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PART I: TECHNICAL BID

TENDER DOCUMENT FOR THE WORK OF CARRYING OUT REPAIR AND PAINTING OF INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR OF BUILDING AND ITS ANCILLARY STRUCTURES AND BOUNDARY WALLS, CONSTRUCTION OF THE CEILING OF SECURITY GUARD ROOM AND REPAIR OF THE ROOF AND CEILING OF THE MAIN BUILDING FOR SEEPAGE AT THE EMBASSY RESIDENCE BUILDING BELONGING TO EMBASSY OF INDIA , BOGOTA, CALLE 116 #7-15, TORRE CUSEZAR, BOGOTA

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1. **NOTICE INVITING TENDER FOR THE WORK OF REPAIR AND INTERIOR & EXTERIOR PAINTING OF BUILDING AND ITS ANCILLARY STRUCTURES AND BOUNDARY WALLS, CONSTRUCTION OF THE CEILING OF SECURITY GUARD ROOM AND REPAIR OF THE ROOF AND CEILING OF THE MAIN BUILDING FOR SEEPAGE OF THE EMBASSY RESIDENCE LOCATED AT CALLE 111 NO. 3A-70 SANTA ANA ORIENTAL, BOGOTA.**

Sealed tenders in Two bid system are invited from Tenderers who fulfill the minimum eligibility criteria as outlined in this Tender, for carrying out the WORK OF INTERIOR & EXTERIOR PAINTING OF BUILDING AND ITS ANCILLARY STRUCTURES AND BOUNDARY WALLS, CONSTRUCTION OF THE CEILING OF SECURITY GUARD ROOM AND REPAIR OF THE ROOF AND CEILING OF THE MAIN BUILDING FOR SEEPAGE of the building located at CALLE 111 NO. 3A-70 SANTA ANA ORIENTAL, BOGOTA.

The tender documents (both Technical and Price Bid) can also be downloaded from the Embassy of India in Bogota's website <https://www.eoibogota.gov.in/> from 24 August 2022 09:00 hrs (Colombia time).

The tender shall consist of

Part 1: Technical Bid document containing Technical specifications, qualifications, general conditions of contract etc.

Part 2: Price Bid

The tenders shall be submitted in two separate sealed covers superscribed "Technical Bid" and "Price Bid" in Duplicate. The envelope containing the Technical Bid should also contain all technical pamphlets and literature about the kind of crack-filler, primer, paints, construction and repair material proposed to be used, special waterproofing material for the roof and ceiling, certificates in support of earlier works carried out, along with such other details / data required for the evaluation of the Technical bid. (It is essential that any technical information considered useful should be furnished at the first instance itself in this envelope and at a later date any additional or supplementary information shall not be entertained unless it is found necessary and sought by the Employer in form of written clarification to clear any pertinent doubts).

The second envelope superscribed as “**Price Bid**” should contain the Price Bid and should be submitted simultaneously along with Technical Bid. Non submission of the same along with Part I (Technical Bid) shall automatically result in the entire tender being rejected. This envelope should contain duly filled in Schedule of quantities (enclosed in the tender document) with values written in words and figures, and as detailed elsewhere in the tender documents.

Both the envelopes as described above containing the technical and price bids shall be submitted together in a single sealed envelope superscribed “**tender carrying out work of interior & exterior painting of building and its ancillary structures and boundary walls, construction of the ceiling of security guard room and repair of the roof and ceiling of the main building for seepage of embassy residence building located at calle 111 no. 3A-70 SANTA ANA ORIENTAL, BOGOTA**”

Salient Features of Contract:

Guarantee Period	12 Months from the date of virtual completion.
Date of Commencement of Work	Immediately from the date of issue of Work Order or the date on which the site is handed over, whichever is later.
Date of Completion	60 days from the date of issue of Work Order, or the date on which the site is agreed to be handed over, whichever is later.
Liquidated Damages for Delay	0.5 % per week of the Contract Value for intermediate and final deadline
Period of honouring certificate for each interim payment.	21 days from the date of receipt of Bill payment or recommendations received from the Employer.
Period of honouring Final Bill	Two weeks from the date of receipt of Bill payment along with recommendations from the consultant
Dates/ time for downloading the Tender	From 25 August 2022 – 09:00 hrs (Colombia time)
Last date and Time of Submission of tenders	14 September 2022 – 17:00 hrs (Colombia time)
Opening of Technical Bid with EMD	15 September 2022 – 11:00 hrs (Colombia time)
Opening of Price Bid	Will be informed later

- ❖ Validity of offer shall be 90 days from the date of opening of tender (Technical Bid).
- ❖ The rates quoted by the tenderer shall be based only on the specifications and conditions of the tender documents. Any conditional tender will be rejected by Employer.
- ❖ **The tenderers are advised to inspect the site before quoting for the job.** The site will be available for inspection on all working days between 10.00 am & 5.00 pm. **The Tenderer shall ensure that the painting shall be carried out as per the existing site conditions WITHOUT DISTURBING THE FUNCTIONING OF WORK WITHIN THE BUILDING. Hence, the tenderers are advised to inspect the site in this regard before quoting for the job.**

Note :

- 1) The tender without complete information and certified photocopies of documents in support of fulfilling the Pre –qualification criteria will not be entertained.
- 2) If any information furnished by the Tenderer is found incorrect at a later stage, he shall be liable to be debarred from tendering/taking up any work in Embassy of India in Bogota.
- 3) Embassy of India in Bogota reserves the right to verify the particulars furnished by the Tenderer independently.
- 4) Short- listing of Tenderers will be finalized after inspection of works carried out by them previously, and only those firms who fulfill the Pre–qualification criteria as specified in the Technical bid.
- 5) The tenderer shall take care to price his tender rationally. Extreme under-pricing or overpricing in item-rates or total amount will be considered adversely in the assessment of tenders. The tenderer shall on demand submit analysis of rates of some items of work if so required by the Employer.
- 6) The Employer is not bound to accept the lowest tender and reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders, either in whole or in part, without assigning any reason for doing so.

2.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1. The Tenderer shall have at least 7 years' experience in carrying out a) ~~exterior~~ painting of non-residential buildings which are having minimum of three floors excluding ground floor; b) construction and repair of buildings having three floors. The tenderer shall produce the details of work done and enclose work orders / agreements and satisfactory work completion certificate in each one of the last 7 years. The Tenderer should have carried out a) at least Three works each costing not less than COP 25,000,000, OR, b) at least Two works each costing not less than COP 40,000,000, OR c) at least One work costing not less than COP 50,000,000 under single agreement in Colombia during the last 5 years.
2. Certificate of Registration, RUT and Bank Account Proof of the individual or the Firm is mandatory, **and a photocopy of the same shall be submitted along with the Technical Bid.**
3. The Tenderer should have a solvency for an amount of COP 50,000,000 duly certified by its bank, which holds its account and enclose copy of the same.
4. The Tenderers should furnish the contact particulars of their local office including landline numbers, mobile numbers of contact personnel, and email id(s) if any.
5. The tenderer shall produce copies of work orders and Completion Certificates for the work claimed under the aforesaid eligibility criteria as a proof (item 1 above).

3.

TENDER DECLARATION

To,

**The Head of Chancery
Embassy of India, Bogota
Calle 116 #7-15, Torre Cusezar**

I/We have read and examined the notice inviting tender, Schedules, applicable specifications, Conditions of contract and other documents and rules referred to in the conditions of contract and all other contents in the tender documents for the work.

I/We hereby submit tender for the execution of the work specified for Embassy of India, Bogota within the time frame specified in the tender and in accordance in all respects with the specifications and instructions in writing referred to in General conditions of contract.

We agree to keep the tender open for 90 days from the due date of opening of Tender (Technical Bid) thereof and not to make any modifications in its terms and conditions.

I/We hereby declare that I/we shall treat the tender documents, and other records connected with the work as secret/confidential documents and shall not communicate the information derived therefrom to any person other than a person to whom I/we am/are authorized to communicate the same or use the information in any manner prejudicial to the safety of the state.

Dated :

Signature of the tenderer

Witness Signature

Name :

Postal Address :

Occupation.

DECLARATION

**(TO BE GIVEN BY THE TENDERER WHO HAVE DOWNLOADED THE
TENDER DOCUMENT FROM THE WEB)**

It is to certify that I / We have submitted the Tender document in the proforma as downloaded directly from the web site & there is no change in formatting, number of pages etc.

- 1) I / We have submitted Tender document which are same / identical as available in the website.**
- 3.) I / We have not made any modification / corrections / additions etc in the Tender documents downloaded from web by me / us.**
- 4) I / We have checked that no page is missing and all pages as per the index are available & that all pages of Tender document submitted by us are clear & legible.**
- 5) I / We have signed (with stamp) all the pages of the Tender document before submitting the same.**
- 6) I / We have sealed the Tender documents properly before submitting the same.**
- 7) I / We have read carefully & understood the instructions to all the Tenderers & to the Tenderers who have down-loaded the Tender document from the web.**
- 8) In case at any stage later, it is found that there is difference in our downloaded Tender documents from the original, Embassy of India in Bogota shall have the absolute right to take any action as deemed fit without any prior intimation to me / us.**

Dated:

Signature of the tenderer

4.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

1. Scope of Work:

The scope of work for the purpose of this tender constitutes complete exterior and interior painting of the building including - scraping off of old paint from walls & ceilings before applying fresh coat of paint, plumbing works including maintenance of geysers etc., buffing & polishing of floor and wall tiles, treatment and polishing of metallic surfaces including door knobs and bathroom fixtures, polishing of wooden surfaces including furniture/cabinets/doors etc., exterior and interior painting of the boundary walls, exterior and interior painting of the security guard room, exterior and interior painting of the other ancillary structures outside the main building but within the boundary walls including garages and structures at the garden on the rear side of the building, construction of ceiling of room of security guard and repair of the roof and ceiling of the main building for seepage, at the Embassy Residence, and located at CALLE 111 NO. 3A-70 SANTA ANA ORIENTAL, BOGOTA. The works should be carried out in accordance with the "Schedule of quantities". The detailed scope of work includes painting of the outer walls and roof of the buildings; carrying out painting of doors, windows, railings, compound wall and other rooms and structures within the precincts of the compound wall such as garages, and painting of the exteriors of the other ancillary structures such as gates, and any other room or structure, parapet walls of the terrace above 2nd floor as well as balconies, both inner and outer sides of the compound wall, including grills wherever fitted, with choice of colours and shades as approved by the Employer; construction of ceiling of security guard room with standard bricks, concrete and cement; painting of exterior and interior of security guard Room and repair work of the roof and ceiling of the main building for seepage with standard waterproofing paint and material of very high quality and construction material, if required.

