

October 24, 2021

Mekorot Water Company Ltd.
Process No. P/23-2021

Invitation to Submit Bids
Tender for the Appointment of a Panel of Service Providers for
Detailed Design Services (the "Invitation")

Addendum No. 5

1. Further to the Invitation, re-published on **August 31, 2021**, Clarifications Questions were received. The questions and respective answers are as specified below (unless otherwise defined herein, capitalized terms shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Invitation).
2. Bidders are to note that:
 - 2.1. As set out in Section 2.3.4 of the Invitation, any Clarification Question not responded by Mekorot shall be deemed rejected; and
 - 2.2. As set out in Section 2.3.5 of the Invitation, in its response to a Clarification Question, Mekorot may rephrase any Clarification Question, including adding to the original language or omitting from the original language, as it shall deem fit under the circumstances.
3. The schedule for the Tender Process is **updated** as follows:
 - 3.1. Final date for the submission of Clarification Questions: **November 16, 2021, at 12:00 noon (Israel time)**.
 - 3.2. Bid Submission Deadline: **December 7, 2021, at 12:00 noon (Israel time)**.Revised Tender Forms shall be sent to Bidders following the date of this Addendum.
4. A new Section 6.4A shall be added to the Invitation as follows:

"6.4 A Relying on an Experience Provider.

 - 6.4A.1 A Bidder may include up to one Experience Provider (as defined below) in its Bid in order to increase its quality scores in relation to quality criteria in Sections 1.1.1 and 1.1.2 in Annex 2 of the Invitation.
 - 6.4A.2 If applicable, an Experience Provider of a Bidder shall mean an entity that:
 - 6.4A.2.1 complies with the threshold conditions set out in Sections 6.1.1 to 6.1.4 and 6.1.6 (it is clarified that the Bidder is still required to comply with all threshold conditions); and
 - 6.4A.2.2 is an entity that Controls or is Controlled by or is under common Control with the Bidder. For the purposes of this section, the term Control shall have the meaning ascribed thereto in the Israeli Securities Law 5728 – 1968 with the

exception that the percentage threshold set out in the definition of Control shall be more than 50% in any means of control.

6.4A.3 If the Bid includes an Experience Provider, the following shall apply in relation to the quality scores:

6.4A.3.1 In relation to quality criteria in Sections 1.1.1 in Annex 2 of the Invitation, the "number of consecutive years of operation as an engineering design firm" scored shall the higher of the Bidder or the Experience Provider;

6.4A.3.2 In relation to quality criteria in Sections 1.1.2 in Annex 2 of the Invitation, the "number of engineers" scored shall the number of engineers presented by the Bidder and the Experience Provider combined;

A new Section 6.5.13 shall be added to the Invitation as follows:

"6.5.13 Only if the Bid includes an Experience Provider, Tender Form No. 12 (Affidavit for demonstrating compliance with the threshold conditions for an Experience Provider)."

A new Section 4.5.5 shall be added to the Invitation as follows:

"4.5.5 An Experience Provider (if applicable) will not participate in this tender, directly or indirectly, in the Bid of more than one Bidder."

4. This document must be signed by the Bidder and attached to the submission.

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1.	Threshold Conditions	Invitation to Submit Bids	21	6.1.5	<p>we request your approval to allow an annual average revenue in the last 3 years from the bidder of only 20 million NIS. Especially when combined with the rest of your requirements which specified in threshold criteria and quality score criteria (years of operation, number of engineers etc.) is enough to show the company's size, strength and stability</p>	<p>Mekorot hereby accepts the request.</p> <p>Section 6.1.5 of the Invitation will be replaced in its entirety as follows:</p> <p>"6.1.5. The Bidder has an annual Average Revenue of at least NIS 20 million in the audited financial statements of the years 2017, 2018 and 2019. The Average Revenue is calculated as follows: Average Revenue = $\frac{1}{3} \times [2017 \text{ Revenue}] + \frac{1}{3} \times [2018 \text{ Revenue}] + \frac{1}{3} \times [2019 \text{ Revenue}]$ - or The Bidder has an annual Average Revenue of at least NIS 20 million in the audited financial statements of the years 2018, 2019 and 2020 The Average Revenue is calculated as follows: Average Revenue = $\frac{1}{3} \times [2018 \text{ Revenue}] + \frac{1}{3} \times [2019 \text{ Revenue}] + \frac{1}{3} \times [2020 \text{ Revenue}]$ It is clarified that the data in the financial statements which do not appear in NIS will be converted to NIS according to the instructions in Annex 3."</p>

