswas@irel.co.in

10. Payment Terms:

100% Payment will be made after completion of work to the satisfaction of Engineer-In-Charge. Payment shall be made within 30 days from the date of receipt of bill.

10.1 Applicants registered as MSME / Udyog Aadhar/SSI Scheme are exempted from depositing cost of BID document / EMD provided they attach self-attested copy of the relevant certificates. The procuring Entity reserves its option to give price preference to Micro and Small Industries in comparison to the large-scale industries as per policies of the Government from time to time.

11. General Conditions of Contract

1.0 Definitions:

In the contract (as hereinafter defined), the following 'words' and 'Definitions' expression shall have the meaning hereby assigned to them except where the context otherwise requires:

- a) "Employer" means IREL (India) Limited (IREL) having its registered office at Plot No. 1207, Veer Savarkar Marg, Near Siddhi Vinayak Temple, Prabhadevi, Mumbai- 400028. The term Employer includes successors, assigns of IREL.
- b) "Contractor" means the person or persons, firm or company whose tender has been accepted by the Employer and includes the Contractors' personal representatives, successors and permitted assignees.
- c) "Engineer" means the representative of IREL or the other Engineer appointed from time to time by the Employer and notified in writing to the contractor to act as Engineer for the purposes of the contract in place of the said representative.
- d) "Engineer's Representative" means any resident engineer or assistant of the Engineer or any other employee or agent appointed from time to time by the Employer or the Engineer to perform the duties set forth in Clause 1.5 hereof and whose authority shall be notified in writing to the Contractor by the Engineer.
- e) "Work" shall mean and include all works specified or set forth and required in and by the specifications, drawing and schedule hereto annexed or to be implied therefrom or incidental thereto or to be hereafter specified or required in such explanatory instructions and drawings (being in conformity with the original specification, drawing and schedule) and also such additional instructions and drawings not in conformity as aforesaid as shall from time to time, during the progress of the work hereby contracted for, be supplied by the Employer.
- f) "Contract" means the Invitation to tender, Instructions to Tenderers, General Conditions of Contract, Special. Conditions of Contract, Specifications, Drawings. Tender Schedule showing approximate quantities, quoted rates and amount against each item, Time Schedule, Letter of Intent/Award, Tender and Contract agreement.
- g) "Contract Price" means:

In the case of Lump sum Contracts, the price payable to the Contractor as mentioned in the Contract for each line item. Price is fixed & firm during the entire duration of contract subject to price reduction clause in case of delay in performance; however, price is subject to price variation clause as per special conditions of contract, if any.

In the case of Item Rate Contracts, Rates by the item rates quoted by the tenderer and accepted by the Company for the various items.

- h) "Constructional Plant" means all appliances or things of whatsoever nature as required or about the execution, completion or maintenance of the Works or, Temporary Works (as hereafter defined) but does not include materials or other things intended to form or forming part of the permanent work or temporary housing, hutting, offices & Stores etc.
- i) "Temporary Works" means all temporary works of every kind required in or about the execution, completion or maintenance of the works.

- j) "Drawings" means the drawings referred to in the Specification and any modification of such drawings approved in writing by the Engineer and such other drawings as may from time to time be furnished or approved in writing by the Engineer.
- k) "Site "means the lands and other places envisaged by the Employer where the Works are to be executed or carried out.
- I) "Letter of Intent" is an intimation by a letter to tenderer that tender has been accepted in accordance with the provisions contained in that letter.
- m) "Approved" means approved in writing including subsequent written confirmation of previous verbal approval and "approval" means approval in writing including aforesaid.
- 1.2 **Singular & Plural**: Words importing the singular only also include the plural and vice versa where the context requires.
- 1.3 **Clause Headings or Marginal notes**: The Clause headings or marginal notes in these General Conditions shall not be deemed to be part thereof or be taken into consideration in the interpretation or construction thereof or of the contract.
- 1.4 **Specification**: The term "Specification" shall mean schedules, detailed designs, statements of technical data, performance characteristics and all such particulars mentioned as such in the contract. In the absence of any specific specifications issued by the Employer, the specifications issued by the BIS will apply.

1.5 ENGINEER-IN-CHARGE:

The Engineer-in-charge shall represent and act on behalf of IREL at all times during the currency of the all notices, instructions, orders, certificates, approvals and all other communications under this Contract shall be given by the Engineer-in-charge, except as herein otherwise provided.

The Engineer-in-charge shall have authority for

- General supervision, follow up of supply and direction of the Works
- Direction to stop the Works whenever such stoppage may be necessary to ensure the proper execution of the works
- To reject all Works and Materials which do not conform to the contract specifications.

The Engineer-in-charge shall have no authority to relieve the CONTRACTOR of any of his duties or obligations under the contract nor except as expressly provided here-in-under or elsewhere in the Contract to order any work involving delay or any extra payment by IREL or to make any variation of or in the Works.

2.0 ASSIGNMENT AND SUB-LETTING:

- 2.1 The Contractor shall not assign the Contract or any part thereof or any benefit or interest therein or thereunder (other than a charge in favour of the Contractor's Bankers of any money due or to become due under this Contract) without the prior written consent of Employer.
- 2.2 The Contractor shall not sub-let the whole or part of the Works except where otherwise provided by the Contract, and even then only with the prior written consent of the Employer and such Consent if given shall not relieve the Contractor from any liability or obligation under the contract and he shall be responsible for the acts, defaults and neglects of any Sub-contractor, his agents, servants or workmen as fully as if they were the acts, defaults

or neglects of the Contractor, his agents, servants or workmen Provided always that the provision of labour on a piecework basis shall not be deemed to be a sub- letting under this clause.

- 2.3 CONTRACTOR shall supervise and direct the work of all SUB-CONTRACTORS and shall be responsible for co-coordinating their work. If CONTRACTOR fails to correct, or commence to correct and execute the correction with due diligence of deficient or defective work performed by any SUB-CONTRACTOR within reasonable time (provided it doesn't materially impact safe operation of plant), after receipt by CONTRACTOR of a notice from EMPLOYER with respect thereto. EMPLOYER may (but shall not be obligated to), after seven days following receipt by CONTRACTOR of an additional notice, and without prejudice to any other right or remedy take all reasonable steps to remedy such defective or deficient work at risk and cost of CONTRACTOR.
- 2.4 CONTRACTOR shall require all SUB-CONTRACTORS to perform in accordance with the relevant requirements of the CONTRACT including FINAL PROPOSAL, all APPLICABLE LAWS and APPLICABLE PERMITS, Prudent Utility Practice, Good Engineering Practices, the requirements of the NIT, and all Warranties of SUB-CONTRACTORS/SUBVENDORS and Manufacturers and all insurance policies relating to the PLANT or the WORK.
- 2.5 CONTRACTOR shall be solely responsible for paying each SUB-CONTRACTOR and any other person to whom any amount is due from CONTRACTOR for services, equipment, construction equipment, materials or supplies otherwise related to the PLANT or the WORK.
- 2.6 CONTRACTOR shall take all reasonable steps and actions to ensure that such services, equipment, construction equipment, materials and supplies and the like have been or will be received, inspected and approved and that such services have been or will be properly performed.
- 2.7 EMPLOYER shall not be deemed by virtue of the CONTRACT to have any contractual obligation to or relationship with any SUB-CONTRACTOR.

3.0 EXTENT OF CONTRACT:

The Contract comprises the construction, completion and maintenance of the works and except in so far as the contract otherwise provides, the provision of all labour, materials, constructional plant, temporary works and everything whether of a temporary or permanent nature required in and for such construction, completion and maintenance.

4.0 CONTRACT DOCUMENTS: Not applicable

5.0 CONTRACT AGREEMENT: Not applicable

6.0 **MODIFICATIONS IN CONTRACT:**

All modifications leading to changes in the CONTRACT with respect to technical or commercial aspects including terms of completion period shall be considered valid only when amendment to the CONTRACT is issued by the Employer.

The modification or amendment of the CONTRACT for an adjustment in the CONTRACT PRICE and/ or COMPLETION DATE in accordance with the applicable provision of the CONTRACT, if any, shall be subject to mutual agreement.

IREL shall not be bound by any printed conditions or provisions in the CONTRACTOR's bid forms or acknowledgement of CONTRACT and other documents which support to impose any condition at variance with or supplemental to CONTRACT.

7.0 USE OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS AND INFORMATION:

- 7.1 The CONTRACTOR shall not, without the IREL's prior written consent, disclose the CONTRACT or any provision thereof, or any specification, plan, drawing, pattern, sample or information furnished by or on behalf of the IREL in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the CONTRACTOR in the performance of the CONTRACT. Disclosure to any such employed person shall be made in confidence and shall extend only so far as may be necessary for purpose of such performance.
- 7.2 The CONTRACTOR shall not without the IREL's prior written consent, make use of any document or information enumerated in Clause 7.1 except for purpose of performing the CONTRACT.
- 7.3 Any document other than CONTRACT, itself, enumerated in Clause 7.1 shall remain the property of the IREL and shall be returned (all copies) to the IREL on completion of the CONTRACTOR's performance under the CONTRACT, if so required by the IREL.

7.4 CONTRACTOR TO INFORM HIMSELF FULLY:

The CONTRACTOR in fixing his rate shall for all purpose whatsoever reason may be, deemed to have himself independently obtained all necessary information for the purpose of preparing his tender and his tender as accepted shall be deemed to have taken into account all contingencies as may arise due to such information or lack of same. The correctness of the details, given in the Tender Document to help the CONTRACTOR to make up the tender is not guaranteed.

The CONTRACTOR shall be deemed to have examined the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS. to have generally obtained his own information in all matters whatsoever that might affect the carrying out of the works at the schedules rates and to have satisfied himself to the sufficiency of his tender. Any error in description of quantity or omission there from shall not vitiate the CONTRACT or release the CONTRACTOR from executing the work comprised in the CONTRACT according to DRAWINGS and SPECIFICATIONS at the scheduled rates. He is deemed to have known the scope, nature and magnitude of the WORKS and the requirements of materials and labour involved etc., and as to what all works he has to complete in accordance with the CONTRACT documents whatever be the defects, omissions or errors that may be found in the DOCUMENTS. The CONTRACTOR shall be deemed to have visited surroundings, to have satisfied himself to the nature of all existing structures, if any, and also as to the nature and the conditions of the Railways, Roads, Bridges and Culverts, means of transport and communication, whether by land, water or air, and as to possible interruptions thereto and the access and egress from the site, to have made enguiries, examined and satisfied himself as to the sites for obtaining sand, stones, bricks and other materials, the sites for disposal of surplus materials, the available accommodation as to whatever required, depots and such other buildings as may be necessary for executing and completing the works, to have made local independent enquiries as to the sub-soil, subsoil water and variations thereof, storms, prevailing winds, climatic conditions and all other similar matters affecting these works. He is deemed to have acquainted himself as to his liability of payment of Government Taxes, Customs duty and other charges, levies etc.

Any neglect or omission or failure on the part of the CONTRACTOR in obtaining necessary and reliable information upon the foregoing or any other matters affecting the CONTRACT

shall not relieve him from any risks or liabilities or the entire responsibility from completion of the works at the scheduled rates and times in strict accordance with the CONTRACT.

It is, therefore, expected that should the CONTRACTOR have any doubt as to the meaning of any portion of the CONTRACT DOCUMENT, he shall set forth the particulars thereof in writing to IREL in duplicate, before submission of tender. IREL may provide such clarification as may be necessary in writing to CONTRACTOR, such clarifications as provided by IREL shall form part of CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.

No verbal agreement or inference from conversation with any effect or employee of the IREL before, during or after the execution of the CONTRACT AGREEMENT shall in any way affect or modify and of the terms or obligations herein contained. Any change in layout due to site conditions or technological requirement shall be binding on the CONTRACTOR and no extra claim on this account shall be entertained.

