

SMEC/PMC 400 MLD /CHENNAI/7061563/002

Date: 12th March 2021

To.

The Executive Director,

Chennai Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage Board. Urban Administrative Building, 1st Floor, No.75, Santhome High Road, Raja Annamalaipuram, Chennai 600 028, Tamil Nadu, India

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Sub:

Consultancy for "Design, Preparation of Bid Documents & Evaluation of Bids for the Proposed Construction of 400 MLD Capacity Seawater Reverse Osmosis Desalination Plant at Perur along East Coast Road, South of Chennai, Tamil Nadu and Construction Management & Supervision for the Proposed Desalination Plant and its Product Water Conveyance Pipeline from the Plant and upto Porur and all allied works" (JICA Loan ID-P267)

Ref:

Our Contract Agreement with CMWSSB, dated 09.01.2020

Dear Sir,

Thank you very much for the courtesy extended to the undersigned during my visit to your office on 09th March 2021. During my visit, I have also had an opportunity to meet and discuss the project update with the Project Implementation Unit (PIU) team and have also met the Project Management Consultancy (PMC) staff working on this prestigious project.

I appreciate your suggestions regarding the deployment of the expatriate key experts in Chennal and other general issues on the project and would like to personally assure you the full cooperation and support of PMC team in smooth functioning of this project in future.

Also, I appreciate your specific concerns on the important issues pertaining to CP4 component which is a strategic part of the project implementation and that as discussed, we will be arranging workshops to deliberate on this key component with the stakeholders.

Please do let me know if there is anything that I can do in future to assist you and your team in this project. I will be making more frequent visits to Chennai and will take personal interest in advancing the progress of the project.

Thanking you and assuring our best services always.

Yours Sincerely,

Andrew McKune **Executive Director**

