4th December 2018

REFERENCE NUMBER: GCOL T 03/2018 (MPU)

Tender for the provision of servicing and repairs of fire fighting equipment/breathing apparatus equipment to Gozo Channel (Operations) Limited

Clarification No. 3

Reference is made to the above tender, for which deadline for submission of offers is the 11th December 2018 at 09.30am.

Question 1: Kindly confirm that all the extinguishers listed for bill items B, C, D, E, F, G & H require hydro pressure testing. Therefore, for all these bill items our offer shall include the price of 3 services i.e. inspection, recharging and pressure testing. Alternatively, we kindly request you to revise the bills to show three different rates.

Answer 1: Not all extinguishers listed for bill items B, C, D, E, F, G & H will require hydro pressure testing during 2019.

As per Tender Document Section 4 Technical Specifications/Terms of Reference Article 4.2 Specific Activities all extinguishers for Victoria Office; Channel House; IT Office; Mgarr Terminal; Company Workshop (Mgarr); and Cirkewwa Terminal will require hydro pressure testing.

MV Ta Pinu will require 28 extinguishers to be pressure tested (26x 9kg; 1x 25kg and 1x 5kg) and MV Gaudos will also require 28 extinguishers to be pressure tested (25x 9kg; 1x 2kg; 1x 5kg; and 1x 25kg).

Question 2: Kindly confirm that three vessels are to be taken into consideration for bill item L.

Answer 2: As per description in Financial Bid Form, Item L covers 3 systems (one per vessel containing 10 sets each and 30 cylinders) plus 5 spare sets.

Question 3: For invoicing purposes, we kindly request you to revise the BOQ so that the quantity of item L will read 3 so that we can invoice each vessel separately.

Answer 3: Services performed are to be invoiced according to the quantities and actual service covered.
Question 4: Please provide specific list for each vessel which cylinders need to be considered for hydro testing for the duration of the contract.

Answer 4: Information to answer Question 4 can be found in tender document Section 4 Technical Specifications/Terms of Reference Article 4.2 Specific Activities and as per answer to Question 1 above.

Question 5: Kindly confirm that not all cylinders for bill item L will require hydro testing.

Answer 5: Information to answer Question 5 can be found in tender document Section 4 Technical Specifications/Terms of Reference Article 4.2 Specific Activities and as per Clarification Number 1 Answer 1 dated 29th November 2018.

All other tender documents, conditions and requirements, which are not superseded by this Clarification, remain in place.