PUBLIC PROCUREMENT REGULATORY AUTHORITY (PPRA)

CONTRACT AWARD PROFORMA – I

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- > NAME OF THE ORGANIZATION/DEPTT: Zarai Taragiati Bank Limited
- FEDERAL / PROVINCIAL GOVT: Federal
- > TITLE OF CONTRACT: Procurement of Cyber Security Operation Centre (SOC)
 Services
 - TENDER NUMBER: <u>ZTBL-02-2024</u>
- ▶ BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF CONTRACT: SOC Services for compliance of regulatory requirements and to meet the security monitoring need.
 - > TENDER VALUE: M/s Wateen Solutions (Pvt.) Ltd. Rs. 7,506,235.00 (incl. tax)
 - ➤ ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE: <u>N/A</u> (for civil Works only)
 - > ESTIMATED COMPLETION PERIOD: <u>To start services within One Month after</u> issuance of Purchase Order for a period of one year.

 - > ADVERTISEMENT:
 - (i) PPRA Website: <u>Date: 18.04.2024, PPRA'S Reference No:TS537349E</u>(Federal Agencies) (If yes give date and PPRA's tender number)
 ✓ Yes/ No
 - (ii) News Papers: <u>Duniya & The News, Dated: 19.04.2024</u>(If yes give names of newspapers and dates)
 ✓ Yes/ No
 - TENDER OPENED ON (DATE & TIME): <u>07.05.2024 at 11:00 AM</u>

>	NATURE OF PURCHASE:	✓ Local / International
>	EXTENSION IN DUE DATE (If any):	Yes /√No
>	NUMBER OF TENDER DOCUMENTS SOLD: The tender of the big System free of cost.	
>	WHETHER QUALIFICATION CRITERIA WAS INCLUDED IN BIDDING/TENDER DOCUMENT (If yes enclose a copy).	rS: ✓Yes / No
>	WHETHER BID EVALUATION CRITERIA WAS INCLUDED IN BIDDING/TENDER DOCUMENT (If yes enclose a copy).	S: ✓Yes / No
>	WHICH METHOD OF PROCUREMENT WAS USED:	- (Tick one)
	a) SINGLE STAGE – ONE ENVELOPE PROCEDU	RE
	b) SINGLE STAGE - TWO ENVELOPE PROCEDU	RE
	c) TWO STAGE BIDDING PROCEDURE	
	d) TWO STAGE – TWO ENVELOPE BIDDING PRO	OCEDURE
	 PLEASE SPECIFY IF ANY OTHER METHODOPTED WITH BRIEF REASONS (i.e EMERGING NEGOTIATED TENDERING ETC.) WHO IS THE APPROVING AUTHORITY: Administration of the accorded by President/CEO ZTBL. 	ENCY, DIRECT CONTRACTING,
>	WHETHER APPROVAL OF COMPETENT AUTHORI	TY WAS OBTAINED FOR
US	SING A METHOD OTHER THAN OPEN COMPETITIV	E BIDDING: N/A
>	NUMBER OF BIDS RECEIVED: <u>04</u>	
>	WHETHER THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WAS LOW	EST BIDDER: √Yes / No
>	WHETHER INTEGRITY PACT WAS SIGNED:	√Yes / No

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CONTRACT AWARD PROFORMA – II

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- > NUMBER OF BIDDERS PRESENT AT THE TIME OF OPENING OF BIDS: 04
- NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER:
- M/s Wateen Solutions (Pvt.) Ltd, Ground Floor, TF Complex, Mauve Area Road, Sector G-9/4, Islamabad.
- ➤ RANKING OF SUCCESSFUL BIDDER IN EVALUATION REPORT (i.e. 1st, 2nd, 3rd EVALUATED BID): 1st Lowest Evaluated Bidder
- NEED ANALYSIS (Why the procurement was necessary?): <u>SOC Services for compliance of regulatory requirements and to meet the security monitoring need.</u>
- ➤ IN CASE EXTENSION WAS MADE IN RESPONSE TIME, WHAT WERE THE REASONS (Briefly describe)
- ➤ WHETHER NAMES OF THE BIDDERS AND THEIR PRICES WERE READ OUT AT THE TIME OF OPENING OF BIDS:

 ✓ Yes / No
- DATE OF CONTRACT SIGNING: <u>04.10.2024</u> (Attach a copy of agreement)
- CONTRACT AWARD PRICE: M/s Wateen Solutions (Pvt.) Ltd. Rs. 7,506,235.00 (incl. tax)

ANY COMPLAINTS RECEIVED: (If yes result thereof) Yes / √No

ANY DEVIATION FROM SPECIFICATIONS GIVEN IN THE TENDER NOTICE/DOCUMENTS: (If yes give details)

Yes / √No

➤ DEVIATION FROM QUALIFICATION CRITERIA: (If yes give details)

Yes / √No

> SPECIAL CONDITIONS, IF Any: Nil

[F.No.2/1/2008PPRA-RA.III]

Bidder Qualification Criteria Form

S#	Condition	Requirement/ Document to be attached	Enclosed ? Yes/ No	Proposal Page Ref.
1	Duly Notarized Power of Attorney authorizing the signatory of the Bidder to submit the bid	On Stamp paper		
2	Authorization of Tender	All pages are duly signed & stamped by authorized personnel as per Sr.No 1 above.		
3	Bid Validity is 120 Days	Please submit on letter head that the bide validity is for 120 days.		
5	Bid Security	Bid Security as specified in Section 14 is attached		
6	Compliance of Scope of Work SECTION V	Bidder shall provide compliance statement of scope of work (Section V), on letter head.		
7	Bidder's Eligibility			
i.	Form of Bid	Please attached dully filled form of bid		
ii.	Preliminary Project Plan	Service/Project implementation plan through Gantt charts.		
iii.	Bidding firm should have existence in Pakistan for the last 3 years.	Certificate of Incorporation /Registration of business in Pakistan		
iv.	Bidder should be providing Managed SOC services to at least one Bank/Financial Institute /Fintech Company / telecom sector company.	Project Completion evidence /Signed SLA		
v.	The vendor should have at least 15 SOC analysts on their payroll.	Share CVs and Employment evidence		
vi.	Bidder must have at least One references of Digital Forensics and Incident Response (DFIR) services rendered during any Security Incidence / Breach.	Please share the evidence of such service rendered I-e Purchase Order/Contract/Service Delivery Evidence etc.		
vii.	Income tax (NTN) Certificate.	Valid Income Tax (NTN) Certificate with FBR Active Tax Payer Status printout		

viii.	Sales Tax Registration Certificate	Valid Tax Registration	
		Certificate with FBR	
		Active Tax Payer	
		Status printout	
ix.	Audited Financial Statement for last 3	Audited Financial	
	years.	Statement are required	
х.	Affidavit of nonblack listing	On Stamp paper	

By signing this Form, we hereby declare that all information provided above is correct by the best of our knowledge.

We accept all terms and conditions of bidding document and the Procurement Contract as specified in the bidding document and the advertisement.

Signatures of Authorized Person
Name
Designation
Vendor Name

Evaluation Criteria

In accordance with regulatory mandates, ZTBL intends to procure Security Operation Center (SOC) Services (24*7) to enhance its Cyber Security measures.

The vendors' team will accurately identify and prioritize threats, delivering insightful analyses that empower rapid response to minimize incident impacts. This involves consolidating log events and network flow data from various devices and applications using SIEM and other security monitoring tools.

The Vendor will provide Cyber Security Operations Services on Hybrid model to Monitor, Detect, Investigate and Respond the cyber security threats by 24/7/.

The vendor shall provide L1 and L2 service by deploying L1 and L2 resources in ZTBL premises during office hours and offsite/Remote SOC services during off hours of ZTBL.

The following are expected services to be delivered by service provide to ensure monitor, detect, investigate and respond any cyber security alerts/threats to ZTBL.

1. <u>Level 1 SOC Services.</u>

a. Monitoring and Analysis:

- i. Continuously monitor security alerts and events generated by SIEM Solutions/security systems.
- ii. Analyze security alerts and incidents to determine their severity and potential impact on the organization.

b. Incident Triage:

- i. Conduct initial triage of security incidents to assess the scope and urgency.
- ii. Classify and prioritize incidents based on predefined criteria.

c. Alert Handling:

- i. Respond to security alerts and incidents in a timely manner.
- ii. Execute Information Security Incident Management Procedures for handling common security incidents.

d. Escalation:

- i. Escalate incidents to higher-level analysts or incident response teams as necessary.
- ii. Provide detailed and accurate information for escalated incidents.

e. Documentation:

- i. Maintain detailed and accurate records of all security incidents, including actions taken and outcomes.
- ii. Document incident handling as per Information Security Incident Management Procedures and contribute to knowledge base development.

f. Collaboration:

- i. Collaborate with other SOC team members to share information and insights.
- ii. Communicate effectively with relevant stakeholders during incident response.

g. Tool Utilization:

- i. Utilize available security tools and technologies to investigate and respond to incidents.
- ii. Report any issues or gaps in security tools to senior analysts for resolution.

h. Compliance Monitoring:

i. Monitor security controls with respect to compliance with approved policies and regulations.

ii. Report any deviations from compliance standards to senior analysts or management.

i. Shift Handover:

- i. Provide comprehensive shift handover to ensure smooth transitions between SOC shifts.
- ii. Share critical information with incoming analysts regarding ongoing incidents and noteworthy activities.

j. Basic Incident Mitigation:

- i. Help/Implement basic incident mitigation measures as per predefined procedures.
- ii. Follow established protocols for isolating affected systems or networks.

k. Threat Intelligence Integration:

- i. Integrate threat intelligence feeds into daily monitoring activities.
- ii. Leverage threat intelligence to enhance incident analysis and response.

l. Adherence to Policies:

- i. Ensure adherence to security policies and procedures with respect to Security Incidences/Monitoring.
- ii. Report any policy violations or weaknesses to senior analysts or management.

2. Level 2 Services

a) Incident Investigation

- **a.** Conduct in-depth investigations into security incidents.
- **b.** Shall inform Info Sec Team of ZTBL if SOC Level 3 Support is required.
- **c.** Analyze the root causes of incidents to understand the full scope and impact on the organization.

b) Basic Forensic Analysis

- a. Conduct basic forensic analysis to gather evidence and support incident investigations.
- **b.** Document findings and share relevant information with higher-level analysts.

c) Advanced Triage

- **a.** Classify incidents based on criteria, including threat intelligence and attack patterns
- **b.** Enhance incident triage processes to quickly assess and prioritize Advanced security incidents.

d) Incident Containment and Eradication:

- a. Lead efforts to contain and eradicate security incidents.
- b. Develop and implement advanced strategies to mitigate the impact of incidents on systems and networks.

e) Malware Analysis:

- a. Analyze and dissect malicious code to understand its functionality and impact.
- b. Develop and maintain a repository of malware signatures and indicators of compromise.

f) Security Monitoring Mechanism Review (SOC):

- Review and assess the security monitoring mechanism and identify gaps.
- b. Provide recommendations for improving security controls and measures.

g) Incident Coordination

a. Coordinate with internal teams, such as IT and Info Sec team during incident response.

b. Work as part of bank info Sec team to communicate with external parties, including vendors, incident response partners, regulators and law enforcement agencies.

h) Threat Hunting

- a. Proactively search for signs of advanced threats within the organization's environment.
- b. Utilize threat intelligence and analytics for continuous threat hunting.

i) Reporting:

- a. Prepare Monthly/Weekly Executive Summary Reports
- b. Prepare detailed incident reports for management, providing insights into incident trends and potential risks.
- c. Ensure that incident reports meet regulatory and compliance requirements.

j) Vulnerability Management:

- a. Collaborate with vulnerability management teams to address and remediate identified vulnerabilities.
- b. Integrate vulnerability data into incident response processes.

k) Training and Mentoring:

- a. Provide training and mentorship to Level 1 analysts and ZTBL internal relevant info sec team.
- b. Share knowledge and expertise with the team to enhance overall SOC capabilities.

