

PROJECT NAME:		Construction of Ankara Central (İvedik) Water Treatment Plant Capacity Increase (4th Unit) Project			
REPLIES TO QUERIES AND CLARIFICATIONS NO. 1					
No.	Bidding Document	Bidding Document Reference Clause	Clarification Requested by the Prospective Bidders	Reply of the Employer	Amendment in the Initial Selection Document is required YES or NO (If "YES" Provide Amendment Number)
1	Request for Bids Works	Section III - Evaluation and Qualification Criteria (Without Prequalification)	Although the tender date of one of our projects was March 2016, the contract was signed in February 2018 (the difference is aprox.2 years). Because the contract value was according to the 2016 prices, using the exchange rate of USD/TRY in contract date 2018, will reasonable loss (decrease) in determining the actual converted value in foreign currency. Therefore, we kindly request you to confirm that the selling exchange rates on the tender dates can be used to convert the amount of work completion certificates.	The amount of the work experience certificate as a qualification criterion within the scope of the tender will be evaluated based on the " <b>Selling exchange rate prevailing on the date of the contract!</b> " as defined in the RfB documents.	No
2	Design Dossier	-	Since the project is not Unit Priced-based, the tenderers would need the native (AutoCAD) versions of the design documents to be able to prepare their quantities within a very short timeframe. Could you please share with us the native (AutoCAD) versions of the design documents.	The native (AutoCAD) versions of the project will only be shared with the awarded bidder after the contract is signed.	No
3	Request for Bids Works	Bid Data Sheet ITB 15.1	Reference to item 15.1 of the Bid Data Sheet (BDS) of the subject mentioned project tender documents, we assume that the bidders can offer all activities and total lump sum prices all in US Dollars-including all the related payments. Considering above, it is highly appreciated if you could confirm or clarify in this regard.	Yes, the bidder can proposes all the bids in local or foreign currency (USD, EURO etc.)	No
4	Request for Bids Works	Section III - Evaluation and Qualification Criteria (Without Prequalification)-Specific Construction & Contract Management Experience	The company recently completed the largest industrial seawater desalination plant. With regard to the "Specific Construction & Contract Management Experience" requirements outlined in sub-clauses 4.2(a) and 4.2(b) of the qualification criteria, we respectfully request clarification as to whether experience in the construction of a desalination plant is considered acceptable experience for the aforementioned project.	No, only conventional drinking water treatment plants will be accepted for Specific Construction & Contract Management Experience	No
5	Design Dossier	-	We kindly ask you to provide CAD version of the drawings in order to facilitate the quantity calculation?	The native (AutoCAD) versions of the project will only be shared with the awarded bidder after the contract is signed.	No
6	-	-	It is a pleasure to write to you, after obtaining tender documents, we are organizing our engineers to studies, however, a long national holiday has just passed and no one was working during holiday, therefore we sincerely request a extension for a month of the time for submission, we will prepare ourselves into giving you our best offer.	The deadline for submission of tender documents is 18.03.2025, the announced date. The deadline for submission of documents will not be extended.	No