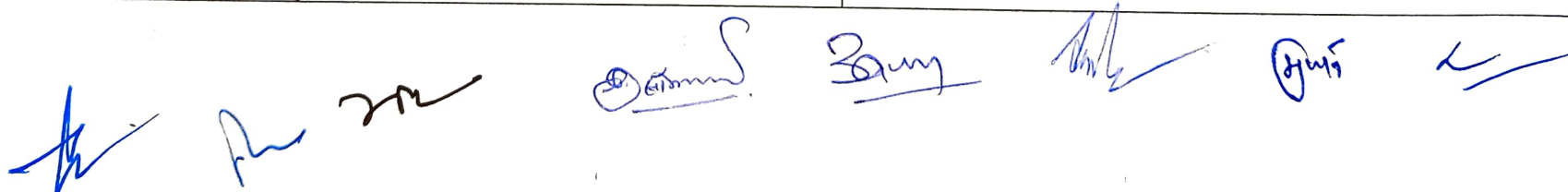


**REPLY TO PRE BID QUERIES  
MINING LEASE FOR CEMENT GRADE LIME STONE  
OF**

**Gothra-Parasrampura West Block Tehsil Nawalgarh & District Jhunjhunu  
Tender No.: MSTC/JPR/Directorate of Mines and Geology Rajasthan, Udaipur/4/Udaipur/21-22/4875[292506]**

Sl. No.	Bidders Queries	Reply
1	<p>Tender Document Gothra-Parasrampura West Block, Dist- Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan Clause-4.1 (i) The DGPS survey report not provided along with the Tender document &amp; GR. DGPS survey report need to be provided to the LoI holder. The same might be required to be annexed along with Mining Plan.</p>	<p>Please go through the geological report annexed with the tender document. The DGPS survey report is there in it.</p>
2	<p>Tender Document Gothra-Parasrampura West Block, Dist- Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan Clause-8.1 (B) (d) Clause-15.6 (g) Schedule-I (E) (3) The affidavit to be submitted by each board of directors of the company as per which rule. The clause regarding submitting affidavit by each Board of Directors of the company may please be removed. The authorised signatory and Power of attorney is already submitting affidavit along with technical bid documents. Hence additional affidavits by each member of board of directors of the company may not be required considering the current pandemic situation wherein most of the offices are working remotely.</p>	<p>Only the preferred bidder has to submit the affidavit of all directors in the format specified in Schedule-1(E)(3) within the stipulated time.</p> <p>Affidavit by all the directors of company are necessary to observe compliance of Section 6(3) of MMDR Act, 1957.</p> <p>Affidavit in format specified in Schedule-1(E)(2) is to be given with technical bid.</p>



3	<p>Tender Document Gothra-Parasrampura West Block, Dist- Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan Clause-12</p> <p>No pre-bid meeting proposed in the Timeline Pre-bid meeting may please be conducted. Pre-bid meetings are helpful to clarify doubts regarding the auction process and about the mineral block put under auction.</p>	<p>Presently the queries are being sorted out by uploading their replies on department as well as MSTC website. The aim of conducting Prebid meeting is to clarify the doubts of the Prospective bidders.</p>
4	<p>Tender Document Gothra-Parasrampura West Block, Dist- Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan Clause-12</p> <p>Only 6 months' time provided to submit Performance Security and mining plan along with second instalment of Upfront Payment by the Preferred Bidder from the date of grant of Lol The time period may please be increased to 12 months. Due to COVID-19 pandemic expecting lockdowns, travel restrictions and completion of field works like updation of surface plan, preparation of Mining Plan etc. may take more time than usual one.</p>	<p>Tender condition prevails.</p>
5	<p>Tender Document Gothra-Parasrampura West Block, Dist- Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan Clause-14.1.1 (b) Schedule-I (C) (1) (d)</p> <p>Note: - Bank guarantee shall be made on stamp paper of worth Rs. 25,000/- or as prescribed under the relevant rules. It should be left to the decision of the Bank issuing Bid security in the form of Bank Guarantee. Earlier no such conditions have been imposed by any State Govt. till date.</p>	<p>The stamp duty is being charged as per Rajasthan Stamp Act, 1998</p>
6	<p>Tender Document-Geological Report on Exploration (G2) for Limestone Gothra-Parasrampura west Block Tehsil-Nawalgarh, District- Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan Chapter-1, Para No. 1.3.1 "The Gothara-Parsrampura East &amp; West blocks are covered under the Survey of India Toposheet No. 45M/5 and bounded by Latitude 27°46"5.00" to 27°47"45.00" &amp; Longitude 75°19"50.00" to 75°23"10.00" The Co-ordinates mentioned is erroneous and the co-ordinates of the pillars falling outside. The corrected co-ordinates please be provided To mitigate future issues regarding any statutory clearances required for</p>	<p>Please refer to Part C of Summary of Mineral Block annexed with the tender document.</p>