1) Automation and Scripting:

a. Coordinate /Advise SIEM Engineer for implementation of automation scripts for repetitive tasks.

m) Incident Simulation and Testing:

- a. Conduct simulated exercises to test the effectiveness of incident response plans.
- b. Evaluate the organization's readiness to respond to advanced cyber threats.

n) Policy and Procedure Development:

- a. Contribute to the development and enhancement of security policies and procedures.
- b. Ensure that incident response procedures are up-to-date and aligned with industry best practices.

3. SOC Level 3 Services.

For any security incident/data breaches which requires SOC Level 3 services, the vendor shall provide/onboard Level 3 Resources on need basis whenever required.

The man days of engaged resources will be decided with mutual agreement of Info Sec Department of ZTBL

Vendor will also provide Support to ZTBL (as and when required), in case of cyber security incidence/breach while responding to external bodies

1. Forensic Analysis:

- a. Conduct digital forensics on compromised systems.
- b. Gather and analyze evidence related to security incidents.
- c. Document findings for further investigation and legal purposes.
- d. Will help/guide in maintaining the chain of custody of evidences
- e. Will help/guide in ZTBL's official to communicate with external

agencies in case of data breach/security incident.

2. Compromise Assessment

- a. Shall perform compromise assessment to identify and evaluate potential security breaches or compromises within ZTBL's IT infrastructure.
- b. Discover indicators of compromise (IoCs) and evidence of unauthorized access or activities within a network.
- c. Hunt for potential threats within the ZTBL's network and systems. This involves conducting in-depth investigations, analyzing patterns of activity, and identifying indicators of compromise (IOCs) that may have evaded automated detection.

3. Incident Handling and Response:

- a. Lead and coordinate the response to security incidents.
- b. Analyze and investigate complex security events and incidents.

4. Incident Reporting and Documentation:

- a. Prepare detailed incident reports and documentation.
- b. Provide advisory role to ZTBL's internal team in coordination with Law Enforcement Agencies(LEA), Media and regulators in case of data breach or security incidence.
- c. Contribute to post-incident reviews and lessons learned sessions.

4. SOC Maturity/Other Services

- i. Vendor shall provide SOC Maturity road map to ZTBL. Vendor may adopt any maturity model (i-e CMMI etc.) for continuous improvement of SOC Process as SOC L4 services.
- ii. As per road map the maturity should be reviewed through Vendor MSOC management and ZTBL info Sec Team on monthly basis or as and when required.
- iii. Bidder will perform SOC maturity/security assessment bi-annually and provide status and progress of SOC maturity on quarterly basis
- iv. Bidder will manage and report the regulatory compliance requirements related to SOC, mandated by SBP and other applicable international standards such as ISO 27001, PCI-DSS etc.
- v. Bidder will provide / develop necessary operational documents, awareness/educational content related to SOC functionality to meet regulatory requirements and applicable international / ZTBL's IS policy standards.
- vi. Bidder will define KPIs and KRIs related to SOC of ZTBL.

Bidder shall nominate their SOC Manager for coordination.

ZARAI TARAQIATI BANK LIMITED

FINAL EVALUATION REPORT

(AS PER RULE 35 OF PUBLIC PROCUREMENT RULES 2004)

1	Name of Procuring Agency	ZARAI TARAQIATI BANK LIMITED, HEAD OFFICE, ISLAMABAD
2	Method of Procurement	Open Competitive Bidding. Single stage - two envelope procedure as defined in PPRA Rules 2004, Clause 36 (b)
3	Title of Procurement	Procurement of Cyber Security Operation Center (SOC) Services
4	Tender Enquiry No.	ZTBL-02-2024
5	PPRA Ref. No. TSE	TS537349E dated 18.04.2024
6	Date & Time of Bid Closing	07.05.2024, 10:30 AM
7	Date & Time of Bid Opening	07.05.2024, 11:00 AM
8	No. of Bids Received	04 (Four)
9	Criteria of Bid Evaluation	Bidder Qualification Criteria
		Bidder complying with Bidder Qualification Criteria mentioned in the Bidding Document shall be selected for technical and financial evaluation. Bidder(s) not fulfilling any condition of Bidder Qualification Criteria shall be disqualified and their bids shall not be considered for technical & financial evaluation.
		BID EVALUATION CRITERIA
		Technical Evaluation Criteria Bidders' solution submitted as technical proposal must be capable to perform all functions and must meet all requirements mentioned in Scope of Work.
		Compliance of all technical specifications mentioned in this Bid Document is mandatory. Technical Evaluation to be done on compliant/non-compliant basis (without scoring or weightage). Below specification or partially compliant proposals shall be declared as Non-Compliant. Technical Compliance Matrix given in bid document to be used for evaluation.
		Financial Evaluation Criteria Technically Compliant Bidders shall be considered for Financial Evaluation. Responsive" bidders on basis of Total Quoted Price (inclusive of all applicable taxes and excluding any discount), shall be assigned ranking in ascending order i.e. bidder offering lowest evaluated price shall be placed at Top and be called as "Lowest Evaluated Bidder/ Most Advantageous Bidder".

ZARAI TARAQIATI BANK LIMITED

10 Details of Bid(s) Evaluation

Name of Bidder	Ma	rks	Evaluated Cost	Rule/Regulation/SBD/Policy/ Basis for Rejection/Acceptance as per Rule 35 of PPRA Rules, 2004		
	Technical (If Applicable)	Financial (If Applicable)	(PKR) Including taxes			
M/s Wateen Solutions (Pvt.) Ltd.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Rs. 7,506,235/-	Technically Financially 1st Evaluated Bidder	compliant Lowest	
M/s Commtel	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Rs. 7,510,000/-	Technically Financially 2 nd Evaluated Bidder	compliant Lowest	
M/s Securism (Pvt.) Ltd.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Rs. 11,163,400/-	Technically Financially 3 rd Evaluated Bidder	compliant Lowest	
M/s Rewterz Information Security	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Rs. 16,107,000/-	Technically Financially 4 th Evaluated Bidder	compliant Lowest	

Most Advantageous Bid: M/s Wateen Solutions (Pvt.) Ltd.

Signature:

Official Stamp_

Dated: 20.08.2024

Haseeb Akhter
Head (Procurement Department)
General Services Division,
ZTBL, H.Q. Islamabad

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Type:

Low Denomination

Amount:

Rs 100/-



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Description:

AGREEMENT OR MEMORANDUM OF AN AGREEMENT- 5(ccc) Wateen Solutions Private Limited [00000-2086604-6]

Applicant: Representative From: Authorized

Agent:

Magsood Ahmed [35202-2826507-1]

Address: Issue Date: Walton Road, Lahore Cantt 8-Sep-2024 10:22:25 PM

Delisted On/Validity:

15-Sep-2024

Amount in Words: Reason:

One Hundred Rupees Only Agreement Between Parties

Vendor Information:

Kamran Shahzad | PB-LHR-940 | Qainchi Amersadhu

KAMRAN SHAHZAD

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& Purchase of Property.

نوٹ بیه فرانزیکشن تاریخ اجرا سے سات دنوں تک کے لیےقابل استعمال ہے۔ای استامپ کی تصدیق بذریه ویب سائت،کیوآر کوڈ یا ایس ایم ایس سے کی جا سکتی ہے Type "eStamp <16 digit eStamp Number>" send to 8100

Form of Contract

THIS AGREEMENT made the of day of October 2024 between ZTBL, Head Office, 1-Faisal Avenue, G-7/1, Islamabad] of Pakistan (hereinafter called "the Procuring Agency") of the one part and Wateen Solutions Pvt. Ltd, a company incorporated under the laws of Pakistan, having its registered office at Main Walton Road, opposite Bab-e-Pakistan, Walton Cantt, Lahore, Pakistan (hereinafter called "the Supplier") of the other part:

WHEREAS the Procuring Agency invited Bids for Procurement of Cyber Security Operation Centre (SOC) Services through Tender No ZTBL-02-2024 and has accepted a Bid by the Supplier for the supply of related services in the sum of Rs. 7,506,235 (Seven Million, five hundred six thousand, two hundred thirty-five Rupees only (hereinafter called "the Contract Price").

NOW THIS CONTRACT WITNESSETH AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. In this Contract words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are respectively assigned to them in the Conditions of Contract referred to.
- The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this 2. Contract, In the event of any ambiguity or conflict between the Contract Documents listed below, the order of precedence shall be the order in which the Contract Documents are listed below:-
 - This form of Contract; (a)
 - the Form of Bid and the Price Schedule submitted by the Bidder; (b)
 - (c) the Schedule of Requirements;
 - the Technical Specifications; (d)
 - (e) the Special Conditions of Contract;
 - the General Conditions of the Contract; (f)
 - the Procuring Agency's Letter of Acceptance; and (g)
 - All Annexure of Bid document. [To be filled at the of signing.] (h)
- In consideration of the payments to be made by the Procuring Agency to the Supplier as 3. hereinafter mentioned, the Supplier hereby covenants with the Procuring Agency to provide the goods and related services and to remedy defects therein in conformity in all respects with the provisions of the Contract.
- The Procuring Agency hereby covenants to pay the Supplier in consideration of the 4. provision of the goods and related services and the remedying of defects therein, the

Contract Price or such other sum as may become payable under the provisions of the contract at the times and in the manner prescribed by the contract.

IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have caused this Contract to be executed in accordance with their respective laws the day and year first above written.

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For and on behalf of WATEEN SOLUTION PVT. LTD. For and on behalf of ZARAI TARAQIATI BANK LTD

NAME: ADIL RASHID

Designation: CEO

NAME:

Designatio Parai Taragiati Bank Limited Head Office, Islamabad

WITNESS:

NAME Zahid



GENERAL CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT (GCC)

1.	Definitions	1.1	100	following words and expressions shall have the meanings hereby		
			assigned to them:			
			a)	"Authority" means Public Procurement Regulatory Authority.		
			b)	The "Arbitrator" is the person appointed with mutual consent of both the parties, to resolve contractual disputes as provided for in the General Conditions of the Contract GCC Clause 31 hereunder.		
			c)	The "Contract" means the agreement entered into between the Procuring Agency and the Supplier, as recorded in the Contract Form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.		
			d)	The "Commencement Date" is the date when the Supplier shall commence execution of the contract as specified in the SCC.		
			e)	"Completion" means the fulfillment of the related services by the Supplier in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the contract.		
			f)	"Country of Origin" means the countries and territories eligible under the PPRA Rules 2004 and its corresponding Regulations as further elaborated in the SCC.		
			g)	The "Contract Price" is the price stated in the Letter of Acceptance and thereafter as adjusted in accordance with the provisions of the Contract.		
			h)	"Effective Contract date" is the date shown in the Certificate of Contract Commencement issued by the Procuring Agency upon fulfillment of the conditions precedent stipulated in GCC Clause 5.		
			i)	"Procuring Agency" means the person named as Procuring Agency in the SCC and the legal successors in title to this person, procuring the Goods and related service, as named in SCC.		
			j)	"Related Services" means those services ancillary to the delivery of the Goods, such as transportation and insurance, and any other incidental services, such as installation, commissioning, provision of technical assistance, training, initial maintenance and other such obligations of the Supplier covered under the Contract.		
			k)	"GCC" means the General Conditions of Contract contained in this section.		
			1)	"Intended Delivery Date" is the date on which it is intended that the Supplier shall effect delivery as specified in the SCC.		