2. Price Basis:

- a. The unit rates mentioned in schedule of rates shall remain firm and shall not be subjected to any escalation throughout the currency of the contract.
- b. The quoted rates shall be inclusive of supply of all materials required for completing the item works.
- c. Payment shall be made on the actual quantum of work executed, duly certified by the Employer.
- d. The rates quoted shall be based on laws, levies, taxes and duties applicable on the date of submission of Tender, and any Statutory Variations thereto and / or new levies due to an act or enactment, after the date, shall be to the Employer's account against documentary evidence within the contractual completion date. Any such variation/imposition of new taxes and levies beyond the contractual completion date shall be to the Tenderer's account.
- e. **The Tenderer shall clearly indicate every element of taxes, duties, levies considered in the quoted price.**
- f. Tenderer shall satisfy himself on the applicability of various taxes, duties, levies, including sales tax, VAT, etc. as applicable for such work and quoted prices shall be inclusive of all such liabilities. Employer shall not be liable for any liability of the Tenderer on this account. Tenderer shall periodically produce documentary proof of having fulfilled his obligations in time, including

proof of payment, proof of filing of returns, etc., failing which Employer reserve the right to take appropriate action at the cost and consequence of the Tenderer.

3. **Terms of Payment:**

Progressive Payment: 30% of the value of Contract /Interim bill value on receipt of materials at site and against submission of invoice, duly certified by Employer.

20% of the contract value upon the completion of application of Primer.

25% of the contract value upon the completion of application of First coat of exterior paint.

Balance Amount (25%) shall be released on completion of the entire work & submission of invoice duly certified by Consultant.

Employer may withhold payment on account of any defect/deficiency in the work already executed and payment released, based on subsequently discovered evidence, failure to make payments to Sub-Tenderers, damage caused by the Tenderer to Employer's property, properties of other agencies within the premises, unfulfilled statutory obligations, etc.

The "Completion Certificate" shall be issued by the Employer only after total job completion and fulfillment of all contractual obligations by the Tenderer.

4. **Effective date, Time schedule and Liquidated damages for delay:**

- a) The date of issue of Work Order/letter of intent or the date on which the site is handed over, whichever is later, shall be deemed as the "Effective Date" of contract.
- b) The entire work covered under the contract shall be completed in all respects within 45 60days from the Effective Date.
- c) Time is the essence of this project and hence completion schedule of 60 days should be strictly adhered to.

5. **Measurement:**

The Quantities set out in the schedule of items and rates are estimated quantities of work. The final quantities of work executed by the Tenderer in fulfillment of his obligations under the contract shall be jointly measured by the Tenderer and the Employer. The Employer will be final authority for the measurement relating to bills.

The intending tenderers are also required to make their own assessment of adequacy and correctness of the quantities before submitting their tenders.

6. **Responsibility:**

Employer reserve the right to inspect the materials brought to the site to verify adherence to technical specifications.

However, such inspection/Release order shall not absolve the Tenderer of his

responsibility to supply the materials in the required quantities and carry out the work as per technical specifications.

Unless otherwise specified in the contract / Work order / Purchase Order, the completion of work shall not be deemed to have been achieved until all the works required to be carried out under the contract have been completed to the entire satisfaction of the Employer in all respects, and Completion Certificate is issued.

It is the responsibility of the Tenderer to obtain all statutory approvals from statutory and local authorities which are related to the scope of work in this tender and handover to the Employer through the Consultant.

7. Progress Report:

The Tenderer shall submit to the Employer once in two weeks progress report for the previous period showing up-to-date cumulative progress and progress during the preceding period alone on all progress items of each section or portion of the works in the proforma prescribed by the Employer.

8. Tenderer's Supervisor:

The Tenderer shall keep a fully qualified and experienced Supervisor to supervise the work for full time during execution of work for this entire Contract.

9. Equipment:

The Tenderer shall make his own arrangement to procure all required machinery and equipment for his work. He shall also submit with the tender, the type and number of different machineries with their capacities in good working conditions, which he will be used on the site to ensure completion of the work in specified time. All materials and machinery once brought by the Tenderer to the site are not to be removed from there without the written approval from the Employer .

10. Extra Items:

Extra items, if any, shall be paid on the basis of analysis of rate of cost of materials and labour produced by Tenderer, and the item-rates agreed upon with the Employer .

The execution of extra items is compulsory in order to complete the project work. In case the Tenderer fails to execute any extra item, the Employer will have the right to execute these items through other agency / agencies at the risk and cost of the Tenderer. While arriving at the agreed rate of extra items, profit shall be considered to the tune of 15% of cost of materials and labour.

Employer reserves the right to verify the price of material through market survey.

11. Guarantees / Liabilities:

The finished work shall be guaranteed for a period of 1 year from the date of Completion of the same against defective materials, shortfall in performance and faulty workmanship. The guaranty shall cover everything other than:

- a) Paint failures due to water leakage, seepage and continuous dampness of surface
- b) Inherent construction problems such as efflorescence, cracks, salt petre action and salt bleaching affecting the painted surface.
- c) Natural calamities and fire.
- d) Physical damage of the wall.

The guaranty shall be limited only to the extent of making good the affected areas only. It shall not cover any consequential losses.

The work shall be carried out in a workmanlike manner.

12. Work Front:

Work front for the Tenderer may / may not be guaranteed throughout the pendency of the contract, especially during rains. No compensation will be paid for idle labour hours and other incidental charges. Tenderer may suitably arrange requisite labour / manpower / equipment to meet the requirement of lean period, if any.

The Tenderer may have to execute the work in such place and condition where other agencies may also be engaged for other works, such as mechanical, electrical, instrumentation work, etc. No claim shall be entertained due to work being executed in the above circumstances. The Tenderer should ensure that there is no interference with the work of other agencies at Site.

13. INSURANCE

Tenderer shall obtain and maintain any and all necessary insurance cover for the entire work up to the completion of work, which may be required under any law or regulations applicable, including but not limited to the following:

- All materials and Tenderer's own machinery, equipment, tools & tackles, vehicles, etc.
- Third Party liability.
- Workmen Compensation

The quoted price shall be inclusive of all costs for such insurance coverage. In all such policies, Employer shall be made 'Co-insured'. The insurance shall be obtained from a relevant insurance company other than Embassy of India in Bogota.

14. COMPLETION TIME :

Tenderer shall complete the entire work within 60 days from the date of issue of Work Order / letter of intent or the date on which the site is handed over, whichever is later.

15. GENERAL

These Special Conditions of Contract (SCC) shall be read in conjunction with the terms and conditions stipulated in the General Conditions of Contract (GCC). However, if there is any contradiction between the terms and conditions mentioned in this SCC and those in the GCC, stipulations of SCC shall prevail to that extent.

5.

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT is made on this day of.....2021 between Embassy of India in Bogota, Office Address, Calle 116 #7-15, Torre Cusezar, Bogota represented by its legal representative.....having Diplomatic ID (hereinafter referred to as the "Employer") which expression shall mean and include its legal representatives and assigns of the one part.

AND

M/s_____office at the following address and represented by legal representative..... having C.C..... (hereinafter referred to as the "Tenderer") which expression shall include its successors, legal representatives and assigns of the second part.

WHEREAS THE Employer intends to carry out the exterior and interior painting of their building AND ITS ANCILLARY STRUCTURES AND BOUNDARY WALLS, CONSTRUCTION OF THE CEILING OF SECURITY GUARD ROOM AND REPAIR OF THE ROOF AND CEILING OF THE MAIN BUILDING FOR SEEPAGE located at CALLE 111 NO. 3A-70 SANTA ANA ORIENTAL, BOGOTA and other allied works as detailed in the Scope of Work.

AND WHEREAS the Employer has called for tenders for carrying out complete exterior and interior painting of the building, exterior and interior painting of the boundary walls, exterior and interior painting of the security guard room, exterior and interior painting of the other ancillary structures outside the main building but within the boundary walls including garages and structures at the garden on the rear side of the building, construction of ceiling of room of security guard and repair of the roof and ceiling of the main building for seepage, at the Embassy Residence, as per Employer’s Notice Inviting Tender dated and whereas the tender dated ----- submitted by the Tenderer has been accepted for such sum as may be ascertained to be payable in terms of the Schedule of Quantities and which sum is estimated to be COP. (Colombian Pesos) hereinafter referred to as the said "Contract Sum".

AND WHEREAS the Tenderer has agreed to execute the work as per the specifications, terms and conditions of contract of the tender, and Work Order for the Employer’s project of “Carrying out the exterior and interior painting of the building located at CALLE 111 NO. 3A-70 SANTA ANA ORIENTAL, BOGOTA”.

AND WHEREAS the parties herein desirous of reducing the agreed terms into writing as under:

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH AS FOLLOWS:-

- 1) In consideration of the said Contract Sum to be paid at the times and in the manner set forth in the said Conditions of the Contract, the Tenderer shall carry out and complete all the Works as per terms and conditions contained herein and according to the general

conditions of the contract, notice inviting tender, special conditions of contract, general scope of work, technical specifications, schedule of rates and instructions to be given by the Consultant and to the entire satisfaction of the Employer.

2) Contract Price, Taxes and Payment Terms:

Total contract price is COPwhich is inclusive of cost of materials, equipment, installation charges and equipment required for execution of the job. Above price is inclusive of all taxes & duties including excise duty, sales tax, works contract tax, income tax, etc. in respect of this contract.

However, interim payment will be made as per the site measurements on Item Rate basis and certification of the Consultant:

3) Completion Period:

Time is the essence of the Contract. The work is to be completed in all respects within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the Work Order /letter of intent by the Tenderer or as agreed between the Employer and Tenderer on a date for handing over of site, whichever is later. If the Tenderer fails to complete the job within the agreed time period the Tenderer will have to bear liquidated damages as per the relevant clause mentioned in the Tender Documents.

4) Inspection of Site:

The Tenderer has inspected the site before submitting his tender and has satisfied himself as to the nature of the work to be executed on the site. Any difficulties which the Tenderer may come across in the course of the work shall in no way entitle the Tenderer to claim or receive extra payment unless the Employer is of the opinion that such difficulties could not have been foreseen and the Employer consents in writing.

5) Supply of Material and Labour:

The Tenderer shall arrange all labour, materials, equipments, and everything necessary for the completion of the work. The Tenderer will assume all responsibility for the safety, protection and accounting of all material and equipment and the work during construction. All materials used by the Tenderer shall be of the best quality conforming to the required specification mentioned in the tender document and will be subject to the approval of the Consultant / Employer. All such materials not approved by Consultant / Employer shall be removed at once by the Tenderer at his own expense. The Tenderer shall also at his own expense arrange for carrying out any test of materials which the Consultant / Employer may from time to time require.