7.5 GENERAL INFORMATION:

- a) **Location of Site:** The proposed location of Project site is defined in the Special Conditions of Contract.
- b) Access by Road: CONTRACTOR, if necessary, shall build other temporary access roads to the actual site of construction for his own work at his own cost. The CONTRACTOR shall be required to permit the use of the roads so constructed by him for vehicles of any other parties who may be engaged on the project site. The CONTRACTOR shall also facilitate the construction of the permanent roads should the construction there of start while he is engaged on this work. He shall make allowance in his tender for any inconvenience he anticipates on such account. Non-availability of access roads, railway siding and railway wagons for the use of the CONTRACTOR shall in no case condone any delay in the execution of WORK nor be the cause for any claim for compensation against the EMPLOYER.
- c) **Scope of Work:** The scope of WORK is defined in the Technical Part of the tender document. The CONTRACTOR shall provide all necessary materials, equipment, labour etc. for the execution and maintenance of the WORK till completion unless otherwise mentioned in the Tender Document.
- d) **Water Supply:** Contractor will have to make his own arrangements for supply of water to his labour camps and for works. All pumping installations, pipe network and distribution system will have to be carried out by the Contractor at his own risk and cost. Alternatively, IREL at his discretion may endeavour to provide water to the Contractor at its source of supply provided the Contractor makes arrangement for pipe networks from source of supply and such distribution pipe network shall have prior approval of the Engineer-in-Charge so as not to interfere with the layout and progress of the other construction works. In such case, the rate for water shall be deducted from the running account bills (Subject to rate of deduction specifically mentioned in the tender, if any). However, IREL does not guarantee the supply of water and this does not relieve the Contractor of his responsibility in making his own arrangement and for the timely completion of the various works as stipulated.
- e) **Power Supply:** Subject to availability, IREL will supply power at 400/440 V at only one point at the nearest sub-station, from where the CONTRACTOR will make his own arrangement for temporary distribution. The point of supply will not be more than 500 m away from the CONTRACTOR'S premises. All the works will be done as per the applicable regulations and passed by the ENGINEER-IN-CHARGE. The temporary line will be removed forthwith after the completion of work or if there is any hindrance caused to the other works due to the alignment of these lines, the CONTRACTOR will re-route or remove

the temporary lines at his own cost. The CONTRACTOR at his cost will also provide suitable electric meters, fuses, switches, etc. for purposes of payment to IREL which should be in the custody and control of the IREL. The cost of power supply shall be payable to IREL every month for Construction Works which would be deducted from the running account bills (subject to rate of deduction specifically mentioned in the tender, if any). IREL shall not, however, guarantee the supply of electricity nor have any liability in respect thereof. No claim for compensation for any failure or short supply of electricity will be admissible.

It shall be the responsibility of the CONTRACTOR to provide and maintain the complete installation on the load side of the supply with due regard to safety requirement at site. All cabling, equipment, installations etc. shall comply in all respects with the latest statutory requirements and safety provisions, i.e., as per the Central/State Electricity Acts and Rules etc. The CONTRACTOR will ensure that his equipment and Electrical Wiring etc., are installed, modified, maintained by a licensed Electrician/Supervisor. A test certificate is to be produced to the ENGINEER-IN-CHARGE for his approval, before power is made available.

At all times, IEA regulations shall be followed failing which the IREL has a right to disconnect the power supply without any reference to the CONTRACTOR. No claim shall be entertained for such disconnection by the ENGINEER-IN-CHARGE. Power supply will be reconnected only after production of fresh certificate from authorized electrical supervisors.

The IREL is not liable for any loss or damage to the CONTRACTOR's equipment as a result of variation in voltage or frequency or interruption in power supply or other loss to the CONTRACTOR arising therefrom.

The total requirement of power shall be indicated by the tenderer along with his tender.

7.6 STANDARDS:

The goods and services supplied under this CONTRACT shall conform to the standards mentioned in the technical specifications and when no applicable standard is mentioned, CONTRACTOR shall follow best engineering practices.

7.7 PRIORITY OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS:

Except if and the extent otherwise provided by the Contract, the provisions of the General Conditions of Contract and Special Conditions shall prevail over those of any other documents forming part of the CONTRACT. Several documents forming the CONTRACT are to be taken as mutually explanatory of one another, but in case of ambiguities or discrepancies the same shall be explained and adjusted by the ENGINEER-IN-CHARGE who shall thereupon issue to the Contractor instructions thereon and in such event, unless otherwise provided in the Contract, the priority of the documents forming the Contract shall be as follows :

- 1) The Contract Agreement;
- 2) The Letter of Acceptance;
- 3) The Instructions to Bidders(ITB);
- 4) Special Conditions of Contract (SCC);
- 5) General Conditions of Contract (GCC)

6) Any other document forming part of the Contract.

Works shown in the DRAWING but not mentioned in the SPECIFICATIONS or described in the SPECIFICATIONS without being shown in the DRAWINGS shall nevertheless be deemed to be included in the same manner as if they had been specifically shown upon the DRAWINGS and described in the SPECIFICATIONS.

7.8 SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT:

Special Conditions of Contract shall be read in conjunction with the General Conditions of Contract, specification of Work, Drawings and any other documents forming part of this CONTRACT wherever the context so requires. Notwithstanding the sub-division of the documents into these separate sections and volumes, every part of each shall be deemed to be supplementary to and complementary of every other part and shall be read with and into the CONTRACT so far as it may be practicable to do so.

Where any portion of the General Conditions of Contract is repugnant to or at variance with any provisions of the Special Conditions of Contract, unless a different intention appears, the provisions of the Special Conditions of Contract shall be deemed to over-ride the provisions of the General Conditions of Contract and shall to the extent of such repugnancy, or variations, prevail

8.0 **PATENT INFRINGEMENT: - Not applicable**

9.0 INDEMNITIES:

9.1 INDEMNIFICATION FOR LIABILITIES:

9.1.1 CONTRACTOR INDEMNIFICATION FOR LIABILITIES:

To the fullest extent permitted by Law, CONTRACTOR assumes liability for and agrees to indemnify, protect, save and hold harmless IREL from and against any and all Liabilities (including, any strict liability), arising out of acts or omissions of CONTRACTOR or its personnel or its agents in the performance of its obligations under the CONTRACT causing bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, damage to or loss of any property, and whether or not involving damage to WORKS or SITE that may be imposed on, suffered or incurred by or asserted against IREL and in any way relating to or arising out of

- (i) WORK, any EQUIPMENT
- the presence, discharge, treatment, storage, transportation, disposal, escape or release of any Hazardous Substance, or the threat thereof, at, to or from SITE after commencement of work (any hazardous substance already existing at SITE before commencement of WORK excluded)
- (iii) The performance of WORK, or as a result of personal injuries (including wrongful death);
- (iv) the violation by CONTRACTOR or any SUB-CONTRACTOR/ VENDOR of any Government Approval or applicable Law;
- (v) Any breach of CONTRACT with any SUB-CONTRACTOR/VENDOR, provided, however, that CONTRACTOR shall not be required under this Clause to indemnify IREL for any liability arising out of or resulting from events or circumstances occurring or existing after PRELIMINARY ACCEPTANCE OF PLANT except where the liability arises from an act or omission of CONTRACTOR or any SUB-CONTRACTOR/VENDOR or any other Person directly or indirectly employed by either of them or anyone for whose acts either of them may be liable that was a contributory cause of such liability.

9.1.2 CONTRACTOR INDEMNIFICATION FOR TAXES:

It is specifically understood that CONTRACTOR hereby accepts and assumes exclusive liability for and save and hold IREL harmless from and against of all Taxes arising from the performance of WORK, and all such Taxes shall be deemed to be included in CONTRACT PRICE, except for GST. GST at applicable rate is payable extra. Seller need to prepare E-Invoice under GST and submit monthly/ quarterly GST Return as per GST Rules. Failure to submit GST Return on time as per GST Rules may result into deduction of GST while processing Bills.

9.1.3 INDEMNIFICATION BY SUB-CONTRACTOR/VENDOR:

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from each SUB-CONTRACTOR/VENDOR, which is an affiliate, and shall use all reasonable efforts to obtain from each SUB-CONTRACTOR/ VENDOR, an indemnification materially similar in form and substance to Clause-9.1.1 and Clause-9.1.2 of which the IREL shall be named as beneficiary.

9.1.4 PAYMENT OF AMOUNTS UNDER THIS CLAUSE:

Except to the extent covered by insurance, all amounts payable and due by CONTRACTOR to IREL under this Clause shall be deducted from CONTRACT PRICE or any other amounts owed by IREL to CONTRACTOR here under. If such amounts payable by IREL to CONTRACTOR are less than the amounts payable and due by CONTRACTOR under this Clause, CONTRACTOR shall be liable to IREL for such excess and shall pay such amount to IREL immediately upon demand.

9.1.5 PERMITS AND CERTIFICATES:

CONTRACTOR shall procure, at its expense, all necessary permits, certificates and licences required by virtue of all applicable laws, regulations, ordinances and other rules in force at the place where any of the works is to be performed, and CONTRACTOR further agrees to hold IREL harmless from liability or penalty which might be imposed by reason of any asserted or established violation of such laws, regulations, ordinances or other rule. IREL shall provide the necessary permits for CONTRACTOR's personnel to undertake any work in India in connection with CONTRACT.

9.1.6 MECHANICS LIEN:

CONTRACTOR agrees to indemnify and hold harmless IREL against all labourer's material, men's and/or mechanics liens arising from its work, and shall keep the premises of IREL free from all such claims, liens and encumbrances.

10.0 WORK TO BE TO THE SATISFACTION OF ENGINEER:

The Contractor shall execute, complete and maintain the Works in strict accordance with the contract, to the satisfaction of the Engineer and shall comply with and adhere strictly to the Engineer's instructions and direction on any matter (whether mentioned in the Contract or not). The Contractor shall take instructions and directions only from the Engineer or from the Engineer's representative on any matter touching or concerning the Works.

11.0 PROGRAMME TO BE FURNISHED: Not applicable

12.0 Contractors Superintendence:

The Contractor shall give and provide all necessary superintendence during the execution of the works and as long thereafter as the Engineer may consider necessary for the proper

fulfilling of the Contractor's Obligation under the contract. The Contractor or one of his competent and authorised agent approved of in writing by the Engineer (which approval may at any time be withdrawn) is to be constantly on the Works and shall give his whole time to the superintendence of the same. If such approval shall be withdrawn by the Engineer, the Contractor shall as soon as is practicable (having regard to the requirement of replacing him as here-in-after mentioned) after receiving written notice of such withdrawal, remove the agent from the Site and shall not thereafter employ him again on the Site in any capacity and shall replace him by another agent approved by the Engineer, Such authorised agent shall receive on behalf of the Contractor directions and instructions from the Engineer or (subject to the limitations of Clause 2 hereof) the Engineer's representative.

13.0 CONTRACTOR'S EMPLOYEE:

The Contractor shall provide and employ on the Site in connection with execution and maintenance of the Works.

- (a) Only such technical assistants and other staff as are skilled and experienced in their respective callings and such sub-agents, foreman and loading hands as are competent to give proper supervision to the work they are required to supervise and
- (b) Such skilled, semi-skilled and unskilled labour as is necessary for the proper and timely execution and maintenance of the Works.
- 13.1 The Engineer shall be at liberty to object to and require the Contractor to remove forthwith from the Works any person employed by the Contractor in or about the execution or maintenance of the Works who in the opinion of the Engineer misconducts himself or incompetent or negligent in the proper performance of his duties or whose employment is other-wise considered by the Engineer to be undesirable and such person shall not be again employed upon the Works without the written permission of the Engineer. Any person so removed from the Works shall be replaced without delay by a competent substitute approved by the Engineer.

14.0 EXTRA SUPERVISION ON WORK:

If in the opinion the Engineer, due progress is not made with the work in accordance with the contract, and or the execution thereof becomes contrary to specifications, and/or bad work is executed and/or bad materials are used or supplied by the Contractor, and/or any directions given by the Engineer are not properly complied with or attended to, the Engineer may if he considers it necessary or proper for the execution of the work in accordance with the contract, of which his certificate in writing will be sufficient evidence order the employment of extra supervising staff to supervise the work and the expenses of the employment including the salary of the supervising staff shall be provided by the Contractor, provided that the Engineer shall give to the Contractor not less than 7 days previous notice in writing of intention to exercise his power.

15.0 SETTING-OUT OF THE WORKS:

The Contractor shall be responsible for the true and proper setting out of the Works and the correctness of the position levels, dimensions and alignment of all parts of the Works and for the provision of all necessary instrument appliances and labour in connection therewith. If at any time during the progress of the works, any error shall appear or arise in the position, levels, dimensions or alignment of any part of the Works, the Contractor on being required so to do by the Engineer or Engineers representative shall at his own expense rectify such error to the satisfaction of the Engineer or Engineer's representative unless such error is based on incorrect data supplied in writing by the Engineer or the Engineer's representative in which case the expense of rectifying the same shall be borne by the Employer. The checking of any setting out or of any line or level by the Engineer or the Engineer's representative shall not in any way relieve the Contractor of his responsibility for the correctness thereof and the Contractor shall carefully protect and preserve all bench marks, site rails, pegs and other things used in setting out the works.

