SPECIMEN NIT No. 21/SE(E) /Ftr-Raj/2025-26							
Technical Sanction No.							
Name of Work	PITC of 25 KWp off Grid (Hybrid) Solar Power Plant at 09 nos BOPs of 87 E 72 Bn) of SHQ BSF JSMR (N) under FTR HQ Rajasthan.	3N ( Now					
Estimated Cost	: Rs.2,96,72,937/-						
Tender processing fee	: N/A						
Earnest Money	: Rs. 5,93,459/-						
Security Deposit	05% of tendered amount						
Time Allowed	12 months						

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### Notice Inviting e -Tenders

The Superintending Engineer (Electrical), HQrs DG BSF, Block No.10, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi on behalf of President of India invites online **percentage rate**tender on **EPC mode-I** from approved and eligible contractors of CPWD and those of appropriate list of MES, BSNL, Railways,State PWD, State Renewable Agency,having valid electrical licenceor manufacturer / Authorised OEM of Solar Power Plant equipments for the following work:-

S. N	NIT No	Name of work			Estimated Cost	Earnest Money
01		PITC of 25 KWp off Grid (Hybrid)Sc 34 BN(Now 163 BN) of SHQ BSF SC	Rs. 2,96,72,937/-	Rs. 5,93,459/-		
02		PITCof 25 KWp off Grid (Hybrid)Sol 77 BN(Now 118 Bn)and 23 BN of Rajasthan.	Rs. 3,29,69,930/-	Rs. 6,59,399/-		
03		PITC of 25 KWp off Grid (Hybrid)So 125BN(Now 48 Bn) of SHQ BSF SG	Rs. 3,95,63,916/-	Rs. 7,91,278/-		
04		PITCof 25 KWp off Grid (Hybrid)Sol 124 BN(Now 179Bn) of SHQ BSF Bh	under FTR HQ Rajasthan.	Rs. 3,62,66,923/-	Rs. 7,25,338/-	
05		PITC of 25 KWp off Grid(Hybrid) So 127 BN(Now 140 Bn) of SHQ BSF B	Rs. 2,30,78,951/-	Rs. 4,61,579/-		
06		PITC of 25 KWp off Grid (Hybrid)So 114 BN of SHQ BSF BKNR under FT	Rs. 2,30,78,951/-	Rs. 4,61,579/-		
07		PITCof 25 KWp off Grid Hybrid)Solar BN (Now 20 Bn) and 166 BN (Now 20 FTR HQ Rajasthan.	Rs. 4,28,60,909/-	Rs. 8,57,218/-		
08		PITC of 25 KWp off Grid (Hybrid) Sc 87 BN (Now 72 Bn) of SHQ BSF JS	Rs. 2,96,72,937/-	Rs. 5,93,459/-		
09		PITCof 25 KWp off Grid (Hybrid)Sol 191 BN (Now 138 Bn) of SHQ Rajasthan.	Rs. 3,29,69,930/-	Rs. 6,59,399/-		
10		PITCof 25 KWp off Grid (Hybrid)Sol 149 BN(Now 35 Bn) and 154 BN( under FTR HQ Rajasthan.	Rs. 4,28,60,909/-	Rs. 8,57,218/-		
11		PITCof 25 KWp off Grid (Hybrid)Sol 173 BN (Now 126 Bn)and 108 BN(N under FTR HQ Rajasthan.	Rs. 3,62,66,923/-	Rs. 7,25,338/-		
		Total			Rs. 36,92,63,216/-	
		cessing Fee	:	N/A		
	Period of Completion			12 months		
	Last date & time of submission of bid			15/07/2025 up to 1100 hrs.		
	Date and time of opening of online technical bid			16/07/2025 up to 1130 hrs.		
sub	Period during which EMD Physically shall be submitted as per NIT			One day before opening of Technical Bid		
Date and time of opening of online financial bid :				Will be intimated online later after approval of technical bid by competent authority.		