6) Defective Work / Materials:

If any part of the work done by the Tenderer is found defective in workmanship or if bad or inferior materials have been used the Tenderer shall at his own risk and cost demolish all such defective work and rebuild the same and / or replace the bad or inferior materials used within a time frame mentioned to the satisfaction of the 'Consultant / Employer'. The decision of the Employer in this regard shall be final and binding on the Tenderer. In case of default of the Tenderer to remove the defective work and rebuild the same or

replace bad or inferior materials as directed by the Employer, the Employer shall be entitled to employ anyone else to carry out the same at risk and cost of the Tenderer and recover all expenses incurred in this regard from the Tenderer.

7) Inspection of Work:

During progress of the work, the Consultant/ Employer shall be entitled at all times to have access to and inspect the work.

8) Supervision:

The Tenderer shall provide one or more competent and technically qualified Supervisor duly and fully authorized to act on his behalf in all matters relating to the works to be carried out under or any other matter concerning this agreement and who shall at all times be present at the works while any work is in progress as per directions, explanations & instructions of Employer .

9) Compliance with Statutory Regulations & Work Rules:

The Tenderer shall be responsible for complying with the applicable laws / bye laws / Regulations in force from time to time and shall have to bear all statutory liabilities to the workers / personnel engaged for the job. Nothing will be paid extra in this regard. If any amount is paid by the Employer in this regard the same amount shall be deducted from the Tenderer's dues. The Tenderer shall have to arrange insurance cover for the workers / personnel engaged by him for the job.

10) Determination of Contract:

In the event of Tenderer failing to keep / adhere to agreed schedule of work, or in the event of the Tenderer failing to comply with the provisions of this contract by default and / or negligence and / or suspension of work or in the event of Tenderer failing to complete the work within the stipulated period, the Employer may terminate this Agreement forthwith and employ, at the Tenderer's risk and cost, another Tenderer or sufficient number of workmen to complete the work.

11) Force Majeure:

In case any Force Majeure condition herein mentioned occurs and continues for a period exceeding 15 days the parties hereto undertake to sit together and devise ways for expeditious and proper performance of the obligations of the parties under this order. This clause will be operative only if the work is delayed by

- a) Acts of God
- b) Earthquake or floods or similar natural calamities.
- c) Serious loss or damage by fire or lightning.

12) Resolution of Disputes :

Any dispute under this agreement related to the scope of work as detailed in the Tender shall be resolved through arbitration and conciliation.

IN WITNESS whereof the said contracting parties have set their hands and seals on the day and year first hereinabove witness.

Name & Address of Witness

Employer

Name & Address of Witness

Tenderer

6.

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

1. DEFINITIONS / INTERPRETATIONS:

In construing these Conditions and the Specifications, Schedule of Quantities and Contract Agreement, the following words, shall have the meanings herein assigned to them except where the subject or context otherwise requires:

(a) The `Contract' means the documents forming the tender and acceptance thereof and the agreement duly executed between the Employer and the Tenderer, together with the documents referred to therein including those conditions, specifications, schedule of quantities, tender agreement, and instructions issued from time to time by the Employer . All these documents taken together, shall be deemed to form one contract and shall be complementary to one another.

(b) The `Tenderer' shall mean the firm or Company, whether incorporated or not, undertaking the works and shall include the legal heirs/representatives of such individual or the partners composing firm and their legal heirs and successors, or company's authorised and constituted attorneys/agents and permitted assignees of such firm or company.

(c) The `Employer' shall mean `Embassy of India in Bogota' with their Office Address at Calle 116 #7-15, Torre Cusezar, Bogota' and shall include their legal representatives.

(d) Contract Price shall mean the final accepted rates in the Price Bid / Financial Bid hereto.

(e) Date of Contract means the Calendar date on which the Employer and Tenderer have signed the Agreement on the Stamp Paper.

(f) Accepting Authority shall mean the Embassy of India in Bogota (the Employer).

(g) `Approval' wherever used in the specifications or schedule of Quantities shall mean, respectively, approved by or approval of the `Accepting Authority' in writing.

(h) `Appellant Authority' shall mean the Embassy of India in Bogota (the Employer) who shall also be the authority to consider any extension of time or compensation as defined in hereinunder.

(i) `Notice in writing' or `written notice' shall mean a notice in writing, typed or printed characters, delivered to or sent by registered post to the last known address, private or business address, or registered office address, and shall be deemed to have been received when in ordinary course of post it would have been delivered, and/or delivered personally, or otherwise proved to have been received.

(j) **Virtual completion** shall mean that the work is complete in all respects in the opinion of the Employer and for which the completion/clearance certificate has been issued by the Consultant and the Employer is satisfied with the work carried out.

(k) Letter of Acceptance' shall mean an intimation by a letter issued by the Accepting Authority to tenderer that his tender has been accepted in accordance with the provisions in the said letter.

(l) "Schedule of quantities" shall mean the schedule of quantities as specified and forming part of this contract.

(m) "Priced Schedule of Quantities" shall mean the schedule of quantities duly priced with the accepted quoted rates of the tenderer.

(n) "The work" shall mean the work or works to be executed or done under this contract.

(o) "Law of Insolvency" shall mean any law defined by the Colombian Law or any amending statute thereof.

2.SCOPE OF WORKS TO BE CARRIED OUT: Exterior and interior painting of the building located at CALLE 111 NO. 3A-70 SANTA ANA ORIENTAL, BOGOTA as well as painting of the exteriors of the other ancillary structures such as gates, doors, windows, balconies, security guard room and other room, parapet walls of the terrace above 2nd floor as well as both inner and outer sides of the compound wall, and including grills wherever fitted with choice of colours and shades as approved by the Employer . **The work should be carried out in accordance with the "schedule of quantities"**. It includes providing all the materials, labour, scaffolding transport, machinery, equipment and management necessary for and incidental to the completion of the work. All work during its progress and upon completion shall conform to the specifications as given in this Tender. Should any detail essential for efficient completion of the work be omitted from this Tender and specifications it shall be the responsibility of the Tenderer to inform the employer and obtain necessary clarification so that upon completion of the work the same will be acceptable to the Employer.

If there are varying or conflicting provisions made in any one or more document(s) forming part of the contract, the Accepting Authority shall be the deciding authority with regard to the intention of the document and his decision shall be final and binding on tenderer.

Any error in description or quantity or rate in Schedule of Quantities or any omission therefrom shall not vitiate the Contract or release the Tenderer from the execution of the whole or any part of the works comprised therein according to drawings and specifications or from any of his obligations under the Contract.

Employer may in their absolute discretion issue further written instructions, details, directions & explanations which are, hereafter collectively referred to as " The employer's instructions" in regard to:

- a) The variation or modification of the design quality or quantity of works or the addition or omission or substitution of any work.
- b) The removal from the site of any defective material brought thereon by the Tenderer and substitution of any other material thereof.
- c) The demolition, removal and re-execution of any work executed by the tenderer/s.
- d) The dismissal from the work of any persons employed thereupon.
- e) The opening up for inspection of any work covered up.
- f) The rectification and making good of any defects under clauses hereinafter mentioned and those arising during the guarantee period.

The Tenderer shall forthwith comply with and duly execute any work comprised in such Employer's instructions, provided always that verbal instructions, directions and explanations given to the Tenderer or his representative upon the works by the employer or his agent shall, if involving a variation, be confirmed in writing to the Tenderer within seven days. No works for which rates are not specifically mentioned in the priced schedule of quantities, shall be taken up without written permission of the employer or his agent. Rates of items not mentioned in the priced schedule of quantities shall be fixed by the employer as provided in clause "variation".

Materials of approved makes as prescribed in tender shall only be used and also colours to be used as advised by and as approved by the employer.

3. TENDERER SHALL VISIT THE SITE: The tenderers are advised to have a free inspection of the site before tendering and thoroughly acquaint themselves with the local site conditions, nature and requirements of the works, facilities of transport conditions, effective labor and materials, access and storage for materials and removal of rubbish. Tenderer shall provide in their tender for cost of carriage, freight and other charges as for any special difficulties and including the police restriction for transport etc., so as to ensure proper execution of works as indicated in the drawings. The successful tenderer will not be entitled to any claim of compensation for difficulties faced or losses incurred on account of any site condition which existed before the commencement of the work or which in the opinion of the Employer might be deemed to have reasonably been inferred to be so existing before the commencement of work.

4. ADHERENCE TO SPECIFICATIONS : The Work shall be carried out to the entire satisfaction of the Employer and in accordance with the specifications, including the Schedule of Quantities and other Contract documents and such further details as may be provided by the Employer and in accordance with such written instructions, directions and explanations as may from time to time be given by the Employer . No claim for payment for extra work shall be allowed under any circumstances.

5. SCHEDULE OF QUANTITIES : The Schedule of the Quantities unless otherwise stated shall be deemed to have been prepared in accordance with the standard procedure of quantity measurement, and shall be considered to be approximate and no liability shall attach to the Employer for any error that may be discovered therein.

6. SUFFICIENCY OF SCHEDULE OF QUANTITIES : The Tenderer shall be deemed to have satisfied himself before tendering as to the correctness and sufficiency of his tender for the works and of the prices stated in the Schedule of Quantities. The Tenderer's Rates and Prices shall cover all his obligations under the Contract, and all matters and things necessary for the proper completion of the works.

7. ERRORS IN SCHEDULE OF QUANTITIES : Should any error appear in the Schedule of Quantities, other than in the Tenderer's prices and calculations, it shall be rectified, and such rectification shall not vitiate the Contract but shall constitute a variation of the Contract and shall be dealt with as an authorized extra or deduction.

8. TENDERS: The entire set of tender paper issued to the tenderer should be submitted fully priced and also signed on the last page together with initials on every page. Initials/signature will indicate the acceptance of the tender papers by the tenderer (Also see General Rules and instructions for the guidance of Tenderer).

The schedule of quantities shall be filled as follows

- a) The "Rate" column to be legibly filled in ink in both English figures and English words.
- b) Amount column to be filled in for each item and the amount for each subhead as detailed in the schedule of quantities.
- c) All corrections to be initialed.
- d) The "Rate" column for alternative items shall be filled up.
- e) The "Amount" column for alternative items of which the quantities are not mentioned shall not be filled up.
- f) In case of any errors/omissions in the quoted rates, the rates given in the tender marked "Original" shall be taken as correct Rates.

