

# MUMBAI PORT AUTHORITY

## Port Fire Service

No. DC/PFS- 02/2023/06

19<sup>th</sup> January 2024

**Sub: Tender – DC/PFS- 02 / 2023 - Hiring of fire staff from the service provider for the period of Two years and extendable for another three years on yearly basis on same terms and conditions subject to satisfactory services by the service provider to the Mumbai Port Authority.**

### **REPLY TO PRE-BID QUERIES RAISED DURING PRE-BID MEETING HELD ON 20.12.2023**

Sr. No.	Queries	Answer
1.	The bidders enquired whether the cost of equipments and uniform will have to be borne by the bidders or the MbPA.	The Tender condition shall prevails. As per the General Condition of Contract ( GCC) Sr.no .36 clause (viii)
2.	Whether registration in CPPP portal is necessary?	The registration of the firm is essential for uploading the tender.
3.	Whether the documents including the MSME certificate are required to be notarized?	The MSME Certificate will have to be notarized and submitted with the tender.
4.	Strength / manpower requirement category-wise is not given.	Manpower requirement category-wise is given in schedule of quantities and rates.
5.	Wages escalation is not mentioned	Tender condition shall prevail.
6.	Whether Centre or State wages for minimum wages will be followed?	The minimum wages declared by the Central Govt. shall be applicable.
7.	Whether the service being hired is already existing?	MbPA is having its own fire fighting department, however, now since there

		is shortage of manpower, the MbPA has now opted for hiring of fire staff from Service Provider.
8.	Definition of the Similar Work is not mentioned	Similar Work is defined in the tender document at clause 1(c)(ii).of NIT.
9.	Clarification on academic experience and skilled qualification. As some may quote on the basis of skilled category. Can you define whether the fireman falls in the skilled category or any other particular category?	Classification shall be considered as under: Station Officer – Highly Skilled Sub-Officer – Skilled Firemen - Semi-skilled
10.	It was pointed out that L1 will be selected, however, in case of manpower there should not be any discrimination as L1, as the staff will have to be paid as per the prevailing minimum wages act. Further, the wages are based minimum wages of Central and State whichever is more.	Tender condition shall prevail. As regards Minimum Wages, refer to reply to Query No. 6 above.

Sd/-  
Tender Cell