	the said block.	
7	<p>Tender Document-Geological Report on Exploration (G2) for Limestone Gothra-Parasrampura west Block Tehsil-Nawalgarh, District- Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan</p> <p>Part-IV-A of Schedule Annexed to The Minerals (Evidence Of Mineral Contents) Rules, 2015</p> <p>Reporting of Mineral Resources. Point No. 8- Location of data points</p> <p>It is noticed that a High Tension Power supply line is passing through the Block, whereas not shown in the map.</p> <p>The Geological Map with topography and updated existing features of the area may please be provided.</p> <p>Geological Plan with topography or contours along with existing surface features is a necessity to evaluate the safety barriers and pre-feasibility resources which ultimately enables to derive to Mineable Reserves.</p>	Please refer to reply mentioned at serial no. 8
8	<p>Tender Document-Geological Report on Exploration (G2) for Limestone Gothra-Parasrampura west Block Tehsil-Nawalgarh, District- Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan</p> <p>Chapter-V, 5.2.0 Basic Parameters and Assumptions</p> <p>The parameter of safety barriers from existing features like HT Power transmission line, road has not been considered for resource estimation.</p> <p>The safety barriers of existing features like HT Power transmission line, road please be considered to finalise the resources of the block.</p> <p>The Resources might reduce due to the safety barriers of existing surface features which ultimately reduces the mineable reserves mandatory for finalisation of investment for a project.</p>	<p>Exploration carried out by the MECL (G-3) Level and subsequently GoI vide letter F.No.7/44/2015-M.IV dated 13.01.2020 has accorded approval to consider G-3 to G-2 level.</p> <p>As per exploration, the deposit is of regular in nature.</p> <p>Moreover, A deduction of 20% from Gross in-situ resources has been done to arrive at Net in situ resources for unseen geological factors i.e. slope factor and cavities/caverns etc.</p>
9	<p>Tender Document-Geological Report on Exploration (G2) for Limestone Gothra-Parasrampura west Block Tehsil-Nawalgarh, District- Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan</p> <p>Annexure-IB / 1</p> <p>The co-ordinates of boreholes MGL-21 &amp; 22 are different on plan than mentioned in Annexure-IB / 1.</p> <p>The corrected co-ordinates of the boreholes need to be provided.</p> <p>For estimation of Mineable reserves, pre-feasibility resources etc.</p>	The Co-ordinates are enclosed herewith.



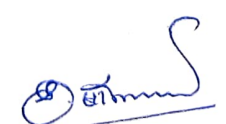
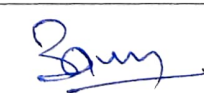

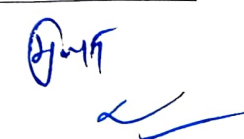


10	<p>Tender Document-Geological Report on Exploration (G2) for Limestone Gothra-Parasrampura west Block Tehsil-Nawalgarh, District- Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan</p> <p>Topographical &amp; Geological Plan</p> <p>The Block Boundary Shape of Topographical &amp; Geological Plan is not same as given in DGPS Map (Khasra Map) in Geological Report. Corrected Topographical &amp; Geological Plan and other Plans need to be provided.</p> <p>DGPS Map (Khasra Plan) will be the base Map for all Plans required at the time of Preparation of Mining Plan by LOI Holder.</p>	Please refer to Part C of Summary of Mineral Blocks annexed with the Tender document
11	<p>TENDER No. : MSTC/JPR/Directorate of Mines and Geology Rajasthan, Udaipur/4/ Udaipur/21-22/4875 [292506]</p> <p>FORWARD AUCTION No. : MSTC/JPR/Directorate of Mines and Geology Rajasthan, Udaipur/8/Udaipur/21-22/4879 [292510]</p> <p>1.10 This Tender Document is not transferable. The price paid by the Bidder for the Tender Document shall not be refunded.</p> <p>Why?</p> <p>Remove the condition</p> <p>This condition has been challenged in Rajasthan High Court twice and on both occasions the court has allowed a Subsidiary company to use the tender documents purchased by the holding company</p>	Tender condition prevails
12	<p>2.14 "Tender Document"</p> <p>Please define Tender Process also</p> <p>tender process must be defined with clarity as to start and end points; as the Government of Rajasthan has cancelled the auctions held in past saying that it has the powers to cancel the Tender at any point of time</p>	It is understood that the tender process is upto execution of lease deed which includes registration of lease.