No modifications, writings or corrections can be made in the tender papers by the tenderer, but he may at his option offer his comment modifications in a separate sheet of paper attached to original tender papers.

The employer reserves the right to reject the lowest or any tender and also to discharge any or all of the tenders for each section or to split up and distribute any item of work to any specialist firm or firms, without assigning any reason.

The tenderer should note that the tender is strictly on item rate basis and their attention is drawn to the fact that the rates for each and every item should be correct, workable and self-supporting. If called upon by the Employer, detailed analysis of any or all the rates shall be submitted. The Employer shall not be bound to recognize or accept the Tenderer's analysis.

The works will be paid for as "measured work" on the basis of actual work done and not as "lump-sum" contract, unless otherwise specified.

All items of work described in the schedule of quantities are to be deemed and paid as complete works in all respects and details including preparatory and finishing works involved, directly related to and reasonably detectable from the specifications and schedule of quantities and no further extra charges will be allowed in this connection.

The Employer reserves the right to add to, or omit from, any work as described in the specifications or included in schedule of quantities and intimate the same in writing but no addition, omission or variation shall be made by the tenderer without authorization from the Employer. Any unauthorized variation made by the Tenderer shall vitiate the contract.

The tenderer shall note that his tender shall remain open for consideration for a period of **30 days** from the date of opening of the price bid of the tender.

9. AGREEMENT: The successful tenderer, shall be required to sign the contract agreement, the proforma of which is enclosed and shall pay for all stamps and legal expenses, incidental thereto.

10. GOVERNMENT AND LOCAL RULES: The tenderer shall conform to the provisions of all local bye-laws and acts relating to the work and to the regulations etc. of the Government and Local Authorities. The tenderer shall get necessary approvals, if any, required from the competent authority at their own cost for carrying out the work.

11. TAXES AND DUTIES: The tenderer must include in their quoted tender prices all duties, cess and sales tax, value added tax or any other taxes and/or local charges if applicable. No extra claim on this account will be entertained.

The tenderer shall keep necessary books of accounts and other documents for the purpose of this condition as may be necessary and shall allow inspection of the same by a duly authorised representative of the Employer and further shall furnish such other information / document as the Employer may require from time to time.

12. QUANTITY OF WORK TO BE EXECUTED: The quantities shown in the schedule of quantities are intended to cover the entire works as per the scope of work, and therefore the Tenderer is bound to complete the works at the same quoted rates in the event of quantity exceeding the estimated quantity, but the Employer reserves the right to execute only a part of the whole or any excess thereof without assigning any reason whatsoever.

13. OTHER PERSONS OR AGENCIES ENGAGED BY THE EMPLOYER: The Employer reserves the right to execute any part of the work included in this contract by other agency or persons and Tenderer shall allow reasonable facilities and use of his facilities for the execution of such work. The Tenderer shall extend all co-operation in this regard.

14. TENDERER TO PROVIDE EVERYTHING NECESSARY: The Tenderer shall provide everything necessary for the proper execution of the work according to the intent and meaning of the scope of work, technical specifications, and schedule of quantities taken together whether the same may or may not be particularly shown or described therein, provided that the same can be reasonably inferred therefrom, and if the Tenderer finds any discrepancies therein, he shall immediately and in writing, refer the same to the employer whose decision shall be final and binding.

The rates quoted against individual items will be inclusive of everything necessary to complete the said items of work within the contemplation of contract, and beyond the unit price no extra payment will be allowed for incidental or contingent work, labor and/or materials inclusive of all taxes and duties whatsoever except for specific items, if any, stipulated in the tender documents.

The Tenderer shall supply, fix and maintain at his own cost, for the execution of the work, all tools, tackles, machineries and equipments and other required facilities for execution of work including the safety aspects.

The Employer on no account shall be responsible for storage of materials or loss or pilferage or theft either in respect of the material stored or material already built and paid for by the Employer.

The Tenderer shall at all times give access to workers employed by the Employer.

Any facilities available at site shall be utilized only with prior permission of the Employer or the in-charge of the site / building Employer and cannot be taken as granted and for such services utilized the Employer is entitled to charge. No extra charges shall be paid over and above what has been quoted for any of the above or for similar such services.

15. TIME OF COMPLETION, EXTENSION OF TIME & PROGRESS CHART ::

- i). **Time of Completion** : The entire work is to be completed in all respects within stipulated period of 60 days (including time for obtaining approval from any local authorities) . The work shall be deemed to be commenced immediately from the date of acceptance letter or date of handing over site whichever is later. Time is the essence of the contract and this shall be strictly observed by the Tenderer .

The work shall not be considered as complete until the Employer have certified in writing that the work has been virtually completed and the guarantee period shall commence from the date of such certificate.

- ii). **Extension of Time** : If in the opinion of the Employer **a)** by reason of any exceptionally inclement weather, or **b)** by reason of instructions from the employer in consequence of proceedings taken or threatened by or disputes with adjoining or neighbouring occupants or **c)** by the works, or delay, of other Tenderers or tradesmen engaged or nominated by the employer and not referred to in the specification or **d)** by reason of authorized extras and additions or **e)** by reason of any combination of workmen or strikes or lockout affecting any of the building trades or **f)** from other causes which the employer may consider being beyond control of the Tenderer, the employer at the completion of the time allowed for the contract shall make fair and reasonable extension of time for completion in respect thereof. In the event of employer failing to give possession of site upon the day specified hereinabove, the time of completion shall be extended suitably.

In case of such strikes or lock-outs, as are referred to above, the Tenderer shall immediately give the employer written notice thereof. Nevertheless the Tenderer shall use his best endeavors to prevent delay and shall do all that may be reasonably required to the satisfaction of the employer to proceed with the works and on his doing so, this would constitute a valid ground of consideration by the employer for an extension of time as has been provided above.

The decision of the Employer as to the period to be allowed for an extension of time for completion hereunder (which decision shall be final and binding on the Tenderer) shall be promulgated on completion of the work or at the conclusion of such events based on which the extension of time was sought by the Tenderer, and the Employer shall then, in the event of an extension being granted, determine and declare the final completion date. The provision in clause 17 with respect to payment of liquidated damages shall in such case, be read and construed as if the extended date fixed by the employer were substituted for and the damage shall be deducted accordingly.

- iii). **Progress of Work** : During the period of work, the Tenderer shall maintain proportionate progress on the basis of a **program chart submitted by the Tenderer before the commencement of work**. Tenderer should also include planning for procurement of scarce materials well in advance and reflect the same in a program chart so that there is no delay on the part of the Tenderer in completion of the project.

16. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES : Time is the essence of the contract. Hence the Tenderer shall be aware that non-completion of the work will affect the Employer's committed programs and thus the loss by way of delayed services / completion of related works etc, are valuable and cannot be easily quantified. Hence if the work is not completed as per the

contract terms or to the satisfaction of the employer within the stipulated period, the Tenderer shall be bound to pay to the employer a sum of amount calculated **at 0.5% of the contract sum per week of delay** by way of liquidated damages. Therefore the Tenderer is required to maintain progress in strict adherence to the Program chart, so as to complete the work within the stipulated period.

17. TOOLS, STORAGE OF MATERIALS, PROTECTIVE WORKS AND SITE OFFICE REQUIREMENTS:: The Tenderer shall provide, fix up and maintain his establishment in an approved position at site and clear away all debris and waste materials on completion of the works and make good all works disturbed.

The Tenderer shall not fix or place any advertisement of any description or permit the same to be fixed or placed in or upon any hoarding, gantry, building structure other than those approved by the Employer.

Tools: Theodolite, prismatic compass, steel tape, threads, brushes, spray-painting equipment, and all other tools, equipment, and instruments found necessary on the works shall be provided by the Tenderer for the due performance of the contract as instructed by the employer.

All suitable scaffolding, ladders and stools that may be required for safe taking of the measurements shall be supplied by the Tenderer.

Storage of materials : It shall be the responsibility of the Tenderer to provide and maintain proper enclosures for the storage and adequate protection of materials and tools at the space allocated for the purpose including their watch & ward arrangements. Any materials taken out of the premises shall get the “gate pass” from the employer.

Protective Measures : The Tenderer shall make suitable arrangements for watching and protecting the works and materials. The Tenderer shall indemnify the employer against any possible damage to the building , roads and members of public in course of the execution of the work.

The Tenderer shall make suitable provisions for all the above and reasonable facilities for the use of his scaffolding, tools and plant etc., or their work, while quoting their rates.

18. NOTICE AND PATENTS OF APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY AND EMPLOYERS:

The Tenderer shall conform to the provisions of any laws relating to the work, and to the regulations and bye-laws of any authorities and / or Statutory Authorities, with whose system and design or technical knowhow are/were proposed to have connection with this work.

So also the Tenderer shall before making any variations from the specifications that may be associated to so conform, give the Employer written notices specifying the variations proposed to be made and the reasons for making them and apply for instruction thereon. The Employer on receipt of such intimation, shall give a decision within a reasonable time.

The Tenderer shall arrange to give all notices required for by the said Acts, regulations or Bye-laws to be given to any authority, and to pay to such authority or to any public officer all fees that may be properly chargeable in respect of the work and lodge the receipts with

the Employer.

The Tenderer shall indemnify the Employer against all claims in respect of damages to buildings, roads, or to members of public in the course of execution of work and shall defend all actions arising from such claims and shall keep the Employer saved and harmless and indemnified in all respects from such actions, cost and expenses.

- 19. CLEARING SITE AND SETTING OUT WORKS :** The site shall be cleared of all obstructions, waste materials, and rubbish of all kinds. All material damages at the site like on the walls, ceiling or flooring or on any other connected place/ equipments, materials or installations shall be re-done to maintain originality and shall be carried out at Tenderer's own cost.

The Tenderer shall set out the works and shall be responsible for the true and perfect execution of the works and for the correctness and adherence to specifications of the work executed. If at any time, any error shall appear during the progress of any part of the work, the Tenderer shall at his own expenses rectify such error, if called upon to the satisfaction of the Employer. No extra expenditure on this account will be entertained.

- 20. TENDERER IMMEDIATELY TO REMOVE ALL OFFENSIVE MATTERS:** All waste materials and other matters of any offensive nature shall be taken out once the works are completed. The Tenderer shall keep the site free from dangerous materials like industrial gases, welding machines and any such devices or material of toxic and poisonous nature & shall not carry within the site or building any materials which are explosive in nature. Any such offensive materials which are essentially required in course of work shall be undertaken with due written permission of the Employer provided such materials are permissible under Colombian Law.

