

**Response of pre-bid meeting ” held on 23<sup>rd</sup> January, 2014 at 02:00 PM for procurement of  
“Generation of forecasts at hobli-level over Karnataka with different leads.**

Query 1: how much total Unit of delivery per month per hobli for one year

Reply: Number of Units: 8964 units in one year mentioned relates to 747 Hoblis for 12 months (747\*12)

Query2: How will constitute a Unit of delivery.

Reply: For Hobli forecasts, One Unit of Delivery: 60 (two forecast cycles per day) forecasts per calendar month per hobli with daily issue of forecasts at 7.30 AM and 1.30 PM.

Query 3: What will be the validity of Solvency certificate and its effective date.

Reply: Solvency Certificate: Validity should be within one year from the date of the submission of the Bid.

Query 4: Tender document showing Vat charges only, whether service tax is included.

Reply: Taxes: Taxes are as applicable as per Govt. notification from time to time.

Query 5: What will the testing period after award of the contract.

Reply: Testing Period will not be more than one month after the award of the contract.

Query 6: Whether the model configuration for technical evaluation will be communicated to the bidders in advance.

Reply: In the Technical Qualification, the model configuration will be given impromptu.

Query 7: Whether partial relaxation in Pre-Qualification Criteria will be allowed.

Reply: All the Pre-Qualification Criteria mentioned is necessary and to be fulfilled.

Query 8: Whether any communication is acceptable after pre-bid.

Reply: No more change in the tender will entertained after the Pre-Bid meeting.

Query 9: Request for reduction in the Turnover mentioned in the Tender document.

Reply: The Turnover of the firms to be a minimum of 1 Crore (per year)for the financial years (2010-11, 2011-12 ,2012-13) may be relaxed to a cumulative turnover of minimum 3 Crores for the financial years(2010-11,2011-12 ,2012-13).

Query 10: What will be the total Unit of delivery for the Panchayat level forecasts and forecasts for additional variables mentioned in the tender document (page 36, Clause 12)

Reply: Details are given below in Annexure VI. These items may be quoted separately besides the items mentioned in Annexure-III. However, **the rates quoted for items given in annexure VI will not be considered for deciding the lowest bidder.**

## ANNEXURE VI

Referring to page 36 , Clause 12 , Units for additional variables and units for Panchayat Level are defined below.

A. Units of delivery for Rainfall Forecasts at Panchayat Level

\*60 (two forecast cycles per day) forecasts per calendar month per panchayat is one unit

<b>Sl.No</b>	<b>Items</b>	<b>Forecast Duration</b>	<b>Forecast interval</b>	<b>Approximate units*</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
1	Gram Panchayat Level Forecast-3km	24 hour	1 hour	67512	5626x12

B. Forecasts for additional variables (Temperature, Wind and Humidity) at hobli level

<b>Sl no</b>	<b>Forecast Scale</b>	<b>Forecast Period</b>	<b>Forecast interval</b>	<b>Approximate units*</b>	<b>Remark</b>
1	Hobli (~10 Km)	24 hours	1 hour	26892 (One year)	747*12*3

\*60 (two forecast cycles per day) forecasts per calendar month per hobli per variable is one unit.