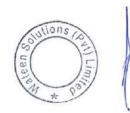






m)	"Information System," also called "the System," means all the Information Technologies, Materials, and other Goods to be supplied, installed, integrated, and made operational (exclusive of the Supplier's Equipment), together with the Services to be carried out by the Supplier under the Contract
n)	"SCC" means the Special Conditions of Contract.
0)	"Supplier" means the individual private or government entity or a combination of the above whose Bid to perform the contract has been accepted by the Procuring Agency and is named as such in the Contract Agreement, and includes the legal successors or permitted assigns of the supplier and shall be named in the SCC.
p)	"Project Name" means the name of the project stated in SCC.
(p)	"Day" means calendar day.
r)	"Eligible Country" means the countries and territories eligible for participation in accordance with the policies of the Federal Government.
s)	"End User" means the organization(s) where the goods will be used, as named in the SCC.
t)	"Origin" means the place where the Goods were mined, grown, or produced or from which the Services are supplied. Goods are produced when, through manufacturing, processing, or substantial and major assembly of components, a commercially recognized new produce results that is substantially different in basic characteristics or in purpose or utility from its components.
u)	"Force Majeure" means an unforeseeable event which is beyond reasonable control of either Party and which makes a Party's performance of its obligations under the Contract impossible or so impractical as to be considered impossible under the circumstances. For the purposes of this Contract, "Force Majeure" means an event which is beyond the reasonable control of a Party, is not foreseeable, is unavoidable, and its origin is not due to negligence or lack of care
	on the part of a Party, and which makes a Party's performance of its obligations hereunder impossible or so impractical as reasonably to be considered impossible in the circumstances. and includes, but is not limited to, war, riots, civil disorder, earthquake, fire, explosion, storm, flood, epidemics, or other adverse weather conditions, strikes, lockouts or other industrial action (except where such strikes, lockouts or other industrial action are within the power of the Party invoking Force Majeure to prevent), confiscation or any other action by Government agencies.





			v) "Specification" means the Specification of the Goods and performance of incidental services in accordance with the relevant standards included in the Contract and any modification or addition made or approved by the Procuring Agency.
			w) The Supplier's Bid is the completed Bid document submitted by the Supplier to the Procuring Agency.
2. 2.	Application and interpretati	2.1	These General Conditions shall apply to the extent that they are not superseded by provisions of other parts of the Contract.
		2.2	In interpreting these Conditions of Contract headings and marginal notes are used for convenience only and shall not affect their interpretations unless specifically stated; references to singular include the plural and vice versa; and masculine include the feminine. Words have their ordinary meaning under the language of the Contract unless specifically defined.
		2.3	The documents forming the Contract shall be interpreted in the following order of priority:
			(1) Form of Contract,
			(2) Special Conditions of Contract,
			(3) General Conditions of Contract,
			(4) Letter of Acceptance,
			(5) Certificate of Contract Commencement
			(6) Specifications
			(7) Contractor's Bid, and
			(8) Any other document listed in the Special Conditions of Contract as forming part of the Contract.
3.	Conditions Precedent	3.1	Having signed the Contract, it shall come into effect on the date on which the following conditions have been satisfied: -
			 a) Submission of performance Security (or guarantee) in the form specified in the SCC;
			b) Furnishing of Advance Payment Unconditional Guarantee.
		3.2	If the Condition precedent stipulated on GCC Clause 3.1 is not met by the date specified in the SCC this contract shall not come into effect;

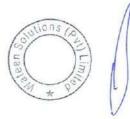






		3.3	If the Procuring Agency is satisfied that each of the conditions precedent in this contract has been satisfied (except to the extent waved by him, but subject to such conditions as he shall impose in respect of such waiver) he shall promptly issue to the supplier a certificate of Contract commencement, which shall confirm the start date.
4.	Governing Language	4.1	The Contract as all correspondence and documents relating to the contract exchanged by the Supplier and the Procuring Agency shall be written in the language specified in SCC. Subject to GCC Clause 3.1, the version of the Contract written in the specified language shall govern its interpretation.
5.	Applicable Law and Effectivene ss of the contract	5.1	The contract shall be governed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of Pakistan, unless otherwise specified in SCC.
		5.2	The Contract shall be effective from the date specified in the SCC,
6.	Country of Origin	6.1	The origin of goods and services making information systems may be distinct from the nationality of the Supplier.
7.	Scope of the Informatio n System	7.1	Unless otherwise expressly limited in the SCC or Technical Requirements, the Supplier's obligations cover the provision of all Information Technologies, Materials and other Goods as well as the performance of all Services required for the design, development, and implementation (including procurement, quality assurance, assembly, associated site preparation, Delivery, Precommissioning, Installation, Testing, and Commissioning) of the System, in accordance with the plans, procedures, specifications, drawings, codes, and any other documents specified in the Contract and the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan
		7.2	The Supplier shall, unless specifically excluded in the Contract, perform all such work and / or supply all such items and Materials not specifically mentioned in the Contract but that can be reasonably inferred from the Contract as being required for attaining Operational Acceptance of the System as if such work and / or items and Materials were expressly mentioned in the Contract.
		7.3	The Supplier's obligations (if any) to provide Goods and Services as implied by the Recurrent Cost tables of the Supplier's bid, such as consumables, spare parts, and technical services (e.g., maintenance, technical assistance, and operational support), are as specified in the SCC, including the relevant terms, characteristics, and timings





8.	Supplier's Responsibil ities	8.1	The Supplier shall conduct all activities with due care and diligence, in accordance with the Contract and with the skill and care expected of a competent provider of information technologies, information systems, support, maintenance, training, and other related services, or in accordance with best industry practices. In particular, the Supplier shall provide and employ only technical personnel who are skilled and experienced in their respective callings and supervisory staff who are competent to adequately supervise the work at hand.
		8.2	The Supplier confirms that it has entered into this Contract on the basis of a proper examination of the data relating to the System provided by the Procuring agency and on the basis of information that the Supplier could have obtained from a visual inspection of the site (if access to the site was available) and of other data readily available to the Supplier relating to the System as at the date Seven (07) days prior to bid submission. The Supplier acknowledges that any failure to acquaint itself with all such data and information shall not relieve its responsibility for properly estimating the difficulty or cost of successfully performing the Contract
		8.3	The Supplier shall be responsible for timely provision of all resources, information, and decision making under its control that are necessary to reach a mutually Agreed and Finalized Project Plan within the time schedule specified in the Implementation Schedule in the Technical Requirements Section. Failure to provide such resources, information, and decision making may constitute grounds for termination.
		8.4	The Supplier shall acquire in its name all permits, approvals, and/or licenses from all local, state, or national government authorities or public service undertakings in the Procuring agency's Country that are necessary for the performance of the Contract, including, without limitation, visas for the Supplier's and Subcontractor's personnel and entry permits for all imported Supplier's Equipment. The Supplier shall acquire all other permits, approvals, and/or licenses that are not the responsibility of the Procuring agency and that are necessary for the performance of the Contract.



		8.5	The Supplier shall comply with all laws in force in the Procuring agency's Country. The laws will include all national, provincial, municipal, or other laws that affect the performance of the Contract and are binding upon the Supplier. The Supplier shall indemnify and hold harmless the Procuring agency from and against any and all liabilities, damages, claims, fines, penalties, and expenses of whatever nature arising or resulting from the violation of such laws by the Supplier or its personnel, including the Subcontractors and their personnel, but without prejudice to GCC Clause 9.1. The Supplier shall not indemnify the Procuring agency to the extent that such liability, damage, claims, fines, penalties, and expenses were caused or contributed to by a fault of the Procuring agency.
		8.6	The Supplier shall, in all dealings with its labor and the labor of its Subcontractors currently employed on or connected with the Contract, pay due regard to all recognized festivals, official holidays, religious or other customs, and all local laws and regulations pertaining to the employment of labor.
		8.7	Any Information Technologies or other Goods and Services that will be incorporated in or be required for the System and other supplies shall have their Origin in a country that shall be an Eligible Country.
		8.8	The Supplier shall permit the Procuring Agency and/or persons appointed by the Procuring Agency to inspect the Supplier's offices and/or the accounts and records of the Supplier and its sub-contractors relating to the performance of the Contract, and to have such accounts and records audited by auditors.
9.	Procuring Agency's Responsibil	8.9 9.1	Other Supplier responsibilities, if any, are as stated in the SCC. The Procuring Agency shall ensure the accuracy of all information and/or data to be supplied by the Procuring agency to the Supplier, except when otherwise expressly stated in the Contract.
	ity	9.2	The Procuring agency shall be responsible for timely provision of all resources, information, and decision making under its control that are necessary to reach an Agreed and Finalized Project Plan (pursuant to GCC Clause 17) within the time schedule specified in the Implementation Schedule in the Technical Requirements Section. Failure to provide such resources, information, and decision making may constitute grounds for Termination pursuant to GCC Clause 41.
		9.3	The Procuring agency shall be responsible for acquiring and providing legal and physical possession of the site and access to it, and for providing possession of and access to all other areas reasonably required for the proper execution of the Contract.





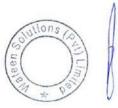
9.4	If requested by the Supplier, the Procuring agency shall use its best endeavors to assist the Supplier in obtaining in a timely and expeditious manner all permits, approvals, and/or licenses necessary for the execution of the Contract from all local, state, or national government authorities or public service undertakings that such authorities or undertakings require the Supplier or Subcontractors or the personnel of the Supplier or Subcontractors, as the case may be, to obtain.
9.5	In such cases where the responsibilities of specifying and acquiring or upgrading telecommunications and/or electric power services falls to the Supplier, as specified in the Technical Requirements, SCC, Agreed and Finalized Project Plan, or other parts of the Contract, the Procuring agency shall use its best endeavors to assist the Supplier in obtaining such services in a timely and expeditious manner.
9.6	The Procuring agency shall be responsible for timely provision of all resources, access, and information necessary for the Installation and Operational Acceptance of the System (including, but not limited to, any required telecommunications or electric power services), as identified in the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan, except where provision of such items is explicitly identified in the Contract as being the responsibility of the Supplier. Delay by the Procuring agency may result in an appropriate extension of the Time for Operational Acceptance, at the Supplier's discretion
9.7	Unless otherwise specified in the Contract or agreed upon by the Procuring agency and the Supplier, the Procuring agency shall provide sufficient, properly qualified operating and technical personnel, as required by the Supplier to properly carry out Delivery, Pre-commissioning, Installation, Commissioning, and Operational Acceptance, at or before the time specified in the Technical Requirements Section's Implementation Schedule and the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan.
9.8	The Procuring agency will designate appropriate staff for the training courses to be given by the Supplier and shall make all appropriate logistical arrangements for such training as specified in the Technical Requirements, SCC, the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan, or other parts of the Contract.
9.9	The Procuring agency assumes primary responsibility for the Operational Acceptance Test(s) for the System, in accordance with GCC Clause 26, and shall be responsible for the continued operation of the System after Operational Acceptance. However, this shall not limit in any way the Supplier's responsibilities after the date of Operational Acceptance otherwise specified in the Contract.





