

Ref: 4464/2026/WH/01/0581

July 13, 2026

Project Director,
Attabad Lake HPP,
WAPDA, Hunza.

**MANAGEMENT CONSULTING SERVICES FOR REVIEW OF FEASIBILITY STUDY,
PROCUREMENT OF EPC CONTRACTOR OF CONTRACT MANAGEMENT AND
ADMINISTRATION AND DETAILED DESIGN FOR OVERFLOW WEIR AND LANDSLIDE
SLOPE TREATMENT OF THE ATTABAD LAKE HYDROPOWER PROJECT (54 MW)**

**Reply to Pre-Proposal Clarification No.06 Requested from Proposer M/s C Digital on
RFP/EPC Bidding Document of Package-III: Electro-Mechanical Works of ALHPP
(54MW)**

Dear Sir,

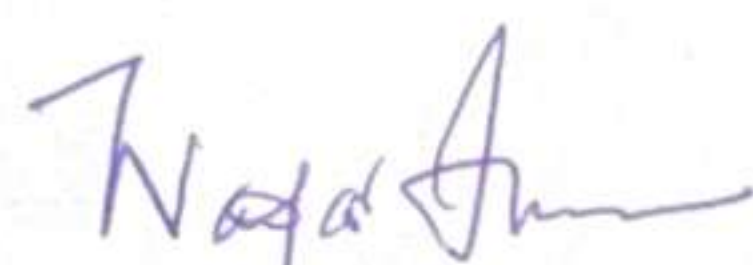
Reference is made to the email of July 13, 2026 received from your good-office vide which a Proposer M/s C Digital, has requested for a clarification pertaining to Technical Provisions, Part-II, Volume-II of RFP/EPC Bidding Document of Package-III of the subject Project.

In this regard, AHMC Technical Expert has reviewed the Pre-Proposal Clarification No. 06 requested from Proposer M/s C Digital, and our point-wise reply to the clarification has been tabulated for your perusal.

Please find enclosed herewith, one (01) copy of reply to the Pre-Proposal Clarification No. 06 requested from Proposer M/s C Digital, on Technical Provisions, Part-II, Volume-II of RFP/EPC Bidding Document of Package-III.

This is for you information and further necessary action please.

Yours Truly,
for Attabad Hydropower Management Consultants



Waqar Hasnain
Project Manager-AHMC

Encl: As Stated Above.

Cc:

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2. Office File

Response to Pre-Proposal Clarification No. 06 from Proposer M/s C Digital. on RFP/EPC Bidding Document of Package-III: Electro-Mechanical Works of ALHPP

Sr. No.	Clarification from Proposer	Reply by AHMC
1.	Reference is made to the Volume-II, Part-II, Technical Provisions, Sub-Clause 3.5.1, wherein the Generator Circuit Breakers (GCBs) are specified as vacuum type. However, Addendum No.01 requires the 11kV switchgear for the generating units to be of SF₆ Gas type, while all other 11 kV switchgear remains specified as vacuum type. The Proposer respectfully request the Employer to confirm that vacuum-type Generator Circuit Breakers (GCBs), as originally specified under Sub-Clause 3.5.1, shall remain acceptable, provided they comply with all specified ratings and technical requirements. Generator Circuit Breakers (GCBs) are specially designed to interrupt Generator fault currents, system faults, synchronization switching, and other Generator operating duties. Vacuum Type Generator Circuit Breakers are widely used and proven for these applications at the 11 kV level and fully satisfy the required performance and interrupting capabilities. We also note that the Schedules of Technical Particulars continue to specify "Arc Quenching Medium (Vacuum)/SF₆ Gas Type Breakers" for the Generator Circuit Breakers (GCBs), indicating that both technologies are acceptable. Using vacuum type technology for the Generator Circuit Breakers (GCBs) also provides the benefit of maintaining common equipment with the remaining 11 kV switchgear, simplifying operation, maintenance, and spare parts management. In addition, vacuum type Generator Circuit Breakers (GCBs) require no gas handling or gas density monitoring and offer high reliability and long service life. In view of the above, we kindly request the Employer to confirm that vacuum-type Generator Circuit Breakers (GCBs) are acceptable for the 11 kV Generator Switchgear, provided they meet all requirements of the RFP/EPC Bidding Document. The Employer clarification will be appreciated to enable Proposers to prepare technically compliant and competitive Proposals.	Noted. The Proposers request to accept vacuum-type Generator Circuit Breakers (GCBs) instead of SF₆ Gas-type Generator Circuit Breakers (GCBs) for the 11 kV Generator Switchgear is under consideration by the Employer which will be incorporated in the upcoming Addendum No. 03 to the RFP/ EPC Bidding Document and will be issued/uploaded on EPADS V2.0 in due course of time.

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