

GOVERNMENT OF ANGUILLA

ANGUILLA AIR & SEA PORTS AUTHORITY

NEW JETTY AT ROAD BAY, ANGUILLA

RESPONSES TO REQUESTS FOR CLARIFICATION NO. 2

<u>#</u>	<u>Part</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Sub- section</u>	<u>Par.</u>	<u>Question</u>
1	1	I		14.7	<p>Are tax/levies/cost for work permits for foreign workers/staff exempted?</p> <p>Refer to Sub Clauses 73.1, 73.2, 73.3, 73.4 and 73.5 in Section VIII with respect to taxes and duties.</p> <p>Refer to Sub-Clause 16.4 of Section VIII with respect to Work Permits.</p> <p>Note a work permit charge is not a tax.</p>
2	1	I & II	19	19.1	<p>Foreign Banks do usually not provide cheques/bid bonds in other currency than local, Euro or USD. Is it allowed to provide a bid security in USD, at least equivalent to an amount of XCD 200,000.00 ?</p> <p>The Bond requirement shall be in local currency.</p>
3	1	III	1.		<p>Can you confirm that the bidders are not obliged to provide the following documents of proof as part of their bid: (a) complying with payment of taxes, (b) complying with payment of social security premiums, (c) not being bankrupt or any files to that request have been filed with the court and company has not been granted a moratorium of payment or is in state of liquidation , (d) certificate of good conduct of its director.</p> <p>The Bidder shall submit a completed Section III – Evaluation and Qualification Criteria to the fullest extent for assessment of the Bid.</p>
4	1	IV	BOQ, part 3	H353.2	<p>Please show the location on drawing of the 6 precast bollards bedded in concrete.</p> <p>The location of the bollards is to be around the area of the incoming power to the site on Drg No. A100 east of the Guard Hut inside the boundary fence.</p>

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5	1	IV	BOQ, part 3	K111.4	Please specify an average depth for the required manholes for sewer pipes. Use as average depth of 1.0m.
6	1	IV	BOQ, part 3	K210.1	Septic Tank: Missing reinforcement drawing (C404). Please provide. Allow for 500kg of reinforcing steel n/e 12 mm dia.
7	1	IV	Bidding forms	Appendix to Bid	Can the limit on the liquidated damages be capped at 5% of the Contract Sum? No.
8	2	VI	1.0	1.153	Pictures to be delivered as negatives, or digital? Digital of the equivalent quality would be acceptable.
9	2	VI	2.0	2.1100	Can the Employer make available an area within 250 meters of the works, near the shoreline, to temporary store and dewater dredged bottom material. Required area is approximately 40.000 m ² Bidders shall carry out their own investigation and make arrangements that will satisfy all the relevant authorities. Details should be included in the Contractor's Method Statement.
10	2	VI	3.0	3.201	Taking into account the vulnerability of ordinary portland cement in aggressive/salty environments, we have doubts about the durability of the new concrete of the jetty. Could you please explain the choice for ordinary portland cement instead of blast furnace cement? The specification shall be followed.

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11	2	VI	7.0	7.101	<p>To our opinion the specified pile wall thickness of 4.4 mm in combination with the pile diameter (internal 457 mm) will cause the pile to act as a float. This will hamper the driving of the piles. In addition, the wall thickness is too small to use pile driving vibrators, and also the wall thickness causes problems with field- welds (for example if the pipes need to be extended on site). We kindly request the Employer to consider a more practical wall thickness, for example 8 - 9 mm.</p> <p>The piling allowed in the bid document is acceptable. If the Bidder's available equipment requires alternative piles he shall include the details in his method statement.</p>
12	2	VI	7.0	7.103	<p>Are the piles supposed to be supplied with a coating? If yes, please provide details of this coating</p> <p>Piles shall be supplied in accordance with the specifications.</p>
13	2	VI	7.0	7.104	<p>Do the piles have to be delivered with protection caps at the ends of the piles?</p> <p>Protection shall be provided to assure there is no deterioration of the piles while awaiting use.</p>
14	2	VI	7.0	7.203	<p>What is the maximum length of the concrete plug? In order to prevent floating of the pile, the plug length may need to be extended (doubled).</p> <p>Refer to the Specification Section VI.7 Piling with special reference to Clause 7.203.</p>
15	2	VI	13.0	13.203	<p>Aluminium window frames. Drawing A- 106 is mentioned PVC window frames. Which is applicable Aluminum or PVC?</p> <p>Allow for aluminium windows as per the Specification Section VI-13 Building Works.</p>
16	2	VI	13.0	13.204	<p>Glass for glazing shall comply with B.S. 952. Please advise what type of glass (double, single, safety, antisol etc)</p> <p>The windows specified must be rated to withstand 120 mph winds as per Clause 13.203 or AAMA Spec LC – PG 40 – 914 mm x 1283 mm – Type VS. Glass to be specified accordingly.</p>
17	2	VI	13.0	13.308	<p>Vinyl floor tiles are mentioned in the specs. In the Bill floor tiles are mentioned as ceramic. Which is</p>

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					correct? The Specification also refers to Ceramic Tiles.
18	2	VI	Drawing	A102	Specified single hung sliding sash. Is it possible to change it to horizontal sliding windows due to the fact that aforementioned are not produced anymore. If the Bidder cannot obtain a price for the specified window he may provide an alternative for consideration.
19	2	VI	Drawing	S107	According to section 6, the pile reinforcement shall be installed over the complete length of the pile. The specifications section 7.203 indicate a that concrete plug of not less than 2.5 times the pile diameter should be installed prior to pile driving. It won't be possible to install reinforcement in this part. Please confirm that the reinforcement shall only be installed above the concrete plug. Reinforcement shall be installed to satisfy the requirements of the specifications.
20	3	VII	General Conditions	-	Could you explain the main reasons for applying the FIDIC General Conditions for Works of Civil Engineering Construction 4 th edition of 1987 instead of its update 'the FIDIC Red Book' of 1999? The Conditions of Contract in the Bid Documents shall apply.
21	3	VII	General Conditions	7.2	Are there any Permanent Works to be Designed by Contractor? If yes: please provide details Refer to specification for Lighting and Power Supply.
22	3	VII	General Conditions	20.4	We assume that hurricanes, tsunami's and flooding are considered as Employers Risks. Please confirm. The assumption is false. Refer to Sub Clause 20.4 of Section VIII.