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2.	Threshold conditions for Bidders – relying on foreign firm – annual revenue	Invitation to Submit Bids	25	6.4.2.2	We ask you to reduce the threshold conditions from NIS 12 million to NIS 10 million in the years 2018-2019-2020 and update the tender documents accordingly, including Form # 6 of submitting the bid and the other relevant forms.	<p>Mekorot hereby accepts the request.</p> <p>Section 6.4.2.2 of the Invitation will be replaced in its entirety as follows:</p> <p>"6.4.2.2. The Bidder has an annual Average Revenue of at least NIS 10 million in the audited financial statements of the years 2017, 2018 and 2019. The Average Revenue is calculated as follows: Average Revenue = $\frac{1}{3} \times [2017 \text{ Revenue}] + \frac{1}{3} \times [2018 \text{ Revenue}] + \frac{1}{3} \times [2019 \text{ Revenue}]$ - or The Bidder has an annual Average Revenue of at least NIS 10 million in the audited financial statements of the years 2018, 2019 and 2020 The Average Revenue is calculated as follows: Average Revenue = $\frac{1}{3} \times [2018 \text{ Revenue}] + \frac{1}{3} \times [2019 \text{ Revenue}] + \frac{1}{3} \times [2020 \text{ Revenue}]$"</p>

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3.	Threshold Conditions ; Quality Criteria	Invitation to Submit Bids			<p>We request your approval to allow as a bidder an engineering firm that operates by 2 companies both comply with threshold conditions as specified in clauses 6.1.1-6.1.4. both companies are owned in 100% by 1 individual and operate and managed as a single company. if necessary and according to your request and as a condition to signing the contract, we shall present a request for a corporate merger to the registrar of companies.</p>	<p>Mekorot hereby rejects the request. However please note that the definition of "Bidder" in the Invitation shall be replaced in its entirety as follows:</p> <p>"Either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) A corporation which complies with all the threshold conditions for the Bidder; or (ii) two corporations wholly owned and controlled by an individual or entity ("Co-Bidder(s)") and which <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) each Co-Bidder complies with all the threshold conditions for the Bidder set out in Sections 6.1.1 to 6.1.4 and 6.1.6; and (b) the Co-Bidders jointly comply with the threshold condition for the Bidder set out in Sections 6.1.5 (combined Average Revenue). <p>A new Section 8.2.4 shall be added to the Invitation as follows:</p> <p>8.2.4. In the event that the Successful Bidder is comprised of Co-Bidders, the Co-Bidders shall have presented to Mekorot evidence, acceptable to Mekorot, of submitting a request for</p>

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						<p>merging the Co-Bidders to the registrar of companies or similar body in their country of incorporation.</p> <p>A New Section _____</p> <p>If the Bid is submitted by Co-Bidders, in relation to quality criteria in Sections 1.1.1 in Annex 2 of the Invitation, the "number of consecutive years of operation as an engineering design firm" scored shall the higher of the Co-Bidders;</p>
4.	Threshold Conditions for Foreign Engineering Firm	Invitation to Submit Bids	26	6.4.4.5.	<p>Please clarify that the Foreign Engineering Firm can rely upon Eligible Tasks that were executed through/by engineers that serve at the Foreign Engineering Firm and are part of the Foreign Engineering Firm's personnel for this Tender, (as will be presented in the relevant affidavits of the Foreign Engineering Firm's engineers according to Attachments C(1)-C(7)).</p>	<p>Mekorot hereby accepts the request.</p> <p>The definition of "Key Personnel and any individual a Key Person" in the Agreement shall be replaced in its entirety as follows:</p> <p>"Key Personnel and any individual a Key Person - Any one of the Designers listed in Appendix H of this Agreement, including any Subcontractor Designer, which have been presented by the Supplier or the Foreign Engineering Firm as part of the Tender in response to the threshold conditions for each of the Panel Categories, and have been</p>

