b.1 Please note that Bank Guarantee issued by any of the Consortium Banks only will be accepted by BHEL. As such, Foreign Vendor needs to make necessary arrangements for issuance of Counter- Guarantee by Foreign Bank in favor of the Indian Bank's (BHEL's Consortium Bank) branch in India. It shall be noted that all charges for issuance of Bank Guarantee/ counter- Guarantee should be borne by the Foreign Vendor.

b.2 In case, Foreign Vendors intend to provide BG from Overseas Branch of our Consortium Bank (e.g. if a BG is to be issued by SBI Frankfurt), the same is acceptable. However, the procedure at sl.no. b.1 is required to be followed.

b.3 The BG issued may preferably be subject to Uniform Rules for Demand Guarantees (URDG) 758 (as amended from time to time).

- 9. Expired PBGs will be returned only after expiry of the claim period.
- **10.** PBG shall not be applicable for spares.

I. PROVISONS APPLICABLE FOR MSE VENDORS (MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES) :

Benefits/facilities as applicable for Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) shall be available to MSEs registered with Government designated authorities as per the Purchase & Price Preference Policy of the Government subject to them becoming eligible otherwise.

Vendors who qualify as MSE vendors are requested to submit applicable certificates (as specified by the Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises) at the time of vendor registration. Vendors have to submit the Udyog Aadhaar Memorandum (UAM) /UDYAM Registration certificate along with attested copy of a CA certificate (Annexure VIII) applicable for the relevant financial year (latest audited) along with the tender documents in the Part-I bid to avail the applicable benefits.

Date to be reckoned for determining the deemed validity will be the date of bid opening (Part-I in case of two-part bid and three-part bid).

Documents have to be notarized/attested by a Gazetted officer and must be valid as on the date of part I bid opening for the vendors to be eligible for the benefits applicable for MSE vendors. Please note that no benefit shall be applicable if any deficiency in the above required documents are not submitted before the price bid opening/Reverse Auction. If the tender is to be submitted through e-procurement portal, then the above required documents are to be uploaded on the portal.

Bidders to however note the documents that shall be furnished in order to establish credentials as MSE vendor should be as per the extant statutory requirements specified by the Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises.

PURCHASE PREFERENCE FOR MSE VENDORS:

MSE vendors quoting within a price band of L1 + 15% shall be allowed to supply up to 25% of the requirement against this tender provided

- 1. The MSE vendor matches the L1 price.
- **2.** L1 price is from a non MSE vendor.
- 3. L1 price will be offered to the vendor nearest to L1 in terms of price ranking (L2 nearest to L1). In case of non-acceptance by the MSE vendor (L2), next ranking

MSE vendor will be offered who is within the L1 + 15% band (if L3 is also within 15% band).

- **4.** 3% of the 25% will be earmarked for women owned MSEs.
- 5. 25% of the 25% (i.e., 6.25% of the total enquired quantity) will be earmarked for SC/ST owned MSE firms provided conditions as mentioned in (1) & (2) are fulfilled.
- 6. In case where no SC/ST category firms are meeting the conditions mentioned in (1) and (2) or have not participated in the tender, the 6.25% of earmarked quantity for SC/ST owned MSE firms will be distributed among the other eligible MSE vendors who have participated in the tender.
- 7. In case after the bid opening it is seen that no MSE has become L1, then depending on the nature of the item, if it is not possible to split the tendered items/quantities on account of reasons like customer contract requirements of supplying one make for a given project or technical reasons like the tendered item being a system etc., then BHEL would not counter offer the L1 prices even though there may be MSE bidders within the +15% band of L1. Such information that tendered quantity will not be split shall be indicated in the SCC.

J. INTEGRITY COMMITMENT IN THE TENDER PROCESS, AND EXECUTION OF CONTRACTS:

1. <u>Commitment by BHEL:</u> BHEL commits to take all measures necessary to prevent corruption in connection with the Tender process and execution of the Contract. BHEL will, during the tender process, treat all bidder / suppliers in a transparent and fair manner, and with equity.

