

REPLY TO BIDDER'S QUERIES						
Date: 14.08.2026						
Bid Document for the Rate Contract for the CS Pipeline Laying and associated works in Bareilly GA for City Gas Distribution Project of M/s. Central U. P. Gas Limited, for the Period of 02 years				Bid Document No.: CUGL/C&P/TEN2627/23 dated 05.08.2026 (NIC Tender ID: 2026_CUGL_286701_1)		
Sr. No.	Tender Section/Page No	Document	Description	Clause No.	Clause	Bidder's Queries/Observation/Comments
1	SECTION-VI/page no.115	SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACTS (SCC)	TERMS AND MODE OF PAYMENT	6.1.2	Under Ground Pipelines	As per payment clause no. 6.1.2, contractor becomes eligible to claim only 55% of item rate of laying of pipeline (open trench) on lowering and back filling. This percentage is very less compared to the expenses incurred which creates negative cash flow of the project. For the proper execution of the project and to maintain the positive cash flow of the project minimum 65% should be paid to the contractor on completion of lowering and back filling milestone. CUGL is kindly requested to amend the clause according.
2	SECTION-VI/page no.116	SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACTS (SCC)	TERMS AND MODE OF PAYMENT	6.1.5	HDD work/moling	As per payment clause no. 6.1.5, contractor becomes eligible to claim only 60% of item rate of HDD work/ Moling on completion of pulling of carrier pipe and post hydro (if required). This percentage is very less compared to the expenses incurred which creates negative cash flow of the project. For the proper execution of the project and to maintain the positive cash flow of the project minimum 80% should be paid to the contractor on completion of pulling of carrier pipe and post hydro (if required). CUGL is kindly requested to amend the clause according.
3	SECTION-VIII/ page no.135	SCHEDULE OF RATES (SOR)	Supply of Ball Valves	12(a,b,c)	Supply of Ball Valves	As per SOR line item no. 12 (a,b,c), Ball valves are required gear operated. However, as per our past experience of similar pipeline projects, all ball valves up to 8" shall be manual hand operated only. Gear operated ball valves are normally required of the sizes 10" and above. Therefore, bidder proposes that ball valve of 4" and 6" sizes shall be manual hand operated and not gear operated. CUGL is kindly requested to amend the requirement according.

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Bidder are required to submit the "REPLY TO BIDDER'S QUERIES" alongwith the bid duly signed & stamped.