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						approved by Mekorot. Each Key Person will serve as the Chief Designer in relation to the Design Order for the Panel Category in which he/she was presented, will serve as the Supplier's contact with Mekorot with respect to its applicable Panel Category, will be responsible for advancing the design in all its aspects, and be responsible for overall design quality and progress;"
5.	Threshold Conditions for Foreign Engineering Firm	Invitation to Submit Bids	26	6.4.4.7	Please clarify that when the Bidder comply by itself with the requirements of the threshold condition in Section 6.1.5 (Average Revenues), the Foreign Engineering Firm can rely on the Bidder's average revenues.	Mekorot hereby rejects the request.
6.	Undertaking by a Foreign Engineering Firm	Tender Form No. 10	38-39		We will appreciate you updating the clause as such these requirement from the foreign company will be applied with large scale / complex projects and with upon advanced coordination	Mekorot hereby accepts the request. Sections a and b of Appendix K of the Agreement and Section 2a and 2b of Tender form No.10 will be replaced in its entirety as follows: a. The requirement to provide the services of the Foreign Engineering Firm will be the

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						<p>following projects and planning products (the “Mandatory Services”):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concrete or steel reservoir with volume exceeding 20,000m³ • Earth and rock reservoirs with volume exceeding 250,000m³ • Water treatment facilities (including treatment of reclaimed and waste water) with a total output flow exceeding 1,000m³/hr excluding liquid dosing facilities • Pipelines with diameter exceeding 80" and length exceeding 500m • Tunneling with diameter exceeding 60" or length exceeding 500m • Wells with depth exceeding 500m • Pumping stations with total output flow exceeding 10,000m³/hr

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						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Other large or complex tasks at Mekorot's discretion <p>For the Mandatory Services, The Foreign Engineering Firm will be required to check and/or approve the following design documents:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basis of Design Report • P&ID • General arrangements • Pipelines longitudinal sections • Pipeline and/or Equipment arrangements and cross sections • Earthwork and foundations • LLI and Main Equipment technical specifications • Project Specific Specifications • Electrical SLD • Control and Automation Specifications • Well cross section • Structural static calculation

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						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pumping station hydraulic calculations • Water transient calculations and solutions <p>b. documents and reports required during the construction and commissioning phases including commissioning and start-up plans, site visit reports, commissioning protocols, hand-over protocols, etc.</p>
7.	Affidavit for demonstrating quality score for the Bidder	Attachment A to Tender Form No.6	4	6	Please clarify that a 3D model of a design using a BIM software, will suffice in the absence of a completion certificate (in order to receive the applicable scoring for design works using a BIM).	Mekorot hereby approves that in lieu of a completion certificate as requested in Section 6 of Attachment A to Tender Form No.6, the Bidders may attach a customer approval for the completion of the design.

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8.	Foreign Engineering Firm	Invitation to Submit Bids	25	6.4.4	<p>Mekorot states, A "Foreign Engineering Firm" meets the threshold conditions noted in 6.4.4, including "6.4.4.3 It is not registered in Israel".</p> <p>If a Foreign Engineering Firm registered in its home country, is also registered as a branch in Israel (as a Foreign Company) we presume this meets the intent of the threshold conditions for a Foreign Engineering Firm, and will therefore also be awarded the quality score detailed in Annex 2.</p>	<p>Mekorot hereby accepts the request.</p> <p>Section 6.4.4.3 of the Invitation will be replaced in its entirety as follows:</p> <p>"6.4.4.3. It is not registered in Israel or it is registered in Israel as a foreign Company (חברת חוץ)"</p>
9.	Threshold Requirements	Addendum No. 2			<p>In response to a question related to Annex 2, 2.1 Concrete and steel reservoirs for drinking and reclaimed water including renewable energy systems- Mekorot provided a clarification that, "It is hereby clarified that an Eligible Task must include the design of inlet and outlet pipework up to the inlet and outlet valve\ and the overflow pipework up to the reservoir exterior contour."</p> <p>We agree that the project should include the scope referenced, however this threshold applies to the Pipeline scope</p>	<p>Mekorot hereby clarifies as follows: a valid Designer for an Eligible Task for the ""Concrete and Steel Reservoirs"" Category can be one of the following options.</p> <p>Option 1 - the Designer complies with Section 2.1.1 of Annex 2 of the Invitation (""Holds a B.Sc. degree in civil and/or environmental and/or agricultural and/or mechanical engineering""). In that case the Eligible Task must include the design of the inlet, outlet and overflow pipework up to the</p>