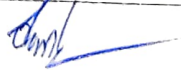


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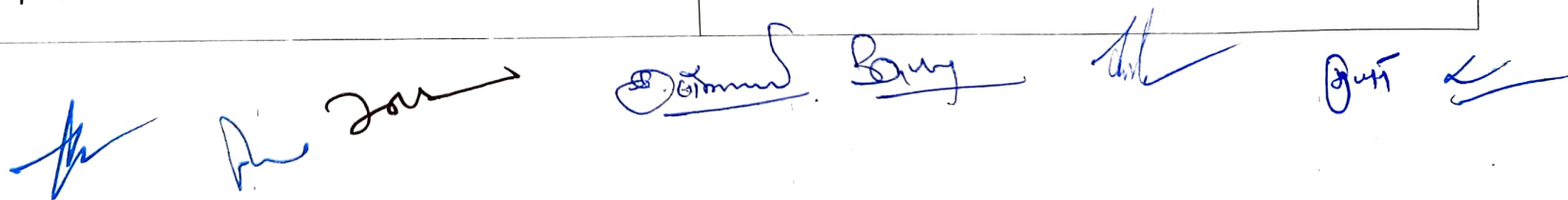
13	<p>9.1 The Reserve Price is 15% (Fifteen percent) of Value of Mineral Despatched</p> <p>How the reserve price has been arrived at?</p> <p>In past the Government of Rajasthan has rejected highest bids received in the auctions and have declined issuing of LOI to preferred bidders giving reason that the highest bid is just marginally higher than the reserve price of the block. What prevents the state government to also cancel the bids saying that reserve price was low?</p>	<p>As per Mineral (Auction) Rules the fixation of reserve price is on State Government discretion.</p> <p>As per tender document the rejection/acceptance of bid also lies with State Govt. discretion.</p>
14	<p>10.1. Issuance of letter of intent</p> <p>What are the conditions under which the state government can decline the issuing of LOI to the preferred bidder or does not issue the LOI in specified time frame in the Tender document?</p> <p>Such incidents have happened in the past in the auctions conducted by the Government of Rajasthan</p>	<p>Under condition no. 14.11 of tender document, the Govt. may decide not to issue Lol and reject the bid.</p>
15	<p>14.11 Rejection of bids</p> <p>Pl. specify the specific rule in the Mineral (Auction) Rules 2015 as amended from time to time which provide such specific powers to the State Government to reject any bid after the auctions have been held</p> <p>The clause needs to be removed from the Tender document</p> <p>No such powers have been conferred on the State Government in the Rules under which these auctions are being held. Please clarify if the state government has the powers to include such terms &amp; conditions in the tender documents which are not provided or granted to it under the rules. In fact the rules make it mandatory on the state government to issue LOI to the Preferred Bidder in the time bound manner and execute Mining Lease Deed in a time bound manner with the successful bidder provided that the bidder has complied with all compliances and has made all required up front payments.</p>	<p>As per Rule 9 of Mineral (Auction) Rules, 2015 the State Govt. is empowered to issue auction notice under which the tender document is prepared.</p>

16	<p>Schedule V – Information Memorandum – Summary of Mineral Block</p> <p>Sl. No. 2 – Area in Hectares Mineralised Area – 152.45 Hectares Non Mineralized Area – 135.30 Hectares Sl. No. 4 – Total Geological Reserves</p> <p>163.165 Millions</p> <p>May pl. clarify if the geological reserves as mentioned in IM also include the reserves in non mineralized area and if any presence of mineral has been observed by MECL in the non mineralized area. Also clarify the reasons for including non mineralized area in the Mineral Block for the auctions.</p> <p>Nawalgarh – Udaipurwati road passing through the block is lying between the pillar A and pillar B in the block. This non mineralized area also has shops, markets, and government department offices.</p>	<p>To carry out ancillary activities related to mining, the area is provided.</p>
17	<p>Tender Document</p> <p>Page 25 Section 14.1.1 (k) : _____</p> <p>Page 37 Schedule I A(k) In case if applicant is a subsidiary company of another company incorporated in India, then the holding company has to submit an under taking stating that the applicant will continue to be subsidiary of holding company until such time, the applicant meets the miniumum required network threshold.</p> <p>The applicant may be a subsidiary company of another company incorporated in India, but if it satisfies the minimum Net Worth threshold on a stand-alone basis without needing to consider the holding company's net worth, does it still require to submit the document/undertaking mentioned in Schedule IA (k) ?</p> <p>The applicant meets the minimum required net worth threshold on a stand-alone basis, without needing to consider its holding company's net worth.</p>	<p>If the subsidiary company is meeting the minimum required network threshold than the undertaking is not needed</p>

