

To,
Bidders

Date: 21-12-2018

Responses for bidders queries in relation to Tender Specification No: **TN/28/CM/TSPL/2018-19** for SUPPLY OF 300+/-20% KT IMPORTED/DOMESTIC NON - COKING COAL ON FOR DELIVERED BASIS

S.no.	Queries	Responses
1	In case of tender award given to multiple parties, what would be the merits and grounds for allocating the Delivery Schedules.	Merits and grounds for allocation shall be completely at TSPL discretion. However, priority may be given to bidder who agrees to deliver early.
2	Please advise if supply of Coal from Multiple Ports would be allowed without Pre Disclosure of Quantity i.e. at the time of submitting the Bid	Supply of coal from Multiple port will be allowed subject disclosure of the same with quantity. In this case, landed cost of the coal from different ports will be taken to compute competitive bidding. i.e. at the time of submitting the bid. However, in case of exigencies from ports other than quoted ports may be allowed at sole discretion of TSPL and without any positive commercial implication to TSPL. Further in case, if the cost of coal and transportation is lower for the coal to be supplied from the new port, then, entire differential benefit to be passed on to the TSPL. In any case, the coal that is to be supplied from the new port should meet all technical specifications as submitted in the bid.
3	Please advise the Definition and sample calculation of Base Price	Please refer the updated bidding document TN28CMTSPL2018-19_18th December 2018 for FOB component calculations and refer annexure B Price bid submission form for price components.
4	Please advise the minimum days duration for commencing the Supply, upon receiving the Delivery Schedule	Commencing of supplies is to be done form next working date of LC opening. Delivery schedule as mentioned in updated bidding document TN28CMTSPL2018-19_18th December 2018 to be followed.
5	Please advise how many working days prior Rake Dispatch Workable LC would be provided	1 day prior to rake dispatch.
6	Please advise if Railway Freight DD would be provided by TSPL before loading of Rake or After Loading of Rake. If after loading of Rake, please specify the time duration for the same. If DD to be provided before loading of Rake then Delay in loading penalty to be on Supplier's A/c subject to timely receipt of Railway Freight DD.	Freight DD will be provided by TSPL in advance.

Regards,

TSPL.