- 21. ACCESS :** Any authorized representatives of the Employer shall at all reasonable times have free access to any place where materials are lying, or from where they are being obtained, and the Tenderer shall extend necessary facility to the Employer or their representatives for inspection, examination, and testing of the materials and workmanship.

Except the representatives of the Employer and the authorised list of workers of the tenderer at the work site, no person shall be allowed at any time without the authorisation of the Employer.

The work shall be offered for inspection at every stage of the work and more specifically before application of primer, first coat of paint, and second coat of paint and construction of framework of ceiling of security guard room and application of waterproofing paint on the roof top of the main building.

- 22. MATERIALS, WORKMANSHIP, SAMPLES, TESTING OF MATERIALS :** All the works specified and provided for in the specifications or which may be required to be done in order to perform and complete any part thereof shall be executed in the best and most workmanlike manner with materials of the best and approved quality of the respective brands in accordance with the particulars contained in and implied by the specifications and according to such other additional particulars, and instructions as may from time to time be given by the Employer during the execution of the work, and to their entire satisfaction.

All materials required for the full performance of the work under the contract must be

provided through proper channels and must include duties, taxes, and other charges if any and must be best of their kind available and the Tenderer must be entirely responsible for proper and efficient carrying out of the works. Samples of all the materials proposed to be used must be submitted / displayed to the Employer when so directed by the Employer or Consultant.

Should the work be suspended for any reason, the Tenderer shall take all precautions necessary for the protection of work at his own expenses and shall make good any damages arising from any cause.

23. REMOVAL OF IMPROPER WORK : The Employer shall during the progress of the work have power to order in writing from time to time the removal, from the work site within such reasonable time as may be specified in the order, of any materials which in the opinion of the Employer are not in accordance with specification or instructions, or the substitution or proper re-execution of any work executed with materials or workmanship not in accordance with specifications or instructions.

In case the Tenderer refuses to comply with the order the Employer shall have the power to employ and pay other agencies to carry out the work and all expenses consequent thereon or incidental thereto as certified by the Employer shall be borne by the Tenderer or may be deducted from any money due to or that may become due to the Tenderer .

No certificate which may be given by the Consultants / Employer shall relieve the Tenderer from his liability in respect of unsound work or bad materials.

24. SAFETY PRECAUTIONS: The Tenderer shall follow all necessary safety precautions with respect to the work. All necessary safety equipments / gadgets shall be used by the workmen. The Tenderer shall comply and ensure the enforcement of rules and regulations relating to the safety precautions. The arrangements be made by the Tenderer shall be open for inspection by any statutory authorities. Special care shall be taken by providing suitable covers, tarpaulins etc. to prevent dust nuisance and for protecting furniture and costly equipment from stains. The work shall be carried out without any inconvenience to the occupants, the rates quoted shall include covering of furniture and for handling and re-arranging the furniture etc. and any damage to property caused by the Contractor shall be made good by the Contractor at his cost. **The contractor has to wash and clean the floors after his work in the area that has been completed.**

25. TENDERER'S EMPLOYEES: The Tenderer shall employ technically qualified and competent supervisors for the work who shall be available by turn throughout the work and shall participate during site meetings and be available to take and comply with instructions of the Employer. The Tenderer shall employ in connection with the work persons having the appropriate skill or ability to perform their job efficiently. Any laborers supplied by the Tenderer to be engaged on the work on day work basis either wholly or partly under the direct order or control of the Employer or his representative shall be deemed to be a person employed by the Tenderer .

The Tenderer shall keep the Employer indemnified against any or all claims of any of the workmen employed by him, and all costs and expenses as may be incurred by the employer in connection with any claim that may be made by any workmen.

The Tenderer shall make arrangements to provide first-aid treatment to the labourers

engaged on the site. He shall within 24 hours of the occurrence of any accident at or about the site or in connection with execution of the works, report such accident to the Employer and also to the concerned authorities where such report is required by law.

The Tenderer shall indemnify and keep indemnified the Employer against payments to be made under and for the observance of the laws aforesaid and the Tenderers' Labor Regulations. The laws aforesaid shall be deemed to be a part of this contract and any breach thereof shall be deemed to be a breach of this contract.

A list of employees to be deployed by the Tenderer at the working site and their identity documents and details (Cedula De Ciudadano) must be shared with the Employer for authorisation prior to the commencement of work and any addition of employee by tenderer must be informed prior to his or her deployment at the work site and details such as name and identity documents must be shared with the Employer prior to deployment. Except the representatives of the Employer and the authorised list of workers of the tenderer at the work site, no person shall be allowed at any time without the authorisation of the Employer.

For safety protocol, all employees deployed must have and submit to the Employer a vaccine certificate and negative PCR Certificate prior to deployment. No employee will be permitted entry without the vaccine and negative PCR certificate.

Compliance of Labour Regulations: The Tenderer shall at his own expense arrange for all the safety provisions for the safety of all workers and employees directly or indirectly employed on the work by the Tenderer.

The Tenderer shall be fully responsible for compliance of all the labor regulations and rules to be observed by him. The Tenderer shall fully indemnify the Employer against any action by the state for any default or alleged default by the Tenderer or sub-Tenderer of any of such rules and regulations. If, due to any default of the Tenderer or his sub-Tenderers, the Employer has to incur any expenditure for compliance of the rules and regulations or for any other reason connected with such default, the Employer shall be entitled to recover from the Tenderer all such expenditure in full from any payment due to the Tenderer.

26. DISMISSAL OF WORKMEN: The Tenderer shall on request of the Employer immediately dismiss from works any person employed thereon by him, who may in the opinion of the Employer be unsuitable or incompetent or who may behave in an undisciplined manner. Such discharge shall not be the basis of any claim for compensation or damages against the Employer or any of their officers or employees.

27. ASSIGNMENT :: The whole of the works included in the contract shall be executed by the Tenderer and the Tenderer shall not directly or indirectly transfer, assign or sublet the contract or any part of it, or share or interest therein, to any other party **without the written permission of the Employer**. Any such subletting, even with the written permission of the Employer, shall not relieve the Tenderer from the full and entire responsibility of the contract or from active superintendence of the work during its progress.

28. INJURY TO PERSONS AND DAMAGE TO PROPERTY – INSURANCE: The Tenderer while executing the work under this Contract, shall be responsible for any and all injuries to any persons, animals or things and for all damages to the structural and/or decorative part of property which may arise from the operations or neglect of himself or his employees, whether such injury or damage arise from carelessness, accident or any other

cause whatsoever.

The clause shall be held to include inter alia, any damages to buildings whether immediately adjacent or otherwise, and any damage to roads, streets, footpaths or ways as well as damages caused to the buildings and the works forming the subject of this contract by rain, wind or other inclemency of the weather.

The Tenderer shall indemnify the employer and hold harmless in respect of all and any expenses arising from such injury or damages to persons or property as aforesaid and also in respect of any claim made in respect of injury or damage under any acts of compensation or damages consequent upon such claim.

The Tenderer shall reinstate and rectify all damage of every sort mentioned in this clause, so as to deliver the whole of the contract works complete and perfect in every respect and so as to make good or otherwise satisfy all claims for damages to the property of third parties.

The Tenderer shall take out all the insurance necessary as detailed elsewhere in this document, and indemnify the employer entirely from all responsibility in this respect. The insurance must be placed with a company approved by the employer and must be effected jointly in the name of the Tenderer and the employer and the policy lodged with the latter. The scope of insurance is to include loss or damage to the work and workmen due to carelessness, accident including fire, earthquake, floods, etc., damage or loss to the contract itself till this is made over in a complete state. Insurance is compulsory and must be effected from inception stage. The Tenderer shall also be responsible for anything which may be excluded from damage to any property arising out of incidents, negligence or defective execution of this contract.

The employer shall be at liberty and is hereby empowered to deduct the amount of any damages, compensations, costs, charges and expenses arising or occurring from or in respect of any such claim or damages from any sums due or to become due to the Tenderer .

29. ACCOUNTS RECEIPTS & VOUCHERS : The Tenderer shall, upon the request of the Employer furnish them with all the invoices, accounts, receipts and other vouchers that they may require in connection with the works under this contract. If the Tenderer shall use materials less than what is required under the contract, the value of the difference in the quantity of the materials that was required to be used and that actually used shall be deducted from his dues. The decision of the Employer shall be final and binding on the Tenderer as to the amount of materials the Tenderer is required to use for any work under this contract.

30. MEASUREMENT: Measurements of completed works shall be as per Standards code of measurement in the territory of Colombia & its relevant parts.

Before taking up the measurement of any work, the Employer shall give reasonable notice to the Tenderer. If the Tenderer fails to attend at the measurements after such notice or fails to countersign or to record the difference within a week from the date of measurement in the manner required by the Employer then in such event, the measurements taken by the Employer or by the person deputed by them shall be final and binding on the Tenderer and the Tenderer shall have no right to dispute the same.

The measurements particularly those which are in areas difficult to access shall be jointly taken and recorded and such statement of measurement shall be enclosed along the bill or running bills.

The works will be paid for as "measured work" on item-rate basis i.e. on actual work done. All items of work described in the schedule of quantities are to be deemed and paid for as complete works in all respects, and details including preparatory and finishing works involved, directly related to and reasonably detectable from the drawings, specifications and schedule of quantities, and no further extra charges will be allowed in this connection. The work shall be strictly according to the given specifications. The payment will be restricted to the given dimensions and no payment will be made due to increase in thickness/depth/width.

31. PAYMENTS: All bills shall be prepared by the Tenderer in the form agreed or furnished by the Employer based on the accepted measurements. All bills shall be in proper form and must be duly accompanied by detailed measurements in support of the quantities of the work done and must show deductions for all previous payments.

The Employer shall issue a certificate after due scrutiny of the Tenderer's bill stating the amount due to the Tenderer from the Employer and the Tenderer shall be entitled to payment thereof, within 21 days from the date of the receipt of the recommendations of the consultant on the interim bill. In case of delay due to some reasons in the processing of such bills for payment, an adhoc advance of 75% of the billed amount may be paid on the request of the Tenderer for the smooth progress of the work.

All interim payments accepted by the Tenderer shall be regarded as payments by way of advances against final payment only. These shall not preclude requiring of bad, unsound and imperfect or unskilled work to be rejected, removed, taken away and reconstructed or re-erected, or be considered as an admission of the due performance of the contract or any part thereof in any respect, or approving of any claim, nor shall conclude, determine or affect in any way the power of the employer under these conditions for any of them as to the final settlement and adjustment of the accounts or otherwise or in any other way vary or affect the contract.

All payments are subject to statutory deductions of tax or any other statutory deductions as notified by the state of Colombia and any such instructions conveyed from time to time.

