

Mumbai Port Authority

Civil Engineering Department

26.08.2024

Sub: Tender No.E. 53/2024 – Annual maintenance of asphaltic surfaces in MbPA Docks & Estates for a period of Two years (2024-2026).

Part- I: Roads, storage areas and wharves Inside docks, Southern Division (GWSD).

Part-II: Roads, storage areas and wharves outside docks, Southern Division (GWSD).

Part-III: Roads, storage areas and wharves within the jurisdiction of Northern Division (GWND).

Ref: Notice Inviting Tender No. E 53/2024 vide CE.T. 53/2024/1909 Dated 16.07.2024

Replies to the pre-bid queries:

Sr. No.	MbPA Contractors' Association points	MbPA's Reply
1	<p>The rate for unskilled labour is given as Rs 637/- for providing unskilled labour for daily basis (8 hours shift) for carrying out work as directed. The personal shall be equipped with tools and tackles to perform the job assigned to them.</p> <p>The same is below the minimum wages act as per which rate will be Rs 850/= per person + ESIS, PPE equipment + cost of tools, tackles and contractor's profit and overhead which works out to Rs 1220/= per labour.</p>	<p>The rates quoted in BOQ are indicative and will be considered for payment after applying contractor's offer. The bidder shall pay wages to the labour as per minimum wages act.</p>
2	<p>For the item of pre mixed asphalt macadam and asphaltic concrete then there is a note "rate is inclusive of applying bitumen grade 80/100 tack coat at @ 0.5 kg/sqm of bitumen ". The same is a modification of SOR item and accordingly the BOQ item will need to be calculated on the present day rate analysis basis and the BOQ item and rate has been put wrongly in the tender for the asphaltic macadam and asphaltic concrete.</p>	<p>It is true that there is separate item in MbPA SOR 2017 "Providing and applying bitumen (Grade 80/100) tack coat @0.5Kg/Sq. m of bitumen before applying asphaltic macadam/ asphaltic concrete including cleaning the surface etc. completed as directed." The rate quote against item No.4, 5 (Part I, II & III) are including application of tack coat Providing and applying bitumen (Grade 80/100) tack coat @0.5Kg/Sq.M. The bidders are requested to quote considering above.</p>
3	<p>The item of tack coat shown as included is actually a separate SOR item as per the MBPA SOR and shall be incorporated as separate line item in BOQ.</p>	<p>Please refer the reply at Sr. No. 2.</p>

D.A.: Nil

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Chief Engineer