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					(6.1, 6.2), not 'Concrete and steel reservoirs for drinking and reclaimed water including renewable energy systems' scope and we have addressed it as such. Please confirm this is acceptable to Mekorot.	inlet\outlet valve\ and the reservoir contour accordingly. Option 2 - the Designer is a registered and licensed civil engineer. In that case the Designer is only required to demonstrate that he/she was responsible for the design on the reservoir's structure.
10.	Threshold conditions for Bidders – employed engineers' qualifications	Invitation to Submit Bids	24	6.4.2.1.	We ask for your approval that CIVIL ENGINEER for the purpose of meeting the threshold conditions will also be considered a person who has received certification as a "Structural Engineer" [הנדסת בנין/בנין מהנדס] in a sub-specialization of water and sewage or without such a sub-specialization.	Mekorot hereby accepts the request.
11.	Threshold Conditions ; Quality Criteria	Invitation to Submit Bids; Annex 2 to Invitation			we request your approval to allow registration in Engineering Registry until 30/10/2021 and not as specified 31/12/2015. a registration in engineering registry is a confirmation that the employee is an engineer that was qualified in an academic institute that was approved by Israeli authorities. the date of registry doesn't indicate	Mekorot hereby accepts the request. Section 6.1.4 b) of the Invitation will be replaced in its entirety as follows: "6.1.4 b) Possesses a valid registration in the Engineers Registry in the relevant country, provided that such a registry exists,

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					whatsoever on the engineer's experience	and the registration was made no later than 30 October 2021". Section 1.1.2 (ii) of Annex 2 will be replaced in its entirety as follows: "Possess a valid registration in the Engineers Registry, provided that such a registry exists in the in the country applicable for such engineer, and the registration was made no later than 30 October 2021".
12.	Threshold conditions for the Foreign Engineering Firm	Tender Form No. 11		3.7, 3.7.2, 4.2.4, 3.71, 4.2.3,	We request your approval that for the bid submission, in case of a large international foreign engineering company, it will suffice to submit a signed affidavit by authorized signatory / legal rep / accountant that the details are correct and the company employs at least 20 registered engineers from relevant fields. If a need to present documentation as proof arises it will be presented to authorized personal in Mekorot. The foreign company	Mekorot hereby rejects the request. Please see Section 4.3.5 of the Invitation (Confidentiality of the proposal).

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					requested for confidentiality on this matter.	
13.	Threshold conditions for the Foreign Engineering Firm	Tender Form No. 11; Attachment C		3.8	We request your approval that for the bid submission, in case of a large international foreign engineering company, it will suffice to submit a signed affidavit by authorized signatory / legal rep / accountant that the details provided are correct. If a need to present documentation as proof arises it will be presented to authorized personal in Mekorot. The foreign company requested for confidentiality on this matter.	Mekorot hereby rejects the request. Please see Section 4.3.5 of the Invitation (Confidentiality of the proposal).
14.	Threshold conditions for the Foreign Engineering Firm	Tender Form No. 11		3.10, 4.3	We request your approval that for the bid submission, in case of a large international foreign engineering company, it will suffice to submit a signed affidavit by authorized signatory / legal rep / accountant that the company complies with requirements mentioned in clauses 3.10 and 4.3. If a need to present documentation as proof arises it will be presented to authorized personal in Mekorot. The foreign company	Mekorot hereby rejects the request. Please see to Section 4.3.5 of the Invitation (Confidentiality of the proposal).

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					requested for confidentiality on this matter.	
15.	Earth and rock dam Reservoirs	Annex 2 to Invitation	6	4.1.3	We request your approval to present only 2 reservoirs of 200,000 m3 that were completed and another larger reservoir that its design is in final stages (drawings sent for approval). All 3 reservoir comply with threshold and quality criteria and were designed for Mekorot and were supervised by Mekorot's reservoir board	Mekorot hereby accepts the request. The first paragraph Section 4.1.3 of Annex 2 to the Invitation will be replaced in its entirety as follows: "4.1.3. The Designer has performed the detailed design of at least 2 Earth dam reservoirs with a minimal volume of 100,000 m3 each. Each design must meet the following requirements:"
16.	threshold conditions for the Foreign Engineering Firm, in Earth and Rock Dam Reservoirs	Attachment C (5)	6	4.1.3	We request your approval that experience of foreign companies can include earth reservoirs that were designed mostly by dig, dig depth is at least 5 m under natural surface, embankment length is at least 0.1 km and they don't include hydraulic drainage systems	Mekorot hereby rejects the request.