- 2. Technical bid shall be considered valid only of those contractors who will upload the scanned copies of the following documents along with technical bid and physical deposition of EMD.
  - a) Earnest money in the form of Treasury Challan/Demand Draft/Bank guarantee/Pay order or Banker's Cheque /Deposit at Call Receipt of any Scheduled Bank issued in favour of IG FTR HQ BSF Rajasthanand Exemption of EMD is not allowed.
  - b) FOR CONTRACTORS Valid copy of Enlistment, Electrical license and OEM Authorization certificate
  - c) FOR MANUFACTURER / AUTHORISEDOEM- Valid certificateofOEM& MNRE Approval.
  - d) FOR DEALER/RE-SELLER- Valid Dealership Certificate/OEM Authorization certificate
  - e) PAN Card and GST Registration Certificate. GST Registration Certificate of the State in which the work is to be taken up, if already obtained by the bidder. If the bidder has not obtained GST registration in the State in which the work is to be taken up, or as required by GST authorities then in such a case the bidder shall scan and upload following undertaking along with other bid documents-

"If work is awarded to me, I/we shall obtain GST registration Certificate of the State, in which work is to be taken up, within one month from the date of receipt of award letter or before release of any payment by BSF, whichever is earlier, failing which I/We shall be responsible for any delay in payments which will be due towards me/us on a/c of the work executed and/or for any action taken by BSF or GST department in this regard.

- f) Latest GST and IT return as applicable
- g) Average annual turnover at least 30% of the estimated cost (**Cumulative depends on number of bids being participated**) for last 03 years duly verified by CA and Bidder should furnish the Annual financial statement for the last five years in (Form "G"). Banker's Certificate in (Form "H") or Networth Certificate in (Form"H-1").
- h) Certificates of similar type of work experience as per para 1.2.1/1.2.2/1.2.3 of CPWD-6(**Cumulative depends on number of bids being participated**) and Bidder should furnish the List of eligible similar nature of works successfully completed during the last seven years in (Form "I"), ongoing works as well (Form I-1) and also Form "J".
- i) FORM "D" **FORMAT FOR UDERSTANDING THE PROJECT SITE** (on Bidder Letter Head) as per format provided in NIT
- j) FORM "E" FORMAT FOR NO DEVIATION CERTIFICATE (on Bidder Letter Head) as per format provided in NIT
- k) FORM "F" FORMAT FOR INTEGRITY PACT (on Bidder Letter Head) as per format provided in NIT
- Signed copy of NIT
- m) Affidavit as per clause 1.2.2of Form 6.

"I/We undertake and confirm that eligible similar work(s) has/have not been got executed through another contractor on back to back basis. Further, if such a violation comes to the notice of Department, then I/We shall be debarred for tendering in BSF in future forever. Also, if such a violation comes to the notice of Department before date of start of work, the Engineer-in-charge shall be free to forfeit the entire amount of the Earnest money /Performance Guarantee."

- n) Manufacturers authorization letter on non-judicial stamp paper of appropriate value from manufacturer of MNRE approved ALMM listed Solar panel, Battery & inverter/PCU and Confirmation from manufacturer to BSF that they will provide proper after sale, service and spare parts of the equipment'salso that their products meet technical specification as specified in the tender document.
- o) Copy of Electrical license of eligible class of the bidder. In case, bidder doesn't have electrical license, he shall submit an undertaking that "I/We will either obtain valid electrical licenseat the time of execution of electrical work

or associate contractors having valid electrical license of eligible class."