16.0 USE OF EXPLOSIVES: Not applicable

17.0 CARE OF WORKS:

The Contractor shall in connection with the Works provide and maintain at his own cost all lights, guards, fencing and watching when and where necessary or required by the Engineer or Engineer's representative or by a duly constituted authority for the protection of the Works or for the safety and convenience of the Public or others.

17.1 From the commencement to the completion of the Works, the Contractor shall take full responsibility or the care thereof and of all Temporary Works and in case any damage, loss or injury shall happen to the Works or to any part thereof or to any temporary Works from any cause whatsoever (save and except the excepted risks as defined in sub-clause (2) of the clause) shall at his own cost repair and make good the same so that at completion the Works shall be in good order and condition and in conformity in every respect with the requirements of the Contract and the Engineer's instructions. In the event of any such damage, loss or injury happening from any of the excepted risks the Contractor shall if and to the extent required by the contractor shall also be liable for any damage to the Works occasioned by him in the course of any operations carried out by him for the purpose of complying with his obligations under Clause 58 hereof.

17.2 EXCEPTED RISKS:

The "excepted risks" mentioned in Sub-clause (1) above are war hostilities (whether war be declared or not), invasion act of foreign enemies, rebellion, revolution, insurrection of military or usurped power, civil war or (otherwise than among the Contractor's own employees) riot, commotion or disorder or any such operation of the forces of nature as responsible foresight and ability on the part of Contractor could not foresee or reasonably provide against (all of which are herein collectively referred to as "the excepted risks".)

18. USE OF LAND & BUILDINGS: Not applicable

19.0 DAMAGES TO PERSONS AND PROPERTY:

- 19.1 The Contractor shall (except if and so far as the Specification provided otherwise) indemnify and keep indemnified the IREL against all losses and claims for injuries or damages to any person or any property whatsoever which may arise out of or in consequence of the construction and maintenance of the works and against all claims, demands, proceedings, damages, costs charges and expenses whatsoever in respect of or in relation thereto. Provided always that nothing hereby contained shall be deemed to render the Contractor liable for or in respect of or to indemnify the IREL against any compensation or damages for or with respect to:
 - (a) The permanent use or occupation of land by the works or any part thereof (save as herein -after provided) surface or other damage as aforesaid i.e. surface or other damage caused by contract works in the normal course.
 - (b) The right of the IREL to construct the Works or any part thereof on over under in or through any land.

(c) Interference whether temporary or permanent with any right to light, air, way or water or other easement or quasi-easement which is unavoidable result of the construction of the Works in accordance with the Contract.

Provided further that for the purposes of this clause, the expression "the land" shall be deemed to be limited to the area defined in the specification as shown on the drawings in which land crops, trees and structures will be disturbed or damaged as an inevitable consequence of the carrying out of the Works.

20.0 ACCIDENT OR INJURY TO WORKMEN:

- (a) The employer shall not be liable for or in respect of any damages or compensation payable as per or otherwise in respect of or in consequence of any accident or injury to any workmen or other persons in the employment of the Contractor or any Sub-Contractor and the Contractor shall indemnify and keep indemnified the Employer against all such damages and compensation and against all claims, demands, proceedings, cost, charges and expenses whatsoever in respect thereof in relation there to.
- (b) The Contractor shall forthwith report all accidents and injuries as a result of his contractual work to the employer or his representative.

21.0 WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT:

The Contractor shall at all times indemnify the Employer against all claims for compensation under the provision of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923 (VIII of 1923) or any other law for the time being in force by or in respect of any workmen employed by the Contractor in carrying out the contract and against all costs and expenses incurred by the employer in connection therewith and (without prejudice to any other means of recovery) the employer shall be entitled to deduct from any money due or to become due to the Contractor (whether under this contract or any other contract) all moneys paid or payable by the Employer by way of compensation aforesaid or for costs or expenses in connection with any claim thereto and the Contractor shall abide by the decision of the Employer as to the sum payable by the Contract, under the provision of this clause.

22.0 GIVING OF NOTICE AND PAYMENT OF FEES:

22.1 The Contractor shall give, all notices and pay all fees required to be given or paid to any Central or State, Statute, Ordinance or other Law or any rule, Regulation or Bye-Law of local or other duly constituted authority in relation to the execution of the Works or of any temporary works and by the rules and regulations of all public bodies whose property or rights are affected or may be affected in any way by the works or any Temporary Works.

22.2 COMPLIANCE WITH STATUTES REGULATIONS ETC.:

The Contractor shall conform in all respects with the provision of any such statute, ordinance, or Law as aforesaid and the rules, Regulations or Bye-laws of any local or other duly constituted authority which may be applicable to the Works or to any Temporary Works and with such rules and regulations of public bodies as aforesaid and shall keep the employer indemnify against all penalties and liability of every kind for breach of any such Statute, Ordinance, Law, Rules, Regulation or Bye-laws.

23. FOSSILS ETC.: Not applicable

24. PATENT RIGHTS & ROYALTIES: Not applicable

25 INTERFERENCE WITH TRAFFIC ADJOINING PROPERTIES.

All operations necessary for the execution of the Works and for the construction of any Temporary works shall so far as compliance with the requirements of the Contract permits be carried on so as not to interfere unnecessarily or improperly with the Public convenience or the access to use and occupation of public or private roads and footpaths or to or properties whether in the possession of the Employer's Workmen or of any other person and Contractor shall save harmless and indemnify employer in respect of all claims, demands, proceeding, damages, costs, charges and expenses whatsoever arising out of or in relation to any such matters.

26. EXTRAORDINARY TRAFFIC: Not applicable

27. OPPORTUNITIES FOR OTHER CONTRACTORS:

The Contractor shall in accordance with the requirements of the Engineer afford all reasonable opportunities for carrying out their work to any other contractors employed by the Employer and their workmen and to the workmen of the Employer and of any other duly constituted authorities who may be employed in the execution on or near the site of any work not included in the Contract or of any Contract which the Employer may enter into in connection with or ancillary to the works.

28. SUPPLY OF PLANT, MATERIAL AND LABOUR:

Except where otherwise specified the Contractor shall at his own expense supply and provide all the Constructional Plant, Temporary Works, materials both for temporary and for permanent Works, labour (including the supervision thereof), transport to or from the Site and in and about the Works and other things of every kind required for the constructions, completion and maintenance of the Works.

29. DELAY IN OBTAINING MATERIALS BY THE EMPLOYER: Not applicable

30. SITE CLEARANCE ON COMPLETION OF WORK:

On the completion of the work all rubbish, debris, vats tanks, materials, and temporary structures of any sort or kind used for the purpose of or connected with its construction are to be removed by the Contractor and all pits and excavations filled up and the site handed over in a tidy and workman like condition and no final payment in settlement of the account for the said work shall be held to be due or shall be made to the Contractor, till such site clearance shall have been effected by him, and such clearance may be made by the Engineer, at the expense of the Contractor in the event of his failure to comply with this provision within 7 days after receiving notice in writing from the Engineer to that effect. If it becomes necessary for the Engineer to have the site cleared as indicated above at the expense of the Contractor, the Employer shall under no circumstances, be held liable for any losses or damages to such of Contractor's property as may be on such site due to such removal there from which removal may be effected by means of public sale of such materials and property or in such way as seems fit and most convenient to the Engineer.

31. RETURN OF SURPLUS MATERIALS: Not applicable

WORK MATERIAL AND PLANT

32. QUALITY OF MATERIAL & WORKMANSHIP AND TESTS:

All materials and workmanship shall be of the respective kinds described in the Contract and in accordance with the Engineer's instructions and shall be subjected from time to time to such tests as the Engineer may direct at the place of manufacture or fabrication or on the Site or at all or any of such places. The Contractor shall provide such assistance, instruments, machines, labour and materials as are normally required for examining, measuring and testing any work and the quality, quantity or weight of any material used and shall supply samples of materials before incorporation in the Works for testing as may be selected and required by the Engineer.

Cost of samples: All samples shall be supplied by the Contractor at his cost.

Cost of tests: The cost of making any test in performance of his works shall be borne by the Contractor.

Cost of tests not provided for:

If any test is ordered by the Engineer which is either,

- a. not so intended or provided or
- b. is not so particularised for or
- c. though so intended or provided for is ordered by the Engineer to be carried by an independent person at any place other than the Site or the place of manufacture or fabrication of the materials tested. Then the cost of such test shall be borne by the Contractor if the test shows the workmanship of materials not to be in accordance with the provisions of the Contract or the Engineer's instructions but otherwise by the Employer.

33. ACCESS TO SITE:

The Employer/Engineer and any person authorised by him shall at all times have access to the Works and to the Site and to all workshops and places where work is being prepared or where materials, manufactured articles or machinery are being obtained for the Works and the Contractor shall afford every facility for and every assistance in or in obtaining the right to such access.

34. INSPECTION, TESTING AND EXPEDITING:

- 34.1 The EMPLOYER or his representatives shall have their right to inspect and/or to test the goods to conform to the specifications laid down in the CONTRACT. The SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT and/ or the TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS shall specify what inspections and test the EMPLOYER requires and where they are to be conducted. The EMPLOYER shall notify the CONTRACTOR in writing of the identity of any other representatives retained for this purpose. Expediting by EMPLOYER's representative in no way relieves the CONTRACTOR of his obligation under the terms and conditions of this CONTRACT.
- 34.2 The inspections and tests may be conducted on the premises of the CONTRACTOR or his SUB-CONTRACTOR at point of completion and/or at the good's final destination.

When conducted on the premises of the CONTRACTOR or his SUB-CONTRACTOR, all reasonable facilities and assistances including access to drawings and production data shall be furnished to the inspector at no charge to the EMPLOYER.

- 34.3 CONTRACTOR shall be held responsible for any possible delay in the approval or testing phase as well as for any possible delay in the remittance of necessary certificates. Delay on the part of the Inspection institutions will not be considered a case of 'Force Majeure'
- 34.4 Participation or presence of EMPLOYER or their representatives at any tests or their failure to be present at or to witness any tests to be undertaken pursuant here to shall not in any way or manner relieve or release the CONTRACTOR from any of its warranties, guarantees or other obligations under the CONTRACT.
- 34.5 Copies of all test results/report of the tests shall be furnished promptly by the CONTRACTOR to EMPLOYER.

35.1 EXAMINATION OF WORK BEFORE COVERING UP:

No work shall be covered up or put out of view without the approval of the Engineer or the Engineer's representative and the Contractor shall afford full opportunity for the Engineer or the Engineer's representative to examine and measure any work which is about to be covered up or put out of view and to examine foundations before permanent work is over, any such work or foundations is or are ready or about to be ready for examination and the Engineer's representative shall without unreasonable delay unless he considers it unnecessary and advises the Contractor accordingly attend for the purpose of examining and measuring such work or of examining such foundations.

35.2 UNCOVERING & MAKING OPENINGS:

The Contractor shall uncover any part or parts of the Works or make opening in or through same as the Engineer may from time to time direct and shall reinstate and make good such part or parts to the satisfaction of the Engineer. If any such part or parts have been covered up or put out of view after compliance with the requirements of subclause(I) of this Clause and are found to be executed in accordance with the Contract, the expenses of uncovering making opening in or through reinstating and making good the same shall be borne by the Employer but in any other case all such expenses shall be borne by the Contractor and shall be recoverable from him by the Employer or may be deducted by the Employer from any moneys due or which may become due to the Contractor.

36. REMOVAL OF IMPROPER WORK & MATERIALS:

The Engineer shall during the progress of the Works have power to order in writing from time to time:

- (a) the removal from the Site within such time or times as may be specified in the order of any materials which in the opinion of the Engineer are not in accordance with the contract,
- (b) the substitution of proper and suitable materials and
- (c) the removal and proper re-execution (not withstanding any previous test there of or interim payment there for) of any work which in respect of materials of workmanship is not in the opinion of the Engineer in accordance with the contract.

37. DEFAULT OF CONTRACTOR IN COMPLIANCE:

In case of default on the part of the Contractor in carrying out such order, the employer shall be entitled to employ and pay other persons to carry out the same and all expenses consequent thereon or incidental thereto shall be borne by the Contractor and shall be recoverable from him by the Employer or may be deducted by the Employer from any moneys due or which may become due to the Contractor.

