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WP10 ITT: CLARIFICATION QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Q1. Do we have to state in our tender response all our existing IP (Background Intellectual Property) that we are going to use in the performance of the WP10? Such IP will remain of our property?

A. Suppliers are not expected to state their existing Background Intellectual Property in their tender response.

Please refer to the Terms and Conditions 27 (1) for the treatment of Background Intellectual Property.

- Q2. Do we have an obligation to grant to the other contractors a license to use such Background Intellectual Property?
- **A.** There is no requirement for suppliers to license their background Intellectual Property to the other contractors during the project. However, please refer to conditions 27 and 28 of the Terms and Conditions for licensing requirements of Intellectual Property.
- Q3. In the Hydrogen Approach section at page 13 it is stated that the "Distribution network down to the end user's gas meter (involving pipework that transports the gas under a pressure of up to 7 bar)".

On the other hand in section 4.3 Supply pressure it is stated "The hydrogen supply pressure to the property Emergency Control Valve (ECV) will be comparable to the current supply of natural gas in the low-pressure network, at 0.075[...] bar".

Could you please confirm that the Maximum Operating Pressure required for the GSME is around 75mbar, as required but the low-pressure network? If not which is the required value for the MOP?

- **A.** The maximum operating pressure of the GSME is to be 75 mbar in accordance with current natural gas meter standards for low pressure distribution.
- Q4. Considering the complexity of the project, we kindly ask you to postpone of one month (in respect of the 29th April) the deadline for the submission of the response.
- **A.** The deadline for tender submissions has been extended to Monday 13th May 12 noon (UK time). Please refer to the attached revised procurement timetable.