- p) **Declaration of local content** for Class-I local suppliers having minimum 50% local content of PV Module/ Panel, Battery & inverter as per NIT page No. 57,58 & 59as per format provided in NIT
- q) FORM "K" **FORMAT FOR STRUCTURE & ORGANISATION** (on Bidder Letter Head) as per format provided in NIT.
- 4. The original EMDshould be deposited physically (NOT BY POST) in the office of EE(ELECT) FTR HQ BSF Rajasthan**one day before** the opening date of online bidding as per date and time mentioned in tender notice. Failing which bid submitted shall become invalid.
- 5. The bid document consisting of plans, specifications, the schedule of quantities of various types of items to be executed and the set of terms and conditions of the contract to be complied with and other necessary documents can be seen and downloaded from website <a href="https://www.bsf.nic.in/eprocure.gov.in">www.bsf.nic.in/eprocure.gov.in</a>
- 6. Conditional tender will be summarily rejected without assigning any reason.
- 7. Electrical license shall be valid to undertake the work in the concern state in which work is to be executed up to date of validity of tender. Electrical license should be valid throughout the execution of work, firm is responsible to renew the same before expiry if any.
- 8. GST registration should be valid in the concern state
- 9. Public procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 issued by Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion, Ministry of Commerce & Industry. Govt of India, vide letter dated 15.06.2017. Ministry of Commerce and industry, Department for promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (Public Procurement section) Order date 04.06.2020 and revised "Public procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017" dated 16.09.2020.
- 10. Work shall be awarded to L-I firm only after submitting of following documents/test report:
  - i) NABL Lab test of solar PV Module, batteries & inverter as applicable
  - ii) Valid BIS certificate of PV Module /Panel, Battery&inverter and ALMM listing of MNRE as applicable.

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Commandant/Superintending engineer (Elect)
FHQ BSF New Delhi

#### Distributions:

1. IT WING: For uploading on BSF Website Please.

# INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR BIDDERS FOR E-TENDERING FORMING PART OF BID DOCUMENT

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Name of work :-PITC of 25 KWp off Grid (Hybrid) Solar Power Plant at 09 nos BOPs of 87 BN (Now 72 Bn) of SHQ BSF JSMR (N) under FTR HQ Rajasthan.

- 1. The intending bidder must read the terms and conditions of Form-6 carefully. He should only submit his bid if he consider himself eligible and he is in possession of all the documents required.
- 2. Information and Instructions for bidders posted on website shall form part of bid document.
- 3. The bid document consisting of plans, specifications, the schedule of quantities of various types of items to be executed and the set of terms and conditions of the contract to be complied with and other necessary documents can be seen and downloaded from website www.eprocure.gov.in or www.bsf.nic.in free of cost.
- 4. The original EMD should be deposited physically (NOT BY POST) in the office of EE(Elect) FTR HQ BSF Rajasthanone day before the opening date of online bidand uploading the mandatory scanned documents such as EMD and Original EMD in shape Demand draft or Pay order or Bankers Cheque or Deposit at call Receipt or Fixed Deposit Receipts of any scheduled Bank towards EMD in favour of IG FTR HQ BSF Rajasthan as mentioned in NIT and other documents as specified and Exemption of EMD is not allowed.
- 5. Those contractors not registered on the website mentioned above, are required to get registered beforehand. If needed they can be imparted training on online bidding process as per details available on the website.
- 6. The intending bidder must have valid class-III digital signature to submit the bid.
- 7. On opening date, the contractor can login and see the bid opening process. After opening of bids he will receive the competitor bid sheets.
- 8. Contractor can upload documents in the form of PDF format.
- 9. Contractor must ensure to quote rate in the column (5) meant for quoting rate in figures appears in blue colour and the moment rate is entered, it turns sky blue. In addition to this, while selecting any of the cells a warning appears that if any cell is left blank the same shall be treated as "0". Therefore, if any cell is left blank and no rate is quoted by the bidder, rate of such item shall be treated as "0" (ZERO).
  - However, If a tenderer quotes nil rates against each item in item rate tender or does not quote any percentage above/below on the total amount of the tender or any section / sub head in percentage rate tender, the tender shall be treated as invalid and will not be considered as lowest tenderer.

#### <u>List of Documents to be scanned and uploaded within the period of bid submission:</u>

- a) Earnest money in the form of Treasury Challan/Demand Draft/Bank guarantee/Pay order or Banker's Cheque /Deposit at Call Receipt of any Scheduled Bank issued in favour of IG FTR HQ BSF Rajasthan and Exemption of EMD is not allowed.
- b) FOR CONTRACTORS Valid copy of Enlistment, Electrical license and OEM Authorization certificate
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#### by BSF or GST department in this regard.