2. Commitment by Bidder(s)/ Contractor(s):

- a. The Bidder(s)/ Contractor(s) commit(s) to take all measures to prevent corruption and will not directly or indirectly try to influence any decision or benefit which he is not legally entitled to.
- b. The Bidder(s)/ Contractor(s) will not enter with other Bidder(s) into any undisclosed agreement or understanding or any actions to restrict competition.
- c. The Bidder(s)/ Contractor(s) will not commit any offence under the relevant Acts. The Bidder(s)/ Contractor(s) will not use improperly, for purposes of competition or personal gain or pass on to others, any information or document provided by BHEL as part of business relationship.
- d. The Bidder(s)/ Contractor(s) will, when presenting his bid, disclose any and all payments he has made, and is committed to or intends to make to agents, brokers or any other intermediaries in connection with the award of the contract and shall adhere to the relevant guidelines issued from time to time by Government of India/ BHEL.

If the Bidder(s) / Contractor(s), before award or during execution of the Contract commit(s) a transgression of the above or in any other manner such as to put his reliability or credibility in question, BHEL is entitled to disqualify the Bidder(s) / Contractor (s) from the tender process or terminate the contract and/ or take suitable action as deemed fit.

K. Integrity Pact (IP):

- a) IP is a tool to ensure that activities and transactions between the Company and its Bidders/ Contractors are handled in a fair, transparent and corruption free manner.
 A panel of independent External Monitors (IEMs) have been appointed to oversee implementation of IP in BHEL.
 - The IP as enclosed with the tender is to be submitted (duly signed by authorized signatory who signs in the offer) along with techno-commercial bid. Only those Bidders who have entered into such an IP with BHEL would be competent to participate in the bidding. In other words, entering into this Pact would be a preliminary qualification.
- b) Please refer Section-8 of the IP for Role and Responsibilities of IEMs (Annexure IX). In case of any complaint arising out of the tendering process, the matter may be referred to the IEM mentioned in the tender.

Note: No routine correspondence shall be addressed to the IEM (phone/ post/ email) regarding the clarifications, time extensions or any other administrative queries, etc. on the tender issued. All such clarification/ issues shall be addressed directly to the tender issuing (procurement) department."

L. Fraud prevention policy:

The Bidder along with its associates/collaborators/sub-contractors/sub-vendors/consultants/service providers shall strictly adhere to BHEL Fraud Prevention Policy displayed on BHEL Website http://www.bhel.com and shall immediately bring to the notice of BHEL Management about any fraud or suspected fraud as soon as it comes to their notice. Fraud prevention policy and List of Nodal Officers shall be hosted on BHEL website, vendor portal of Units/Region intranet.

Anneans

Annexure I Guidelines for Indian Agents

Definition of Indian Agent: An Indian Agent of foreign prinicipal is an individual, a partnership, an
association of persons, a private or public company, that carries our specific obligation(s) towards
processing of BHEL tender or finalization or execution of BHEL's contract on behalf of the foreign
supplier.

In case of yes, vendor to note the following and reply accordingly:

- i. BHEL shall deal directly with foreign vendors, wherever required, for procurement of goods. However, if the foreign principal desires to avail of the services of an Indian agent, then the foreign principal should ensure compliance to regulatory guidelines which require mandatory submission of an Agency Agreement.
- ii. It shall be incumbent on the Indian agent and the foreign principal to adhere to the relevant guidelines of Government of India, issued from time to time.
- iii. The Agency Agreement should specify the precise relationship between the foreign OEM / foreign principal and their Indian agent and their mutual interest in the business. All services to be rendered by agent/ associate, whether of general nature or in relation to the particular contract, must be clearly stated by the foreign supplier/ Indian agent. Any payment, which the agent or associate receives in India or abroad from the OEM, whether as commission or as a general retainer fee should be brought on record in the Agreement and be made explicit in order to ensure compliance to laws of the country.
- iv. Any agency commission to be paid by BHEL to the Indian agent shall be in Indian currency only.
- v. Tax deduction at source is applicable to the agency commission paid to the Indian agent as per the prevailing rules.
- vi. In the absence of any agency agreement, BHEL shall not deal with any Indian agent (authorized representatives / associate / consultant, or by whatever name called) and shall deal directly with the foreign principal only for all correspondence and business purposes.
- vii. The "Guidelines for Indian Agents of Foreign Suppliers" enclosed at annexure -'A' shall apply in all such cases.