38. SUSPENSION OF WORK:

The Contractor shall on the written order of the Engineer suspend the progress of the works or any part thereof for such time or times and in such manner as the Engineer may consider necessary and shall during such suspension properly protect and secure the work so far as is necessary in the opinion of Engineer. Provided that the Contractor shall not be entitled to recover any such extra cost unless he gives notice in writing of his intention to claim to the Engineer within 28 days of the Engineer's order. The Engineer shall settle and determine the extra payment to be made to the Contractor in respect of such claim as the Engineer shall consider reasonable.

39. SUSPENSION LASTING MORE THAN 90 DAYS:

If the progress of the works or any part thereof is suspended on the written order of the Engineer for more than 90 days, the Contractor may serve a written notice on the Engineer requiring permission within 28 days from the receipt thereof to proceed with the works or that part thereof in regard to which progress is suspended and if such permission is not granted within that time the Contractor by a further written notice so served may (but is not bound to) elect to treat the suspension where it affects part only of the Works as an omission of such part under Clause 62thereof or where it affects the whole Works as an abandonment of the Contract by the Employer.

40. ISSUE OF OTHER MATERIALS FROM IREL STORES: Not applicable

COMMENCEMENT TIME AND DELAYS

41. COMMENCEMENT OF WORK:

The Contractor shall commence the works on site within the period as mentioned in the contract and shall proceed with the same with due expedition and without delay.

42. WAY LEAVES ETC.:

The Contractor shall bear all expenses and charges for special or temporary way leaves required by him in connection with access to the Site. The Contractor shall also provide at his own cost any additional accommodation outside the Site required by him for the purposes of the works, except when otherwise specifically agreed and provided for.

43. TIME FOR COMPLETION:

Subject to any requirement in the Contract as to completion of any portion of the works before completion of the whole of the works, it shall be completed within the time stated in the LOI/Award Letter/Agreement.

44. EXTENSION OF TIME FOR COMPLETION:

Should the amount of extra or additional work of any kind or other special circumstances of any kind whatsoever which may occur be such as fairly to entitle the contractor to an extension of time for the completion of the work, the Engineer shall determine the amount of such extension. Provided that the Engineer as not bound to take in to account any extra or additional work or other special circumstances unless the Contractor has within 14 days after such work has been commenced on such circumstances have arisen or as soon thereafter as is practicable, delivered to the Engineer's representative full and detailed particulars of any claim to extension of time to which he may consider himself entitled in order that such claim may be investigated at the time.

44.1 TIME EXTENSION OF CONTRACT:

The CONTRACTOR shall promptly notify the ENGINEER-IN-CHARGE any event or conditions which might delay the completion of work in accordance with the approved schedule and the steps being taken to remedy such situation.

- **44.2** If the Work is delayed at any time in the commencement or during the progress of the WORK by any act, delay or neglect solely attributable to IREL or his employees, or by any other contractor utilised by the IREL or by FORCE MAJEURE conditions, the time of completion shall be extended by IREL (without levy of Mutually Agreed Damages) in writing for a reasonable period as may be mutually agreed upon, at the time of closure of contract. The CONTRACTOR shall, immediately on occurrence of such special circumstances but not later than 14 working days, bring to the knowledge of IREL through written application for any such delay as mentioned above.
- **44.3** IREL shall have the right to suspend the WORK in whole or in part for such time as may be necessary in order that WORKS shall be well and properly executed. In such events, suitable extension of time shall be granted to CONTRACTOR.

45. NO NIGHT OR SUNDAY WORK:

Subject to any provision to the contrary contained in the contract, none of the permanent work shall save as hereinafter provided be carried on during the night or on Sundays (if locally recognised as days of rest) or their locally recognised equivalent without the permission in writing of the Engineer's representative save when the work is unavoidable or absolutely necessary for the saving of life or property or for the safety of the Works in which case the Contractor shall immediately advise the Engineer's representative. Provided always that the provisions of this Clause shall not be applicable in the-case of any work which it is customary to carry out by rotary or double shifts.

46. RATE OF PROGRESS:

The whole of the materials, plant and labour to be provided by the Contractor and the mode, manner and speed of execution and maintenance of the work are to be of a kind and conducted in a manner to the satisfaction of the Engineer. Should the rate of progress of the works or any part thereof be at any time in the opinion of the Engineer too slow to ensure the completion of the works by the prescribed time or extended time for completion the Engineer shall so notify the Contractor in writing and the Contractor shall thereupon take such steps as the contractor may think necessary and the Engineer may approve to expedite progress so as to complete the works by the prescribed time or extended time for completion. If the work is not being carried on by day and by night and the Contractor shall request permission to work by night as well as by then if the Engineer shall grant such permission, the Contractor shall not be entitled to any additional payment for so doing but if such permission shall be refused and there shall be no equivalent practicable method of expediting the progress of the work, the time for completion shall be extended by such period as is solely attributable to such refusal. All work at night shall be carried out without unreasonable noise and disturbance. The Contractor shall indemnify the Employer from and against any liability for damages on account of noise or other disturbance created while or in carrying out the work and from and against all claims, demands, proceedings, costs, charges and expenses whatsoever in regard or in relation to such liability.

47. LIQUIDATED DAMGES FOR DELAYED EXECUTION OF CONTRACT:

Subject to Article -48, if the CONTRACTOR fails to deliver any or all of the GOODS or performance of the services within the time period(s) specified in the CONTRACT, the EMPLOYER shall, without prejudice to his other remedies under the CONTRACT, levy Liquidated damages from the CONTRACT PRICE, a sum calculated on the basis of the CONTRACT PRICE, including subsequent modifications.

Deductions shall apply as per following formula:

Half percent (0.5%) of the contract value per week of delay subject to a maximum of ten percent (10%) of contract value.

47.1 EMPLOYER may deduct the amount so payable by CONTRACTOR, from any amount falling due to the CONTRACTOR or by recovery against the Performance Guarantee. Both CONTRACTOR and EMPLOYER agree that the above percentages of price reduction are genuine pre-estimates of the loss/damage which the EMPLOYER would have suffered on account of delay/breach on the part of the CONTRACTOR and the said amount will be payable on demand without there being any proof of the actual loss/or damage caused by such breach/delay. A decision of the EMPLOYER in the matter of applicability of price reduction shall be final and binding.

48. FORCE MAJEURE:

- 48.1 Force majeure is an event beyond the control of contractor and not involving the contractor's fault or negligence and which is not foreseeable. Such events may include, but are not restricted to acts of the purchaser/contractor either in its sovereign or contractual capacity, wars or revolution, hostility, acts of public enemy, civil commotion, floods, explosions, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, lockouts and freight embargoes or any other event which IREL may deem fit to consider so. The decision about force majeure shall rest with IREL which shall be final and binding.
- 48.2 If there is delay in performance or other failures by the contractor to perform obligations under its contract due to event of a Force Majeure, the supplier/contractor shall not be held responsible for such delays/failures.
- 48.3 If a Force Majeure situation arises, the contractor shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of such conditions and the cause thereof within fifteen days of occurrence of such event. Unless otherwise directed by the EMPLOYER in writing, the CONTRACTOR shall continue to perform its obligations under the contract as far as reasonable/practical and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not prevented by the Force Majeure event.
- 48.4 If the performance in whole or in part or any obligation under this contract is prevented or delayed by any reason of Force Majeure for a period of exceeding 120 days, IREL may at its option terminate the contract without any financial repercussion on either side.

49. CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION OF WORK:

As soon as in the opinion of the Engineer the works shall have been substantially completed and shall have satisfactorily passed any final test that may be prescribed by the Contract, the Engineer shall on receiving a written undertaking by the Contractor to finish any outstanding work during the period of Maintenance issue a Certificate of completion in respect of the works and the Period of Maintenance of the works shall commence from the date of such certificate. Provided that the Engineer may give such a certificate with respect to any part of the works before the completion of the whole of the work and shall upon the written application of the contractor give such certificate with respect to any substantial part of the works, which has been both completed to the satisfaction of the Engineer and occupied or used by the employer and when any such certificate is given in respect of a part of the works such part shall be considered as completed and the Period of Maintenance of such part shall commence from the date of such certificate. Provided also that a Certificate of Completion given in accordance with the foregoing provision of any part of the works occupied and use as aforesaid shall not be deemed to certify completion of any round or surfaces requiring reinstatement unless such certificate shall expressly so state.

50. MAINTENANCE AND DEFECTS:

50.1 DEFINITION OF PERIOD OF MAINTENANCE:

In these conditions, the expression "Period of Maintenance" shall be either 12 (Twelve) months or any other period if specifically specified in the special conditions of this contract, and calculated from the date of completion of the works certified by the Engineer in accordance with Clause 49 hereof or in the event of more than one certificate having been issued by the Engineer Under the said Clause from the respective dates so certified and in relation to the Period of maintenance, the expression "the works" shall be construed accordingly.

50.2 EXECUTION OF WORKS OF REPAIR ETC.:

To the intent that the works shall at or as soon as practicable after the expiration of the period of Maintenance be delivered up to the Employer in as good and perfect a condition (fair wear and tear expected) to the satisfaction of the Engineer as that in which they were at commencement of the Period of Maintenance, contractor shall execute all such work of repair, amendment, reconstruction, rectification and making good of defects, imperfections, shrinkages or other faults as may be required of the Contractor in writing by the Engineer during the Period of Maintenance or within fourteen days after its expiration as a result of an inspection made by or on behalf of the Engineer prior to its expiration.

50.3 COST OF EXECUTION OF WORKS OF REPAIR ETC.:

All such work shall be carried out by the Contractor at his own expense if the necessity thereof shall in the opinion of the Engineer be due to the use of materials or workmanship not in accordance with the Contract or to neglect or failure on the part of the Contractor to comply with any obligation expressed or implied on the Contractor's part under the Contract. If in the opinion of the Engineer such necessity shall be due to any other cause, the value of such work shall be ascertained and paid for as if it was an additional work.

50.4 REMEDY ON CONTRACTOR'S FAILURE TO CARRY OUT:

If the Contractor shall fail to do any such work as aforesaid required by the Engineer, the Employer shall be entitled to carry out such work by his own workmen or by other Contractors, and if such work is the work which the Contractor should have carried out at his own cost, Employer shall be entitled to recover from the Contractor the cost thereof or may deduct the same from any moneys due or that may become due to the Contractor.

51. CONTRACTOR TO SEARCH:

The Contractor shall if required by the Engineer in writing search or the cause of any defect in perfection or fault under the directions of the Engineer. Unless such defect, imperfection or fault shall be one for which the Contractor is liable under the contract, the cost of the work carried out by the Contractor in searching as aforesaid shall be borne by the Employer. But if such defect, imperfection or fault shall be one for which the Contractor is liable as aforesaid the cost of the work carried out in searching as aforesaid shall be borne by the Contractor and he shall in such case repair, rectify and make good such defect, imperfection or fault at his own expense in accordance with the provisions of Clause 50hereof.

52. ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS AND OMISSIONS:

52.1 VARIATIONS

The Engineer shall make any variation from quality or quantity of the works or any part there of that may in his opinion be necessary and for that purpose or if for any other reason it shall in his opinion be desirable he have power to order the Contractor to do and the Contractor shall do any of the following:

- (a) increase or decrease the quantity of any works included in the contract.
- (b) omit any such work
- (c) change the character or quality or kind of any such work
- (d) change the levels, lines position and dimensions of any part of works and
- (e) execute additional work of any kind necessary for the completion of the works and no such variation in any way vitiate or invalidate the contract but the value (if any) of all such variations shall be taken into account in ascertaining the amount of the contract price.
- **52.2** No such variation shall be made by the Contractor without an order in writing of the Engineer. Provided that no order in writing shall be required for increase or decrease in the quantity of any work where such increase or decrease is not the result of an order given under this Clause but is the result of the quantities exceeding or being less than those stated in the Tender Schedule. Provided also that if for any reason the Engineer shall consider it desirable to give any such order verbally, the contractor shall comply with such order and any confirmation in writing of such verbal order given by the Engineer whether before or after the carrying out of the order shall be deemed to be an order in writing within the meaning of this clause.

53.1 VALUATION OF VARIATIONS:

The 'Engineer shall determine the amount (if any) to be added to or deducted from the sum named in the Tender in respect of any extra or additional work done or work omitted by his order. All such work shall be valued at the rates set out in the Contract, if in the opinion of the Engineer the same shall be applicable. If the Contract shall not contain any rates applicable to the extra or additional work then reasonable prices shall be fixed by the Engineer.