		9.10	The Procuring agency is responsible for performing and safely storing timely and regular backups of its data and Software in accordance with accepted data management principles, except where such responsibility is clearly assigned to the Supplier elsewhere in the Contract.
		9.11	Other Procuring agency responsibilities, if any, are as stated in the SCC.
10.	Prices	10.1	The contract price shall be as specified in the Contract Agreement Subject to any additions and adjustments thereto or deductions there from, as may be made pursuant to the Contract.
		10.2	Prices charged by the Supplier for Information System under the Contract shall not vary from the prices quoted by the Supplier in its Bid, with the exception of any price adjustments authorized in SCC or in the Procuring Agency's request for Bid Validity extension, as the case may be.
11.	Payment	11.1	The method and conditions of payment to be made to the Supplier under this Contract shall be specified in SCC.
		11.2	The Supplier's request(s) for payment shall be made to the Procuring Agency in writing or in electronic forms that provide record of the content of communication, accompanied by an invoice describing, as appropriate, the Goods delivered and Services performed, and by documents submitted, and upon fulfillment of other obligations stipulated in the Contract.
		11.3	Payments shall be made promptly by the Procuring Agency, within sixty (60) days after submission of an invoice or claim by the Supplier. If the Procuring Agency makes a late payment, the Supplier shall be paid interest on the late payment. Interest shall be calculated from the date by which the payment should have been made up to the date when the late payment is made at the rate as specified in the SCC.
		11.4	The currency or currencies in which payment is made to the Supplier under this Contract shall be specified in SCC subject to the following general principle: payment will be made in the currency or currencies in which the payment has been requested in the Supplier's Bid.
		11.5	All payments shall be made in the currency or currencies specified in the SCC pursuant to GCC Clause 11.4
12.	Performance Guarantee	12.1	The proceeds of the Performance Security (or Guarantee) shall be payable to the Procuring Agency as compensation for any loss resulting from the Supplier's failure to complete its obligations under the Contract.
		12.2	The Performance Guarantee shall be in one of the following forms: a) A bank guarantee, an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a reputable bank, or in the form provided in the Bidding Documents or another form acceptable to the Procuring
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		12.3	The performance guarantee will be discharged by the Procuring Agency and returned to the Supplier not later than thirty (30) days following the date of completion of the Supplier's performance obligations under the Contract, including any warranty obligations, unless otherwise specified in SCC.
13.	Taxes and Duties	13.1	A foreign Supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, stamp duties, license fees, and other such levies imposed outside Pakistan.
		13.2	If any tax exemptions, reductions, allowances or privileges may be available to the Supplier in Pakistan the Procuring Agency shall use its best efforts to enable the Supplier to benefit from any such tax savings to the maximum allowable extent.
		13.3	A local Supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, duties, license fees, etc., incurred until the supply of the information system to the Procuring Agency.
14.	Copy Rights	14.1	The Intellectual Property Rights in all Standard Software and Standard Materials shall remain vested in the owner of such rights.
		14.2	The Procuring agency agrees to restrict use, copying, or duplication of the Standard Software and Standard Materials in accordance with GCC Clause 16, except those additional copies of Standard Materials may be made by the Procuring agency for use within the scope of the project of which the System is a part, in the event that the Supplier does not deliver copies within thirty (30) days from receipt of a request for such Standard Materials
		14.3	The Procuring agency's contractual rights to use the Standard Software or elements of the Standard Software may not be assigned, licensed, or otherwise transferred voluntarily except in accordance with the relevant license agreement or as may be otherwise specified in the SCC
		14.5	As applicable, the Procuring agency's and Supplier's rights and obligations with respect to Custom Software or elements of the Custom Software, including any license agreements, and with respect to Custom Materials or elements of the Custom Materials, are specified in the SCC. Subject to the SCC, the Intellectual Property Rights in all Custom Software and Custom Materials specified in the Contract Agreement (if any) shall, at the date of this Contract or on creation of the rights (if later than the date of this Contract), vest in the Procuring agency. The Supplier shall do and execute or arrange for the doing and executing of each necessary act, document, and thing that the Procuring agency may consider necessary or desirable to perfect the right, title, and interest of the Procuring agency in and to those rights. In respect of such Custom Software and Custom Materials, the Supplier shall ensure that the holder of a moral right in such an item does not assert it, and the Supplier shall, if requested to do so by the Procuring agency, and where permitted by applicable law, ensure that the holder of such a moral right waives it.





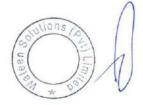
		14.6	The parties shall enter into such (if any) escrow arrangements in relation to the Source Code to some or all of the Software as are specified in the SCC and in accordance with the SCC
15.	Software License Agreement s	15.1	Except to the extent that the Intellectual Property Rights in the Software vest in the Procuring agency, the Supplier hereby grants to the Procuring agency license to access and use the Software, including all inventions, designs, and marks embodied in the Software. Such license to access and use the Software shall: (a) be:
er-unaunavunuuna			(i) nonexclusive;(ii) fully paid up and irrevocable (except that it shall terminate if the Contract terminates under GCC Clauses 41;
			(iii) valid throughout the territory of the Procuring agency's Country (or such other territory as specified in the SCC); and(iv) subject to additional restrictions (if any) as specified in the SCC.
			b) permit the Software to be: (i) used or copied for use on or with the computer(s) for which it was acquired (if specified in the Technical Requirements and/or the Supplier's bid), plus a backup computer(s) of the same or similar capacity, if the primary is(are) inoperative, and during a reasonable transitional period when use is being transferred between primary and backup;
			(ii) as specified in the SCC, used or copied for use on or transferred to a replacement computer(s), (and use on the original and replacement computer(s) may be simultaneous during a reasonable transitional period) provided that, if the Technical Requirements and/or the Supplier's bid specifies a class of computer to which the license is restricted and unless the Supplier agrees otherwise in writing, the replacement computer(s) is(are) within that class;
			(iii) if the nature of the System is such as to permit such access, accessed from other computers connected to the primary and/or backup computer(s) by means of a local or wide-area network or similar arrangement, and used on or copied for use on those other computers to the extent necessary to that access;





			 (iv) reproduced for safekeeping or backup purposes; (v) customized, adapted, or combined with other computer software for use by the Procuring agency, provided that derivative software incorporating any substantial part of the delivered, restricted Software shall be subject to same restrictions as are set forth in this Contract; (vi) as specified in the SCC, disclosed to, and reproduced for use by, support service suppliers and their subcontractors, (and the Procuring agency may sublicense such persons to use and copy for use the Software) to the extent reasonably necessary to the performance of their support service contracts, subject to the same restrictions as are set forth in this Contract; and (vii) disclosed to, and reproduced for use by, the Procuring agency and by such other persons as are specified in the SCC (and the Procuring agency may sublicense such persons to use and copy for use the Software), subject to the same restrictions as are set forth in this Contract.
		15.2	The Standard Software may be subject to audit by the Supplier, in accordance with the terms specified in the SCC , to verify compliance with the above license agreements.
16.	Confidentia l Informatio n	16.1	Except if otherwise specified in the SCC, the "Receiving Party" (either the Procuring agency or the Supplier) shall keep confidential and shall not, without the written consent of the other party to this Contract ("the Disclosing Party"), divulge to any third party any documents, data, or other information of a confidential nature ("Confidential Information") connected with this Contract, and furnished directly or indirectly by the Disclosing Party prior to or during performance, or following termination, of this Contract.
#		16.2	For the purposes of GCC Clause 16.1, the Supplier is also deemed to be the Receiving Party of Confidential Information generated by the Supplier itself in the course of the performance of its obligations under the Contract and relating to the businesses, finances, suppliers, employees, or other contacts of the Procuring agency or the Procuring agency's use of the System.





16.3	Notwithstanding GCC Clauses 16.1 and 16.2:
	(a) the Supplier may furnish to its Subcontractor Confidential Information of the Procuring agency to the extent reasonably required for the Subcontractor to perform its work under the Contract; and
	(b) the Procuring agency may furnish Confidential Information of the Supplier: (i) to its support service suppliers and their subcontractors to the extent reasonably required for them to perform their work under their support service contracts; and (ii) to its affiliates and subsidiaries,
	in which event the Receiving Party shall ensure that the person to whom it furnishes Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party is aware of and abides by the Receiving Party's obligations under this GCC Clause 16 as if that person were party to the Contract in place of the Receiving Party.
16.4	The Procuring agency shall not, without the Supplier's prior written consent, use any Confidential Information received from the Supplier for any purpose other than the operation, maintenance and further development of the System. Similarly, the Supplier shall not, without the Procuring agency's prior written consent, use any Confidential Information received from the Procuring agency for any purpose other than those that are required for the performance of the Contract.
16.5	The obligation of a party under GCC Clauses 16.1 through 16.4 above, however, shall not apply to that information which:
	(a) now or hereafter enters the public domain through no fault of the Receiving Party;
	(b) can be proven to have been possessed by the Receiving Party at the time of disclosure and that was not previously obtained, directly or indirectly, from the Disclosing Party;
	(c) otherwise lawfully becomes available to the Receiving Party from a third party that has no obligation of confidentiality.
16.6	The above provisions of this GCC Clause 16 shall not in any way modify any undertaking of confidentiality given by either of the parties to this Contract prior to the date of the Contract in respect of the System or any part thereof.
16.7	The provisions of this GCC Clause 16 shall survive the termination, for whatever reason, of the Contract for three (3) years or such longer period as may be specified in the SCC.





17.	Project Plan	17.1	In close cooperation with the Procuring agency and based on the Preliminary Project Plan included in the Supplier's bid, the Supplier shall develop a Project Plan encompassing the activities specified in the Contract. The contents of the Project Plan shall be as specified in the SCC and/or Technical Requirements.
		17.2	The Supplier shall formally present to the Procuring agency the Project Plan in accordance with the procedure specified in the SCC
		17.3	If required, the impact on the Implementation Schedule of modifications agreed during finalization of the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan shall be incorporated in the Contract by amendment, in accordance with GCC Clauses 35.
		17.4	The Supplier shall undertake to supply, install, test, and commission the System in accordance with the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan and the Contract
		17.5	The Progress and other reports specified in the SCC shall be prepared by the Supplier and submitted to the Procuring agency in the format and frequency specified in the Technical Requirements.
18.	Sub- contracting	18.1	List of Approved Subcontractors to the Contract Agreement specifies critical items of supply or services and a list of Subcontractors for each item that are considered acceptable by the Procuring agency. If no Subcontractors are listed for an item, the Supplier shall prepare a list of Subcontractors it considers qualified and wishes to be added to the list for such items. The Supplier may from time to time propose additions to or deletions from any such list. The Supplier shall submit any such list or any modification to the list to the Procuring agency for its approval in sufficient time so as not to impede the progress of work on the System. The Procuring agency shall not withhold such approval unreasonably. Such approval by the Procuring agency of a Subcontractor(s) shall not relieve the Supplier from any of its obligations, duties, or responsibilities under the Contract
		18.2	The Supplier may, at its discretion, select and employ Subcontractors for such critical items from those Subcontractors listed pursuant to GCC Clause 18.1. If the Supplier wishes to employ a Subcontractor not so listed, or subcontract an item not so listed, it must seek the Procuring agency's prior approval under GCC Clause 18.3.





	1	18.3	For items for which pre-approved Subcontractor lists have not been specified
		18.3	in Appendix to the Contract Agreement, the Supplier may employ such Subcontractors as it may select, provided: (i) the Supplier notifies the Procuring agency in writing at least twenty-eight (28) days prior to the proposed mobilization date for such Subcontractor; and (ii) by the end of this period either the Procuring agency has granted its approval in writing or fails to respond. The Supplier shall not engage any Subcontractor to which the Procuring agency has objected in writing prior to the end of the notice period. The absence of a written objection by the Procuring agency during the above specified period shall constitute formal acceptance of the proposed Subcontractor. Except to the extent that it permits the deemed approval of the Procuring agency of Subcontractors not listed in the Contract Agreement, nothing in this Clause, however, shall limit the rights and obligations of either
			the Procuring agency or Supplier as they are specified in GCC Clauses 18.1 and 18.2, in the SCC, or in Appendix of the Contract Agreement.
19.	Procureme nt and Delivery	19.1	Subject to related Procuring agency's responsibilities pursuant to GCC Clause 9, the Supplier shall manufacture or procure and transport all the Information Technologies, Materials, and other Goods in an expeditious and orderly manner to the Project Site
		19.2	Delivery of the Information Technologies, Materials, and other Goods shall be made by the Supplier in accordance with the Technical Requirements
		19.3	Early or partial deliveries require the explicit written consent of the Procuring agency, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.
20.	Transporta tion	20.1	The Supplier shall provide such packing of the Goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during shipment. The packing, marking, and documentation within and outside the packages shall comply strictly with the Procuring agency's instructions to the Supplier.
		20.2	The Supplier will bear responsibility for and cost of transport to the Project Sites in accordance with the terms and conditions used in the specification of prices in the Price Schedules, including the terms and conditions of the associated Incoterms.
- 1714		20.3	Unless otherwise specified in the SCC, the Supplier shall be free to use transportation through carriers registered in any eligible country and to obtain insurance from any eligible source country.