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17.	threshold conditions for the Foreign Engineering Firm, in Earth and Rock Dam Reservoirs	Attachment C (5)	6	4.1.3	We request your approval that for foreign companies that designed earth reservoirs with 400 m embankment length and crest height is at least 5 m, there is no need for embankment length to be 30% of reservoir circumference	<p>Mekorot hereby rejects the request. However please note that Section 4.1.3.2 of Annex 2 of the Invitation will be replaced in its entirety as follows:</p> <p>“4.1.3.2. Crest height is at least 5 meters above original ground level.”</p> <p>The Colom “Embankment length” in Section 2 of Attachment C(5) will be deleted.</p>
18.	pipelines	Annex 2 to Invitation	9	6.1.3.5, 6.1.3.6	We request your approval to allow road crossing by no dig method of 70 m in length and higher in threshold criteria or to allow a 100 m railway crossing instead. The majority of roads in Israel require for a no dig method of 50-80 m only.	<p>Mekorot hereby rejects the request. However please note that Section 6.1.3.5 of Annex 2 of the Invitation will be replaced in its entirety as follows:</p> <p>“6.1.3.5. At least one task included crossing of a two-lane road in any tunneling method (except open excavation);”</p>

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19.	pipelines	Annex 2 to Invitation	9	6.1.3.1	Foreign companies use types of pipelines that aren't used in Israel (ductile and cast iron). We request to allow such tasks in foreign company experience	Mekorot hereby clarifies that in Section 6.1.3.1 of Annex 2 to the Invitation there is no requirement regarding materials used to designs of pressurized pipelines for the transfer of water and/or wastewater and/or recycled water.
20.	Pumping Stations (including well equipment)	Annex 2 to Invitation	12	8.1.3	We request your approval to include well equipment with construction costs of 250,000 USD as eligible tasks. A large portion of the wells in Israel are shallow wells up to 100 m (coast, shafdan, east drain wells) with construction cost of 250,000-300,000 USD. Threshold criteria of 600,000 USD aborts many wells which meet all other threshold criteria.	Mekorot hereby rejects the request. However please note that Section 8.1.3.1 of Annex 2 to the Invitation will be deleted.

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21.	Pumping Stations (including well equipment)	Annex 2 to Invitation	12	8.1.3	We request your approval that in case of a large project containing many well equipment projects, all designed by the same designer, it will be possible to include 2-3 wells in place of 1 well in order to comply with the 600,000 USD requirement	Please see answer to question no. 20 above.
22.	Concrete and steel reservoirs	Annex 2 to Invitation	2	2.2.1	Threshold conditions specify concrete or steel reservoirs with minimum volume of 2,000 m3. We request your approval that concrete reservoirs with volume of over 15,000 m3 can be allowed in quality score of smaller volume reservoirs	Mekorot hereby accepts the request.
23.	Threshold Conditions	Attachment B to Tender form No. 7			At the bottom of every experience table the designer is requested to provide documentation such as drawing, layouts, cross sections, certificate of completion and more. In cases where the experience of the designer came when he was working in a company that isn't the bidder, these documents aren't at his disposal. Therefore, we request your approval to present a document	Mekorot hereby clarifies that to the extent that the documents evidencing the Eligible Tasks (required under each table in Attachment B to Tender form No.7) are not in the possession of the Bidder, an affidavit regarding the circumstances of their absence shall be attached.

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					that includes the details of the client and a signed affidavit by an attorney without these documents. This will allow equal opportunity to everyone	
24.	Concrete and steel reservoirs	Addendum 2	17	68	The design of concrete and steel reservoirs requires a number of designers - pipelines and accessories, constructor and others. The constructor has a major and essential part in the design. We request your approval that a constructor will be able to register as an expert in this category and his tasks will be allowed as eligible tasks. especially when in the bid the bidder presents other experts in the pipeline category. the constructor is responsible for serving the online construction request and signs it, and without hi, the facility cannot be delivered to the client	Mekorot hereby accepts the request. Please see answer 9to question no. 8.

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25.					We will appreciate your approval to submit instead a signed affidavit by company's attorney / authorized signatory / authorized rep that the company complies with clause 4.1 (since a signed letter from a CPA is costly for the bid stage)	Mekorot hereby rejects the request.
26.		Addendum No.2	4	2.1.3	clause wasn't corrected that design ended after 1.1.2010 is eligible, according to reply to clarification questions	It is hereby clarified that specific answers given in the Addendums shall prevail.
27.		Addendum No.2	5	3.1.3	clause wasn't corrected that design ended after 1.1.2010 is eligible, according to reply to clarification questions	It is hereby clarified that specific answers given in the Addendums shall prevail.

