



September 28, 2017

Re: **NOTICE # 2 TO PARTICIPANTS**
TENDER NO. 41702

This notice (the “**Notice**”) is being furnished to Bidders in accordance with the provisions of Section 18 of the General Terms and Conditions of the Tender Documents.

Capitalized words and terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the same meaning ascribed to them in the Tender Documents.

The Final Submission Date referred to in Section 14 of the General Terms is hereby postponed to **October 17, 2017, at 13:00** (Israel time). The proposal is to be submitted in 3 copies into the tender box, located at the following address:

Israel Railways Ltd.
Management Building
Drachei Moshe 3
Lod, Israel

Explanatory Note

For the removal of doubt, with respect to any question or request not specifically addressed in this Notice, the Tender Documents remain unchanged and fully binding. It is hereby further clarified that throughout the Tender Process, ISR shall only be bound by information submitted by ISR in writing, and no oral or other non-written response or information will bind ISR for any purpose whatsoever.

General Terms and Conditions of the Tender Documents

1. **Question:** In relation to section 14.5.4, ISR is requested to amend this section.

Answer: Bidders are referred to amended documents.

2. **Question:** In relation to sections 1.1, ISR is requested to clarify the section and refer also to subcontractors.

Answer: Section 1.1 states that the bidder should be the one the supplied and installed at least 4 turntables in the past 3 years. Regarding subcontractors, the bidders are referred to section 22 of the Agreement.

Agreement

1. **Question:** In relation to sections 1.2, 2.2 and 11, ISR is requested to amend

those sections.

Answer: Bidders are referred to amended Agreement.

2. **Question:** In relation to Appendix D, ISR is requested to clarify whether there is a mechanism of arbitration with regards to the acceptance certificate.

Answer: signing on the acceptance certificate is subject to ISR's sole discretion and there is no arbitration mechanism. Having said that, ISR shall inform and advise with the bidder in every malfunction and/or problem, if occur.

Technical Specifications

1. **Question:** In relation to section 10, ISR is requested to supply the dimensions and size of the pit.

Answer: The pits will be produce in accordance with the detailed pit foundation drawing base on the design of the turntable which will be forwarded by the winning bidder of the tender.

2. **Question:** In relation to section 8.5, ISR is requested to clarify whether mono-wheels be accepted for design of traverser wheels.

Answer: The solution can be accepted provided that such a solution works successfully in an existing railway company. Please forward a list of customers that have installed such systems and are active for at least one year. A visit to such installation must be arranged with the winning supplier as a condition for approval of the solution.

3. **Question:** ISR is requested to clarify whether Will the installation of the two turntable on site directly one after the other or simultaneously

Answer: the installation be done first on one site and after it is approved, we will move to the other site, in order to implement insights from one site to another.

Please confirm receipt of this notice by returning email to the undersigned at: cheng@rail.co.il.

Yours Faithfully,

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