The final bill shall be submitted by the Tenderer within 1 (one) month from the date of completion of work or from the date of certification of virtual completion certified by the employer. No further claims shall be made by the Tenderer after submission of the final bill.

Payments of final bill shall be made as specified in above clauses of these conditions, which sum shall be refunded after the completion of the Defects Liability Period after receiving the Employer certificate that the Tenderer has rectified all defects to the satisfaction of the Employer. The acceptance of payment of the final bill by the Tenderer would indicate that he will have no further claim in respect of the work executed.

32. VARIATION / DEVIATION : The Employer shall have power to make alteration in, omissions from, additions to or substitutions in the original specifications and instructions, that may appear to him to be necessary or advisable during the progress of the work, and the Tenderer shall be bound to carry out the works in accordance with any instructions given to him in writing signed by the employer. Such alterations, omissions, additions or substitution shall form part of the contract as if originally provided therein and any altered, additional or substituted work which the Tenderer may be directed to do in the manner specified above as part of the works, shall be carried out by the Tenderer on the same conditions in all respects including price on which he agreed to do the main work except as hereafter provided.

- (a) No work which radically changes the original nature of the contract shall be ordered by the employer as a deviation.
- (b) The price of all such additional items / non tendered items will be worked out on the basis of rates quoted for similar items in the contract wherever existing or on engineering rate analysis based on prevalent fair price of labour, material and other components as required.

The tendered rates, shall hold good for any increase or decrease in the tendered quantities up to variation of 25% and as stipulated elsewhere for legitimate completion of works as per original design or scope of work and on account of any modification or alteration suggested and where the variation for the respective item is beyond 25%, the rate for the respective item may be reviewed on mutually agreed terms.

In the event of any deviation being ordered which in the opinion of the Tenderer changes the original nature of the Contract, he shall within fifteen days of having been so ordered, bring this to the notice of the Employer setting out the reasons in detail, but nevertheless carry it out and in case of any disagreement as to the nature of work and the rate to be paid therefore shall be referred to the Consultant, and his decision shall be final and binding on the Tenderer.

33. SUBSTITUTION: Should the Tenderer desire to substitute any materials and/or workmanship, he must obtain the approval of the Employer in writing for any such substitution well in advance. In respect of Materials whose makes are not specified in the tender, specific approval of the Employer has to be obtained in writing before their usage.

34. PREPARATORY WORK FOR UTILIZATION OF THE FACILITY AFTER COMPLETION: The whole of the work shall be thoroughly inspected by the Tenderer before commencement of the work, and deficiencies & defects, if any shall be brought to the notice of the Employer who shall arrange for rectification of such defects. On completion of such inspection, the Tenderer shall inform the Employer that they have completed the work and it is ready for inspection.

35. CLEARING SITE ON COMPLETION :: On completion of the works the Tenderer shall clear away and remove from the site all construction materials, plant & equipments, tools, surplus materials, scraps, rubbish, debris, and temporary works of every kind and leave the whole of the site and the works clean and ready for immediate usage to the satisfaction of the Employer.

36. GUARANTEE PERIOD: The completed work should be guaranteed against faulty materials and workmanship for a period of 12 months from the date of handing over of the system to the Employer.

The Tenderer shall make good at his own cost and to the satisfaction of the Employer all defects, or other faults which may appear within **12 months** after completion of the work (guarantee period). In default, the Employer may employ and pay other agency or persons to amend and make good such damages, losses and expenses consequent thereon or incidental thereto and such expenses shall be made good and borne by the Tenderer and such damages, loss and expenses shall be recoverable from the payment due to the Tenderer and in the event of amount retained being insufficient, recover the balance from the Tenderer from the amount retained together with any expenses the Employer may have incurred in connection therewith.

37. ESCALATION :: The rate quoted shall be firm throughout the tenure of the contract (including extension of time, if any granted) and will not be subject to any fluctuation due to increase in cost of materials, labor, taxes or for any other reason.

38. IDLE LABOUR:: Whatever the reasons may be, no claim for idle labor, additional establishment, cost of hire and labor charges of tools and plants would be entertained under any circumstances.

39. SUSPENSION OF WORKS :: If the Tenderer except on account of any legal restraint upon the Employer preventing the continuance of the work or in the opinion of the Employer shall neglect or fail to proceed with due diligence in the performance of his part of the contract or if he shall more than once default in performing his obligations under this Contract, the Employer shall have the power to give notice in writing to the Tenderer requiring the work to be proceeded with, in a reasonable manner and with reasonable dispatch, and such notice shall purport to be a notice under this clause.

After such notice shall have been given the Tenderer shall not be at liberty to remove from the site of the works or from any ground contiguous thereto, any materials or machinery. If the Tenderer fails to start the work within seven days after such notice has been given to proceed with the works, the Employer may proceed as provided in **clause 43** (Termination of Contract by Employer).

40. TERMINATION OF CONTRACT BY EMPLOYER :: If the Tenderer being a company goes into liquidation whether voluntary or compulsory, or being a firm shall be dissolved, or being an individual shall be adjudicated insolvent or shall make an assignment or a composition for the benefit of the greater part in number of amount of his creditors, or shall enter into a Deed or arrangement with his creditors, or if the Official Assignee in insolvency, or the Receiver of the Tenderer in insolvency, shall repudiate the contract, or if a Receiver of the Tenderer's firm appointed by the court shall be unable, within fourteen days after notice to him requiring him to do so, to show to the reasonable satisfaction of the employer that he is able to carry out and fulfill the contract, and if so required by the employer to give reasonable security therefore, or if the Tenderer shall suffer execution to be issued, or shall suffer any payment under this contract to be attached by or on behalf of and of the creditors of the Tenderer, or shall assign, charge or encumber this contract or any payments due or which may become due to the Tenderer, thereunder, or shall neglect or fail to observe and perform all or any of the acts matters of things by this contract, to be observed and performed by the Tenderer within

three clear days after the notice shall have been given to the Tenderer in manner hereinafter mentioned requiring the Tenderer to observe or perform the same, or shall use improper materials or workmanship in carrying out the works, or shall in the opinion of the employer not exercise such due diligence and make such due progress as would enable the work to be completed within due time agreed upon, and shall fail to proceed to the satisfaction of the employer after three clear days notice requiring the Tenderer to do so shall have been given by the Employer, or shall abandon the contract, then and in any of the said cases, the Employer may notwithstanding any previous waiver determine the contract by a notice in writing to the effect as hereinafter mentioned, but without thereby effecting the powers of the employer of the obligations and liabilities of the Tenderer the whole of which shall continue in force as fully as if the contract, had not been so determined and as if the works subsequently executed had been executed by or on behalf of the Tenderer (without thereby creating any trust in favour of the Tenderer). Further the employer or his agent, or servants, may enter upon and take possession of the work and all plants, tools, scaffolding, sheds, machinery, steam and other power, utensils and materials lying upon premises or the adjoining lands or roads and sell the same as his own property or may employ the same by means of his own servants and workmen in carrying on and completing the works or by employing any other Tenderers or other persons or person to complete the works, and the Tenderer shall not in any way interrupt or do any act, matter of thing to prevent or hinder such other Tenderers or other persons or person employed from completing and finishing or using the materials and plants for the works when the works shall be completed, or as soon thereafter as conveniently may be, the employer shall give notice in writing to the Tenderer to remove his surplus materials and plants and should the Tenderer fail to do so within a period of 14 days after receipt by him the employer may sell the same by Public Auction and shall give credit to the Tenderer for the amount so realized. Any expenses or losses incurred by the employer in getting the works carried out by other Tenderers shall be adjusted against the amount payable to the Tenderer by way of selling his tools and plants or due on account of work carried out by the Tenderer prior to engaging other Tenderers or against the Security Deposit.

- 41. SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES :** Any dispute between the Tenderer and the Employer, shall be referred to the Institutions of Arbitrations and/or Courts of judicature at Bogota, who shall have exclusive jurisdiction over the same.
- 42. CO -ORDINATION OF WORKS:** The Tenderer shall execute the works in co-ordination with the other agencies who may be employed at the site. The work site shall be neatly cleaned as and when necessary so that the works of other agencies can be carried out. Failure on part of the Tenderer to clean the work site will empower the employer to engage other agencies and recover the cost from the Tenderer.
- 43. ELECTRICAL POWER, WATER AND TOILET FACILITIES:** The Employer shall provide electricity at fixed points, but the Tenderer has to make his own arrangements for extending the electrical power to the actual site of work. The Tenderer shall engage a licensed electrician to carry out and maintain his electrical system. The work shall not be stopped on account of power failure.

Adequate water supply is available at site and would be provided by the Employer.

Common toilet facility is available at the work site. A portion of the same can be used by the tenderer and they shall always maintain the same in clean and hygienic condition.

44. **TENDERED VALUE:** The lowest tendered value shall be the total value of all the materials, labour, cost of hire charges for machinery and/or scaffolding, and all necessary expenses incurred for completion of the work under this Tender.
45. **The work should be carried out with full co-ordination / co-operation of occupants in the Office without damaging any permanent structures or furniture belonging to them. If any damage occurs, the cost of same will have to be reimbursed by the Tenderer.**

7.

SAFETY CODE

Scaffolds

- i) Suitable scaffolds shall be provided for workmen for all works that cannot safely be done from the ground, or from solid construction except in the case of short duration work which can be done safely from ladders. When a ladder is used, it shall be of rigid construction made either of good quality wood or steel. The steps shall have a minimum width of 450 mm and maximum rise of 300 mm. suitable hand holds of good quality wood or steel shall be provided and the ladder shall be given an inclination not steeper than $\frac{1}{4}$ to 1 ($\frac{1}{4}$ horizontal and 1 vertical).
- ii) Scaffolding or staging more than 4 m above the ground floor, swung or suspended from an overhead support or erected with stationery support shall have a guard rail properly bolted, braced or otherwise secured, at least 1 m above the floor or platform of such scaffolding or staging and extending along the entire length of the outside and ends thereof with only such openings as may be necessary for the delivery of materials. Such scaffolding or staging shall be so fastened as to prevent it from swaying from the building or structure.
- iii) Working platforms, gangways and stairways shall be so constructed that they do not sag unduly or unequally and if the height of the platform, gangway or stairway is more than 4 m above ground level or floor level, they shall be closely boarded and shall have adequate width and be suitably fenced as described in (ii) above.
- iv) Every opening in the floor of a building or in a working platform shall be provided with suitable means to prevent the fall of persons or materials by providing suitable fencing or railing whose minimum height shall be 1 m.