18	<p>Tender Document</p> <p>Page 31 : Clause 15.4 The Successful Bidders's Bid security will be returned, without any interest upon furnishing of the Performance Security in accordance with the provisions thereof and after the compliance of all conditions mentioned in the Lol</p> <p>The existing provision contemplates return of Bid Security only after compliance of all conditions mentioned in Lol. However, "compliance of all conditions mentioned in the Lol" is not part of the Model Tender document dated 02.07.2015 (Clause 15.4) and therefore the existing provision is a deviation which we request, should not be made.</p> <p>The Successful Bidders's Bid Security will be returned, without any interest, upon furnishing of the Performance Security in accordance with the provisions thereof.</p> <p>Since fulfilling all the conditions of Lol may take a lot of time (e.g signing of MDPA, _____, _____ etc) even after submission of the Performance Security, a situation will arise where we will not be able to receive the Bid Security back and it will continue to block our non-fund banking lines.</p>	Tender condition prevails
19	<p>Tender Document</p> <p>Page 38 : Schedule I: B1(d) - documents to evidence compliance with the eligibility conditions must be enclosed with the bid letter, duly certified by one of the directors of the Bidder, in case the Bidder is a company....</p> <p>Since Power of Attorney will be given in the Name of Authorized Signatory to sign all the documents is it necessary to sign the the documents by one of the directors ?</p>	No, the sign of authorized signatory is sufficient
20	<p>Tender Document</p> <p>Page 38 : Schedule I: B (d) (v) Particulars of mining leases, reconnaissance permit held by the Bidder for the purpose of Section 6 of the Act</p> <p>1. Is there any specific format ?</p>	Format of affidavit is annexed at Schedule 1(E)(3)



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	2. Is an undertaking on Company letter head sufficient or is a Notarized Affidavit on Stamp paper required ?	
21	Tender Document Page 50 : Schedule I E(3) Format of Affidavit by all Directors regarding mining lease related If none of the directors have any mining lease etc, is it necessary to submit affidavit individually or is a common affidavit issued by one of the directors enough ?	Authorized signatory may submit affidavit in this regard
22	Geological Report Revenue - Khasara Map Revenue Map not having village names Please provide drawing with village names	It will be provided to the Preferred bidder, if he requires.
23	Geological Report Geological Plan, Sections etc. Please provide maps in Auctocad, GIS format	It will be provided to the Preferred Bidders, if he requires.
24	Tender Document Tender document does not contain any information about Rule 9 Sub rule(2) ( c ) wrto schedule date of commencement of production Commencement of Production date. As per Minerals (Auction) Amendment Rules 2021 dated 17.03.2021	It is understood that the tender process is upto execution of lease deed which includes registration of lease.
25	Tender Document Does the State Govt. allow to sell the overburden or waste rock mineral below the threshold value as minor mineral ? As per notice dated 18.06.2021 by Ministry of Mines about MCR 4th Amendment Rules 2021, Amendment to Rule 12.	The rules are yet to be notified by Govt. of India. The case will be dealt as per prevailing rules.
26	Tender Document <b>Eligibility</b> In case a Bidder is subsidiary of another company, is both holding company and the subsidiary company can participate simultaneously for the Block? Clarification should be given in this regard as Tender Document is silent in this regard.	Anyone who has purchased the tender document can participate in the auction of that block.

27	<p>Tender Document</p> <p><b>Eligibility</b></p> <p>Can Bidder and its group company both can bid simultaneously for the Block?</p> <p>Group Company means a Company in which that other Company has a significant influence, but which is not a subsidiary Company of the Company having such influence. "significant influence" means control of at least twenty per cent of total share capital, or of business decisions under an agreement. Clarification should be given in this regard as Tender Document is silent in this regard.</p>	Please refer to reply mentioned at serial no. 26
28	<p><b>Tender Document</b></p> <p><b>Clause 2</b></p> <p>Definitions</p> <p>Proper Definition of Tender Process need to be given in Para 2 Definitions of Tender Document.</p> <p>Word <b>Tender Process</b> has been several time used in the Tender Document, but it is not clear up to which stage it is applicable i.e. up to declaration of preferred bidder or up to grant of mining lease?</p> <p>Definition of Tender Process should be clearly given in <b>Para 2 definition</b> in Tender Document mentioning up to what stage Tender Process is applicable.</p>	It is understood that the tender process is upto execution of lease deed which includes registration of lease.
29	<p><b>Tender Document</b></p> <p><b>Clause 9</b></p> <p>Reserve Price</p> <p>What is basis for arriving the exact figure of 26.50% for reserve price, while it is first attempt of auction?</p>	There is no such thing mentioned in the tender document.
30	<p>Tender Document</p> <p><b>Clause 13.2 Periodic Payments &amp; Clause 7.1.1 of MDPA-Monthly Payments</b></p> <p>Holder of mining lease shall make monthly payments with respect to the value of Mineral Dispatched or the minimum production requirement as specified in MDPA, <u>whichever is higher.</u></p>	As per Rule 13(2) of Mineral (Auction) Rules , the same has to be charged on monthly basis.