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28.		Addendum No.2	9	6.1.1	clause wasn't corrected to include environmental engineer as was stated in reply to clarification questions	It is hereby clarified that specific answers given in the Addendums shall prevail.
29.		Addendum No.2	9	6.1.3.3	clause wasn't corrected that design ended after 1.1.2010 is eligible, according to reply to clarification questions	It is hereby clarified that specific answers given in the Addendums shall prevail.
30.		Addendum No.2	12	8.1.3	clause wasn't corrected that design ended after 1.1.2010 is eligible, according to reply to clarification questions	It is hereby clarified that specific answers given in the Addendums shall prevail.

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31.	Threshold Conditions for Bidders	Invitation to Submit Bids	20	6.1.4	Please clarify that a confirmation of registration in the Registrar of Engineers will suffice to prove compliance for the relevant engineer, in the absence of an original certificate of eligibility for a degree.	<p>Mekorot hereby accepts the request provided that: (1) the confirmation of registration in given by the Israeli Registrar of Engineers; and (2) the engineer shall provide a signed affidavit regarding the circumstances of absence of the certificate of eligibility for a degree.</p> <p>It is hereby clarified that there is no requirement to attach the original certificate of eligibility for a degree, a true copy of the original may be attached instead.</p>
32.		Addendum No.2	37	135	<p>"In Addendum 2 - responses to the Requests for Clarification (RFCs) #135 Mekorot states, "... All Design tasks that were completed (approved for construction) after 1 January 2010 and prior to Bid Submission Date will be considered as Eligible Tasks."</p> <p>The updated Annex 2 issued as part of the Amended Tender Documents (Addendum 3 on September 2, 2021) does not incorporate the updated</p>	It is hereby clarified that specific answers given in the Addendums shall prevail.

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					uniform requirement as stated in Addendum 2 issued on August 15, 2021. It is our assumption that the uniform requirement specified prevails. "	
33.					"ITB section "2.3.3. The replies to the Clarification Questions shall be an integral part of the Tender Documents, and they will be signed by the Bidder and attached to its Bid ("Clarification Documents")." There are various change noted in Addendum 2 in the RFCs which are not updated in the Amended Tender Documents. Just to be clear, it is our assumption based on the ITB terms that all RFC responses are incorporated into the Tender Documents."	It is hereby clarified that specific answers given in the Addendums shall prevail.
34.					We request your approval that for the purpose of the number of engineers employed by the Foreign Firm, as a threshold condition, you will approve all those engineers between whom and the company has an employee-employer relationship according to the laws of the country in which the company operates.	Mekorot hereby accepts the request.

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35.		Form No.6			We would ask to you to re-check form #6 and if you find it appropriate add a form that will be suitable for submittal by an Israeli bidder that relies on a foreign engineering company.	Section 3.5 of Form No.6 will be amended as follows: "The Bidder employs (directly and not outsourced) at least _____ (please complete) engineers, each of these engineers complies with the two cumulative conditions below" In addition, please see Form no. 11
36.		Form No.10			According to section 2 of the form the foreign firm must review/approve all the deliveries to be prepared by the bidder. We would like you to consider changing the wording so that it is clarified that [1]The review/approve will be carried out only in case that the foreign firm takes an active part in the design of the project. [2] The review/approval will only be performed in the case that Mekorot requires this in advance before the bid is submitted for the specific job	Please see answer to question no. 6.

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					The rationale behind this request is that in regular/small projects with a relatively small fee, the documents will be prepared in Hebrew and there will be no way to cover the costs involved in translating into English and the costs of the foreign firm for review/approval."	
37.	Threshold Requirements	Addendum No. 2			<p>Mekorot response provided that "The following will be added to section 4.1.3.2: in case of a dam across a river or valley Crest height is at least 15 meter above original ground level and there is no minimal length requirement."</p> <p>The original threshold stated "4.1.3.2. Crest height is at least 5 meters above original ground level and the length of the artificial embankment is at least 30% of the total reservoir circumference."</p> <p>Please confirm that 15 meters was a typo and it should read 5 meters with no minimal length requirement in the RFC response.</p>	<p>Mekorot hereby clarifies as follows: If the Eligible Task in question is a Dam (crossing a river or valley) than the Dam must be at least 15 meters high (above ground level) with no minimal length required. If the Eligible Task in question is for a reservoir with a closed embankment circumference than the height of the crest must be at least 5 meters above original ground level."</p>