Wherever there are open excavations in ground, they shall be fenced off by suitable railing and danger signals installed at night so as to prevent persons slipping into the excavations.

- v) Safe means of access shall be provided to all working places. Every ladder shall be securely fixed. No portable single ladder shall be over 9 m in length while the width between side rails in rung ladder shall in no case, be less than 260 mm for ladder up to and including 3 m in length. For longer ladders this width shall be increased at least 20 mm for each additional meter of length.
- vi) A sketch of the ladders and scaffolds proposed to be used shall be prepared and approval of a certified Engineer obtained prior to construction.

Other Safety Measures

- vii) All personnel of the Tenderer working within the plant site shall be provided with safety helmets, belts etc. All welders shall wear welding goggles while doing welding work and all metal workers shall be provided with safety gloves. Persons employed on metal cutting and grinding shall wear safety glasses.
- viii) Adequate precautions shall be taken to prevent danger from electrical equipment. No materials on any of the sites of work shall be so stacked or placed as to cause danger or inconvenience to any person or the public.

Excavation & Trenching

- ix) All trenches, 1.25 m or more in depth shall at all times be supplied with at least one ladder for each 30 m in length or fraction thereof. The ladder shall be extended from bottoms of the trench to at least 1 m above the surface of the ground. Sides of trenches which are 1.5 metres or more in depth shall be stepped back to give suitable slope or securely held by timber bracing so as to avoid the danger of sides collapsing. The excavated materials shall not be placed within 1.5 m of the edges of the trench or half of the depth of the trench whichever is more. Cutting shall be done from top to bottom. Under no circumstances undermining or undercutting shall be done.
- x) The Tenderer shall take all measures on the site of the work to protect the public from accidents and shall be bound to bear the expenses of defense of every suit, action or other proceedings at law that may be brought by any persons for injury sustained owing to neglect of the above precautions, and to pay any such person or persons with the consent of the Tenderer, the amount necessary to compromise any claim by any such person.

Personal Safety Equipments

- xi) All necessary personal safety equipment as considered adequate by a certified Engineer of the tenderer should be kept available for the use of the person employed on the site and maintained in a condition suitable for immediate use, and the Tenderer should take adequate steps to ensure proper use of equipment by those concerned.
 - a. Workers employed on mixing asphaltic materials, cement and lime mortars shall be provided with protective footwear and protective goggles.
 - b. Those engaged in white washing and mixing or stacking of cement bags or any material which is injurious to the eyes shall be provided with protective goggles.
 - c. Those engaged in welding works shall be provided with welder's protective glasses.
 - d. Stone breakers shall be provided with protective goggles and protective clothing and seated at sufficiently safe intervals.
 - e. When workers are employed in sewers and manholes, which are in use, the Tenderer shall ensure that the manhole covers are opened and are ventilated at least for an hour before the workers are allowed to get into manholes and the manholes so opened shall be cordoned off with suitable railing and provided with warning signals or boards to prevent accidents to the public.
 - f. The Tenderer shall not employ men below the age of 18 years and women on the work of painting with products containing lead or any toxic material in any form. Wherever men above the age of 18 are employed on the work of such painting the following precautions should be taken:
 - i. No paint containing lead or lead products shall be used except in the form of paste or ready made paint. Paints like vinyl and epoxies having toxic fumes should be applied after following all precautions laid down by manufactures.
 - ii. Suitable face masks should be supplied for use by the workers when paint is

applied in the form of spray or a surface having lead paint dry rubbed and scraped.

- iii. Overalls shall be supplied by the Tenderer to the workmen and adequate facilities shall be provided to enable the working painters to wash after the cessation of work.
- xii) When the work is done near any public place where there is risk of drowning, all necessary equipments should be provided and kept ready for use and all necessary steps taken for prompt rescue of any person in danger and adequate provision should be made for prompt first aid treatment of all injuries likely to be sustained during the course of the work.

Hoisting Machines

- xiii) Use of hoisting machines and tackle including their attachments anchorage and supports shall conform to the following standards or conditions:
 - a. These shall be of good mechanical constructions sound material and adequate strength and free from patent defect and shall be kept in good repair and the good working order.

Every rope used in hoisting or lowering materials or as means of suspension shall be of durable quality and adequate strength and free from latent defects.
 - b. Every crane driver or hoisting appliance operator shall be properly qualified and no person under the age of 21 years shall be in-charge of any hoisting machine including any scaffolding winch, or give signals to operator.
 - c. In case of every hoisting machine and of every chain ring hook, shackle shovel and pulley block used in hoisting or as means of suspension the safe working load shall be ascertained by adequate means. Every hoisting machine and all gear referred to above shall be plainly marked with the safe working load. In case of a hoisting machine having a variable safe working load, each safe working load and the conditions under which it is applicable shall be clearly indicated. No part of any machine or any gear referred to above in this paragraph shall be loaded beyond the safe working load except for the purpose of testing.
 - d. In case of departmental machines, the safe working load shall be notified by the certified Engineer of the tenderer. As regards Tenderer's machines, the Tenderer shall notify the safe working load of the machine to the Engineer whenever he brings any machinery to site of work and get it verified by the Engineer concerned.
- xiv) Motors, gearing, transmission, electric wiring and other dangerous parts of hoisting appliances should be provided with efficient safeguards. Hoisting appliances should be provided with such means as will reduce to the minimum the risk of any part of a suspended load becoming accidentally displaced. When workers are employed on electrical installations which are already energized, insulating mats, wearing apparel such as gloves, sleeves, and boots as may be necessary, should be provided. The workers should not wear any rings, watches and carry keys or other materials which are good conductors of electricity.

- xv) All scaffolds, ladders and other safety devices mentioned or described herein shall be maintained in safe condition and no scaffold, ladder or equipment shall be altered or removed while it is in use.

Adequate washing facilities should be provided at or near places of work.

- xvi) These safety provisions should be brought to the notice of all concerned by display on a notice board at a prominent place at work spot. The person responsible for compliance of the safety code shall be named therein by the Tenderer.
- xvii) Notwithstanding the above clause from (i) to (xvii), nothing shall exempt the Tenderer from the purview of any other law in force in the Republic of Colombia.

8. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE GUIDANCE OF TENDERER

1. Canvassing in connection with tenders is strictly prohibited and the tenders submitted by the Tenderers who resort to canvassing will be liable to rejection.
2. All rates shall be quoted on the proper form of the tender alone.
3. An item rate tender containing percentage below / above will be summarily rejected. However, where a tenderer voluntarily offers a rebate for payment within a stipulated period, this may be considered.
4. On acceptance of the tender, the name of the accredited representative(s) of the Tenderer who would be responsible for taking instructions from the Employer shall be communicated to the Employer.
5. Special care should be taken to write the rates in figures as well as in words and the amounts in figures only, in such a way that interpolation is not possible. The total amount should be written both in figures and in words. In case of figures, the words "COP" should be written before the figure of Colombian Pesos and in case of words, the word "Colombian Pesos" should precede it.
6. If required by the Employer, the Tenderer shall furnish a list of his near relatives working in Embassy of India in Bogota, if any, along with their designations and addresses.
7. No employee of the Embassy of India in Bogota is allowed to work as a Tenderer for a minimum period of two years after his retirement from service, without the previous permission of the Company. The contract is liable to be cancelled if either the Tenderer or any of his employees is found at any time to be such a person who had not obtained the permission of the Embassy of India in Bogota as aforesaid before submission of the tender or engagement in the Tenderer's service.
8. The tender for the work shall not be witnessed by a Tenderer or Tenderers who himself / themselves has / have tendered or who may and had / have tendered for the same work. Failure to observe this condition would render tenders of the Tenderers tendering as well as witnessing the tender liable to summary rejection.
9. It will be obligatory on the part of the tenderer to tender and sign tender documents for all the component parts and that, after the work is awarded, he will have to enter into an agreement for each component with the Competent Authority in the Embassy of India in Bogota.
10. ***The tenderer shall submit a blank copy of price bid indicating quoted / not quoted in the relevant column. This is to enable the Employer to verify that the tenderer has quoted against all relevant items.***
11. The acceptance of any tender will rest with the Employer who is not bound to accept the lowest tender, and reserves the right to reject any or all of the tenders received without assigning any reason. All tenders in which any of the prescribed conditions are not fulfilled or are incomplete in any respect are liable to be rejected. The employer reserves

the right to accept the tender in full or in part and the tenderer shall have no claim for revision of rates/other conditions if his tender is accepted in part.

12. All rates shall be quoted on the proper form of the tender alone.
13. Quoted rates and units different from those prescribed in the tender schedule will be liable to be rejected.

An item rate tender containing percentage below / above will be summarily rejected. However, where a tenderer voluntarily offers a rebate for payment within a stipulated period, this may be considered.

All taxes on material or finished work in respect of this contract shall be payable by the tenderer and the Employer will not entertain any claim whatsoever in respect of the same, and nothing extra shall be paid/reimbursed for the same subsequently.

14. Further the tenderer shall agree that until a formal agreement on stamp paper is prepared and signed, this tender shall constitute a binding contract between the tenderer and the Employer.
15. The Employer is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right to accept the whole or part of any tender and the tenderer shall be bound to perform the same at the rate quoted by him.

The prospective Tenderers are advised to inspect and examine the site and its surroundings and satisfy themselves before submitting their tenders as to the nature of the site and dimensions, the means of access to the site, and obtain all necessary information as to risks, contingencies and other circumstances which may influence or affect their tender. The Tenderer shall ensure that the painting shall be carried out as per the existing site conditions. Hence, the tenderers are advised to inspect the site carefully in this regard before quoting for the job.

A tenderer shall be deemed to have full knowledge of the site whether he inspects it or not and no extra charges consequent on any misunderstanding or otherwise shall be allowed. Submission of a tender by a tenderer implies that he has read this notice and all other contract documents and has made himself aware of the scope and specifications of the work to be done and local site conditions and other factors which have a bearing on the execution of the work.

16. All the competitive tenders will be received on the specified date and time. On the same day or on specified date & time in event of any compelling circumstances, the tenders will be opened in the presence of the available tenderers.
17. Both the envelope superscribed as "Technical Bid" and "Price Bid" will be simultaneously accepted, but the envelope superscribed as "Technical Bid" alone will be opened, while the Price Bid shall be maintained in the safe custody of the Employer.
18. After the technical evaluation, and if necessary after discussions with the tenderers, such of those tenders found technically acceptable will be short listed and their envelope containing "Price Bid" shall be opened on a given date and time in presence of the short listed tenderers with prior notice to them. The tenderers are expected to attend the tender opening and their inability in participating will not in any way prevent the employer undertaking

the opening of the bids.