viii. The supply and execution of the Purchase Order (including indigenous supplies/ service) shall be in the scope of the OEM/ foreign principal. The OEM/ foreign principal should submit their offer inclusive of all indigenous supplies/ services and evaluation will be based on 'total cost to BHEL'. In case OEM/ foreign principal recommends placement of order(s) towards indigenous portion of supplies/ services on Indian supplier(s)/ agent on their behalf, the credentials/ capacity/ capability of the Indian supplier(s)/ agent to make the supplies/ services shall be checked by BHEL as per the extant guidelines of Supplier Evaluation, Approval & Review Procedure (SEARP), before opening of price bids. In this regard, details may be checked as per Annexure-B (copy enclosed). It will be the responsibility of the OEM/ foreign principal to get acquainted with the evaluation requirements of Indian supplier/ agent as per SEARP available on www.bhel.com.

The responsibility for successful execution of the contract (including indigenous supplies/ services) lies with the OEM/ foreign principal. All bank guarantees to this effect shall be in the scope of the OEM/ foreign principal.

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Vendor's Signature with Seal

Guidelines for Indian Agents of Foreign Suppliers

- 1.0 There shall be compulsory registration of agents for all Global (Open) Tender and Limited Tender. An agent who is not registered with BHEL shall apply for registration in the registration form in line with SEARP.
- 1.1 Registered agents will file an authenticated Photostat copy duly attested by a Notary Public/Original certificate of the Principal confirming the agency agreement and giving the status being enjoyed by the agent and the commission/ remuneration/ salary/ retainership being paid by the principal to the agent before the placement of order by BHEL.
- 1.2 Wherever the Indian representatives have communicated on behalf of their principals and the foreign parties have stated that they are not paying any commission to the Indian agents, and the Indian representative is working on the basis of salary or as retainer, a written declaration to this effect should be submitted by the party (i.e. Principal) before finalizing the order.
- 2.0 Disclosure of particulars of agents/ representatives in India, if any.
- 2.1 Tenderers of Foreign nationality shall furnish the following details in their offers:
 - 2.1.1 The Bidder(s)/ Contractor(s) of foreign origin shall disclose the name and address of the agents/ representatives in India if any and the extent of authorization and authority given to commit the Principals. In case the agent/ representative be a foreign Company, it shall be confirmed whether it is existing Company and details of the same shall be furnished.
 - 2.1.2 The amount of commission/ remuneration included in the quoted price(s) for such agents/ representatives in India.
 - 2.1.3 Confirmation of the Tenderer that the commission/ remuneration, if any, payable to his agents/ representatives in India, may be paid by 8HEL in Indian Rupees only.
- 2.2 Tenderers of Indian Nationality shall furnish the following details in their offers:
 - 2.2.1 The Bidder(s)/ Contractor(s) of Indian Nationality shall furnish the name and address of the foreign principals; if any, indicating their nationality as well as their status, i.e. whether manufacturer or agents of manufacturer holding the Letter of Authority of the Principal specifically authorizing the agent to make an offer in India in response to tender either directly or through the agents/ representatives.
 - 2.2.2 The amount of commission/ remuneration included in the price (s) quoted by the Tenderer for himself.
 - 2.2.3 Confirmation of the foreign principals of the Tenderer that the commission/ remuneration, if any, reserved for the Tenderer in the quoted price(s), may be paid by BHEL in India in equivalent Indian Rupees on satisfactory completion of the Project or supplies of Stores and Spares in case of operation items.
- 2.3 In either case, in the event of contract materializing, the terms of payment will provide for payment of the commission/ remuneration, if any payable to the agents/ representatives in India in Indian Rupees on expiry of 90 days after the discharge of the obligations under the contract.
- 2.4 Failure to furnish correct and detailed information as called for in paragraph 2.0 above will render the concerned tender liable to rejection or in the event of a contract materializing, the same table to termination by BHEL. Besides this there would be a penalty of banning business dealings with BHEL or damage or payment of a named sum.