- f) Latest GST and IT return as applicable
- g) Average annual turnover at least 30% of the estimated cost (**Cumulative depends on number of bids being participated**) for last 03 years duly verified by CA and Bidder should furnish the Annual financial statement for the last five years in (Form "G"). Banker's Certificate in (Form "H") or Networth Certificate in (Form"H-1").
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- Followings certificates to be enclosed:
  - ii) Confirmation letter from respective manufactures that their product meet technical specification specified in the tender with authorization for use of product in execution.
  - iv) Confirmation from manufacture to BSF that they will provide proper after sale service and spare parts of the equipment minimum 05 years from date of commissioning.
- p) Copy of Electrical license of eligible class of the bidder. In case, bidder doesn't have electrical license, he shall submit an undertaking that "I/We will either obtain valid electrical licenseat the time of execution of electrical work or associate contractors having valid electrical license of eligible class."
- q) Declaration of local contentfor Class-I local suppliers having minimum 50% local content of PV Module/ Panel, Battery & inverter as per NIT page No. 57,58 & 59as per format provided in NIT
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### BORDER SECURITY FORCE NOTICE INVITING TENDER FORM-6 For E-tendering

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Name of work -PITC of 25 KWp off Grid (Hybrid) Solar Power Plant at 09 nos BOPs of 87 BN (Now 72 Bn) of SHQ BSF JSMR (N) under FTR HQ Rajasthan.

The enlistment of the contractors should be valid on the last date of submission of bids.

In case the last date of submission of bid is extended, the enlistment of contractor should be valid on the original date of submission of bids.

- 1.1.1 The work is estimated to cost **Rs. 2,96,72,937/-Only**. This estimate, however, is given merely as a rough guide.
- 1.1.1 The authority competent to approve NIT for the combined cost and belonging to the major discipline will consolidate NITs for calling the bids. He will also nominate Division which will deal with all matters relating to the invitation of bids.

For composite bid, besides indicating the combined estimated cost put to bid, should clearly indicate the estimated cost of each component separately. The eligibility of bidders will correspond to the combined estimated cost of different components put to bid.

1.2 Intending bidders is eligible to submit the bid provided he has definite proof from the appropriate authority, which shall be to the satisfaction of the competent authority, of having satisfactorily completed similar works of magnitude specified below:-

Criteria of eligibility for submission of bid documents

1.2.1 Conditions for CPWD as well as Non-CPWD registered contractors: Supplying, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of solar power on/off/Hybrid Grid)

Three similar works each of value not less than 40% or two similar work each of value not less than 60% or one similar work of value not less than 80% of estimated cost (all figures rounded to nearest Convenient figure in last 7 years ending last day of themonth previous to the one in which tender are invited.). The value of the executed work shall be brought to current costing level by enhancing the actual value of work at simple rate of 7% per annum calculated from the date of completion to last date of submission of bid.

1.2.2 To become eligible for issue of bid, the bidders shall have to furnish an affidavit as under:-

I/We undertake and confirm that eligible similar works(s) has/have not been got executed through another contractor on back to back basis. Further that, if such a violation comes to the notice of Department, then I/we shall be debarred for bidding in BSF in future forever. Also, if such a violation comes to the notice of Department before date of start of work, the Engineer-in-Charge s hall be free to forfeit the entire amount of Earnest Money Deposit/Performance Guarantee. (Scanned copy to be uploaded at the time of submission of bid)

1.2.3 When bids are invited from non CPWD contractors and CPWD contractors asper provisions of **clause** 1.2.1 above, it will be mandatory for non CPWD contractors and CPWD contractors to upload the work experience certificate(s) and the affidavit as per the provisions of **clause** 1.2.1.