53.2 POWER OF ENGINEER TO FIX RATES:

Provided that if the nature of amount of any omission or addition relative to the nature or amount of the whole of the contract work or to any part thereof shall be such that in the opinion of the Engineer the rate or price contained in the contract for any item of the work is by reason of such omission or additions rendered unreasonable or inapplicable, the Engineer shall fix such other rate or price as in the circumstances he shall think reasonable and proper.

Provided also that no increase of the Contract Price under sub-clause (1) of this clause on variation of rate or price under sub-clause (2) of this clause shall be made unless as soon after that date of the order as is practicable and in the case of extra or additional work before

the commencement of the work or as soon thereafter as is practicable notice shall have been given in writing.

- (a) by the Contractor to the Engineer of his intention to claim extra payment or a varied rate or.
- (b) by the Engineer to the Contractor of his intention to vary a rate or price as the case may be.

53.3 CLAIMS:

The Contractor shall send to the Engineer's representative once in every month an account giving particulars (as full and detailed as possible) of all claims for any additional expenses to which the Contractor may consider himself entitled and of all extra or additional work ordered by the Engineer which he has executed during the preceding month and no claim for payment for any such work will be considered which has not been included in such particulars. Provided always that the Engineer, shall be entitled to authorise payment to be made for any such work notwithstanding the Contractor's failure to comply with this condition, if the contractor has at the earliest practicable opportunity notified the Engineer that he intends to make a claim for such work.

53.4 EXTRA ITEM:

Any extra item arising during the execution of work due to any reason shall be paid for based on the sanctioned schedule of rates or rates derived therefrom. The percentage quoted by the tenderer shall be applied to the rate arrived at from the schedule of rates or rates derived therefrom. In case the rates cannot be derived from the Schedule of rates or the quoted rates, CPWD norms shall be followed for determination of rates. Analysis of rates on the basis of field observations shall be considered if schedule of rates/CPWD norms are not available. The rates given in the schedule are complete for labour and materials including all leads, lifts, royalty etc. except otherwise stated in the items. No extra claim on account of these item shall be entertained.

54. **PROPERTY IN MATERIALS:** Not applicable

-55. NO APPROVAL BY VESTING:

The operation of the Clause numbered 62 shall not be deemed to imply any approval by the Engineer of the materials or other matters referred to therein nor shall it prevent the rejection of any such materials at any time by the Engineer.

MEASUREMENT

56. QUANTITIES:

The quantities set out in the Tender Schedule are the approximate estimated quantities of the work but they are not to be taken as the actual and correct quantities of the works to be executed by the Contractor in fulfilment of his obligations under the Contract. Any item may be omitted or altered and no claim for compensation will be entertained on this account or for any variation however substantial it may be in the Tender Schedule.

57. WORKS TO BE MEASURED:

The Engineer shall except as otherwise stated ascertain and determine by measurement the value in accordance with the Contract of work done in accordance with the contract. He shall when he requires any part or parts of the Works to be measured give notice to the

Contractor's authorised agent or representative who shall forthwith attend or send a gualified agent to assist the Engineer or the Engineer's representative in making such measurement and shall furnish all particulars required by either of them. Should the Contractor not attend or neglect or omit to send such agent then the measurement made by the Engineer or approved by him shall be taken to be the correct measurement of the work. For the purpose of measuring such permanent work as is to be measured by record drawings, the Engineer's representative shall prepare record drawing month by month of such work and the Contractor as and when called upon to do so in writing shall within 14 days attend to examine and agree such record drawings, with the Engineer's representative and shall sign the same when so agreed and if the Contractor does not so attend to examine and agree any such record drawings they shall be taken to be correct. If after examination of such record drawings the Contractor does not agree the same or does not sign the same as agreed, they shall nevertheless be taken to be correct unless the Contractor shall within 14 days of such examination lodge with the Engineer's representative for decision by the Engineer's notice in writing of the respects in which such record drawings are claimed by him to be incorrect. The Contractor shall be paid for the quantities resulting from measurement of the executed work.

58. MODE OF MEASUREMENT FOR CIVIL WORKS:

The mode of measurement shall be as per Indian Standard 1200 latest, subject to the following:

- (a) In case the mode of measurement is not covered by the said Indian Standard for a particular item, the method of measurement shall be as per CPWD specifications for that item only.
- (b) Wherever a particular mode of measurement is specified in the description of the item in the tender schedule/special conditions, the same shall only apply.
- (c) In case of dispute regarding mode of measurement, the decision of the Engineer shall be final and binding on the Contractor.

59. PAYMENT FOR WORK DONE

- 59.1.1 100% payment against bills for the work done (Subject to the required deductions) shall be made to the Contractor based on detailed measurements and certification of bills by the Engineer.
- 59.1.2 **ON ACCOUNT PAYMENT:** Bills shall be prepared and submitted by the Contractor. Joint measurements shall be taken continuously and need not be connected with billing stage. Based on these joint measurements recorded in the register, the Contractor shall submit the bills in both soft and hard copies (three copies) in the prescribed format along with the detailed measurements item wise. All the pages of the measurement sheets shall be serially machine numbered and signed by the Contractor. The bills along with measurement sheet shall be computer generated and also suitably programmed for effecting the necessary corrections easily. The bills shall be accompanied with necessary documents such as abstract of quantities, variation statements, reconciliation of materials, part rate statements indicating the extent of work done, statement of secured advance claimed and fulfilling other statutory obligations such as ESI / PF / Insurance / labour licence etc. Payment against bills for the work done (Subject to necessary deductions) will be made after the verification and certification by the Engineer of the bill submitted by the Contractor.

- 59.1.3 **COMPLETION CERTIFICATE:** The Works shall be deemed to have been completed in all respects on the day the Engineer certifies that the works have been so completed in accordance with this Contract, takes over the completed Works and issues a certificate to that effect. The Defect Liability Period will start from the said date of completion / handing over of the work.
- 59.1.4 **FINAL PAYMENTS:** Based on the measurement of Work performed, the Contractor shall submit his final bill for the Works within 3 months of completion of work. The bill shall be based only on Works as measured and at accepted tender rates including rates for any additional or extra work which might have been approved by the Company. All deductions due under the Contract shall be incorporated. The final bill shall be accompanied by:
 - A) A copy of the Completion Certificate issued by the Engineer.
 - B) No Claim Certificate" in the prescribed form or a list of claims if any, not included in the final bill with full details.

The Engineer shall examine and certify the final bill for payment after satisfying that the Works have been satisfactorily completed and that all properties, works and things removed or disturbed or damaged in consequence of the Work have been properly replaced and made good and all expenses and demands incurred or made by or on the Company or in respect of any damage or loss by, from or consequence of the Works have been satisfied, all materials have been returned and the site cleared.

59.1.5 SECURED ADVANCE: Not applicable

59.2 BILL TO BE SUBMITTED MONTHLY: Not applicable

A bill shall be submitted by the Contractor each month on or before the date by the Engineer for all work executed in the previous month and the Engineer shall take or cause to be taken the requisite measurement for the purpose of having the same verified and the claim, as far as admissible, adjusted if possible, before the expiry of ten days from the presentation of the bill. If the Contractor does not submit the bill within the time fixed as aforesaid, the Engineer may depute his representative to measure up the said work in the presence of the Contractor, whose counter signature to the measurement list will be sufficient warrant, and the Engineer may prepare a bill from such list which shall be binding on the Contractor in all respects.

59.3 BILLS TO BE ON PRINTED FORMS:

The Contractor shall submit all bills on the printed forms to be had on application at the office of the Engineer and the charges in the bills shall always be entered at the rates specified in the tender in the case of any extra work ordered in pursuance of these conditions and not mentioned or provided for in the tender at the rates herein after provided for such work.

Invoice must contain Contractor's GST Registration number, PAN, Bank detail of Contractor, GST Registration number of IREL Factory/ Office, HSN/SAC Code for service rendered.

59.4 RETENTION MONEY (IF PROVIDED FOR SUBMISSION IN THE TENDER):

As and by way of additional security from every progressive on account bill of the Contractor, prescribed percent of the value of the work executed shall be deducted as Retention money and kept as security deposit until the total of the amount so deducted plus

the initial security (including the Earnest money) already deposited will equal the prescribed security.

59.5 SET-OFF:

- (a) Any sum of money due and payable to the Contractor (including security deposit returnable to him) may be appropriated/ retained/ withheld and/or set off by the Employer or Government against any claim of the Employer or Government or such other person or persons for the payment of a sum of money arising out of or under this contract or other contracts made by Contractor with the employer or Govt. or such other person or persons.
- (b) The Employer will be at liberty to recoup any damage/loss suffered as a result of any action on the part of the Contractor.

59.6 DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACT PRICE:

All costs, damages or expenses which the EMPLOYER may have paid for which, under the CONTRACT, the CONTRACTOR is liable, will be claimed by the EMPLOYER. All such claims shall be billed by the EMPLOYER to the CONTRACTOR regularly as and when they fall due. Such claims shall be paid by the CONTRACTOR within fifteen days of the receipt of the corresponding bills and if not paid by the CONTRACTOR within the said period, the EMPLOYER may then deduct the amount from any bill due or becoming due by him to the CONTRACTOR under the CONTRACTOR under the CONTRACT or may be recovered by action of law or otherwise, if the CONTRACTOR fails to satisfy the EMPLOYER of such claims.

59.7 TAXES APPLICABLE TO CONTRACTOR'S MANPOWER, TURNOVER, EQUIPMENT ETC.

The CONTRACTOR shall be solely responsible for all taxes that may be levied on the CONTRACTOR's turnover & profit or on the earnings of any of his employees or personnel engaged by him and shall hold the EMPLOYER indemnified and harmless against any claims that may be made against the EMPLOYER in this behalf. The EMPLOYER does not undertake any responsibility whatsoever regarding any taxes levied on CONTRACTOR and/or his personnel by Centre/ State/ Local Authorities.

59.8 DEDUCTION OF INCOME TAX AT SOURCE:

Income Tax on the gross amount billed will be deducted from Contractor's bills as per Section 194 (C) of the Income Tax Act. In case of contract for consultancy or professional services Tax deduction at source as per Section 194 J. will be carried out

59.9 OVER PAYMENTS / UNDER PAYMENTS DETECTED DURING TECHNICAL AUDIT:

The Company reserves the right to carry out post-payment audit and technical examination of the running/ final bill including all supporting vouchers etc. The Company also reserves the right to propose recoveries detected by CVC (Central Vigilance Commission) based on their audit and observations of works / bills etc. The Company further reserves the right to enforce recovery of any over payment when detected, notwithstanding the fact the amount of running / final bill may be included by one of the parties as an item of dispute before an arbitrator appointed and notwithstanding the fact that the amount of running / final bill figures in the arbitration award.

If as a result of such audit and technical examination any over payment is discovered in respect of any work done by the Contractor under the contract, the Company from the

Contractor shall recover it, or if any under payment is discovered, the amount shall be duly paid to the Contractor by the Company.

60.0 APPROVAL BY MAINTENANCE CERTIFICATE:

No certificate other than the maintenance certificate referred to in **clause 61** here of shall be deemed to constitute approval of any work or other matter in respect of which it is issued or shall be taken as admission of the due performance of the contract or any part here of or of the accuracy of any claim or demand made by the contractor or of additional or varied work having been ordered by the Engineer nor shall any other certificate conclude or prejudice any of the powers of the Engineer.

61.1 MAINTENANCE CERTIFICATE:

The contract shall not be considered as completed until a maintenance certificate shall have been signed by the Engineer and delivered to the Employer stating that the Works have been completed and maintained to his satisfaction. The maintenance certificate will be given by the Engineer twenty - eight days after the expiration of the Period of maintenance (or if different Periods of maintenance shall become applicable to different parts of Works the expiration of the latest such period) or as soon thereafter as any works ordered during such Period pursuant to **Clause 50 and 51** hereof shall have been completed to the satisfaction of the Engineer and full effect given to this Clause notwithstanding any previous entry on the Works of taking possession, working or using thereof or any part thereof by the Employer.

61.2 CESSATION OF EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY

The Employer shall not be liable to the Contractor for any matter or thing arising out of or in connection with the Contract or the execution of the Works Unless the Contractor shall have made a claim in writing in respect thereof before the giving of the maintenance certificate under this Clause.

61.3 UNFULFILLED OBLIGATION:

Notwithstanding the issue of the Maintenance certificate the Contractor and (subject to sub - clause (2) of this clause) the Employer shall remain liable for the fulfilment of any obligation incurred under the provisions of the Contract prior to the issue of the Maintenance Certificate which remains un-performed at the time such certificate is issued and for the purpose of determining the nature and extent of any such obligation, the contract shall be deemed to remain in force between the parties hereto.

