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CORRIGENDUM No. 1, DATED 24.04.2026

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1.0 Clarification of bidder query.

Sl	Bidder's Query	BNPM reply
1.	<p>As per tender section IX, under general plant trial: Bidder must submit 2 MT of PUD along with suitable cross-linker for plant trial as part of technical qualification. In the same section it is written:</p> <p>“ Note:</p> <p>Bidders who have supplied the Polyurethane Dispersion (PUD) in past or plant trials already taken for tender items shall get relaxation from plant trial.”</p> <p>It is requested to clarify what is meant by supplied PUD in past. Whether it is supply to BNPM only or any other banknote/security paper manufacture in the world. If our OEM have supplied same to any other banknote paper manufacture would that be considered for relaxation from plant trial.</p>	<p>Bidders who have supplied the Polyurethane Dispersion (PUD) in past to BNPM, Mysuru, India or plant trials already taken for tender items at BNPM, Mysuru, India shall get relaxation from plant trials.</p>



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2.	<p>As per section IX, under experience and past performance and financial standing:</p> <p>Kindly confirm that the past supply experience and turnover criteria should be of the OEM or the bidder firm.</p>	<p>i. Either bidder or its manufacturer should comply the tender experience and past performance.</p> <p>ii. However, bidder participate in this tender must comply the tender financial standings.</p>
3.	<p>As per Section VII, Technical specification, the solid contents are minimum 30%. In our product the same is minimum 40% which is being used by many European Banknote paper manufacturer. Therefore, your requirement based on solid content would be 3000MT instead of 4000MT as per our proposed offered product.</p> <p>It is mentioned that if solid contents are less than 30% upto 20% then the payment will be deducted on pro-rata basis. However, if this is the criteria for payment, whether the same would be applicable for grade like ours since our solid content is minimum 40% and ultimately will reduce the required quantity by almost 25% i.e. instead of 4000 MT it will be around 3000 MT. Accordingly the cross-linker dosing will be reduced. Hence there would be a huge amount of cost saving on PUD as well as cross-linker. Therefore, it is requested to make similar pro-rata payment applicable for higher solid content as well.</p>	<p>i. As per tender</p> <p>ii. No pro-rata payment applicable for higher solid content.</p>
4.	<p>Pot Life: It is requested to confirm the required Pot life of the PUD and cross linker after mixing both and running on plant continuously. As we have two types of grades with different Pot life. Normally in Europe, Banknote Paper manufacturer prefers</p>	<p>Pot Life of PUD and Cross-linker after mixing, should be minimum 5-6 hours is required. As BNPM is going to mix PUD and cross linker just before application. Freshly prepared</p>



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	product with higher Pot life like 2-3 months. The other grade we have is having pot life of 5-6 hours. i.e. after mixing PUD with cross linker the same should be used within 5-6 hours otherwise it will lose its properties and the whole lot could be wasted. We recommend you include the same as part of technical specifications for better clarity that what should be the required Pot life of mixture.	chemical (Mix of PUD and Crosslinker) will be used in BNPM. Supplier has to supply both chemicals separately.
5.	As per Section VII-Technical specifications, Bidder is required to submit 2000 Kg of PUD alongwith suitable cross-linker alongwith tender documents. We would like to mention here that since the product is currently an imported item and due to ongoing war situation, the availability of vessels and cargo is very limited. However, we are trying our best to get the material ready and get it shipped at the earliest, still current timeline of submission of 2000 kg PUD with suitable cross linker alongwith tender documents seems unrealistic. Therefore, we request you to either to extend the due date of the tender by atleast one month or accept the 2000 kg material after submission of tender documents within reasonable time. We can provide the shipment documents alongwith tender documents to provide you assurance that the material in already dispatched and on its way to BNPM and we will also try our best to get the material for plant trial delivered at the earliest.	Bidder will be required to submit 2000Kg of PUD with Crosslinker for Plant Trial as per tender, Section VII-Technical Specifications on or before due date of bid submission.



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6.	<p>Section VI-list of requirements: As per point no. 3, Delivery period- the start of delivery is being asked within 60 days from the date of PO. Since the offered PUD and suitable cross-linker is an imported product, this timeline is too short as normal time from port to port takes 45-50 -days from Europe plus the time required for production and local transportation and custom clearance will require another 20-30 days. So the first delivery should be allowed within 90-100 days minimum to avoid any liquidated damages. After the first supply, regular supply will be followed as per the provided delivery schedule without delays.</p>	As per tender
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