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Ref: Rs. 50/1/072/73

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All Participated Security Printers
(List attached)

Sub: Clarification of queries raised at Pre-Bid Meeting.

Dear Sir/Madam,

It is in reference to the queries raised in Pre-Bid meeting dated 04 November, 2015, regarding to the tender document for designing, printing and supply 240 million pieces of Rs. 50 denomination Nepalese paper banknotes (Tender No. 01/072/73).

Please find the clarifications of queries as follows:

S.N.	Queries	Corrections/Answers
1.	What is approximate delivery date for the 1 st delivery of the 100 million banknotes	Please refer to Section IV, Schedule of Requirements, List of Banknote, Related Services and Delivery Schedule (LBRS&DS) Clause No. 4 Delivery of Banknote provided on Tender Document, Ref Page 42.
2.	Please could you confirm if NRB will arrange for the transfer of the designs and origination materials for the NPR 50 denomination to the winning bidder?	Please refer to Clause No 8 of Section IV, Schedule of Requirements, List of Banknotes, Related Services and Delivery Schedule provided on Tender Document, Ref. Page 43. NRB will facilitate to obtain those design and origination material as per winner's request.
3.	The paper weight is expressed as 85-90 gsm. Could you confirm the nominal value for the paper weight and the accepted tolerance either side of the nominal value?	The paper weight should not be below 85-90 gsm. Additionally, It should be of "Industry Standard" in banknote printing industry within the range of 85-90 gsm.
4.	Are local agents authorized to sign the pricing list and associated documents if Power of Attorney is provided to them by the principle supplier?	Please refer to ITB clause no. 17.1, page 25.
5.	Regarding the letter of credit, we kindly ask you to change the wording in the L/C documents from BANKNOTES to PRINTED MATTER in order to increase the security standard during transport.	The existing L/C terms shall be applicable.
6.	We would kindly ask you to describe in more detail what exactly you mean with "Black magnetic series number on front and back"	Please refer to amendment no. 1.

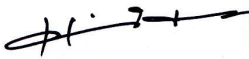


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7. In Specific Experience Form, do we need to fill this specific document with all our reference customers? How many filled forms would be sufficient?	Please refer ITB clause 35.2, page 27.
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Sincerely yours,


(Chinta Mani Siwakoti)
Executive Director



C.C.:
Local Agent