62.0 URGENT REPAIRS:

If by reason of any accident or failure or other event occurring to in or in connection with the works or any part thereof either during the execution of the works or during the Period of Maintenances, any remedial or other work or repair shall in the opinion of the Engineer or the Engineer's representative be urgently necessary for security and the Contractor is unable or un-willing at once to do such work or repair, the Employer may by his own or other workmen to such work or repair as the Engineer or the Engineer's representative may consider necessary. If the work or repair so done by the Employer is work which in the opinion of the Engineer the Contractor was liable to do at his own expense under the contract, all cost and charges properly incurred by the Employer in so doing shall on demand be paid by the Contractor to the employer or may be deducted by the employer from any moneys due or which may become due to the Contractor. Provided always that the Engineer or the Engineer's representative (as the case may be) shall, as soon after the occurrence of any such emergency as may be reasonably practicable notify the Contractor thereof in writing.

63.0 RESOLUTION OF DISPUTES/ ARBITRATION:

- 63.1 The EMPLOYER and the CONTRACTOR shall make every effort to resolve amicably by direct informal, good faith negotiations any disagreement or dispute arising between them under or in connection with the Contract.
- 63.2 If, after thirty days from the commencement of such informal, good faith negotiations, the EMPLOYER and the CONTRACTOR have been unable to resolve the disagreement or dispute, the same shall be referred for resolution as per the formal mechanism as specified hereunder shall be applicable.
- 63.3 LEGAL CONSTRUCTION: The Contract shall be, in all respects be construed and operated as an Indian Contract and in accordance with Indian Laws as in force for the time being.

63.4 ARBITRATION:

- a) All disputes and differences of any kind whatsoever arising out of or in connection with the contract or carrying out of the works (whether during the course of works or after their completion and whether before or after determination, abandonment or breach of contract) shall be referred to and settled by the person authorized and notified in writing by IREL who shall state his decision in writing. Such a decision may be in the form of a final certificate or otherwise and shall be made within a period of 30 days from the date of receipt of such reference to them.
- b) If the CONTRACTOR is dissatisfied with the decision of such authorized person, then he may within 30 days of receipt of such decision send a written appeal to PURCHASER, represented by the Chairman and Managing Director at the registered office, Mumbai for the same to be referred to Arbitration by a Sole Arbitrator to be appointed by mutual consent and after due approval of CMD, IREL. The Arbitration proceedings shall be conducted as per the provisions of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996. It is made clear that this Arbitration Clause shall be applicable to any and all disputes and differences between the Parties arising out of and/or relating to this CONTRACT and the Parties shall be bound to refer the same to arbitration in accordance with the procedure contemplated herein
- c) If the period of 30 days under Clause (b) has expired at any stage, stipulated in the preceding paras without any response from the CONTRACTOR before such expiry, the CONTRACTOR is deemed to have communicated his satisfaction to the decision of IREL at the relevant stage and all his rights of further appeal or as the case may be, adjudication are deemed to have been waived once and for all.
- d) The seat of arbitration will be at Mumbai and the language thereof shall be English.
- e) Notwithstanding the invocation, commencement and/or pendency any dispute resolution proceedings under this Clause 63 including arbitration under Clause 63.4, the CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound by the provisions of the CONTRACT, if not terminated by the EMPLOYER, and shall be obligated to discharge its obligations under the CONTRACT including continuation of the WORK under the CONTRACT.
- f) The CONTRACTOR shall not in any way delay or default or cause to delay or default the carrying out of the works by reason of the fact that any matter has been agreed to be referred to and / or referred to dispute resolution under Clause 63 including Arbitration under Clause 63.4.

63.5 JURISDICTION:

The courts only shall, subject to Arbitration Clause, have exclusive jurisdiction to deal with and decide any matter arising out of this contract.

64.0 ACTS OF PARLIAMENT, LOCAL AND OTHER AUTHORITIES AND BYE-LAWS:

64.1 **COMPLYING WITH REGULATIONS:**

- 64.1.1 Throughout the execution of the WORK, the CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of all applicable laws and regulations, bye-laws or orders made there under and to the requirements of public, municipal and other authorities in any way affecting or applicable to the work. IREL shall, when requested by the CONTRACTOR, give all reasonable assistance to the CONTRACTOR in obtaining information concerning local conditions.
- 64.1.2 Before making any departure from the specification or drawings which may be necessary to conform to such requirements, the CONTRACTOR shall give the IREL written notice specifying the departure proposed to be made and the reason for making it and applying for instructions thereon. If the CONTRACTOR does not receive such instructions within thirty (30) days, he shall conform to those requirements and inform the IREL accordingly.
- 64.1.3 The Contractor shall remain liable for the payments of all wages or other money to his employees or labourers under the Minimum Wages Act, Payment of Wages Act, Employees Liability Act, Workmen's Compensation Act, PF and ESI Act or any other enactments and rules made applicable from time to time. The Contractor shall also comply with the provisions of the Apprenticeship Act, Contract Labour Regulation and Abolition) Act and the Rules and Orders issued there under from time to time. The Contractor shall be liable to pay the wages directly to the workmen employed by him on the Works.
- 64.1.4 It is obligatory on the part of the Contractor to forward the declaration forms to the ESI authorities for issue of ESIC numbers, make timely contribution towards ESI and PF in accordance with the provisions of relevant acts from time to time in respect of labour engaged by him for all the works executed in the Company. The Contractor should contact the jurisdictional ESI and PF authorities and ensure to observe all formalities such as maintenance of muster rolls, opening of identification cards, making remittance etc. The Contractors / firms / establishments shall remit the PF and ESI contributions in their respective codes. However, in such cases, copies of muster roll, wage register, ESI / PF remittance, copies of the returns shall be furnished to the Engineer for verification and records while preferring bills.
- 64.1.5 The Contractor shall ensure compliance of any other laws, bye-laws, Acts. Statues, Rules & Regulations framed there under as appreciable in relation to its employees/workmen and establishments in mandatorily, even though not explicitly mentioned here. It shall be the responsibility of the Contractor to get itself acquainted about them adequately.

65.0 BREACH OF TERMS, SUSPENSION AND TERMINATION:

65.1.1 BREACH OF TERMS:

Breach of any of the terms of the Contract, the EMPLOYER shall be entitled, without prejudice to any and all other remedies available to it, without incurring any liability whatso-ever, to fore-bear from doing such acts or fulfilling such obligations as are to be done or fulfilled by it here under until the CONTRACTOR on terms herein makes good the said breach;

65.2 SUSPENSION:

- 65.2.1 IREL may suspend the Works in whole or in part at any time by giving the CONTRACTOR a notice in writing, if the CONTRACTOR shall be in breach of this Contract or shall fail to perform any of its obligations under this Contract, including the carrying out of the Works; provided that such notice of suspension (i) shall specify the nature of the breach or failure, and (ii) shall provide an opportunity to the CONTRACTOR to remedy such breach or failure within a period not exceeding 30 (thirty) days after receipt by the CONTRACTOR of such notice of suspension.
- 65.2.2 On receiving the notice of suspension from IREL, the CONTRACTOR shall stop all such work, which IREL has directed to be suspended with immediate effect. IREL may at any time cancel the suspension notice for all or any part of suspended work by giving written notice to the CONTRACTOR specifying the part of work to be resumed and the effective date of suspension withdrawal. The CONTRACTOR shall resume the suspended work on immediately upon receipt of such withdrawal of suspension notice. In the event of suspension of work, IREL shall not be liable to the CONTRACTOR for any damage and loss.

65.3 TEMPORARY SUSPENSION:

- 65.3.1 IREL may at any time temporarily suspend the progress of work being performed under the Contract or any part thereof by notice in writing to the CONTRACTOR. All the work so suspended shall be resumed by the CONTRACTOR and extended as assessed and deemed fit by IREL.
- 65.3.2 IREL will not pay the CONTRACTOR for any work, which is performed during such an interval of suspension, and IREL shall not be liable to the CONTRACTOR for any damages or loss caused by such suspension of work.

65.4 EVENT OF DEFAULT:

Event of Default means the CONTRACTOR Event of Default or IREL Event of Default or both as the context may admit or require.

65.4.1 CONTRACTOR EVENT OF DEFAULT:

Any of the following events shall constitute an event of default by the CONTRACTOR ("CONTRACTOR Event of Default");

- a. the CONTRACTOR fails to remedy any breach hereof or any failure in the performance of its obligations hereunder, as specified in a notice of suspension pursuant to Sub-clause 65.2 hereinabove, within 30 (thirty) days of receipt of such notice of suspension or within such further period as IREL may have subsequently granted in writing;
- b. The CONTRACTOR fails to commence the Works ;
- c. The CONTRACTOR fails to ensure that Works Completion Date of the Plant is achieved as per schedule mentioned in the contract/ agreement;
- d. Any representation made or warranties given by the CONTRACTOR under this Contract is found to be false or misleading;
- e. The transfer, pursuant to law of either (a) the rights and/or obligations of the CONTRACTOR under the Contract, or (b) all or material part of the CONTRACTOR; except where such transfer in the reasonable opinion of IREL does not affect the ability of the CONTRACTOR to perform, and the CONTRACTOR has the financial and technical capability to perform. its material obligations under the Contract;

- f. The CONTRACTOR suspends or abandons the Works without prior consent of IREL, provided that the CONTRACTOR shall be deemed not to have suspended/ abandoned operation if such suspension/ abandonment was (i) as a result of Force Majeure Event and is only for the period such Force Majeure is continuing, or (ii) is on account of a breach of its obligations under the Contract by IREL;
- g. the CONTRACTOR becomes insolvent or bankrupt or enters into any agreement with its creditors for relief of debt or take advantage of any law for the benefit of debtors or goes into liquidation or receivership whether compulsory or voluntary;
- h. the CONTRACTOR fails to comply with any final decision reached as a result of arbitration proceedings pursuant to Clause 63hereof;
- i. the CONTRACTOR submits to IREL a statement which has a material effect on the rights, obligations or interests of IREL and which the CONTRACTOR knows to be false;
- j. any document, information, data or statement submitted by the CONTRACTOR in its Bid, based on which the CONTRACTOR was considered eligible or successful, is found to be false, incorrect or misleading; or
- k. The CONTRACTOR repudiates the Contract or otherwise evidences an intention not to be bound by the Contract.

65.4.2 IREL EVENT OF DEFAULT:

The following events shall constitute events of default by IREL ("IREL Event of Default"), unless any such IREL Event of Default has occurred as a result of CONTRACTOR Event of Default or due to a Force Majeure Event:

- a. IREL is in breach of the Contract and has failed to cure such breach within sixty (60) days of receipt of notice in that behalf from the CONTRACTOR;
- b. IREL repudiates the Contract or otherwise evidences an intention not to be bound by this Contract;
- c. Any representation made or warranties given by IREL under the Contract is found to be false or misleading.

65.5 **RECOURSE TO EVENT OF DEFAULT:**

- 65.5.1 In case of an event of default, the following recourse is available to IREL and the CONTRACTOR or both as the situation may warrant:
 - a. In case of occurrence of Event of Default mentioned in Sub-clause a and Sub-clause b of Clause 65.4.1, the CONTRACTOR shall have an option to ask for extension from IREL specifying the conditions that have restricted the CONTRACTOR to complete the tasks in stipulated time. However, IREL's decision on said matter shall stand final as the case may be;
 - b. In case of occurrence of any other Event of Default in Clause 65.4.1, IREL shall be entitled to terminate this CONTRACT as per Clause 65.6 herein.
 - c. In case of occurrence of Event of Default mentioned in Sub-clause 65.4.2, the CONTRACTOR shall have an option to seek Termination of this Contract. In seeking the Termination of the Contract, CONTRACTOR would have to clearly demonstrate that the Event of Default has occurred despite all possible steps taken by CONTRACTOR to avoid Termination. The Parties shall mutually decide the modalities of Termination.

65.6 TERMINATION DUE TO CONTRACTOR EVENT OF DEFAULT:

65.6.1 Without prejudice to any other right or remedy which IREL may have in respect thereof under the Contract, upon the occurrence of an CONTRACTOR Event of Default, IREL shall be entitled to terminate the Contract by issuing a Termination Notice (the **"Termination Notice"**) to the CONTRACTOR, provided that before issuing the Termination Notice, IREL

shall by a notice in writing inform the CONTRACTOR of its intention to issue the Termination Notice (the **"Preliminary Notice"**). In case the underlying breach/default is not resolved within a period of sixty (60) days from the date of the Preliminary Notice, IREL shall be entitled, to terminate the Contract by issuing the Termination Notice.

