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Sl. No.	Clause ref	Provision of Bidding Documents	Queries asked by the bidder	POWERGRID's clarification
<b>Volume-I of the Bidding Documents</b>				
1.	GCC Clause 8.3 & 8.4, SCC, Section-V	<p>GCC 8.3 All the payments to the Contractor shall be made by POWERGRID strictly out of the funds received from <b>M/s. Chenab Valley Power Projects (P) Limited (CVPPPL)</b>.</p> <p>GCC 8.4 All the invoices shall be raised in the name of Owner acting through POWERGRID, by the Contractor.</p>	<p>We understand that for this project the contractor will receive all payments from PGCIL directly on behalf of Owner (M/s CVPPPL). However, the contractor has to raise all GST invoices in the name of the Owner (M/s. Chenab Valley Power Projects (P) Limited (CVPPPL)) and it has to submit to PGCIL for bill processing and for payment. Kindly confirm our understanding is correct.</p> <p>We understand that bidders/contractors need to coordinate with PGCIL (Employer) directly on behalf of owner (M/s CVPPPL) for construction of 400KV Line &amp; Bay Extn, Design &amp; Engineering approvals, material inspection, bills submission and payments. Kindly confirm our understanding is correct.</p>	The Provisions of the Bidding Documents are amply clear.
2.	GCC Clause 10.9, SCC, Section-V	<p>The contractor shall have GSTIN registration in the UT of Jammu &amp; Kashmir and shall be raising all invoices to CVPPPL using Jammu &amp; Kashmir GSTIN registration only.</p> <p>While raising invoice/proforma invoice for Supply of Goods, Contactor shall bill and ship to <b>CVPPPL</b> in the State/UT where the Goods or part thereof is to be Supplied and to mention GSTIN of <b>CVPPPL</b> in the same state/UT. In case of Supply</p>	<p>We understand that as per the clause, the contractor has to bill and ship to CVPPPL with mention of the GSTIN of CVPPPL in the same state/UT. However, after awarding the contract, the billing and shipping address of CVPPPL will be provided by PGCIL.</p> <p>Kindly confirm our understanding is correct.</p>	The Provisions of the Bidding Documents are amply clear.

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		of Services, the Contractor shall invoice the <b>CVPPPL</b> using the GSTIN of <b>CVPPPL</b> in the state/UT in which the service or part thereof is to be rendered.		
3.	IFB Clause 2.1, IFB, Section-I	The procurement activities in respect of the aforesaid Project on their behalf has been entrusted to Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. ... .. ... .. on deposit work basis and POWERGRID intends to use funds to be provided by <b>CVPPPL</b> for eligible payments under the contract for package as mentioned above. The Ownership of the deposit works shall, however, remain vested with <b>CVPPPL</b> . For the purpose of all procurement activities related to the said deposit works, POWERGRID shall be referred to as ‘Employer’ and <b>CVPPPL</b> as “the Owner”.	We understand that bidder's payment shall be directly released by PGCIL.  We understand that bidder's payment shall not be linked with PGCIL's payments from CVPPPL  We understand that bidder's payment shall not be delayed even if the PGCIL payment from CVPPPL is delayed.	The Provisions of the Bidding Documents are amply clear.  For clarity, please refer Para 2.0 of Appendix-I: Terms and Procedures of Payment, Section-VI, Volume-I of the Bidding Documents.
4.	GCC Clause 20.1.5, GCC, Section-IV	20.1.5 Taking Over 20.1.5.1 Upon successful Trial - Operation of the Facilities or any part thereof, pursuant to GCC Sub-Clause 20.1.4, the Project Manager shall issue to the Contractor a Taking Over Certificate as a proof of the acceptance of the Facilities or any part thereof. Such certificate shall not relieve the Contractor of any of his obligations which otherwise survive, by the terms and conditions of Contract after issue of such certificate.	We understand that taking over certificate for the project shall be issued by PGCIL. Please confirm	The provisions of the Bidding Documents are amply clear.  For clarity, please refer GCC Clause 1.1(dd), Section-IV, Volume-I of the Bidding Documents.

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5.	GCC Clause 1.1(e) & 1.1(ee), SCC, Section-V	<p>The Time for Completion shall be as under :</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="495 384 1149 1286"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="495 384 920 568">Description</th> <th data-bbox="920 384 1149 568">Duration in Months from the date of Notification of Award</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="495 568 920 679">Taking Over by the Employer upon successful Completion of</td> <td data-bbox="920 568 1149 679"></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="495 679 1149 735" style="text-align: center;"><b>Transmission Line Tower Package TW01</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="495 735 920 1142">(i) 400kV D/c (Triple HTLS Conductor) line from Pot Head Yard of Kiru HE Project – Kishtwar Pooling Station (ii) LILO of one ckt. of 400 kV D/c (Triple HTLS Conductor) Kiru – Kishtwar line at Pot Head Yard of Kwar &amp; Pakal Dul HE Projects</td> <td data-bbox="920 735 1149 1142" style="text-align: center;"><b>29 (Twenty Nine) Months</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="495 1142 920 1286">Extension of Kishtwar (GIS) pooling station</td> <td data-bbox="920 1142 1149 1286" style="text-align: center;"><b>27 (Twenty Seven) Months</b></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Description	Duration in Months from the date of Notification of Award	Taking Over by the Employer upon successful Completion of		<b>Transmission Line Tower Package TW01</b>		(i) 400kV D/c (Triple HTLS Conductor) line from Pot Head Yard of Kiru HE Project – Kishtwar Pooling Station (ii) LILO of one ckt. of 400 kV D/c (Triple HTLS Conductor) Kiru – Kishtwar line at Pot Head Yard of Kwar & Pakal Dul HE Projects	<b>29 (Twenty Nine) Months</b>	Extension of Kishtwar (GIS) pooling station	<b>27 (Twenty Seven) Months</b>	Request to consider the same time schedule for complete project i.e., 29 months for transmission line as well as Bay extension works	The provisions of the Bidding Documents shall remain same and unaltered.
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6.	GCC Clause 16, GCC, Section-IV	16.1 Specifications and Drawings 16.1.1 The Contractor shall execute the basic and detailed design and the engineering work in	We understand that bidder needs to obtain all technical approvals, site measurement sheets, etc from PGCIL (Employer) i.e., bidder shall not	The provisions of the Bidding Documents are amply clear.										

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		<p>compliance with the provisions of the Contract, or where not so specified, in accordance with good engineering practice.</p> <p>The Contractor shall be responsible for any discrepancies, errors or omissions in the specifications, drawings and other technical documents that it has prepared, whether such specifications, drawings and other documents have been approved by the Project Manager or not, provided that such discrepancies, errors or omissions are not because of inaccurate information furnished in writing to the Contractor by or on behalf of the Employer.</p>	<p>have to take any approvals from the CVPPPL (Owner) in the same. Please confirm</p>	<p>For clarity, please refer GCC Clause 1.1(z) &amp; 16, Section-IV, Volume-I of the Bidding Documents.</p>
7.	Appendix-2: Price Adjustment, Form of Contract Agreement, Section-VI		<p>As per Supply Price schedule item no. 30 &amp; 31, we have to supply 120 KN &amp; 210 KN AC Disc Insulator.</p> <p>In tender document Technical specification for Disc Insulator is not provided.</p> <p>Price Variation formula of Disc insulator also not provided in the tender document.</p>	<p>Please refer Amendment No.-I</p>