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	<p>Minimum production requirement as listed in schedule E of MDPA is for minimum <b>annual</b> production to be achieved every year as per clause 8 schedule E of MDPA.</p> <p>Minimum production requirement is fixed on annual basis giving the valid flexibility to Successful Bidder for monthly fluctuation in production. So monthly payment on basis of annual production requirement is not justified &amp; not as per terms of Tender Document/Auction Rules.</p>	
31	<p><b>Tender Document</b>  <b>Clause 14.1 (g)</b>  Each and every document of technical bid (wherever necessary) must have the seal of company with signature of authorized signatory on it.  It should be specifically mentioned in Tender Document that which documents need sign of authorized signatory rather than giving ambiguous word as <b>wherever necessary</b>.  Does Sign of Authorized Signatory is needed on Board Resolution/ Affidavits etc.  When it is clearly mentioned that Director of Company should sign exactly on which documents then documents to be signed by Authorized signatory should also be clearly mentioned.</p>	<p>Seal and Signature of authorised signatory are needed on photocopies only.  Original documents and Bank Guarantee need not to be signed separately.</p>
32	<p><b>Tender Document</b>  <b>Clause 14.1.1(g)</b>  Each &amp; every document of technical Bid (Wherever necessary) must have seal of company with signature of authorised signatory on it.  <b>“(Wherever necessary)”</b> should be clarified.  Is it includes Bank Guarantee and other original documents or only required for the documents which are submitted in photocopy?  Ambiguity regarding <b>“(Wherever necessary)”</b> should be clarified and as list of documents of technical Bid is clearly specified, it should also be specified that clause 14.1.1(g) is applicable on which of these specified documents.</p>	<p>Please refer to reply mentioned at serial no. 31</p>

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**Clause 15.4**

Successful Bidder's Bid Security will be returned.

The Auction rules does not require payment of 2<sup>nd</sup> installment of upfront payment & Performance security with six month of declaration as preferred Bidders.

Performance Security & 2<sup>nd</sup> installment of upfront payment need to be submitted by Preferred Bidder before declaration as Successful Bidder as per clause 10.2 of Tender Document as well as per rule 10(3) of Auction rules. The present Time table require Performance Security & 2<sup>nd</sup> installment of upfront payment within 6 months of grant of LOI while till completion of terms of LOI i.e. 3 years from grant of LOI, preferred bidder does not become Successful Bidder.

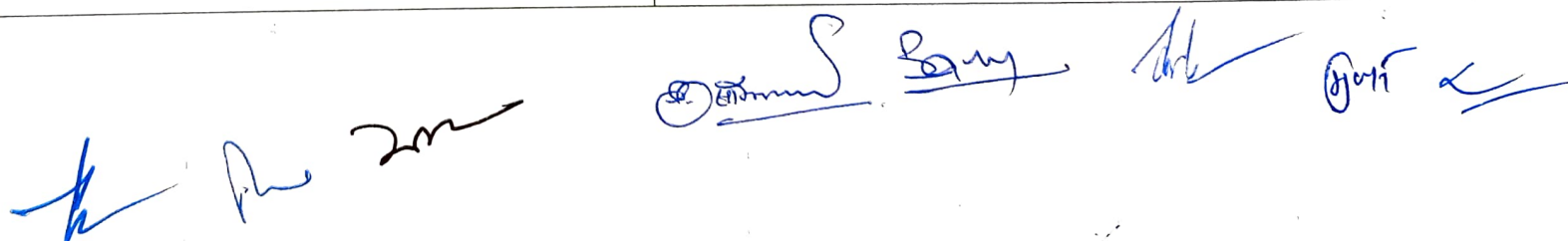
Performance Security should be required before declaration of Successful Bidder.

More ever as per rule 12(2) of Auction Rules, the Performance Security can only be invoked as per provision of MDPA & Mining Lease deed. There is no existence of MDPA & Lease deed within 6 month of grant of LOI.

The requirement of Performance Security within 6 months of grant of LOI is not as per provisions of Mineral Auction Rules, 2015.

Performance Security & 2<sup>nd</sup> installment of upfront payment should only be required before declaration as Successful Bidder.



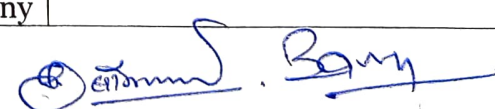

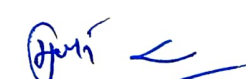
Necessary extension of Bid Security may be done till submission of Performance Security as per Clause 15.5 of Tender Document. The same process of Bid security extension up to LOI period has been adopted by Gujarat Government in recent Limestone Block auction and the same practice should be adopted in this auction also.