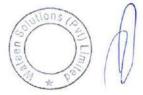
21.	Documents	21.1	Unless otherwise specified in the SCC , the Supplier will provide the Procuring agency with shipping and other documents, as specified below; (i) For Goods supplied from outside the Procuring agency's Country:
			Upon shipment, the Supplier shall notify the Procuring agency and the insurance company contracted by the Supplier to provide cargo insurance by telex, cable, facsimile, electronic mail, or EDI with the full details of the shipment. The Supplier shall promptly send the following documents to the Procuring agency by mail or courier, as appropriate, with a copy to the cargo insurance company:
			(a) two copies of the Supplier's invoice showing the description of the Goods, quantity, unit price, and total amount;
			(b) usual transportation documents;
			(c) insurance certificate;
			(d) certificate(s) of origin; and
			(e) estimated time and point of arrival in the Procuring agency's Country and at the site.
			(ii) For Goods supplied locally (i.e., from within the Procuring agency's country):
			Upon shipment, the Supplier shall notify the Procuring agency by telex, cable, facsimile, electronic mail, or EDI with the full details of the shipment. The Supplier shall promptly send the following documents to the Procuring agency by mail or courier, as appropriate:
			(a) two copies of the Supplier's invoice showing the Goods' description, quantity, unit price, and total amount;
			(b) delivery note, railway receipt, or truck receipt;
			(c) certificate of insurance;
			(d) certificate(s) of origin; and
			(e) estimated time of arrival at the site.





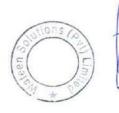
		T	(iii)Customs Clearance
			(a) The Procuring agency will bear responsibility for, and cost of, customs clearance into the Procuring agency's country in accordance the particular Incoterm(s) used for Goods supplied from outside the Procuring agency's country in the Price Schedules referred to by Article 2 of the Contract Agreement.
			(b) At the request of the Procuring agency, the Supplier will make available a representative or agent during the process of customs clearance in the Procuring agency's country for goods supplied from outside the Procuring agency's country. In the event of delays in customs clearance that are not the fault of the Supplier:
			(c) the Supplier shall be entitled to an extension in the Time for Achieving Operational Acceptance, pursuant to GCC Clause 26; the Contract Price shall be adjusted to compensate the Supplier for any additional storage charges that the Supplier may incur as a result of the delay.
22.	Product Upgrades	22.1	At any point during performance of the Contract, should technological advances be introduced by the Supplier for Information Technologies originally offered by the Supplier in its bid and still to be delivered, the Supplier shall be obligated to offer to the Procuring agency the latest versions of the available Information Technologies having equal or better performance or functionality at the same or lesser unit prices.
		22.2	At any point during performance of the Contract, for Information Technologies still to be delivered, the Supplier will also pass on to the Procuring agency any cost reductions and additional and/or improved support and facilities that it offers to other clients of the Supplier in the Procuring agency's Country.
			During performance of the Contract, the Supplier shall offer to the Procuring agency all new versions, releases, and updates of Standard Software, as well as related documentation and technical support services, within thirty (30) days of their availability from the Supplier to other clients of the Supplier in the Procuring agency's Country, and no later than twelve (12) months after they are released in the country of origin. In no case will the prices for these Software exceed those quoted by the Supplier in the Recurrent Costs tables in its bid.



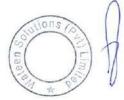


23.	Inspections and Test	23.1	The Procuring Agency or its representative shall have the right to inspect and /or to test the components of the system to confirm their conformity to the Contract specifications at no extra cost to the Procuring Agency. SCC and the Technical Specifications shall specify what inspections and tests the Procuring Agency shall notify the Supplier in writing or in electronic forms that provide record of the content of communication, in a timely manner, of the identity of any representatives retained for these purposes.
		23.2	The inspections and tests may be conducted on the premises of the Supplier or its subcontractor(s), at point of delivery, and/or at the Goods' final destination. If conducted on the premises of the Supplier or its subcontractor(s), all reasonable facilities and assistance, including access to drawings and production data, shall be furnished to the inspectors at no charge to the Procuring Agency.
		23.3	Should any inspected or tested component fail to conform to the Specifications, the Procuring Agency may reject the component, and the Supplier shall replace the rejected component to meet specification requirements free of cost to the Procuring Agency.
and the second		23.4	The Procuring Agency's right to inspect, test and, where necessary, reject component after' arrival in the Procuring Agency's country shall in no way be limited or eared by reason of the component having previously been inspected, tested, and passed by the Procuring Agency or its representative prior to the shipment from the country of origin.
		23.5	The Procuring Agency may require the Supplier to carry out any inspection and/or test not specified in the Contract, provided that the Supplier's reasonable costs and expenses incurred in the carrying out of such inspection and/or test shall be added to the Contract Price. Further, if such inspection and/or test impedes the progress of work on the System and/or the Supplier's performance of its other obligations under the Contract, due allowance will be made in respect of the Time for Achieving Operational Acceptance and the other obligations so affected
***************************************		23.6	If any dispute shall arise between the parties in connection with or caused by an inspection and/or with regard to any component to be incorporated in the System that cannot be settled amicably between the parties within a reasonable period of time, either party may invoke the process, starting with referral of the matter to the Adjudicator in case an Adjudicator is included and named in the Contract Agreement.
24.	Installation of the System	24.1	As soon as the System, or any Subsystem, has, in the opinion of the Supplier, been delivered, pre-commissioned, and made ready for Commissioning and Operational Acceptance Testing in accordance with the Technical Requirements, the SCC and the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan, the Supplier shall so notify the Procuring agency in writing





		24.2	The Project Manager shall, within fourteen (14) days after receipt of the Supplier's notice under GCC Clause 24.1, either issue an Installation Certificate in the form specified in the Sample Forms Section in the Bidding Documents, stating that the System, or major component or Subsystem (if Acceptance by major component or Subsystem is specified pursuant to the SCC for GCC Clause 26.1), has achieved Installation by the date of the Supplier's notice under GCC Clause 24.1, or notify the Supplier in writing of any defects and/or deficiencies, including, but not limited to, defects or deficiencies in the interoperability or integration of the various components and/or Subsystems making up the System. The Supplier shall use all reasonable endeavors to promptly remedy any defect and/or deficiencies that the Project Manager has notified the Supplier of. The Supplier shall then promptly carry out retesting of the System or Subsystem and, when in the Supplier's opinion the System or Subsystem is ready for Commissioning and Operational Acceptance Testing, notify the Procuring agency in writing, in accordance with GCC Clause 24.1. The procedure set out in this GCC Clause 24.2 shall be repeated, as necessary, until an Installation Certificate is issued.
		24.3	If the Project Manager fails to issue the Installation Certificate and fails to inform the Supplier of any defects and/or deficiencies within fourteen (14) days after receipt of the Supplier's notice under GCC Clause 24.1, or if the Procuring agency puts the System or a Subsystem into production operation, then the System (or Subsystem) shall be deemed to have achieved successful Installation as of the date of the Supplier's notice or repeated notice, or when the Procuring agency put the System into production operation, as the case may be.
25.	Commissioni ng	25.1	Commissioning of the System (or Subsystem if specified pursuant to the SCC for GCC Clause 26.1) shall be commenced by the Supplier: (a) immediately after the Installation Certificate is issued by the Project Manager, pursuant to GCC Clause 24.2; or (b) as otherwise specified in the Technical Requirement or the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan; or (c) immediately after Installation is deemed to have occurred, under GCC Clause 24.3.
		25.2	The Procuring agency shall supply the operating and technical personnel and all materials and information reasonably required to enable the Supplier to carry out its obligations with respect to Commissioning. Production use of the System or Subsystem(s) shall not commence prior to the start of formal Operational Acceptance Testing



	26.	Operationa I Acceptance Tests	26.1	The Operational Acceptance Tests (and repeats of such tests) shall be the primary responsibility of the Procuring agency (in accordance with GCC Clause 9.9), but shall be conducted with the full cooperation of the Supplier during Commissioning of the System (or major components or Subsystem[s] if specified in the SCC and supported by the Technical Requirements), to ascertain whether the System (or major component or Subsystem[s]) conforms to the Technical Requirements and meets the standard of performance quoted in the Supplier's bid, including, but not restricted to, the functional and technical performance requirements. The Operational Acceptance Tests during Commissioning will be conducted as specified in the SCC, the Technical Requirements and/or the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan. At the Procuring agency's discretion, Operational Acceptance Tests may also be performed on replacement Goods, upgrades and new version releases, and Goods that are added or field-modified after Operational Acceptance of the System.
			26.2	If for reasons attributable to the Procuring agency, the Operational Acceptance Test of the System (or Subsystem[s] or major components, pursuant to the SCC for GCC Clause 26.1) cannot be successfully completed within the period specified in the SCC, from the date of Installation or any other period agreed upon in writing by the Procuring agency and the Supplier, the Supplier shall be deemed to have fulfilled its obligations with respect to the technical and functional aspects of the Technical Specifications, SCC and/or the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan.
	27.	Operationa 1 Acceptance	27.1	Subject to GCC Clause 27.4 (Partial Acceptance) below, Operational Acceptance shall occur in respect of the System, when a) the Operational Acceptance Tests, as specified in the Technical Requirements, and/or SCC and/or the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan have been successfully completed; or b) the Operational Acceptance Tests have not been successfully completed or have not been carried out for reasons that are attributable to the Procuring agency within the period from the date of Installation or any other agreed-upon period as specified in GCC Clause 27.2.2 above; or c) the Procuring agency has put the System into production or use for sixty (60) consecutive days. If the System is put into production or use
			27.2	sixty (60) consecutive days. If the System is put into production or use in this manner, the Supplier shall notify the Procuring agency and document such use At any time after any of the events set out in GCC Clause 27.1 have occurred, the Supplier may give a notice to the Project Manager requesting the issue of an Operational Acceptance Certificate.

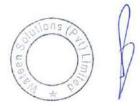






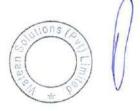
	27.3	After consultation with the Procuring agency, and within fourteen (14) days after receipt of the Supplier's notice, the Project Manager shall:
# # # # # #		(a) issue an Operational Acceptance Certificate; or
		(b) notify the Supplier in writing of any defect or deficiencies or other reason for the failure of the Operational Acceptance Tests; or
		(c) issue the Operational Acceptance Certificate, if the situation covered by GCC Clause 27.1 (b) arises.
	27.4	The Supplier shall use all reasonable endeavors to promptly remedy any defect and/or deficiencies and/or other reasons for the failure of the Operational Acceptance Test that the Project Manager has notified the Supplier of. Once such remedies have been made by the Supplier, the Supplier shall notify the Procuring agency, and the Procuring agency, with the full cooperation of the Supplier, shall use all reasonable endeavors to promptly carry out retesting of the System or Subsystem. Upon the successful conclusion of the Operational Acceptance Tests, the Supplier shall notify the Procuring agency of its request for Operational Acceptance Certification, in accordance with GCC Clause 27.3. The Procuring agency shall then issue to the Supplier the Operational Acceptance Certification in accordance with GCC Clause 27.3 (a), or shall notify the Supplier of further defects, deficiencies, or other reasons for the failure of the Operational Acceptance Test. The procedure set out in this GCC Clause 27.4 shall be repeated, as necessary, until an Operational Acceptance Certificate is issued.
	 27.5	If the System or Subsystem fails to pass the Operational Acceptance Test(s) in accordance with GCC Clause 26.1, then either:
		(a) the Procuring agency may consider terminating the Contract, pursuant to GCC Clause 41;
		or
		(b) if the failure to achieve Operational Acceptance within the specified time period is a result of the failure of the Procuring agency to fulfill its obligations under the Contract, then the Supplier shall be deemed to have fulfilled its obligations with respect to the relevant technical and functional aspects of the Contract.
	27.6	If within fourteen (14) days after receipt of the Supplier's notice the Project Manager fails to issue the Operational Acceptance Certificate or fails to inform the Supplier in writing of the justifiable reasons why the Project Manager has not issued the Operational Acceptance Certificate, the System or Subsystem shall be deemed to have been accepted as of the date of the Supplier's said notice