65.6.2 Upon termination of the Contract by notice of either Party to the other pursuant to Subclauses 65.5.1 b or 65.5.1 c hereof, the CONTRACTOR shall, immediately upon dispatch or receipt of such notice, take all necessary steps to bring the Works to a close in a prompt and orderly manner and shall make every reasonable effort to keep expenditures for this purpose to a minimum.

65.7 PAYMENT UPON TERMINATION:

65.7.1 Upon termination of this Contract pursuant to Sub-clauses 65.5.1 c hereof, IREL shall make the following payments to the CONTRACTOR (after offsetting against these payments any amount that may be due from the CONTRACTOR to IREL): Remuneration pursuant to Schedule of rates hereof for Works satisfactorily performed prior to the date of termination;

65.8 DISPUTES ABOUT EVENTS OF TERMINATION:

65.8.1 If either Party disputes whether an event specified in Sub-clause 65.4.1 or in Sub-clause 65.4.2 hereof has occurred, such Party may, within 30 (thirty) days after receipt of notice of termination from the other Party, refer the matter to arbitration pursuant to Sub-clause hereof.

66.0 LIMITATION OF LIABILITY:

Notwithstanding anything contrary contained herein, the aggregate total liability of Contractor under the Contract or otherwise shall be limited to 100% of contract price. However, neither party shall be liable to the other party for any indirect and consequential damages, loss of profits or loss of production.

67.0 METHOD OF BLACKLISTING VENDORS:

- 67.1 Any failure by the vendor (CONTRACTOR) to supply/execute the contract as per order may result in blacklisting of vendor by the authority competent to conclude the contract. The blacklisted vendor shall not be considered for a minimum period of one year from the date of black listing.
- 67.2 Further, the competent authority may blacklist the bidder, if the bidder changes bid either techno-commercial and / or price or withdraw his bid after receipt of the same and during the validity period of bid.
- 67.3 Further, the vendor (CONTRACTOR) shall be banned from doing any business with IREL in case of :
- a. If security considerations including question of loyalty to the state so warrant.
- b. If the proprietor of the firm, its partner or representative is convicted by a court of law following prosecution for offences relating to business dealings.
- c. If there is strong justification for believing that the proprietor or employee or representative of the CONTRACTOR has been guilty of malpractice such as bribery, corruption, fraud, substitution of tenders, interpolation, misrepresentation, evasion or habitual default in payment of any tax levied by law, etc.

- 67.4 An order for ban/ suspension passed for a certain specified period shall be deemed to have been automatically revoked on expiry of that specified period and it will not be necessary to issue a specific formal order of revocation, except that an order of suspension/ban passed on account of doubtful loyalty or security consideration shall continue to remain in force until it is specifically revoked.
- 67.5 An order of ban on grounds of conviction by Court of Law may be revoked if, in respect of the same facts, the accused has been wholly acquitted by a court of law.

68.0 SECRECY

The CONTRACTOR shall not at any time during the pendency of the contract or there after disclose any information furnished to them by IREL or any drawings, designs, reports and other documents and information prepared by the Contractor for this contract, without the prior written approval of IREL except in so far as such disclosure is necessary for the performance of the Contractor's work and service hereunder.

69.0 LABOUR:

- a) In respect of all labour directly or indirectly employed by the Contractor, Labour Rules, on the work, it shall be the bounden duty of the Contractor to abide by and to strictly comply with all labour legislations, as may be applicable, enacted by the parliament or by the State Legislature and the rules/regulations framed thereunder by the Central or State Government or Local Authorities providing for the conditions of employment protection of health, Sanitary arrangements, wages, provident fund, gratuity, welfare, and safety of workmen. These rules and statutory obligations shall be deemed to be part of the Contract. Instructions issued by the Employer in this behalf from time to time shall be equally binding on the contractor & the Contractor shall observe them stringently.
- (b) In the event of the Contractor failing to discharge his obligations imposed upon him by or under any statute as aforesaid, the employer shall be entitled to rescind the Contract.at the sole risk and cost of the Contractor and/or recover from him the amount of loss sustained by the Employer.
- (c) It is advisable for the Contractor to properly and fully acquaint himself with all the legislations as applicable to his workmen and the work under this contract or in connection herewith, so as to preclude the possibility of infringement and noncompliance thereof and to make it easy for him to observe clause 69without any deviation.
- (d) The Contractor shall maintain records, registers in respect of workers employed by him as required under various statutes and or prescribed by the Employer, shall issue attendance cards to each worker and shall produce the same for inspection on demand to the authorities under statutes or to the authorised representatives of the Employer.
- (e) All payments of whatever nature to be made by the Contractor to his workmen shall be made in the presence of an authorised representative of Employer and Employer's representative shall sign the acquaintance in token of having witnessed the payment, as prescribed under law.
- (f) The first R.A. bill of the Contractor shall be released only after HRM (Welfare Section) gives clearance regarding compliance of all statutory provisions by the contractor. Final bill of the Contractor shall be cleared only when a clearance certificate is issued by the Contractor from an authority declared for the purpose by

the Employer, that the claims of workmen in respect of wages, workmen's compensation, statutory payments etc. have been paid by Contractor to his workmen in full and subject to fulfilment of other conditions of Contract. Labour Rules etc.

- (g) The Contractor shall be entirely responsible for safe and good conduct of his employees during the period of his contract. The Contractor shall also ensure, that no safety rules/instructions are violated by him or his workmen. The Contractor shall maintain his machineries and tools for work in safe condition and shall present the same for checking whenever called by Employer/ his representatives.
- (h) It shall be binding on the part of the Contractor to familiarise himself and be governed by all statutes such as Mines Act 1952, Rules and Regulations including amendments made thereunder, if any, applicable for the work, Indian Electricity Act. 1910 and Indian Electricity Rules 1956 including amendments, if any. applicable for the work.
- (i) The Contractor shall provide and ensure proper use of safety appliances by his workmen throughout the course of their employment.
- (j) The Contractor in fulfilment of his statutory obligations imposed by or under various Labour Laws, will among other things:
 - i) Arrange to provide cool and wholesome drinking water at appointed place/places near work site. The container of water shall be in hygienic condition.
 - ii) Implement the Employees Provident Fund Scheme or Produce exemption certificate from Regional Provident Fund Commissioner if they are so exempted Otherwise, bills for the work will be released withholding 10% from such sums or as decided by the Management from time to time till such time they implement the scheme or produce exemption certificate from the Regional Provident Fund Commissioner. The Contractors are further required to indemnify Employer against any loss or damage, whatsoever, that may be suffered by Employer as a result of any claim. damage or penalties for any failure or non-compliance on their (Contractor's) part with the provisions of the aforesaid Act and Scheme framed thereunder.
- (k) The Contractor shall arrange to get his workmen trained under Mines Vocational Rules-1966 at the Training Department of the Company and shall pay all statutory allowances for such training to his workmen under training. The Contractor shall ensure the proper use of safety appliances by his workmen throughout the course of their employment.

70.0 RETURNS OF LABOUR:

(a) The Contractor shall if required by the Engineer deliver to the Engineer's representative or at his office a return in detail in such from and at such intervals as the Engineer may prescribe showing the numbers of the labour from time to time employed by the contractor on the Site.

71.0 LABOUR LICENCE: Not applicable

72.0 WOMEN LABOUR:

The working hours of women labour employed by the Contractor/ tenderer shall conform to the relevant labour acts in force. They shall not be detained after 7,00 PM and employed before 6.00 AM and in no case employed during the night time.

73.0 EMPLOYMENT OF CHILDREN:

No child below the age of 18 years shall be employed. If children/young persons in the work premises are employed contravening the provision of the Factories Act, 1948 and rules framed thereunder, their agreement/ contract is liable to cancellation and/or termination without any compensation or notice.

74.0 ENTRY PASS : Not applicable

75.0 SAFE CUSTODY OF ENTRY PASS: Not applicable

76.0 LIABILITY FOR ACCIDENTS AND DAMAGES:

76.1 The CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for loss or damage to the PLANT and provide new equipment and machineries in lieu of equipment/machineries lost/ damaged beyond repairs, free of cost until the PLANT is handed over after successful completion of performance guarantee test run.

Notwithstanding the provisions in the CONTRACT, the CONTRACTOR shall not be responsible for any loss or damage to the PLANT or any part thereof if and to the extent that such loss or damage is not covered by insurance coverage such as War risk, provided the same is general exclusion of the policy of the EAR insurance. War Risks shall mean any of the following events occurring within India: War, hostilities, warlike operations (whether a state of war be declared or not), invasion, act of foreign enemy, civil war, rebellion, terrorism, revolution, insurrection, mutiny, usurpation of civil or military government, conspiracy, riot, civil commotion, mine, bomb, shell, grenade or other projectile, missile, munitions or explosive of war.

76.2 The CONTRACTOR shall indemnify the IREL in respect of all damage or injury to any person or to any property (other than property forming part of the Work) and against all actions, suits, claims, demands, costs, charges and expenses arising in connection therewith which shall have been occasioned by the negligence of the CONTRACTOR or any SUB-CONTRACTOR, or by defective design (other than a design made, furnished or specified by the IREL and which the CONTRACTOR has disclaimed responsibility in writing within a reasonable time after receipt of the IREL's instructions), material or workmanship, any breach of the CONTRACTOR's obligations.

77.0 SAFETY CLAUSES: Not applicable

78.0 INSURANCE:

78.1 GENERAL:

CONTRACTOR shall at his own expense arrange, secure and maintain insurance with reputed insurance companies to the satisfaction of the EMPLOYER as follows:

CONTRACTOR at his cost shall arrange, secure and maintain insurance as may be necessary and to its full value for all such amounts to protect the WORKS in progress from time to time and the interest of EMPLOYER against all risks as detailed herein. The form and the limit of such insurance, as defined here in together with the under works thereof in each case should be as acceptable to the EMPLOYER. However, irrespective of work acceptance the responsibility to maintain adequate insurance coverage at all times during the period of CONTRACT shall be that of CONTRACTOR alone. CONTRACTOR's failure in this regard shall not relieve him of any of his responsibilities and obligations under CONTRACT.

Any loss or damage to the equipment, during ocean transportation, port/custom clearance, inland and port handling, inland transportation, storage, erection and commissioning till such time the WORK is taken over by EMPLOYER, shall be to the account of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for preferring of all claims and make good for the damage or loss by way of repairs and/or replacement of the parts of the Work damaged or lost. CONTRACTOR shall provide the EMPLOYER with a copy of all insurance policies and documents taken out by him in pursuance of the CONTRACT. Such copies of document shall be submitted to the EMPLOYER immediately upon the CONTRACTOR having taken such insurance coverage. CONTRACTOR shall also inform the EMPLOYER at least 60(Sixty) days in advance regarding the expiry, cancellation and/or changes in any of such documents and ensure revalidation/renewal etc., as may be necessary well in time.

Statutory clearances, if any, in respect of foreign supply required for the purpose of replacement of equipment lost in transit and/or during erection, shall be made available by the EMPLOYER. CONTRACTOR shall, however, be responsible for obtaining requisite licences, port clearances and other formalities relating to such import. The risks that are to be covered under the insurance shall include, but not be limited to the loss or damage in handling, transit, theft, pilferage, riot, civil commotion, weather conditions, accidents of all kinds, fire, war risk (during ocean transportation only) etc. The scope of such insurance shall cover the entire value of supplies of equipments, plants and materials to be imported from time to time.

All costs on account of insurance liabilities covered under CONTRACT will be to CONTRACTOR's account and will be included in VALUE OF CONTRACT. However, the EMPLOYER may from time to time, during the currency of the CONTRACT, ask the CONTRACTOR in writing to limit the insurance coverage risk and in such a case, the parties to the CONTRACT will agree for a mutual settlement, for reduction in VALUE OF CONTRACT to the extent of reduced premium amounts.

- 78.2 CONTRACTOR as far as possible shall cover insurance with Indian Insurance Companies, including marine Insurance during ocean transportation.
 - i) ANY OTHER INSURANCE REQUIRED UNDER LAW OR REGULATIONS OR BY EMPLOYER:

CONTRACTOR shall also carry and maintain any and all other insurance(s) which he may be required under any law or regulation from time to time without any extra cost to EMPLOYER. He shall also carry and maintain any other insurance which may be required by the EMPLOYER.