34	<p><b>Tender Document</b>  <b>Clause 15.6(f)</b>          Bid Security to be forfeited If the successful bidder fails to comply the conditions of Letter of Intent (LoI) within the prescribed time mentioned in the LoI.          Clause 15.6(f) has provision of forfeiture of Bid Security of successful bidder while as per Clause 15.4, Bid Security will be returned after furnishing Performance Security.          How bid security can be forfeited for noncompliance of LOI terms when it has been returned after submission of performance security.</p>	As per tender document condition.
35	<p><b>Tender Document</b>  <b>Schedule I (E)(2)</b>          Affidavit to be given by all the director of Company          For a Public Limited company, affidavit from authorized signatory having POA is sufficient &amp; Affidavit from all the directors is not justified resulting in unnecessary formalities.</p>	Please refer to reply mentioned at serial no. 2
36	<p><b>Tender Document</b>  <b>Schedule I (B)(2)</b>          Net Worth &amp; turn Over Certificates should be issued by Statutory Auditors          Whether <b>Digital signature</b> of Statutory Auditors on Net Worth &amp; turn Over Certificates is permitted instead of physical signature?  <b>Digital signature</b> of Statutory Auditors on Net Worth &amp; turn Over Certificates should be allowed.          Digital signature are also legally valid as physical signature Now a Days.</p>	Same will be allowed.
37	<p><b>Tender Document</b>  <b>Prospecting Charges:</b>          Whether the prospecting charges to be paid by the preferred bidder?          If yes then under which provision of rules, the prospecting charges will be made applicable to be paid by preferred bidder, please clarify.</p>	Same will not be charged by the Department.





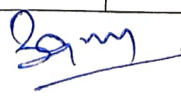
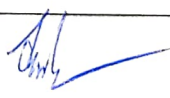


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	As per the existing Laws there is no provision of charging of prospecting expenditure from preferred bidder. Other state governments are also not charging the prospecting expenditure from preferred bidder?	
38	<p><b>Tender Document General</b></p> <p>Due to discrepancy in land data in earlier auctioned block, there has been inordinate delay for getting amended EC, Mining Plan and other statutory permissions.</p> <p>Whether due to any errors which is not on the part of project proponent, relaxation in MDPA penalty will be given to Project Proponent by State Government?</p>	There may not be any discrepancy in the land data. A certificate from concerned tehsildar regarding land classification has already been obtained and is annexed with the tender document.
39	<p><b>Tender Document Invoice against Document Fees</b></p> <p>Proper Invoice for should be Rs. 2,00,000 provided having all the details such as GST etc. to the bidders on time.</p> <p>It has observed that despite several follow up, State Government does not provide Invoice to Bidders on time. Some specific time limit should be fixed for providing Invoice to Bidders.</p>	The prospective bidders are procuring the tender documents directly from MSTC website. M/s MSTC may be requested for providing the invoice.
40	<p><b>Tender Document Para E(2)(c)Format of Affidavit</b></p> <p>Affidavit to be submitted by all the directors of a Company individually</p> <p>This requirement of separate affidavit from each director should not be there.</p> <p>Already proper power of attorney through a Board Resolution by Board of Directors is to be given to authorised signatory and affidavit given by him is sufficient.</p> <p>In the various auction conducted by different State Government, Affidavit is required only from Authorised Signatory and not from each director of Company.</p> <p>The requirement of affidavit from each of director of company</p>	Please refer to reply mentioned at serial no. 2


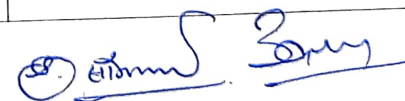
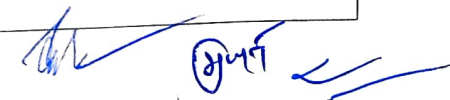








	will unnecessary lengthens the time and formality required for preparation of Technical Bid and hence should be avoided.	
41	<p>Tender Document</p> <p><b>Para E(2)(c)Format of Affidavit</b></p> <p>Affidavit to be submitted by all the directors of a Company individually</p> <p>(i) The requirement of Affidavit to be submitted by all the directors of a Company individually is applicable only in case of Private Limited Company. It is not applicable in Public Limited Company. Please Clarify?</p> <p>(ii) The requirement of affidavit by each director of company is neither in the standard model tender document nor is practiced by auction of mineral block by other state government. Why this specific condition has been imposed in this Tender Document?</p> <p>(iii) In case of public limited company(more particularly a listed company), affidavit from individual director should not be insisted. As the lease will be held by the Bidder Company, which has a separate identity. Please Clarify?</p> <p>(iv) In a public limited company, the directors are not of permanent nature. Therefore there is no relevance/significance of requirement of affidavit from each director of company. Please clarify?</p> <p>(v) If some of Directors of Bidders company are presently out of India and will not be available till Bid Due Date, is it possible to provide Affidavit after Bid Due Date ? Meanwhile a Undertaking in this regard may be given?</p> <p>Affidavit from Authorised signatory will fulfill the purpose of Technical Bid and there is no requirement of affidavit by each director of company. Till date all the auction conducted by various state government under the mineral auction rules, 2015, there is no such requirement of affidavit by each director and same should be applied in this auction also.</p>	Please refer to reply mentioned at serial no. 2