- 19.** The notice inviting tender, general rules & instructions for the guidance of tenderers shall form a part of the contract document. The successful Tenderer, on acceptance of his tender by the Accepting Authority, shall, within 14 days from the stipulated date of start of the work, sign on the contract consisting of:-
 - a) Notice inviting tender, all the documents including tender, drawings if any, forming the tender as issued at the time of invitation of tender and acceptance thereof together with any correspondence leading thereto, General conditions, Schedules leading to Technical Specifications, Special Conditions, Technical Brochures in schedules submitted by the tenderer etc., Price Bid / Schedule of Quantities.
- 20.** The Tenderer shall take any measurement with the Employer's representatives and furnish all particulars and assistance in taking such measurement and calculations.
- 21.** Final payment of the bill of the Tenderer will be made after the necessary completion certificate is issued by the Employer.
- 22.** The rates quoted in the tender shall include all charges of any tools and plants, freight, labour conditions and fluctuations in the rates, VAT, and other taxes and shall be firm for the duration of the contract. No escalation in the rates will be allowed under any circumstances. Time should be considered as the essence of the contract.
- 23.** Income tax as well as work contract tax as applicable shall be deducted from the bills.
- 24.** In case of any dispute, the matter will be referred to the Head of Chancery, Embassy of India, Bogota.
- 25.** For litigations, if any arising thereof, the competent court at Bogota alone will have jurisdiction.
- 26.** All the items required for erection and commissioning of the equipment / materials shall be obtained from reputed dealers / stockiest. The Tenderer shall produce to the Embassy of India, Bogota copy of the original bills of material purchased for verification.
- 27.** The work should be done in coordination with the officials working at site.

9.

TECHNICAL DETAILS OF WORK TO BE CARRIED OUT

The civil work consists of filling up the gaps between the fins, and the gaps between the window frame grill and wall (wherever observed), with a suitable cement mortar aggregate, so as to present a uniform finished surface for carrying out the painting. After the work is completed, the Tenderer shall ensure curing of the finished surface for a minimum period of 5 days, and only thereafter the painting work shall be taken up.

The painting needs to be carried out from ground floor to the terrace, on all sides, using necessary scaffolding, spraying machines, and brush paint, wherever necessary.

For plumbing work:

Step 1: For control of seepage in the building arising because of plumbing defects, the leakage/seepage must be stopped before starting the painting work of building interior. If a particular wall/floor is required to be broken for repairing of seepage, the same can be done only after Employer's consent. After fixing the seepage, the broken portion need to be restored to its earlier condition.

Step 2: For general maintenance of the fixtures & fittings, the parts have to be cleaned before reinstalling and if necessary be replaced informing the Employer.

Step 3: The plumbing work also includes general maintenance of geysers, jacuzzi, water pumps and other similar electrical objects. It should be ensured that the maintenance work is done with proper care wearing proper gears suitable for handling electrical work.

Step 4: The gaps in the floor/wall tiles be filled with grout after scraping the old layer of grout and applying a fresh layer of grout.

Step 5: The bathroom fixtures should be cleaned and polished properly removing any stains or debris deposited over them.

For interior painting work:

Step 1: Before applying the new coat of paint, the earlier layer of paint on walls/ceilings must be completely scraped off using a sanding paper for a smooth finish of final paint.

Step 2: The floor/carpet must be properly masked using plastic sheet or cardboard to protect them from debris or paint.

Step 3: The metallic surfaces like stair railing must be scraped properly and treated for any stains before applying a fresh coat metallic paint as decided by the Employer. The other metallic parts like door knobs must also be polished with metallic polish.

Step 4: The wooden furniture including wooden shelves/closets, doors etc. must be polished with wooden polish.

Step 5: The floor including marble, granite, tiled surface must be buffed and polished and if there are any cracks/gaps, the same may be filled using cement/fillers used for the purpose.

For all cement surfaces the work shall be carried out as detailed in the following manner :

Step 1 : All surface cracks shall be filled up using ordinary crack filling powder for minor cracks, and suitable waterproofing compound for bigger cracks.

Step 2 : The complete surface shall be sanded thoroughly and all dust, grease, and flakes removed (surface cleaning). The earlier paint must be completely scraped off and removed before applying the first new coat.

Step 3 : One coat of Silicon Based Primer shall be applied.

Step 4: TWO coats of High Performance Premier Exterior Acrylic Silicon Based Paint having dust /dirt-repellent, anti-fungal, damp-resistant, and high protection alkali and Ultra-violet degradation qualities shall be applied after allowing sufficient time gap between application of the two coats of paint.

Suitable time shall be provided between each step as instructed by the Employer .

In case it is found that the painting is insufficient in any area even after 2 coats of paint, further coats shall be applied to give a satisfactory finish.

For all metallic surfaces such as grills, gates, etc., the work shall be carried out as follows :

Step 1 : The surface to be painted shall be first treated so as to be free of grease and rust by suitable treatment such as sanding with Emery paper, etc. The earlier paint must be completely scraped off and removed before applying the first new coat.

Step 2 : In case of minor dents or surface imperfections, suitable paste-filler shall be used to rectify the surface so as to give an unblemished look.

Step 3 : In case of nonferrous metal surfaces like aluminium, galvanised iron, etc., the surface shall be pre-treated with suitable Primer, while corrosion-resistant metal primer shall be applied for ferrous surfaces.

Finally two coats of High Gloss Enamel paint shall be applied over the surface.

For repair work of seepage on roof top of main building, repair of the roof top to prevent seepage must be done prior to painting and standard waterproofing paint and material of very high quality must be used subsequent to repair. The earlier paint must be completely scraped off and removed before applying the first new coat.

For construction of ceiling of security guard room, the following must be followed:

Step 1: Dismantling of existing ceiling

Step 2: Construction of ceiling with brick, mortar, cement and coating the top in a manner as prescribed above for all cement surfaces.

Suitable time shall be provided between each step as instructed by the Employer .

In case it is found that the painting is insufficient in any area even after 2 coats of paint, further

coats shall be applied to give a satisfactory finish.

All required materials including materials, equipment, machinery, scaffolding and all that is necessary for the completion of the work shall be provided by the Tenderer.

Electric supply would be made available at fixed points wherever installed by the Employer, but the Tenderer would have to make his own arrangements for extension cords, temporary wiring, power switches or sockets, and making all arrangements to extend the power supply from the fixed point to the actual site of work wherever required.

Approvals

It is the responsibility of the Tenderer to get the approval from any relevant government, municipal or other local authorities.

The fees payable to such authorities if any, shall be borne by the Tenderer.

Quantities

Payment will be made for the actual quantity of work executed. Tenderers are instructed to quote rates for all measurable items of work as per pricing sheet enclosed.

10.

SCHEDULE OF QUANTITIES

S.No.	Type of Surface	Estimated Area (sq. mts.)	
Non-metallic Surface :			
1.	Type – A Area (Plain External Wall)		
2.	Type – B Area (Area with fins)		
3.	Compound wall and other areas		
4.	Doors and Windows		
Total Estimated Non-Metallic Area			
Metallic Surface :			
4.	Exterior Grill & Railing on all floors		
5.	Gates, Railing on compound wall, and other areas.		
6.	Doors and Windows		
Total Estimated Metallic Area			
Construction of ceiling of security guard room			
Repair of roof and ceiling of main building and application of waterproffing paint of high quality to the roof top			
TOTAL ESTIMATED AREA			

Note: The above measurements are estimated areas only, and the actual area to be painted may vary from the estimates. Payment would be made as per the actual measurements taken after the completion of work.

Part II . PRICE BID

ABSTRACT OF COST

Name of Work:- External painting; construction of ceiling of security guard room and repair and painting of rooftop and ceiling of the main building of Embassy Residence Building

S.No.	ITEM OF WORK	Rate	Estimated Quantity in Sq m	Amount
1	Finishing of the walls with weather proof exterior grade emulsion. On wall surfaces (two coats) to give an even shade and final finish after thoroughly cleaning the surface to remove all dirt, dust and other foreign matter etc. including sand paper smooth complete.		Sqm	
2	Applying white care putty over plaster surface after thoroughly brushing the surface free from mortar drops, dust, loose materials and other foreign matters sand papered smooth to give final matter finish to the surface complete.		Sqm	
3	Wall painting (one coat) with plastic emulsion paint of reputed brand and manufacture on decorated wall surface to give an even shade including thoroughly brushing the surface clean of all dirt grease, loose pieces of scale and sand papered Smooth		Sqm	
4	Painting one coat (excluding priming coat) on new steel and other metal surface under coat with ready mixed paint brushing to give an even shade including cleaning the surface		Sqm	

	<p>all dirt, dust and other foreign matter. Painting of metallic surfaces by first cleaning the surface and making it free of grease and rust, followed by using paste-filler to rectify the dents or imperfections in the surface, and thereafter applying one coat of primer suitable to the surface, and finally application of two or more coats of High Gloss Enamel paint, allowing sufficient time gap between each stage. Final paint surface should have uniform colour irrespective of the shade imparted by the existing colour. Final finished surface must be to the satisfaction of the Employer else additional coats of paint shall have to be applied.</p>			
5	<p>Painting of non-metallic surfaces by filling up cracks using crack filling powder or suitable waterproofing compound, followed by surface cleaning and application of one coat of primer, and finally two or more coats of High Performance Premier Exterior Acrylic Silicon Based Paint having dust /dirt-repellent, anti-fungal, damp-resistant, and high protection alkali and Ultraviolet degradation qualities, allowing sufficient time gap between each stage. Final paint surface should have uniform colour irrespective of the shade imparted by the existing colour. Final finished surface must be to the satisfaction of the Employer else additional coats of paint shall have to be applied.</p>		Sqm	
6	<p>Re-plastering of structures, including of cantilevers, if</p>		Sqm	

	any after dismantling the existing plaster fully. The replastering may be done in grooves. Repair to plaster in patches of 2.50 Sqm. And under and 10 to 15 mm thick including cutting the patch in proper shape and Replastering the surface of the wall including disposal of rubbish to the dumping ground within a lead of 20 metres.			
7	Construction of ceiling of security guard room and application of waterproofing paint of high quality		Sqm	
8	Repair of rooftop and ceiling of the main building at the Embassy residence for seepage and application of very high quality waterproofing paint		Sqm	
9	Total Bid Amount			

Total Price Bid Amount in both words and figures :

Colombian Pesos _____

In Words (Colombian pesos) _____

Place :

Dated:

(Signature & Seal of the Contractor)

Note: The Tenderer shall affix his signature and seal on ALL pages of both the Technical Bid and the Price Bid.