79. General

79.1 In the event that terms and conditions stipulated in the General Conditions of Contract should deviate from terms and conditions stipulated in the Contract, the latter shall prevail.79.2 LOSSES DUE TO NON-COMPLIANCE OF INSTRUCTIONS:

Losses or damages occurring to the EMPLOYER owing to the CONTRACTOR's failure to adhere to any of the instructions given by the EMPLOYER in connection with the contract execution shall be recoverable from the CONTRACTOR.

79.3 **RECOVERY OF SUMS DUE**:

All costs, damages or expenses which the EMPLOYER may have paid, for which under the CONTRACT CONTRACTOR is liable, may be recovered by the EMPLOYER (he is hereby irrevocably authorized to do so) from any money due to or becoming due to the CONTRACTOR under this Contract or other Contracts and/or may be recovered by action at law or otherwise. If the same due to the CONTRACTOR be not sufficient to recover the recoverable amount, the CONTRACTOR shall pay to the EMPLOYER, on demand, the balance amount.

79.4 **PAYMENTS, ETC. NOT TO AFFECT RIGHTS OF THE EMPLOYER:**

No sum paid on account by the EMPLOYER nor any extension of the date for completion granted by the EMPLOYER shall affect or prejudice the rights of the EMPLOYER against the CONTRACTOR or relieve the CONTRACTOR of his obligation for the due fulfilment of the CONTRACT.

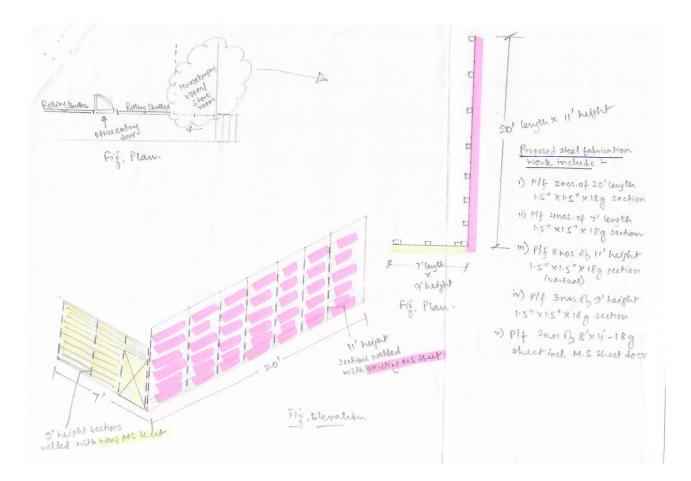
79.5 **CUT-OFF DATES**:

No claims or correspondence on this Contract shall be entertained by the EMPLOYER/Consultant after 90 days after expiry of the performance guarantee (from the date of final extension, if any).

79.6 **PARAGRAPH HEADING:**

The paragraph heading in these conditions shall not affect the construction thereof

Annexure 1- Sketch Drawing:



Annexure 2- Schedule of Quantities

| ltem No. | Description or Particulars | Qty | Rate | Estimated Amount | |
|-------------|---|-------|---------|---------------------|--|
| No. | (I) CUTTING DISMANTLING EXISTING M S FRAME WORK STRUCTURE- SIZE 20'X9' = 180 SQFT (II) STEEL WORK IN BUILT UP TUBULAR (ROUND, SQUARE OR RECTANGULAR HOLLOW TUBES ETC.) INCLUDING CUTTING, HOISTING, FIXING IN POSITION AND APPLYING A PRIMING COAT OF APPROVED STEEL PRIMER, INCLUDING WELDING AND BOLTED WITH BOLTS, WASHERS ETC. COMPLETE. | aty | Rate | Amount | |
| | (III) PROVIDING AND FIXING 18 GAUGE THICK M.S. SHEET DOOR 8'X4' – 1 NO. | | | | |
| | AREAS:- | 1 JOB | LUMPSUM | 70,000/- (PLUS | |
| | 1. 20'X11' = 220 SQFT | | | APPLICABLE TAX) | |
| | 2. 7'X9' = 63 SQFT | | | | |
| | TOTAL AREA = 283 SQFT ALL WORK SHALL BE FINISH WITH PRIMING COAT OF APPROVED STEEL PRIMER. | | | | |
| 2 | DISPOSAL OF BUILDING RUBBISH / MALBA / SIMILAR UNSERVICEABLE, DISMANTLED OR WASTE MATERIALS BY MECHANICAL MEANS, INCLUDING LOADING, TRANSPORTING, UNLOADING TO APPROVED MUNICIPAL DUMPING GROUND OR AS APPROVED BY ENGINEER-IN- CHARGE, BEYOND 50 M INITIAL LEAD, FOR ALL LEADS INCLUDING ALL LIFTS INVOLVED. | | | | |

Annexure-3 (ETHICS IN TENDERING & OTHER BUSINESS DEALINGS):

Dear Sir,

IREL (India) Limited, a Government of India undertaking under the administrative control of Department of Atomic Energy is doing its business as per the rules and regulation of the Public Sector Undertaking and other statutory agencies. The business is done in an ethical, rational & impartial manner with good corporate governance.

In our endeavour to be more transparent in our dealings and to support our ideology all **Vendors**, **Customers and Business Partners** are requested not to provide any gift and / or inducement to any of our employees for securing / being granted favour in dealings with our Company. In assurance of your commitment to the aforesaid, it will be highly appreciated if you fill up, sign and abide by the attached undertakings.

Report of any gifts and / or inducements sought by any employee of the company should be immediately reported to any one of the following:

| Chairman & Managing Director | Chief Vigilance Officer | | |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|
| IREL (India) Limited., | IREL (India) Limited., | | |
| 1207, V.S. Marg, Prabhadevi | 1207, V.S. Marg, Prabhadevi | | |
| Mumbai 400 028. | Mumbai 400 028 | | |
| Ph: 022-24225778 | Ph:022-24221068 | | |
| Email:cmd@irel.co.in | Email:cvo@irel.co.in | | |

We assure you that complaints if any made by you on the subject will be kept confidential and fair investigation will be conducted and appropriate action will be taken. Similarly, we except your commitment to the undertaking and its violation will have consequences as per prevailing rule of the Company.

Thanking you,

For IREL (India) Limited

Name -----

Designation -----

Date

Annexure- 4 (UNDERTAKING):

Date:

To,

M/s IREL (India) Ltd., 1207, V.S. Marg, Prabhadevi Mumbai 400 028.

I / We am / are a Vendor / Customer of IREL (India) Limited (now onwards to be referred as Company).

I / We agree and undertake:

Not to provide any gift and / or inducement to any employee of the Company in connection with securing / being granted favour (s) in my / our dealings with the Corporate office of the company and / or its any field units namely MK, Chavara, OSCOM, RED & IRERC.

To immediately report any gift and / or inducement sought by any employee of the Company granting favour(s) to me / us in my / our dealings with the Company and / or its field units.

Signature.....

Name.....

Title.....

Name of the Company and Address (with Seal).....

Annexure- 5 (DECLARATION – NON-BLACKLISTING):

(To be submitted by an Authorized Signatory on the company's original letter head with signature and seal)

To,

DGM –(T) & I/c Purchase IREL (India) Limited Corporate Office Mumbai PLOT NO. 1207, VEER SAVARKAR MARG NEAR SIDDHIVINAYAK TEMPLE PRABHADEVI MUMBAI-400028

Sir,

In response to the Bid Ref No.: ______ dated ______ 2023, I/We hereby declare that presently our agency has not been declared ineligible or black listed for corrupt & fraudulent practices either indefinitely or for a particular period of time by any State Govt./ Central Govt./PSU/Government of India Society on the date of bid submission.

If this declaration is found to be incorrect then without prejudice to any other action that may be taken, my/ our bid if any, to the extent accepted may be cancelled.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Name of the agency : -Authorized Signatory: -Seal of the Organization: -

Date: Place:

Annexure-6 (Particulars of the bidder):

| SI. | Particulars | Details |
|-----|---|---------|
| 1. | a) Name of Bidder | |
| | b) Legal status (e.g. incorporated private com unincorporated business, partnership etc.): | |
| | Address of the corporate headquarters ar branch office(s), if any, in Mumbai Metrop Region (MMR) | |
| | d) Date of incorporation and/ or commenceme business | ent of |
| | e) Brief details about main line of business. | |
| 2. | Bank details:- The payments to be released from IREL will be not through e-payments. The contractor has to protect the following details: Beneficiary name: Account Number: Name of the bank: IFSC: Nature of Account: (Savings/Current/CC/OI Branch Code: | ovide |
| 3. | Particulars of individual(s) who will serve as the of contact/ communication for the Bidder | point |
| | a) Name: | |
| | b) Designation: | |
| | c) Company: | |
| | d) Address: | |
| | e) Telephone Number: | |
| | f) Email address: | |
| 4. | Particulars of the Authorised Signatory of the B | lidder |
| | a) Name: | |
| | b) Designation: | |
| | c) Company: | |
| | d) Address: | |
| | e) Telephone Number : | |
| | f) Email address: | |
| 5. | GSTand PAN no details: | |

Annexure- 7 (Requirement details of tender documents):

Note: The complete bid document submitted by the bidder as technical bid (Part 1) shall be duly numbered in each page. Based on the numbering done, the following table should be filled up by the bidder.

| SI. | Requirement | (bidder shoul correctly fill th following column) | |
|-----|---|---|--|
| | Required Documents | | |
| 1.0 | Whether the bidder has local office in MMR | | |
| 2.0 | Work order of similar work | | |
| 2.1 | Completion certificate against work order submitted as above 2.0 | | |
| 3.0 | Annual average financial turnover during the last three Financial Years as per PQ | | |
| 4.0 | Particulars of the bidder | | |
| 5.0 | Annexures (4,5,6,7) duly filled by the bidder | | |

Annexure 8- Sample Format for Percentage – Based BOQ (Online)



Percentage BoQ

Tender Inviting Authority: <IREL (India) Limited >

Name of Work: < Tender for repair-maintenace works-steel fabrication works>

Contract No: <IREL/CO/PT/16/2023>

| Name of the Bidder/Bidding Firm/Company | | | | | | |
|---|---|----------|---------------|-------------------------------|---|--|
| IIII/ Company | | | PRICE SCI | | | |
| (This BOQ temp | | | ame should be | uploaded after | filling the relevant co ame and Values only) | lumns, else the bidder is liable to be rejected fo |
| NUMBER # | TEXT # | NUMBER # | TEXT # | NUMBER | NUMBER # | TEXT # |
| SI. No. | Item Description | Quantity | Units | Estimated Rate in Rs. P | TOTAL AMOUNT Without Taxes in Rs. P | TOTAL AMOUNT In Words |
| 1 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 1 | Percentage Rate repair-maintenace works- steel fabrication works | | | | | |
| | 1)(I) CUTTING DISMANTLING EXISTING M S FRAME WORK STRUCTURE- SIZE 20'X9' = 180 SQFT (II) STEEL WORK IN BUILT UP TUBULAR (ROUND, SQUARE OR RECTANGULAR HOLLOW TUBES ETC.) INCLUDING CUTTING, HOISTING, FIXING IN POSITION AND APPLYING A PRIMING COAT OF APPROVED STEEL PRIMER, INCLUDING WELDING AND BOLTED WITH BOLTS, WASHERS ETC. COMPLETE. (III) PROVIDING AND FIXING 18 GAUGE THICK M.S. SHEET DOOR 8'X4' – 1 NO. AREAS:- 1. 20'X11' = 220 SQFT 2. 7'X9' = 63 SQFT TOTAL AREA = 283 SQFT ALL WORK SHALL BE FINISH WITH PRIMING COAT OF APPROVED STEEL PRIMER. 2) DISPOSAL OF BUILDING RUBBISH / MALBA / SIMILAR UNSERVICEABLE, DISMANTLED OR WASTE MATERIALS BY MECHANICAL MEANS, INCLUDING LOADING, TRANSPORTING, UNLOADING TO APPROVED MUNICIPAL DUMPING GROUND OR AS APPROVED BY ENGINEER-IN- CHARGE, BEYOND 50 M INITIAL LEAD, FOR | 1.000 | Job | 70000.00 | | INR Seventy Thousand Only |
| otal in Figures | | | | | 70000.00 | INR Seventy Thousand Only |
| Quoted Rate in Figures | | | Select | | 0.00 | INR Zero Only |
| Quoted Rate in Words | | | | | INR Zero Onl | y |