- 2. Agreement shall be drawn with the successful bidders on prescribed Form No. CPWD 7/8 (up to date)(or other Standard Form as mentioned) which is available as a Govt. of India Publication and also available on website **www.bsf.nic.in**. Bidders shall quote his rates as per various terms and conditions of the said form which will form part of the agreement.
- 3. The time allowed for carrying out the work will be **12 months** from the date of start as defined in schedule 'F' or from the first date of handing over of the site, whichever is later, in accordance with the phasing, if any, indicated in the bid documents.
- 4. The site for the work is available/made available in parts.
- The bid document consisting of plans, specifications, the schedule of quantities of various types of items to be executed and the set of terms and conditions of the contract to be complied with and other necessary documents except Standard General Conditions of Contract Form can be seen on website www.eprocure.com or www.bsf.nic.in free of cost.
- 6. After submission of the bid the contractor can re-submit revised bid any number of times but before last time and date of submission of bid as notified.
- 7. While submitting the revised bid, contractor can revise the rate of one or more item(s) any number of times (he need not re-enter rate of all the items) but before last time and date of submission of bid as notified.
- 8. When bids are invited in three stage system and if it is desired to submit revised financial bid then it shall be mandatory to submit revised financial bid. If not submitted then the bid submitted earlier shall become invalid.
- 9. Electrical license shall be valid to undertake the work in the state in which work is to be executed up to date of validity of tender. Electrical license should be valid throughout the execution of work, firm is responsible to renew the same before expiry if any.
- Earnest Money in the form of Treasury Challan or Demand Draft or Pay order or Banker's Cheque of bank Guarantee or Deposit at Call Receipt or Fixed Deposit Receipt (drawn in favour of IG FTR HQ BSF Rajasthan) shall be scanned and uploaded to the e-Tendering website within the period of bid submission and Exemption of EMD is not allowed. The original EMD should be deposited physically (NOT BY POST) in the office of EE(Elect) FTR HQ BSF Rajasthanone day beforeto the opening of online bid.

The bid submitted shall be opened at ......As per Tender Notice

- 10. The bid submitted shall become invalid if
  - (i) The bidder is found ineligible.
  - (ii) The bidder does not upload scanned copies of all the documents stipulated in the bid document.
  - (iii) If any discrepancy is noticed between the documents as uploaded at the time of submission of bid and hard copies as submitted physically by the lowest bidder in the office of bid opening authority.
  - (iv) If a tenderer quotes nil rates against each item in item rate tender or does not quote any percentage above/below on the total amount of the tender or any section / sub head in percentage rate tender, the tender shall be treated as invalid and will not be considered as lowest tenderer.
  - (v) EMD does not submitted with the office of **EE(Elect) FTR HQ BSF Rajasthan**
- 11. The contractor whose bid is accepted will be required to furnish performance guarantee of 5%(Five Percent) of the bid amount within the period specified in Schedule F. In the form of bank/Banker's cheque of any scheduled bank/Demand Draft of any scheduled bank/ Pay order of any Scheduled Bank of any scheduled bank or Fixed Deposit Receipts of any Scheduled Bank or the State Bank of India in accordance with the prescribed form. In case

the contractor fails to deposit the said performance guarantee within the period as indicated in Schedule'F', including the extended period if any, the Earnest Money deposited by the contractor shall be forfeited automatically without any notice to the contractor. The earnest money deposited along with bid shall be returned after receiving the aforesaid performance guarantee. The contractor whose bid is accepted will also be required to furnish either copy of applicable licenses/ registrations or proof of applying for obtaining labour licenses, registration with EPFO, ESIC and BOCW Welfare Board including Provident Fund Code No. If applicable and also ensure the compliance of aforesaid provisions by the sub-contractors, if any engaged by the contractor for the said work and programme chart (Time and Progress) within the period specified in Schedule F.The successful firm will also furnish the original documents which were submitted with the bid.

#### 12. The description of the work is as follows:

Intending Bidders are advised to inspect and examine the site and its surroundings and satisfy themselves before submitting their bids as to the nature of the ground and sub-soil (so far as is practicable), the form and nature of the site, the means of access to the site, the accommodation they may require and in general shall themselves obtain all necessary information as to risks, contingencies and other circumstances which may influence or affect their bid. A bidder shall be deemed to have full knowledge of the site whether he inspects it or not and no extra charge consequent on any misunderstanding or otherwise shall be allowed. The bidders shall be responsible for arranging and maintaining at his own cost all materials, tools & plants, water, electricity access, facilities for workers and all other services required for executing the work unless otherwise specifically provided for in the contract documents. Submission of a bid by a bidder implies that he has read this notice and all other contract documents and has made himself aware of the scope and specifications of the work to be done and of conditions and rates at which stores, tools and plant, etc. will be issued to him by the Government and local conditions and other factors having a bearing on the execution of the work.