ANNEXURE - II LIST OF INTERNATIONAL GATEWAY AIRPORTS

For air based consignment, terms of delivery will be on FCA basis from following listed airports only. Vendors are requested to verify this list for use before submission of offer.

SCHEDULE NO	COUNTRY	CURRENCY CODE	AIRPORT		
D01	UK	GBP	LONDON (HEATHROW)		
D02	UK	G8P	NEW CASTLE		
D03	UK	GBP	OXFORD, CHETLAM		
D04	UK	GBP	BRISTOL, WELLINGBOROUGH		
D05	UK	GBP	BIRMINGHAM		
DO6	UK	GBP	EAST MIDLANDS		
D07	UK .	GBP	MANCHESTER		
D08	UK	GBP	LEEDS		
D09	UK	GBP	GLASGOW		
D10	FRANCE	EURO	PARIS (ROISSY) & LYON		
D11	SWEDEN	EURO	STOCKHOLM		
D12	SWEDEN	EURO	GOTHENBERG & MALMO		
D13	iTALY	EURO	ROMA, MILAN		
D14	iTALY	EURO	TURIN, BOLOGNA, FLORENCE		
D15.	NETHERLANDS	EURO	AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM		
D15	AUSTRIA	EURO	VIENNA, LINZ, GRAZ		
D17	BELGIUM	EURÓ	ANTWERP, BRUSSELS		
D18	DENMARK	DKK	COPENHAGEN		
D19	JAPAN	JPY	TOKYO, OSAKA		
D20	SINGAPORE	SGD	SINGAPORE		
D21	CANADA .	CAD	TORONTO		
D22	CANADA	CAD	MONTREAL		
D23	USA	USD	NEW YORK, BOSTON		
D24	USA	USD	CHICAGO		
D25	USA	USD	SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES		
D26	USA	USD	ALANTA, HOUSTON		
	4	****	MUNICH, KOLN, DUSSELDORF, HANNOVER, HAMBURG,		
D27	GERMANY	EURO	STUTTGART, DAMSTADT, MANIHIEM, NURUMBERG		
530	CERTABLY	EURO.			
D28	GERMANY	EURO	FRANKFURT		
D29 D30	GERMANY CANTTERN AND	EURÓ SFR	BERLIN		
	SWITZERLAND		BASLE, ZURICH, GENEVA		
D31	SPAIN	EURO	BARCELONA		
D32	AUSTRALIA	AUD AUD	SYDNEY		
D34	AUSTRALIA AUSTRALIA	AUD	MELBOURNE PERTH		
D35	CZECH	EURO	·		
D36	HONG KONG	HKD	PRAGUE		
D37	. NEW ZELAND	NZD	HONG KONG		
D37			MOSCOW		
D39	RUSSIA SOUTH KOREA	USD USD			
	FINLAND		KIMPO INTERNATIONAL, INCHEON		
D40 D41	ROMANIA	EURO	HELSINKI BUCHAREST		
D41 D42	NORWAY	EURO EURO	OSLO		
D43	IRELAND	EURO USD	DUBLIN TEL AVIV		
D44	ISRAEL		TEL AVIV		
D45	UAE	USD	DUBAI		
D46	OMAN EGYPT	USD	MUSCAT CAIRO		
D47		USD			
D48	TAIWAN	USD	TAIPEI		
D49	UKRAINE	USD	KIEV		
D50	CHINA	USD	SHANGHAI, SHENZHEN		
D51	PHILIPINES	USD	MANILA		
D52	MALAYSIA	USD	KUALALUMPUR, PE NANG		
D53	CYPRUS	USD	LARNACA DURBANI		
D54	SOUTH AFRICA	USD	JOHANNESBERG, DURBAN		
D55	SLOVAKIA	EURO	BARTISLOVA		
D56	SAUDI ARABIA	SAR	RIYADH		
D57	TURKEY	EURO	ISTANBUL		
D58	THAILAND	USD	BANGKOK		
D59	BRAZIL	USD	SAO PAULO, RIO DE JANEIRO		