28.	Partial Acceptance	28.1	If so specified in the SCC for GCC Clause 26.1, Installation and Commissioning shall be carried out individually for each identified major component or Subsystem(s) of the System. In this event, the provisions in the Contract relating to Installation and Commissioning, including the Operational Acceptance Test, shall apply to each such major component or Subsystem individually, and Operational Acceptance Certificate(s) shall be issued accordingly for each such major component or Subsystem of the System, subject to the limitations contained in GCC Clause 28.2
		28.2	The issuance of Operational Acceptance Certificates for individual major components or Subsystems pursuant to GCC Clause 28.1 shall not relieve the Supplier of its obligation to obtain an Operational Acceptance Certificate for the System as an integrated whole (if so specified in the SCC for GCC 27.1) once all major components and Subsystems have been supplied, installed, tested, and commissioned
		28.3	In the case of minor components for the System that by their nature do not require Commissioning or an Operational Acceptance Test (e.g., minor fittings, furnishings or site works, etc.), the Project Manager shall issue an Operational Acceptance Certificate within fourteen (14) days after the fittings and/or furnishings have been delivered and/or installed or the site works have been completed. The Supplier shall, however, use all reasonable endeavors to promptly remedy any defects or deficiencies in such minor components detected by the Procuring agency or Supplier.
29.	Warranty/ Defect Liability Period	29.1	The Supplier warrants that the system, including all Information Technologies, Materials and other goods supplied and services provided under the Contract are new, unused, of the most recent or current models and that they incorporate all recent improvements in design and materials unless provided otherwise in the Contract. The Supplier further warrants that all Goods supplied and services provided under this Contract shall have no defect, arising from design, materials, or workmanship that prevent the System and/or any of its components from fulfilling the Technical Requirements (except when the design and/or material is required by the Procuring Agency, specifications) or from any act or omission of the Supplier, that may develop under normal use of the supplied Information System in the conditions prevailing in Pakistan. Exceptions and/or limitations, if any, to this warranty with respect to Software (or categories of Software), shall be as specified in the SCC. Commercial warranty provisions of products supplied under the Contract shall apply to the extent that they do not conflict with the provisions of this Contract.
		29.2	This warranty Period shall commence from the date of Operational Acceptance of the System (or of any major component or Subsystem for which separate Operational Acceptance is provided for in the Contract) and shall remain valid for a period specified in the SCC.
		29.3	The Procuring Agency shall promptly notify the Supplier in writing or in electronic forms that provide record of the content of communication of any claims arising under this warranty.





		29.4	Upon receipt of such notice, the Supplier shall promptly or within the period specified in the SCC, in consultation and agreement with the Procuring agency regarding appropriate remedying of the defects, and at its sole cost, repair, replace, or otherwise make good (as the Supplier shall, at its discretion, determine) such defect as well as any damage to the System caused by such defect. Any defective Information Technologies or other Goods that have been replaced by the Supplier shall remain the property of the Supplier If the Supplier, having been notified, fails to remedy the defect(s) within the
		29.5	period specified in SCC, the Procuring Agency may proceed to take such remedial action as may be necessary, at the Supplier's risk and expense and without prejudice to any other rights which the Procuring Agency may have against the Supplier under the Contract.
30.	Intellectual Property Rights Indemnity	30.1	The Supplier shall indemnify and hold harmless the Procuring agency and its employees and officers from and against any and all losses, liabilities, and costs (including losses, liabilities, and costs incurred in defending a claim alleging such a liability), that the Procuring agency or its employees or officers may suffer as a result of any infringement or alleged infringement of any Intellectual Property Rights by reason of: (a) installation of the System by the Supplier or the use of the System, including the Materials, in the country where the site is located;
			(b) copying of the Software and Materials provided the Supplier in accordance with the Agreement; and(c) sale of the products produced by the System in any country, except to the extent that such losses, liabilities, and costs arise as a result of the Procuring agency's breach of GCC Clause 30.2.
		30.2	Such indemnity shall not cover any use of the System, including the Materials, other than for the purpose indicated by or to be reasonably inferred from the Contract, any infringement resulting from the use of the System, or any products of the System produced thereby in association or combination with any other goods or services not supplied by the Supplier, where the infringement arises because of such association or combination and not because of use of the System in its own right.







		30.3	Such indemnitie	es shall also not apply if any claim of infringement:
			(a) is assert organiza	ed by a parent, subsidiary, or affiliate of the Procuring agency's ation;
			Technic	ect result of a design mandated by the Procuring agency's al Requirements and the possibility of such infringement was ted in the Supplier's Bid; or
			the Proc	from the alteration of the System, including the Materials, by turing agency or any persons other than the Supplier or a person ted by the Supplier
31.	Insurance	31.1	insured in a fre	n System supplied/provided under the Contract shall be fully sely convertible currency against loss or damage incidental to acquisition, transportation, storage, and delivery in the manner
32.	Limitation of Liability	32.1	Provided the fo	Illowing does not exclude or limit any liabilities of either party mitted by applicable law:
			contract damage provided	plier shall not be liable to the Procuring agency, whether in , tort, or otherwise, for any indirect or consequential loss or , loss of use, loss of production, or loss of profits or interest costs, d that this exclusion shall not apply to any obligation of the r to pay liquidated damages to the Procuring agency; and
			under the Contract obligation	regate liability of the Supplier to the Procuring agency, whether the Contract, in tort or otherwise, shall not exceed the total trice, provided that this limitation shall not apply to any on of the Supplier to indemnify the Procuring agency with to intellectual property rights infringement
33.	Related Services	33.1	Maria 1, 107,177	hay be required to provide any or all of the following services, ional services, if any, specified in SCC:
			a)	Performance or supervision of on-site assembly, Installation Commissioning and/or start-up of the supplied Goods;
			b)	Furnishing of tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the supplied Goods;
			c)	Furnishing of a detailed operations and maintenance manual for each appropriate unit of the supplied Goods;
			d)	Performance or supervision or maintenance and/or repair of the supplied Goods, for a period of time agreed by the parties, provided that this service shall not relieve the Supplier of any warranty obligations under this Contract; and







			e)	Training of the Procuring Agency's personnel, at the Supplier's plant and/or on-site, in assembly, start-up, operation, maintenance, and/or repair of the Goods supplied and Services Provided.			
		33.2	Contract, shall	d by the Supplier for related services, if not included in the leagreed upon in advance by the parties and shall not exceed rates charged to other parties by the Supplier for similar			
34.	Change Orders	34.1	Supplier, make	The Procuring Agency may at any time, by a written order given to the Supplier, make changes within the general scope of the Contract in any one or more of the following:			
			a)	Drawings, designs, or specifications;			
			b)	The method of shipment or packing;			
			c)	The place of delivery; and/or			
			d)	The Services to be provided by the Supplier.			
			If any such change causes an increase or decrease in the cost of, or the time required for, the Supplier's performance of any provisions under the Contract an equitable adjustment shall be made in the Contract Price or delivery schedule, or both, and the Contract shall accordingly be amended. Any claims by the Supplier for adjustment under this clause must be asserted within thirty (30) days from the date of the Supplier's receipt of the Procuring Agency change order.				
		34.3	needed but what advance by the	charged by the supplier for any related services that might be nich were not included in the Contract shall be agreed upon in the Parties and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to by the Supplier for similar services.			
35.	Contract Amendmen ts	35.1	CONT.	C Clause 34, no variation in or modification of the terms of the be made except by written amendment signed by the parties.			
36.	Assignment	36.1		ocuring Agency nor the Supplier shall assign, in whole or in part, ader this Contract, except with the prior written consent of the			
37.	Sub- contracts	37.1	under this con	shall consult the Procuring Agency in the event of subcontracting stract if not already specified in the Bid. Subcontracting shall not lier's obligations.			
38.	Delays in the Supplier's Performan	38.1	shall be made	e Goods and performance of Services making Information system by the Supplier in accordance with the time schedule prescribed ing Agency in the Schedule of Requirements.			







		38.2	subcontractor(s) Goods and perference Agency content of common cause(s). As soon Procuring Agency the Supplier's ti	during performance of the Contract, the Supplier or its should encounter conditions impeding timely delivery of the formance of Services, the Supplier shall promptly notify the cy in writing or in electronic forms that provide record of the nunication of the fact of the delay, its likely duration and its on as practicable after receipt of the Supplier's notice, the cy shall evaluate the situation and may at its discretion extend time for performance, with or without liquidated damages, in extension shall be ratified by the parties by amendment of
		38.3	performance of imposition of line extension of time	ided under GCC Clause 41, a delay by the Supplier in the its delivery obligations shall render the Supplier liable to the iquidated damages pursuant to GCC Clause 39, unless an he is agreed upon pursuant to GCC Clause 38.2 without the quidated damages.
39.	Liquidated Damages	39.1	Goods or to perf the Procuring A Contract, deduce equivalent to the delayed Goods of until actual del performance sec	Clause 41, if the Supplier fails to deliver any or all of the form the Services within the period(s) specified in the Contract, gency shall, without prejudice to its other remedies under the ct from the Contract Price, as liquidated damages, a sum the percentage specified in SCC of the delivered price of the corruperformed Services for each week or part thereof of delay ivery or performance, up to a maximum deduction of the curity (or guarantee) specified in SCC. Once the said maximum Procuring Agency may consider termination of the Contract C Clause 40.
40.	Terminatio n for Default	40.1	for breach of Co may terminate to the Contract.	Agency or the Supplier, without prejudice to any other remedy ontract, by written notice of default sent to the concerned party he Contract if the other party causes a fundamental breach of eaches of Contract shall include, but shall not be limited to the
100701			following:	the Supplier fails to deliver any or all of the Goods within the period(s) specified in the Contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the Procuring Agency or
			b)	the Supplier fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the Contract;
			c)	Supplier's failure to submit performance security (or guarantee) within the time stipulated in the SCC;
-		-	d)	the supplier has abandoned or repudiated the contract.







			e)	the Procuring Agency or the Supplier is declared bankrupt or goes into liquidation other than for a reconstruction or amalgamation;	
			f)	a payment is not paid by the Procuring Agency to the Supplier after 84 days from the due date for payment after successful verification of deliverables;	
			g)	the Procuring Agency gives Notice that goods delivered with a defect is a fundamental breach of Contract and the Supplier fails to correct it within a reasonable period of time determined by the Procuring Agency; and	
			h)	if the Procuring Agency determines, based on the reasonable evidence, that the Supplier has engaged in corrupt, coercive, collusive, obstructive or fraudulent practices, in competing for or in executing the Contract.	
		40.3	For the pur	pose of this clause:	
				and Fraudulent Practice" means the practices as described in Rule-Public Procurement Rules-2004.	
		40.4	pursuant to terms and in those undel any excess	the Procuring Agency terminates the Contract in whole or in part, GCC Clause 26.1, the Procuring Agency may procure, upon such a such manner as it deems appropriate, Goods or Services similar to ivered, and the Supplier shall be liable to the Procuring Agency for costs for such similar Goods or Services. However, the Supplier the performance of the Contract to the extent not terminated.	
41.	Terminatio n for Force Majeure	41.1	Notwithstanding the provisions of GCC Clauses 38, 39, and 40, neither Party shall have any liability or be deemed to be in breach of the Contract for any delay nor is other failure in performance of its obligations under the Contract, if such delay or failure is a result of an event of Force Majeure.		
			the reasonal origin is no makes a Primpractical includes, be explosion, strikes, local	e of this clause, "Force Majeure" means an event which is beyond able control of a Party, is not foreseeable, is unavoidable, and its t due to negligence or lack of care on the part of a Party, and which arty's performance of its obligations hereunder impossible or so as reasonably to be considered impossible in the circumstances, and but is not limited to, war, riots, civil disorder, earthquake, fire, storm, flood, epidemics, or other adverse weather conditions, kouts or other industrial action (except where such strikes, lockouts dustrial action are within the power of the Party invoking Force prevent	