- 13. The competent authority on behalf of the President of India does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any other bid and reserves to itself the authority to reject any or all the bids received without the assignment of any reason. All bids in which any of the prescribed condition is not fulfilled or any condition including that of conditional rebate is put forth by the bidders shall be summarily rejected.
- 14. Canvassing whether directly or indirectly, in connection with bidders is strictly prohibited and the bids submitted by the contractors who resort to canvassing will be liable for rejection.
- 15. The competent authority on behalf of President of India reserves to himself the right of accepting the whole or any part of the bid and the bidders shall be bound to perform the same at the rate quoted.
- 16. The contractor shall not be permitted to bid for works in the BSF Circle responsible for award and execution of contracts, in which his near relative is posted a Divisional Accountant or as an officer in any capacity between the grades of Superintending Engineer and Junior Engineer (both inclusive). He shall also intimate the names of persons who are working with him in any capacity or are subsequently employed by him and who are near relatives to any gazetted officer in the BSF or in the Ministry of Home Affairs. Any breach of this condition by the contractor would render him liable to be removed from the approved list of contractors of this Department.
- 17. No Engineer of Gazetted Rank or other Gazetted Officer employed in Engineering or Administrative duties in an Engineering Department of the Government of India is allowed to work as a contractor for a period of one year after his retirement from Government service, without the prior permission of the Government of India in writing. This contract is liable to be cancelled if either the contractor or any of his employees is found any time to be such a person who had not obtained the permission of the Government of India as aforesaid before submission of the bid or engagement in the contractor's service.

- 18. The bid for the works shall remain open for acceptance for a period of thirty days(30)days from the date of opening of bids in case of single bid system/ Ninety (90) days from the date of opening of technical bid in case bids are invited on 2 or 3 bid envelop system. If any bidders withdraw his bid before the said period or issue of letter of acceptance, whichever is earlier, or makes any modifications in the terms and conditions of the bid which are not acceptable to the department, then the Government shall, without prejudice to any other right or remedy, be at liberty to forfeit 50% of the said earnest money as aforesaid. Further the bidders shall not be allowed to participate in the rebidding process of the work.
- 19. This notice inviting Bid shall form a part of the contract document. The successful bidders/contractor, on acceptance of his bid by the Accepting Authority shall stipulated date of start of the work, sign the contract consisting of:-
  - (a) The Notice Inviting Bid, all the documents including additional conditions, specifications and drawings, if any, forming part of the bid as uploaded at the time of invitation of bid and the rates quoted online at the time of submission of bid and acceptance thereof together with any correspondence leading thereto.
  - (b) Standard C.P.W.D. Form 7/8 or other Standard C.P.W.D. Form as applicable.

#### 20. For EPC Bids

- 20.1.1 If the bidder does not possess a valid electrical licence in his own name, he must associate with him a competent agency with valid electrical license to execute electrical works. For specialized components of this work, Bidder shall associate specialize agencies as per conditions of this bid document mentioned elsewhere.
- 20.1.2 The contractor has to associate agencies for specialized components (s) conforming to eligibility criteria as defined in the bid document and has to submit detail of such agency(s) to Executive Engineer charge of relevant component(s) within prescribed time. Name of the agency(s) to be associated shall be approved by Executive Engineer. The contractor has to enter into MoU with agencies contractor(s) associated by him. Copy of such MoU shall be submitted to Executive Engineer.
- 20.1.3 In case the contractor intends to change any of the above agency/agencies during theoperation of the contract, he shall obtain priorapprovalof Executive Engineer. The new agency/agencies shall also have to satisfy the laid down eligibility criteria. In case Executive Engineer is not satisfied withthe performance of any agency, he can direct the contractor to change the agency executing such items of workand this shall be binding on the contractor
  - 20.1.5 After acceptance of the bid by competent authority, the Executive Engineer in charge major component of the work shall issue letter of award on behalf of the President of India. After the work is awarded, the contractor will have to enter into one agreement with Executive Engineerin charge.

20.1.6. The EPC work shall be treated as complete when all the components of the work are complete. The completion certificate of the work shall be recorded by Engineer-in-charge and Final bill of whole work shall be finalized by the Engineer-in-charge for payment.