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Sustainable Coastal and Marine Fisheries Project (SCMFP)  
Department of Fisheries  
Matshya Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh

Memo No. 33.02.0000.949.12.019.20-985

Date: 01 September 2021

**Letter of Acceptance**

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**Subject: Notification of Award (Contract No.: 21-22/GD 43-2/20 Date: 01 September 2021).**

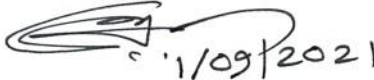
This is to notify you that your Bid dated 7 January 2021 for execution of the Package Name: Supply, Installation and Commissioning of VMS related Hardware and Software, Package No.: GD 43-2 for the Accepted Contract Amount of BDT 25691704.00 (Twenty-Five Million Six Hundred Ninety-One Thousand Seven Hundred and Four Taka), as corrected and modified in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders is hereby accepted by our Agency.

Please note that the duration of the SCMFP project is upto 30 June 2023. The contract price has been determined considering the VMS software leasing including maintenance and support services to be started from 1 October 2021. So, the duration of VMS software leasing including maintenance and support services should be 21 months or upto 30 June 2023 whichever is earlier though in accordance with the bid document, the CLS-SIL JV offered VMS software leasing including maintenance and support services for 3 years i.e. 36 months. For 21 months (i.e. 1 October 2021 to 30 June 2023), the VMS software leasing including maintenance and support services will be BDT 17674454.00. The contract price in that case should be the prices of (Office hardware and related items + VMS software leasing including maintenance and support services + Training) = (5786000.00+17674454.00+2231250.00) = BDT 25691704.00 (Twenty-Five Million Six Hundred Ninety-One Thousand Seven Hundred and Four Taka) which is (i) including custom duties & import taxes and excluding sales & other taxes on office hardware & related items and (ii) including any applicable taxes on VMS software leasing including maintenance & support services and National training on VMS Software Operation & Maintenance. Custom duties & import taxes on office hardware & related items are Tk. 888650.00. Total sales & other taxes paid or payable if contract is awarded for office hardware & related items are Tk. 418250.00.

Though the duration of VMS software leasing including maintenance and support services should be 21 months or upto 30 June 2023 whichever is earlier but the duration of VMS software leasing including maintenance and support services may be extended based on the extension of duration of the SCMFP project, satisfactory performance of the Supplier, and without any change in the unit prices or other terms and conditions of the Bid and the bidding document. Please confirm us whether you agree or not.

You are requested to furnish the Performance Security within 28 days in accordance with the Conditions of Contract, using for that purpose in the Form of Bank Guarantee of the bid document. Please note that the Performance Security shall be in the name of the legally formed Joint Venture.

As you have submitted a Letter of intent to execute a Joint Venture Agreement signed by all JV members with the Bid together with a copy of the proposed JV Agreement, so before furnishing of Performance Security, please send us the original of the JV agreement signed by all the JV members.

  
1/09/2021

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**Attachment: Draft Contract Agreement.**