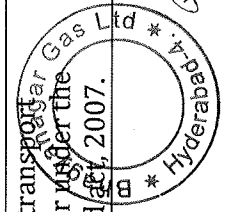


Tender No: BGL/349/2017-18 dated: 14/04/2017.

ITEM : Tender for Hiring of Light Commercial Vehicles (LCV) for CNG Transportation in Hyderabad for a period of Four years.

REPLIES TO PRE BID QUERIES

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1	Scope of work :8	II of II	6 of 38	Regarding the wages and other emoluments for the drivers, helpers & supervisor as per applicable minimum wages act including PF, ESIC etc. It is to be stated by us that these terms should be applicable to all the transport contractors, irrespective of their fleet size. For instance, the bidder among the petrol pump owners as participants in this tender should be covered not only under minimum wages act but also under the motor transport workers act, which mandates any transport contractor employing 5 persons must comply with minimum wages, emoluments and working hours. This will remove the discrimination between all the bidders and will remove price bid differences on account of compliance or non-compliance of rules relating to vehicle crew & support staff.	Statutory requirement(s) as per applicable Rules & Acts, are to be complied by the contractor for release of payments.
2	Scope of work :18	II of II	8 of 38	The Brand new 2017 model Trucks which have been demanded for this Tender are now available in BS-IV complaint emission norms as compulsory for registration with RTO. Since, this is a new technology and hardly any sizable number of vehicles have been commercially used in the market to get adequate feedback about their performance and fuel efficiency. Moreover, still authorized service centers and open market workshop are not fully equipped with sufficient quantity of spare parts, technical equipment and skilled man power. This our suggestion that since CNG Gas distribution is 24x7 job, it would be appropriate to wait for adequate market feedback and then introduced these vehicles, while tender may be finalized as per the schedule of the BGL.	Tender condition prevails.
3	General Clause			As per the present law passed by Parliament, each transporter/ contractor/ common carrier is mandated to register under the carriage by road rules, 2011 as per carriage by road act, 2007.	Statutory requirement(s), wherever required, are to be complied by the bidder.



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4	General Conditions of Contract: 98	I of II	94 of 152	The bidder must be asked to submit the certificate of registration received from STA along with bid document papers and EMD. All taxes such as Service Tax, Swaach Bharat Tax and Krishi Kalyan Tax will be directly paid to the tax authorities by BGL and confirmation to this effect be made available to contractor every fortnight by BGL to enable the same to be attached with quarterly service Tax return by the contractor.	Service Tax as per Govt. regulations shall be paid by BGL and all other taxes and duties are in the scope of contractor.
5	Scope of Work / Specification & Specifications: 7	II of II	5 of 38	Drivers of LCV will not be responsible for opening and closing of valves of the cascade. BGL's Technician should take care of the same.	Tender condition prevails
6	Scope of Work / Service & Specifications: 8	II of II	6 of 38	During the tenure of tender, any increase in minimum wages by any Govt. agency should be suitable compensated to the contractor by BGL as being done by Indraprastha Gas Limited, New Delhi.	Bidder to consider all the escalations for any change in minimum wages as per the regulations of (Regional Labour Commissioner, (RLC)-Central, during the entire contract period.