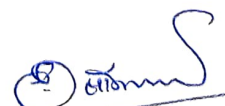

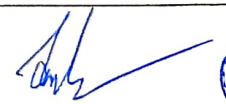

42	<p><b>MDPA</b>  <b>Schedule E</b>  Minimum Production Requirement (% of yearly production as per approved Mining Plan)  As no end use has defined for the Block, does mining plan of any capacity for as per business requirement of Bidder may be made.  And further due to change in business environment, can mining plan may be modified for lower production capacity later on.  In case of reduction in production proposal, Indian Bureau of Mines seeks NOC from State Government. Will state government provide NOC for reduction in initial production proposals for change in business environment?  Bidder should have freedom to propose any production as per his business requirement.</p>	<p>Yearly production mining plan and revised mining plan if any, shall be as per approving authority i.e. IBM. Appropriate decision will be taken by the State at that point of time.</p>
43	<p><b>MDPA</b>  <b>Schedule E</b>  Minimum Production Requirement (% of yearly production as per approved Mining Plan)  In MDPA 3rd year 30% minimum production requirement is given.  Does it imply that some production need to be given in mining plan for the 3<sup>rd</sup> year also?</p>	<p>Yes</p>
44	<p><b>MDPA</b>  <b>Schedule E- Production Requirement</b>  <b>Year(since commencement of mining lease)</b>  The term "Year(since commencement of mining lease)" is not clear. Is it for the financial year in which mining lease have been registered or year calculated from registration of mining lease.  Since the minimum production requirement is linked with mining plan and in the mining plan term year means financial year starting from 01<sup>st</sup> April to next year 31<sup>st</sup> March. The production proposal in mining plan is given well before</p>	<p>The date will be calculated from the Registration of Mining Lease Deed not from financial year.</p>









	<p>commencement of mining lease.</p> <p>If the term 'year' in MDPA is for financial year and mining lease is commenced on 15 March of particular year, the initial 2 year 0% penalty period is effective for 1 year &amp; 15 days only which is not justified.</p> <p>The term year should be clarified in Schedule E and it should be calculated from date of commencement of mining lease and not as financial year for providing full two years of 0% penalty period.</p> <p>Year should be calculated from commencement of mining lease and should not be linked with financial year. It should be clearly specified in Schedule E of MDPA.</p>	
45	<p>Performa IV A Reporting of Mineral Reserve <b>Para 5(d)</b></p> <p><b>Cross section at suitable interval</b> Cross section at suitable interval is not provided. Only one no. of cross section and one of Longitudinal section has been provided.</p> <p>Since the boreholes are drilled at 400 meter interval, proper cross section at 400 meter interval should be provided. Cross section at suitable interval is required for proper reporting under the Mineral Evidence rules, 2015.</p>	Cross sections are provided in the Geological Report annexed with the Tender Document.
46	<p>Performa IV A Reporting of Mineral Reserve <b>Para 11(e)</b></p> <p><b>Core arranged in core boxes</b> The core arranged in core boxes should be provided to Successful Bidder for future reference</p>	The block has been explored by MECL through NMET fund. MECL will be requested for the same.
47	<p>Performa IV A Reporting of Mineral Reserve <b>Para 12(c)</b></p> <p><b>5% Check samples analyzed</b></p>	The results of cross check samples were not found different from the original sample analysis reports. Therefore, they have not been reported separately in the GR.



	Details of this 5% of check samples analyzed should be provided to the successful Bidder. Even though there may be no deviation in values in these check samples, as MEMEC Rules, 2015 details of these check samples is required	
48	Exploration Report Chemical Analysis results of core samples Minor constituents as $K_2O$ , $Na_2O$ etc. in the chemical analysis is missing in chemical analysis results	Composite core sample analysis (for 12 radicals $CaO$ , $MgO$ , $SiO_2$ , $Al_2O_3$ , $Fe_2O_3$ , $SO_3$ , $P_2O_5$ , $TiO_2$ , $Mn_2O_3$ , $K_2O$ , $Na_2O$ & LOI) of boreholes drilled is available in the Geological Report.
49	Exploration Report Revenue Map The revenue map is not authenticated by concern revenue officials, without authentication it has no relevance Proper authenticated revenue map should be provided.	The Khasra map dully authenticated by the concerned Patwaris will be provided to the preferred bidder, if required.
50	Exploration Report Maps & Section Maps & sections enclosed with Report is not signed by person prepare the Map. While preparing mining Plan signed copy of plan & section is required. Signed copy of Plan & Section should be enclosed.	The block has been explored by MECL through NMET fund. MECL will be requested for the same.
51	<b>Geological Report</b> <b>Analysis of Soil Samples,</b> Analysis of Soil Samples are not given in the report.	The exploration was carried out for mineral limestone and not for soil.
52	<b>Geological Report</b> <b>Analysis of Barren Boreholes</b> Analysis of borehole samples of barren boreholes are not given in the report.	The block has been explored by MECL through NMET fund. MECL will be requested for the same.
53	<b>Geological Report</b> <b>Geological Cross Section &amp; Geological Plan</b> Only one representative sample of section has been provided in the Geological Report and geological Plan is not available, while as per Provisions of MEMCR, 2015 complete section & Geological Plan should be part of Geological report.	Cross sections are provided in the Geological Report

