



Vadodara Gas Limited
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SUBJECT: Procurement of 2,00,000 Nos. of 06 mm Gas Tap on ARC for a period of 02 Years.

TENDER NO.: VGL/CO/C&P-PNG/BD202605P322 Dated 11/06/2026 & **TENDER ID:** 313651.

Sl. No.	Sec. No.	Page No.	Clause No.	Subject	Bidder's Query	VGL's Reply
1	SEC V	87	Approx Weight of valve	Valve should weigh approx. 125 g	Our suggestion is to give range of permissible weights or minimum weight criteria for fair evaluation and uniform bidding by all bidders. Gujarat Gas, Adani permits us to use 115 g gas tap, so that design is not permitted by us, kindly clarify. VGL itself gave range of 115 g (+/- 3 g). kindly clarify range for this tender as well.	115 grams (+/-) Confirmed
2	SEC V	87	Marking	All valves should have "VGL" marking by punching or embossing	We suggest to permit laser Marking on valves as well along with embossing like previous time. Special Embossing/Punching requires separate special die and maintaining separate inventory. Laser marking permission will allow supply immediately from common inventory.	Confirmed
3	SEC V	87	Nominal Diameter/ Hole size of gas tap	Nominal Hole size of gas tap (ball hole size- 8 mm or 10 mm?). The road of 9.0/10.00 Dia shall be passed throughout the Gas Tap without any type of Restriction Hole size of 10 mm (+/- 1 mm i.e. 9 mm) required min	Currently, some suppliers and CGD have started using 8 mm Hole diameter gas tap. It won't pass 9 mm rod test. Currently, VGL uses 10 mm Hole diameter and is conventionally used since years. Even our drawing is as per 10 mm hole diameter requirement. Kindly clarify whether such 8mm Hole diameter valve is permitted or 10 mm hole diameter gas tap is to be supplied mandatory. It is required to clarify so that all suppliers	10 mm hole diameter Confirmed



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					quote on similar design model.	
4	SEC V	86	O-ring material	Material O-ring required is Viton (in technical specifications & QAP) & as mentioned in Drawing is NBR	Kindly clarify if either NBR and Viton both are permitted to be used in O-ring materials? Generally, both are permitted and used by all CGD including VGL in past, but if specifically, Viton is required, we will have to consider its little extra cost while quoting. So, clarification is required. More importantly, if NBR is permitted, we can manage inventory easily as other CGD like Gujarat Gas, Adani Gas uses NBR O-ring instead of Viton and common material may be used for all which may enable immediate supply.	Both permitted
5	SEC IV	72	Clause2: Fixed price basis	Price is based on unit rates, which shall remain firm till the execution of the complete order and shall not be subjected to any increase or escalation whatsoever unless otherwise stated specifically in the tender.	We strongly recommend to use Price variation formula adopted by IGL, Adani Gas on every monthly/quarterly basis. To supply material at fixed rate for 2 years in highly volatile brass market is not viable for small MSE bidder. Kindly consider escalation/de-escalation rate of final valve linked with raw material rate as it safeguards interest of either party. Procurement of 200000 valves for fixed qty for 2 years is really tough challenge to supply at fixed uniform rate	Tender Conditions Prevail
6	SEC II	30	Clause16: EMD	MSEs (Micro & Small Enterprises) are exempted from submission of Tender Fee, EMD/ Bid Security in accordance with the provisions of PPP 2012 and Clause 40 of ITB	We request you to give due exemption for MSE bidder (manufacturer) in line with Procurement policy adopted by all government CGD like GAIL Gas, MNGL gas, IGL etc. to support vendors.	Tender Conditions Prevail



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