

**Queries and Clarification for printing and supply of HNS BCC Modules, Register, Diary, leaflets etc. under BTDP held on 19-06-2018 at 03:00 PM at BRLPS Office, Patna.**

<b>S.No.</b>	<b>Queries</b>	<b>Clarifications</b>
1.	The companies registered with MSME and NSIC do not require to submit the EMD as per government rules as they are exempted being registered with MSME and NSIC.	BTDP is a world bank project; hence exemption from submitting Bid Security (EMD) is not applicable for companies registered with MSME and NSIC.
2.	Bid Security- ITB 19.3 (a) Section-II (Bidding Data Sheet)  Allow Bank Guarantee also against EMD, as it is an equivalent document issued by the Bank against any security.	It is clarified that bid security is to be paid through e-Payment mode. (i.e. NEFT / RTGS, Credit / Debit Card & Net Banking) only.
3.	The requirement of Rs. 2.0 Crore for a single order for a bidding company is very high parameter. To ensure healthy competition among the lawful bidders, it should have been based only annual turnover of the company irrespective of number of orders accomplished in a year.	No change, as per the bid document, bidder should attach self-certified copy of a single purchase order valuing 200 Lakhs for color printing.
4.	Item No.6 & 7 of Technical Specification (Module 2: Flip Book& Complementary Feeding Leaflet)  The size mentioned in bid is A3 (11.7" width x 16.5" height). Due to unavailability of paper in required size, the size of Module 2: Flip Book& Complementary Feeding Leaflet should be revised to 16.5" x 11.5".	It is clarified that the size of Module 2: Flip Book& Complementary Feeding Leaflet vide Item No. 6 & 7 of Technical Specification would be A3 (11.5" width x 16.5" height)
5.	<b><u>Submission of sample</u></b>  Whether bidders have to submit hard copy of sample of paper.	It is clarified that no hard copy of sample is to be submitted at the time of submission of bid. However, successful bidder has to submit sample of each items for qualify verification. Correction in samples will be allowed only for two times.