54	Geological Investigation Report Topographic Map: scale of the map is 1:5000 with 2 m contour interval With mostly flat ground why was the scale chosen at 5000 and contour interval at 2 m?	Revenue map are on 1:4000 scale. That's why scale of 1:5000 was chosen.
55	Geological Investigation Report Grade of limestone is defined as Cement Grade and Undefined Grade Why is the grade termed as undefined when the quality of the limestone is available?	The term which has been used in GR is ungraded (<42% Cao to >34% Cao) and not Undefined.
56	Geological Investigation Report Composite Samples: prepared for 6 m length Why was the length chosen as 6 m and how has the composite sample analysis impacted the assessment of quality and reserves?	Considering 6 m bench height, the composite samples were prepared.
57	Geological Investigation Report Non-mineralized zones: Very few bore holes have been drilled based on which the non-mineralized zones have been deciphered. Considering the fact that Shree Cement has its area further west of the demarcated blocks but there appears to be non-mineralized zone between the auction block and Shree Cement area. Is it the case or continuity of limestone can be established between these two areas?	As lessee has to carry out exploration for G1 category as per rules after execution of mining lease deed. The mineralization /non-mineralization in that part can be ascertain at that point of time.
58	Geological Investigation Report Geological Cross Sections The geological cross sections drawn do not represent the correct structural disposition of the ore body as seen in the photographs. The hanging and footwall side lithologies are missing from the sections. Mention is made of presence of quartzite, mica schist, calc silicates, amphibolite etc to be associated with the limestone which is not to be seen in the section along with its orientation in the section.	Entire area of the block east and west are covered by aeolian sand with few outcrops in abandoned deep quarry maximum number of borehole are terminated in limestone horizon . So it is not possible to plot hanging wall and footwall lithologies on the sections. Continuity of the demarcated zones of limestone are joined on the sections to estimate resources as per UNFC guidelines. However lithology intersected in BHs are presented in run wise and graphic lithologs.





## REVISED ANNEXURE IB

STATEMENT SHOWING CO-ORDINATES (IN WGS -84), REDUCED LEVELS AND TOTAL DEPTH OF  
BOREHOLES IN GOTHRA-PARASRAMPURA WEST BLOCK ,  
DIST- JHUNJHUNU , RAJASTHAN

Sl. No.	Borehole No.	Co-ordinate (UTM)		Reduced level (m)	Total Depth (m)	Date of Commencement	Date of closure
		Easting (X)	Northing (Y)				
1	MGL-3	534204.831	3073288.394	425.462	94.00	15.07.17	22.07.17
2	MGL-6	534345.654	3072910.777	427.673	96.00	01.08.17	07.08.17
3	MGL-8	534106.012	3072446.012	432.177	90.00	10.08.17	17.08.17
4	MGL-9	533743.029	3072258.447	432.259	90.00	10.08.17	13.08.17
5	MGL-13	533829.119	3073129.068	423.888	73.00	26.08.17	30.08.17
6	MGL-14	532856.382	3072324.853	429.832	90.00	03.09.17	16.09.17
7	MGL-17	533365.858	3072118.564	430.249	90.00	10.09.17	20.09.17
8	MGL-18	533078.400	3072865.503	424.136	81.00	19.09.17	26.09.17
9	MGL-19	533448.425	3073009.913	423.500	75.00	21.09.17	27.09.17
10	MGL-21	533969.070	3072780.383	427.044	90.00	29.09.17	05.10.17
11	MGL-22	533240.963	3072501.074	429.856	90.00	29.09.17	07.10.17
12	MGL-23	533596.589	3072630.142	427.482	90.00	01.10.17	07.10.17
13	MGL-26	534489.578	3072539.343	430.537	90.00	08.10.17	11.10.17
14	MGL-33	532991.142	3071974.887	429.250	90.00	05.11.17	11.11.17
TOTAL:					1229.00		