

# IRRIGATION AUTHORITY

## Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of a Filtration Plant and Associated works at Solitude (Phase 1) Drip Irrigation Project

Procurement Reference No: OAB/OMD/FILTRATIONPLANT/65/23

Minutes of pre-bid site meeting/visit held on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2024 on site at Solitude (Phase 1) Filtration Plant.

The following Bidders were present:

S.n	Bidder
1	Aqualia Ltd
2	Serveng Ltd
3	Remihens Ltd
4	Audax

### **1.0 Introduction**

The meeting started at 10h45.

All the Bidders present were welcomed on site.

A brief introduction of the project was given and the reasons for replacing the existing filtration plant was given.

The Bidders were requested to go through the document that is available on-line on the website of the Irrigation Authority at <http://ia.govmu.org>.

### **2.0 Scope of works**

The Bidders were informed that the installation works for the new Filtration plant should all be carried out within the space available on the existing concrete platform as described in the Bidding Document.

The new filtration plant shall be horizontal, self-cleaning, automatic suction scanning screen type filtration system, such that it fits on the existing platform area.

The filtration plant shall incorporate a pre-filter.

The starting point of the works shall be after the pressure reducing valve DN 300 found at the inlet and the finishing point shall be at the flanged connection piece DN 300 to the delivery pipe as were shown to the Bidders on site.

### **4.0 Layout of the Filtration Plant**

The Bidders were explained that the layout of the filtration plant shall be as proposed in our tender drawing.

The arrangement shall incorporate a by-passed pipe.

## **5.0 Power Supply**

The Bidders were informed that the power supply to the Filtration plant shall be taken from our existing sub-office which is adjacent. Bidders were requested to propose the routing of the cabling works to the filtration system as from the first floor of the sub-office where the main power distribution board/breaker is located.

The power available on site is mono-phase.

## **6.0 Backwashed pipe**

The existing pipe network for the evacuation of the backwashed water to the soak away was also indicated to the Bidders.

## **7.0 General Notes**

The Bidders were informed that they can re-visit the site again, if so, required for further survey and inspection.

The pre-bid site meeting ended at 11hr30.

*Pre-bid site visit conducted and minutes taken by **Mr B. SEEWOODHARRY** (Ag. Principal Engineer)*

*February 2024*