ANNEXURE – III DISCREPANCY IN WORDS & FIGURES – QUOTED IN PRICE BID

Following guidelines will be followed in case of discrepancy in words & figures-quoted in price bid:

- (a) If, in the price structure quoted for the required goods/services/works, there is discrepancy between the unit price and the total price (which is obtained by multiplying the unit price by the quantity), the unit price shall prevail and the total price corrected accordingly, unless in the opinion of the purchaser there is an obvious misplacement of the decimal point in the unit price, in which case the total price as quoted shall govern and the unit price corrected accordingly.
- (b) If there is an error in a total corresponding to the addition or subtraction of subtotals, the subtotals shall prevail and the total shall be corrected; and
- (c) If there is a discrepancy between words and figures, the amount in words shall prevail, unless the amount expressed in words is related to an arithmetic error, in which case the amount in figures shall prevail subject to (a) and (b) above.
- (d) If there is such discrepancy in an offer, the same shall be conveyed to the bidder with target date upto which the bidder has to send his acceptance on the above lines and if the bidder does not agree to the decision of the purchaser, the bid is liable to be ignored.

ANNEXURE - IV <u>Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) OR</u> <u>Paylink Direct Credit Form</u>

	Please Fill up the form in CAPITAL 1 TYPE OF REQUEST(Tick one):			CHANGE		
	BHEL Vendor / Supplier Code:			٦		
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3	Bank Telephone No:					
4	Bank Account No:					
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ANNEXURE - V PRESENT PROCEDURE FOR SALE IN TRANSIT (HIGH SEA SALES)

In case of High Sea Sales, vendor should submit following documents:

1. ORIGINAL HIGH SEA SALES AGREEMENT

- Sale agreement (on Rs. 200/- non-judicial stamp paper & notarised with 2 witnesses with identity) has to be signed between BHEL and the Party importing material. The date of the sale documents should be in between the date of House Air Way Bill / Bill of Lading and before landing of the goods in Indian origin.
- Following shall be included in the High Sea Sales Agreement:
 "THE BUYER ALSO UNDERTAKE DISCHARGES, THE OBLIGATION AND FULFILLMENT OF CONDITIONS, IF ANY, ATTACHED TO THE IMPORTATION, ASSESSMENT AND CLEARANCE OF THE GOODS IN TERMS CUSTOMS TARIFF ACT 1975, THE CUSTOMS ACT 1962 & RULES & REGULATIONS MADE THERE UNDER AND OTHER RELEVANT ACTS, ORDERS, NOTIFICATIONS".

2. ORIGINAL INVOICES: INDIGENOUS RUPEE INVOICE & FOREIGN CURRENCY INVOICE

- Prices should be C.I.F., designated airport/seaport basis.
- I.E.C., C.S.T., K.S.T. Nos. to be mentioned.
- Description of item (Nomenclature), Unit & Quantity in both the Foreign Currency & the Indigenous Invoice in Rupee shall be exactly as per Purchase Order Description of item, Quantity and Unit. The Indigenous Invoice value shall be exactly as per Purchase Order value.
- Seller should give Foreign Currency Invoice from the original consignor. The Foreign Currency Invoice value should be at least 2% (two per cent) less than the Indigenous Rupee Invoice value in equivalent foreign currency.

4. ORIGINAL HOUSE AIR WAY BILL/ BILL OF LADING

- The sale agents should duly endorse House Air Way Bill (HAWB) for air shipments or original Bill of Lading (O.B.L.) for sea shipments and Foreign Currency Invoice in favour of BHEL-EDN.
- 5. ORIGINAL CARGO ARRIVAL NOTICE FROM FORWARDER.
- 6. ORIGINAL DELIVERY ORDER ISSUED IN NAME OF BHEL-EDN.
- 7. ORIGINAL PACKING LIST.
- 8. A LETTER TO THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS FOR EFFECTING ABOVE SALE.
- 9. A LETTER TO THE DEPUTY ASSESSOR (OCTROI) FOR EFFECTING ABOVE SALE IN FAVOUR OF BHEL.

REMARKS: In case vendor needs any clarifications on the above, the same may be sought in writing.