## Agreement No. CE 6/2011 (WS) Pressure Management and District Metering for the Fresh Water Distribution Systems of the Kowloon East, Sha Tin, Yuen Long, Sheung Shui & Fanling and Islands Major Supply Zones – Investigation

## **Licence Conditions for Electronic Invitation Packages**

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- 1. This set of conditions may be cited as "Licence Conditions for Electronic Invitation Packages".
- 2. In these conditions, unless the context otherwise requires-
  - (a) "EACSB Handbook" means the Handbook on Selection, Appointment and Administration of Engineering and Associated Consultants published by the Engineering and Associated Consultant Selection Board;
  - (b) "Editable File" means a file listed under the column "Editable File" in Schedule 2 hereto containing the editable version of the Invitation Document listed on the same row under the column "Invitation Document". "Editable" in the previous sentence means editable using mainstream computer applications for office automation and computer-aided drafting;
  - (c) "Electronic Invitation Package" (or "EIP") means the electronic files in Schedule 2 hereto;
  - (d) "Employer" means the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region;
  - (e) "Image File" means a file listed under the column "Image File" in Schedule 2 hereto containing the printed image of the Invitation Document listed on the same row under the column "Invitation Document";
  - (f) "Invitation" means the invitation in Schedule 1 hereto;
  - (g) "Invitation Document" means a document listed under the column "Invitation Document" in Schedule 2 hereto;

- (h) "Licensee" means the person who uses the EIP and includes, if the person acts on behalf of another person, that other person;
- (i) "Relevant File" means an electronic file that-
  - (i) is derived from duplication of any files in the EIP; or
  - (ii) contains any contents extracted from any files in the EIP;
- (j) "Submission" means a submission that may be made by the Licensee in response to the Invitation;
- (k) "Submission Closing Date" means the closing date for the Submission stipulated in Schedule 1 hereto;
- (1) "Triggering Event" means one of the following events-
  - (i) The Licensee does not make a Submission by the Submission Closing Date;
  - (ii) The Licensee withdraws his Submission;
  - (iii) The Licensee receives a written notice from the Employer advising that-
    - (1) he is not included in the list of consultants to be invited to submit Technical and Fee Proposals in accordance with the EACSB Handbook; or
    - (2) he is not selected as consultant for the consultancy agreement in Schedule 1 hereto.
- 3. Words importing the singular only also include the plural and vice versa where the context requires. Words importing one gender (whether masculine, feminine or neuter) shall be taken to include any other gender where the context requires.
- 4. Subject to the provisions hereof, the Employer grants the Licensee, free of charge, a non-exclusive and revocable licence for using the EIP solely for the purpose of preparing the Submission. The Licensee shall not use the EIP for any other purpose. Save as aforesaid, all other rights in the EIP are reserved by the Employer.
- 5. Insofar as it is necessary for the purpose of preparing the Submission by the Licensee, the Licensee may license its agents, consultants or other persons appointed by him as sub-licensees to use the EIP, subject to the following conditions:
  - (a) The Licensee shall obtain from each sub-licensee an undertaking in writing that the sub-licensee shall not use the EIP for any purpose other than for the purpose of preparing the Submission;

- (b) The Licensee shall be liable to the Employer for the breach of the undertaking referred to in sub-clause (a) of this Clause by the sub-licensees as if the breach were committed by the Licensee; and
- (c) The Licensee shall not grant any sub-licensee the right to license other parties to use the EIP.
- 6. The licence for using the EIP shall expire within seven working days of the occurrence of a Triggering Event. On or before the expiration date of the licence, the Licensee shall-
  - (a) either destroy the Relevant Files in his possession or retain them as archives; and
  - (b) ensure that all sub-licensees have either destroyed the Relevant Files in their possession or retained these files for archive purpose.
- 7. Any files kept as archives pursuant to Clause 6 shall not be used for any other purposes.
- 8. The contents of the Editable File and Image File of an Invitation Document are intended to be identical. If there are discrepancies, the Image File shall prevail.
- 9. The Licensee hereby indemnifies the Employer against all losses, liabilities, damages, costs, legal costs, professional and other expenses of any nature whatsoever incurred or suffered by the Employer whether direct or consequential arising from a breach or breaches of any of the conditions herein contained.

## **Schedule 1 - Invitation**

Agreement No.	CE 6/2011 (WS)	
Agreement Title	Pressure Management and District Metering for the Fresh Water Distribution Systems of the Kowloon East, Sha Tin, Yuen Long, Sheung Shui & Fanling and Islands Major Supply Zones – Investigation	
Department	Water Supplies Department	
Type of Submission	Expression of Interest	
Submission Closing Date	2 June 2011	

## Schedule 2 – Electronic Invitation Package

Invitation Document	Version No.	Image File	Editable File
Invitation Letter for Expression of Interest	0	CE62011_EOI_Invitation_Lett er.pdf	CE62011_EOI_Invitation_Lett er.doc
Draft Brief (16 May 2011)	0	CE62011_Encl1_Brief.pdf	CE62011_Encl1_ Brief.doc
Sketches (Appendix I to the Brief)	0	CE62011_Encl1(i)_Brief_Ap pI.pdf	CE62011_Encl1(i)_Brief_Ap pI.doc
List of Large Housing Estate (Appendix II to the Brief)	0	CE62011_Encl1(ii)_Brief_Ap pII.pdf	CE62011_Encl1(ii)_Brief_Ap pII.doc
List of Existing and Planned WDAs/DMAs/PMAs (Appendix III to the Brief)	0	CE62011_Encl1(iii)_Brief_A ppIII.pdf	CE62011_Encl1(iii)_Brief_A ppIII.doc
Responsibility for Survey Work (Appendix IV to the Brief)	0	CE62011_Encl1(iv)_Brief_A ppIV.pdf	CE62011_Encl1(iv)_Brief_A ppIV.doc
Draft Schedule of Fees (16 May 2011)	0	CE62011_Encl2_SOF.pdf	CE62011_Encl2_SOF.doc
Requirements for Submission of Proposal in Electronic Format	0	CE62011_Encl3_Electronic_ Requirements.pdf	CE62011_Encl3_Electronic_ Requirements.doc
Requirements for ISO 9001 Certification	0	CE62011_Encl4_ISO9001.pd f	CE62011_Encl4_ISO9001.do c
Initial List of Qualified Consultants invited for Expression of Interest	0	CE62011_Encl5_Initial_Long list.pdf	CE62011_Encl5_Initial_Longli st.doc
Licence Conditions for Electronic Invitation Packages	0	CE62011_Encl6_Licence_e_d ocuments.pdf	CE62011_Encl6_Licence_e_d ocuments.doc

Invitation Document	Version No.	Image File	Editable File
Acknowledgement	0	CE62011_Encl7_Acknowledg ement.pdf	CE62011_Encl7_Acknowledg ement.doc