		41.2	from performing it shall give a No circumstance of record of the con Unless otherwise forms that provide continue to performantical, and sh	after referred to as "the Affected Party") is or will be prevented its substantial obligation under the contract by Force Majeure, otice to the other Party giving full particulars of the event and Force Majeure in writing or in electronic forms that provide tent of communication of such condition and the cause thereof. It derected by the Procuring Agency in writing or in electronic de record of the content of communication, the Supplier shall form its obligations under the Contract as far as is reasonably all seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not a Force Majeure event.	
42.	Terminatio n for Insolvency	42.1	The Procuring Agency may at any time terminate the Contract by giving written notice to the Supplier if the Supplier becomes bankrupt or otherwise insolvent. In this event, termination will be without compensation to the Supplier, provided that such termination will not prejudice or affect any right of action or remedy which has accrued or will accrue thereafter to the Procuring Agency.		
43.	Terminatio n for Convenienc e	43.1	The Procuring Agency, by written notice sent to the Supplier, may terminate the contract, in whole or in part, at any time for its convenience. The notice of termination shall specify that termination is for the Procuring Agency's convenience, the Contract is terminated, and the date upon which such termination becomes effective.		
		43.2	after the Supplie	at are complete and ready for shipment within thirty (30) days er's receipt of notice of termination shall be accepted by the cy at the Contract terms and price. For the remaining system, gency may elect:	
			a)	To have any portion completed and delivered at the Contract terms and prices; and / or	
			b)	To cancel the remainder and pay to the Supplier an agreed amount for partially completed Goods and Services and for materials and parts previously procured by the Supplier.	
44.	Transfer of Ownership	44.1	Technologies and the time of Deli specified in the G	on of Software and Materials, the ownership of the Information d other Goods shall be transferred to the Procuring agency at very or otherwise under terms that may be agreed upon and Contract Agreement.	
		44.2	the Contract sh	he terms of usage of the Software and Materials supplied under hall be governed by GCC Clause 14 (Copyright) and any e Technical Requirements	
		44.3	Ownership of	the Supplier's Equipment used by the Supplier and its n connection with the Contract shall remain with the Supplier	







45.	Disputes Resolution	45.1	In the event of any dispute arising out of this contract, either party shall issue a notice of dispute to settle the dispute amicably. The parties hereto shall, within twenty-eight (28) days from the notice date, use their best efforts to settle the dispute amicably through mutual consultations and negotiation. Any unsolved dispute may be referred by either party to an arbitrator that shall be appointed by mutual consent of the both parties.
		45.2	After the dispute has been referred to the arbitrator, within 30 days, or within such other period as may be proposed by the Parties, the Arbitrator shall give its decision. The rendered decision shall be binding to the Parties.
46.	Procedure for Disputes Resolution	46.1	The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the arbitration procedure published by the Institution named and, in the place, shown in the SCC.
		46.2	The rate of the Arbitrator's fee and administrative costs of arbitration shall be borne equally by the Parties. The rates and costs shall be in accordance with the rules of the Appointing Authority. In conducting arbitration to its finality each party shall bear its incurred costs and expenses.
		46.3	The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the arbitration procedure published by the institution named and, in the place, shown in the SCC.
47.	Replaceme nt of Arbitrator	47.1	Should the Arbitrator resign or die, or should the Procuring Agency and the Supplier agree that the Arbitrator is not functioning in accordance with the provisions of the contract, a new Arbitrator shall be appointed by mutual consent of the both parties.
48.	Notices	48.1	Any notice given by one party to the other pursuant to this Contract shall be sent to the other party in writing or in electronic forms that provide record of the content of communication and confirmed in writing or in electronic forms that provide record of the content of communication to the other party's address specified in SCC.
		48.2	A notice shall be effective when delivered or on the notice's effective date, whichever is later.
49.	Contract Validity & renewal	49.1	The contract initially validity shall be as given in SCC. The bidder shall perform its obligations as per scope of contract and in line with issued purchase order (s).
		49.2	The contract period may be renewed on annual basis/need basis with mutual consent of both parties.
50.	Other Special Conditions of Contracts		The other conditions pf the contract such as Service Level Agreement etc. shall be as given in SCC.







SECTION VIII: SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT (SCC)







Special Conditions of Contract (SCC)

The following Special Conditions of Contract (SCC) shall supplement the GCC. Whenever there is a conflict, the provisions herein shall prevail over those in the GCC. The corresponding clause number of the GCC is indicated in parentheses.

SCC Clause Number	GCC Clause Number	Amendments of, and Supplements to, Clauses in the GCC
Definition	is (GCC 1)	
1.	1.1	The Procuring Agency is: [Name and address]
2.	1.1(j)	The Supplier is: [Name and address]
3.	1.1(q)	The title of the subject procurement or The Project is: [write the name of title or project]
Governin	g Language	(GCC 4)
4.	4.1	The Governing Language shall be: English
	le Law (GCC	
5.	5.1	The Applicable Law shall be: Laws of the Pakistan The Contract shall be effective from the date signing between parties
Country	of Origin (G	CC 6)
6.	6.1	Country of Origin is Pakistan
Scope of	the System (GCC 7)
7.	7.1	The Scope of the System is as per scope of bid document/bidder accepted proposal of vendor.
Supplier	Responsibili	ties (GCC 8)
8.	8.1	The Supplier shall have the following additional responsibilities: ["none"].
Procuring	g Agency's F	Responsibilities (GCC 9)
9.	9.1	The Procuring agency shall have the following additional responsibilities: ["none"].







Price (G	CC 10)	
10.	10.1	Prices shall be adjusted in accordance with provisions in the Attachment to SCC.
		[No price adjustment is allowed]
Payment	(GCC 11)	
11.	11.1	Payment shall be made as per Bid document relevant clause of payment terms.
12.	11.3	No Rate of interest shall be made account of late payment made by Procuring Agency.
13.	11.4,11.5	ZTBL shall issue payment in Pak Rupee. The Price quoted bidder/vendor in US dollar shall be converted into a PKR. The rate of exchange shall be the selling rate, prevailing on the date of issuance of Purchase Order as published by the State Bank of Pakistan/NBP on that day.
Perform	ance Guarant	tee (GCC 12)
14.	12.1	The amount of performance guarantee, as a percentage of the Contract Price, shall be: (10) percent of the Contract Price]
15.	12.4	After delivery and acceptance of the Information System, the Performance Guarantee shall remained withheld for 01 years to cover the Supplier's warranty obligations in accordance with GCC Clause 29.
Taxes an	d Duties (GC	CC 13)
16.	13.	[insert: necessary and appropriate clauses, or state "There are no Special Conditions of Contract applicable to GCC Clause 13"].
Copy Ri	ghts (GCC 14	
17.	14.3	The Procuring agency may assign, license, or otherwise voluntarily transfer its contractual rights to use the Standard Software or elements of the Standard Software, without the Supplier's prior written consent under the following circumstances:
		[state: "none," or else specify: circumstances]
18.	14.4	The Procuring agencies and Supplier's rights and obligations with respect to Custom Software or elements of the Custom Software are as







		follows [state: "not applicable" if Custom Software is not part of the System; otherwise, specify: items, rights, obligations, restrictions, exceptions, and provisos].
		The Procuring agencies and Supplier's rights and obligations with respect to Custom Materials or elements of the Custom Materials are as follows [state: "not applicable" if Custom Materials are not part of the System; otherwise, specify: items, rights, obligations, restrictions, exceptions, and provisos].
19.	14.5	If not applicable, state: "No software escrow contract is required for the execution of the Contract;" otherwise, specify: maximum number of days during which a separate escrow contract must be agreed upon with a reputable escrow agent and any specific rights and obligations that the Procuring agency wishes to establish in advance.
Software	License Valid	lity (GCC 15
20.	15.1 (a)(iii)	The Standard Software license shall be valid [state: "throughout the territory of the Procuring agency's Country;" or specify geographical coverage other than the Procuring agency's Country, is such coverage is necessary and appropriate, for example to cover the area in which the Procuring agency's business group operates in].
21.	15.1 (a)(iv)	Use of the software shall be subject to the following additional restrictions [state: "none" or specify: restrictions].
22.	15.1(b)(ii)	The Software license shall permit the Software to be used or copied for use or transferred to a replacement computer [state: "provided the replacement computer falls within approximately the same class of machine and maintains approximately the same number of users, if a multi-user machine;" or specify: other necessary and appropriate restrictions on the replacement computer].
23.	15.1(b)(vii	The Software license shall permit the Software to be disclosed to and reproduced for use (including a valid sublicense) by [state: "support service suppliers or their subcontractors, exclusively for such suppliers or subcontractors in the performance of their support service contracts;" or specify: other necessary and appropriate support entities and terms], subject to the same restrictions set forth in this Contract.
24.	15.1(b)(vii	In addition to the persons specified in GCC Clause 15.1 (b) (vi), the Software may be disclosed to, and reproduced for use by, [specify:







		categories of persons] subject to the same restrictions as are set forth in this Contract.		
Confiden	itial Inform	nation (GCC 16)		
25.	16.1	State: "There are no modifications to the confidentiality terms expressed in GCC Clause 16.1;" or, if necessary and appropriate, specify: persons, topics, and conditions for which the confidentiality clause does not apply.		
26.	16.7	The provisions of this GCC Clause 16 shall survive the termination, for whatever reason, of the Contract for ["the period specified in the GCC"].		
Project P	Plan (GCC	17)		
27.	17.1	Chapters in the Project Plan shall address the following subject: [for example, specify:		
		(a) Project Organization and Management Plan;		
		(b) Delivery and Installation Plan		
		(c) Training Plan		
		(d) Pre-commissioning and Operational Acceptance Testing Plan		
		(e) Warranty Service Plan		
		(f) Task, Time, and Resource Schedules		
		(g) Post-Warranty Service Plan (if applicable)		
		(h) Technical Support Plan (if applicable)		
		(i) etc.		
		Further details regarding the required contents of each of the above chapters are contained in the Technical Requirements, Section (insert: reference		
28.	17.2	Within [insert: number (N); for example, thirty (30)] days from the Effective Date of the Contract, the Supplier shall present a Project Planto the Procuring agency. The Procuring agency shall, within [insert number (N); for example, fourteen (14)] days of receipt of the Project Plan, notify the Supplier of any respects in which it considers that the Project Plan does not adequately ensure that the proposed program of work, proposed methods, and/or proposed Information Technologies will satisfy the Technical Requirements and/or the SCC (in this Claus 17.2 called "non-conformities" below). The Supplier shall, within [insert: number (N); for example, five (5)] days of receipt of suc		





		notification, correct the Project Plan and resubmit to the Procuring agency. The Procuring agency shall, within [insert: number (N); for example, five (5)] days of resubmission of the Project Plan, notify the Supplier of any remaining non-conformities. This procedure shall be repeated as necessary until the Project Plan is free from non-conformities. When the Project Plan is free from non-conformities, the Procuring agency shall provide confirmation in writing to the Supplier. This approved Project Plan ("the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan") shall be contractually binding on the Procuring agency and the Supplier.
29.	17.5	The Supplier shall submit to the Procuring agency the following reports: [state "none," or specify, for example:
		(a) Monthly (Quarterly) progress reports, summarizing:
		(i) results accomplished during the prior period;
		(ii) cumulative deviations to date from schedule of progress milestones as specified in the Agreed and Finalized Project Plan;
		(iii) corrective actions to be taken to return to planned schedule of progress; proposed revisions to planned schedule;
		(iv) other issues and outstanding problems; proposed actions to be taken;
		(v) resources that the Supplier expects to be provided by the Procuring agency and/or actions to be taken by the Procuring agency in the next reporting period;
		(vi) other issues or potential problems the Supplier foresees that could impact on project progress and/or effectiveness.
		(b)
		Note: Other reports may be needed to monitor Contract performance/progress with System implementation, for example:
		(*) inspection and quality assurance reports
		(*) training participants test results
		(*) monthly log of service calls and problem resolutions
Sub-Con	tracting (G	SCC 18)
30.	18.1	Insert: necessary and appropriate clauses, or state "There are no Special Conditions of Contract applicable to GCC Clause 18."







Transpor	rtation (GC	CC 19)
31.	19.1	The Supplier [insert: "shall" or "shall not"] be free to use transportation through carriers registered in any eligible country and [insert: "shall" or "shall not"] obtain insurance from any eligible source country.
Documer	its (GCC 2	1)
32.	21.1	The Supplier shall provide to the Procuring agency documents [state "as specified in the GCC," or specify other documentation requirements as necessary and appropriate].
Products	Upgrade (GCC 22)
33.	22.1	The Supplier shall provide the Procuring agency: [state "with all new versions, releases, and updates to all Standard Software during the Warranty Period, for free, as specified in the GCC," or specify other requirements as necessary and appropriate
Inspectio	ons and Tes	ts (GCC 23)
34.	23.1	Insert: necessary and appropriate clauses related to inspection/test or state "There are no Special Conditions of Contract applicable to GCC Clause 23."
Installati	ons (GCC	24)
35.	24.1	Insert: necessary and appropriate clauses, or state "There are no Special Conditions of Contract applicable to GCC Clause 24."
Operatio	onal Accept	ance Test (GCC 26)
36.	26.1	Operational Acceptance Testing shall be conducted in accordance with [specify: System or the Subsystems, the tests, the test procedures, and the required results for acceptance; alternatively reference the relevant section(s) of the Technical Requirements where acceptance testing details are given.]





37.	29.1	For Software, exceptions or limitations to the Supplier's warranty obligations shall be as follows: [state: "None;" or specify: category or categories of Software and the corresponding exceptions or limitations].		
38.	29.3	The Supplier warrants that the following items have been released to the market for the following specific minimum time periods: [state: "No specific minimum time requirements are established for this Contract other than that the Information Technologies must have been previously released to the market;" or specify: specific types of technologies and specific minimum time periods; for example, "All Standard Software must have been commercially available in the market for at least three months"].		
39.	29.4	The Warranty Period (N) shall begin from the date of Operational Acceptance of the System or Subsystem and extend for [state: "36 months;" or, if a different period is desired, specify: number of months; or, if appropriate, specify the periods that may apply to different types of technologies, e.g., hardware and software		
40.	29.10	During the Warranty Period, the Supplier must commence the wonecessary to remedy defects or damage within [insert: number (working) days / number of hours] of notification		
Intellecti	ıal Property	y Rights Indemnity		
41.	30.1	Insert: necessary and appropriate clauses, or state "There are no Special Conditions of Contract applicable to GCC Clause 30."		
Insuranc	e (GCC Cla	nuse 31)		
42.	31.1	The Insurance shall be in an amount equal (Insert amount) with deductible limits of no more than [insert: monetary value]. The Insurance shall cover the period from [insert: beginning date, relative to the Effective Date of the Contract] until [insert: expiration date, relative to the Effective Date of the Contract or its completion].		
Related	Services (G	CC Clause 33)		
43.	33.1	Related services to be provided are:		
		[Selected services covered under GCC Clause 33 and/or other should be specified with the desired features. The price quoted in the Bid price		







		or agreed with the selected Supplier shall be included in the Contract Price.]				
Change	Orders (GC	CC 34)				
44.	Insert: necessary and appropriate clauses, or state "There are no Special Conditions of Contract applicable to GCC Clause 34."					
Assignm	ent (GCC 3	36)				
45.	36.1	Contract can be assigned (insert yes or no)				
Liquida	ted Damage	es (GCC Clause 39)				
Duccodun	we for Diam	In case of supplier fails to timely deliver goods/services, a penalty equivalent to 2 % per week (calendar days) of the value of Purchase Order may be deducted from performance security. Maximum deduction: is equal to the performance security. Por SLA the penalties shall be as per clauses mentioned in SCC. ute Resolution (GCC Clause 45)				
3.	45.1	Dispute Resolution (a) For Contracts to be entered with foreign Contractor/ Service				
		Provider: If the Supplier is foreign (including a Joint Venture when at least one partner is foreign), the Contract shall contain the following provision: Arbitration proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of arbitration of [select one of the following: UNCITRAL / the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) / the Arbitration Institute of the Stockholm Chamber of Commerce / the London Court of International Arbitration]. These rules, in the version in force at the time of the request for arbitration, will be deemed to form part of this Contract.				
		(b) For Contracts to be entered with nationals of Pakistan:				







validity, termination and the execution of the Contract- whether during developing phase or after their completion and whether before or after the termination, abandonment or breach of the Contract – the parties shall seek to resolve any such dispute or difference by mutual diligent negotiations in good faith within 7 (seven) days following a notice sent by one Party to the other Party in this regard. At future of negotiation the dispute shall be resolved through 2. mediation and mediator shall be appointed with the mutual consent of the both parties. At the event of failure of mediation to resolve the dispute 3. relating to this contract such dispute shall finally be resolved through binding Arbitration by sole arbitrator in accordance with Arbitration Act 1940. The arbitrator shall be appointed by mutual consent of the both parties. The Arbitration shall take place in [Insert name of the city] and proceedings will be conducted in -[Specify language] language. The cost of the mediation and arbitration shall be shared by the 4. parties in equal proportion however the both parties shall bear their own costs and lawyer's fees regarding their own participation in the mediation and arbitration. However, the Arbitrator may make an award of costs upon the conclusion of the arbitration making any party to the dispute liable to pay the costs of another party to the dispute. Arbitration proceedings as mentioned in the above clause 5. regarding resolution of disputes may be commenced prior to, during or after delivery of goods. Notwithstanding any reference to the arbitration herein, the 6. parties shall continue to perform their respective obligations under the Contract unless they otherwise agree that the Procuring Agency shall pay the Supplier any monies due to the Supplier. Notices (GCC Clause 48) — Procuring Agency's address for notice purposes: 4. 48.1 —Supplier's address for notice purposes: Contract Validity & Renewal (GCC Clause 49)



49.1

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The initial contract validity shall be as following;

a. This agreement shall be valid for one Year.

	49.2	The renewal/extension of the contract shall be made by mutual consent of both parties on following basis.
		a. This contract can be extended or renewed on yearly basis by the consent of mutual parties @ fixed 10 % increase in the quoted price.
Other	Special Condi	itions of Contracts (GCC Clause 50)
6.	50	SERVICE LEVEL AGREEMENT
		A. GENERAL
		 The Bidder is responsible to provide the services/support details mentioned in Scope of Section V of this document.
		ii. The SLA should be based on a 24x7x365 Days with back-to-back support of vendor SOC team. In addition, supplier shall keep sufficient technical resources to
		report/online assist ZTBL within specified support time. Regulatory requirements with respect to applicable areas of insourcing and outsourcing should be fulfilled by the vendor.
		 ZTBL may also conduct interview of the REs to be deployed.
		v. The experience of SOC Level 1 Resource shall be at least one year.
		vi. The experience of SOC Level 2 Resource shall be at least three years.
		vii. ZTBL reserves the right to discontinue any services mentioned in the BOQ (itemized) any time by issuance of 15 day notice.
		viii. The REs will be in administrative supervision of Information Security Officials of ZTBL.
		ix. The REs will be in technical supervision of vendor's SOC's/Info Sec Head, with respect to services mentioned in Scope of work, training and skills upgradation.
		x. ZTBL will review performance of REs on quarterly basis. If performance/discipline of a RE is found to be unsatisfactory, he/she will be relieved of duty and a notice will be issued to the vendor for providing a replacement within 30 days.
		xi. The bidder and the deputed REs shall sign NDA/Confidentiality statement.
		xii. Man-days will be calculated as per official duty timing of ZTBL.







xiii.	ZTBL h	as rig	ght to	0 5	surprise	visit/audit/inspect/review
	vendor S	SOC r	remi	Ses	2	

xiv. The deployed resources of L1 and L2 will follow ZTBL official timings.

B. The SLA of services to be provided is categorized below.

S. N o	Cyber Attack Severity Level	Impact	Detection Time or Alert Time	Respon se Time after Detecti on/Alert	Penalty
1.	Critical I	Affects large number of systems or users on customer site and interrupts business or service delivery or damages reputatio n.	30 Minute s	1 Hour	As Penalty clause
2.	Major II	Affect a few staff and interrupt business to some degree	40 Minute s	2 Hours	As Penalty clause







3.	Minor III	Affect a few staff but does not interrupt business	1 Hour	3Hours	As Penalty clause	
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DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES

The following table summarizes all the services covered alongside the support level

Service	Support	Delivery On-Site	
Services defined in the scope of work SECTION V: SCOPE of this RFP.	 As per SLA/Scope of work above 		
Services Covered	Dedicated Resources	Dedicated Help Desk	
As mentioned in SECTION V: SCOPE, of this RFP.	to ensure account profiling, planning and resource facilitation, reporting and escalation management.	Web based ticketing direct phone support:	
Problem resolution support: A per SEVERITY LEVEL & RESPONSE TIME of SLA above.	Quarterly meeting with service provider project manager and dedicated resource for "Service performance goals" evaluation. Agreed escalation process to help ensure the most efficient resolution of all services requests.		

The Principal Period of Maintenance (PPM) for this agreement is; 24x7 for all issues.

xv. Service logging and request initiation with Vendor.







- a) Log the ticket directly on the incident management system's portal/email address given by supplier.
- Call supplier helpline XXXX and log ticket through call agent.
- c) E-mail IT helpdesk.

xvi. Response Time from Vendor's Team

- a) After first call, response time as stipulated above in the table. The Supplier representative shall contact ZTBL to determine nature of fault/issue and guide telephonically if issue can be resolved without vendor's official visit.
- b) Wherever problem is not resolved telephonically and necessitated by ZTBL, Supplier engineer/Official shall visit the site to resolve the issue.

xvii. Location & Response Time:

Complaint registration	24x7x365	
-	As per SLA of services to be provided ,categorized above(SOC	
Response Time	services)	

Location:

ZTBL Head Office, Islamabad

B. PENALTY

ZTBL shall impose penalty upon breach of SLA terms & conditions and delayed remedial maintenance as per following KPIs. ZTBL has rights to deduct the penalties from performance security or from the invoice after delivery of the services.

i. For SOC Services

Delay	Penalty/ Deduction		
Delay after the defined response time	Deduction from quarterly payable amount.		
2 Hrs.	5%		
8Hrs	10%		
24Hrs	15%		
48 Hrs	30%		







After 48 Hrs	2% (of Quarterly payment)
	deduction for every delayed
	hour

ii. For Resources Deployment

Services BOQ Items	Penalty/ Deduction		
For BOQ Item # 1, 2 after PO issued.	2% of the next quarterly payment for delay of each week(Calendar).		
For BOQ Item # 3 when demanded.	3 % of invoice of consumed man-days of the demanded service, for each delayed hour.		

C. ESCALATION PROCEDURE

Bidder will provide the escalation matrix with complete details on the individuals and Technical Account Manager/Support Officer with proper details.

Escalation Level	Contact Details	Departme nt	Designati on	Ema il	Contac t
Level – 1					
Level – 2					
Level - 3					

Both parties shall nominate a contact person and his name, designation, email address, land line number and mobile numbers will be providing to the other party.

i. DOCUMENTATION

b. Bidder will maintain support record which will be submitted for each quarterly payment.

Supp	Dat	Tim	Suppo	Cate	Acti	Acti	Support
ort Reg	е	e	rt Descr	gory H/M/	on take	on Guid	Request closed
uest			iption	L	n	e Prov ided	Date & Time

ii. OBLIGATIONS OF THE ZTBL

The customer shall:

- c. Provide a suitable environment for REs.
- d. Use the services strictly in accordance with the administration guides.







	services.	
 f. Not permit other persons to perform any activity o systems. 		







Integrity Pact

DECLARATION OF FEES, COMMISSION AND BROKERAGE ETC. PAYABLE BY THE SUPPLIERS OF GOODS, SERVICES & WORKS IN CONTRACTS WORTH RS.10.00 MILLION OR MORE

Contract Number:	Dated:
Contract Value: Rs. 7,506,235	

Contract Title: Procurement of Cyber Security Operation Centre (SOC) Services

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