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### TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

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## SECTION - 6411

### WATER PROOFING/ EXPANSION JOINT FILLING & BUILT UP ROOFING

#### 1.0 SCOPE

The work under this section of the Specifications consists of furnishing all plant, labour, equipment, appliances and materials and in performing all operations in any floor and at any height in connection with water-proofing and built-up roofing, including water proof treatment to foundations and basement structures complete in strict accordance with this section of the specifications and the applicable drawings and subject to the terms and conditions of the Contract.

#### 2.0 SUBMITTAL

- 2.1 Shop Drawings: Shop drawings shall be submitted showing layout and all the details for construction.
- 2.2 Samples of all materials proposed for use under this section, shall be submitted to the Engineer for approval.

#### 3.0 MATERIALS

- 3.1 Bitumen 10/20 grade shall be according to BSS.
- 3.2 Bitumen priming oil shall be of the approved manufacturer.
- 3.3 Flexible cementitious water proofing AQUAFIN-TC 07 & AQUAFIN -2K/M or approved equivalent
- 3.4 Polyethylene building film visqueen standard or approved equal. The film shall be 150 micron thick.
- 3.5 Cement and aggregates shall be in accordance with specifications for "Plain and reinforced concrete".
- 3.6 Geotextile with density 125 g/m<sup>2</sup>.
- 3.7 Brick clay tiles shall conform to the specifications for "Brick Masonry".
- 3.8 Puddled earth shall be composed of stiff clay to which an equal amount of chopped rice husk/bhoosa shall be added.
- 3.9 Polysulphide sealant of approved manufacturers
- 3.10 Aluminum Flashing
- 3.11 Water proofing agent shall be in accordance with specifications or as directed by the Engineer.

#### 4.0 DELIVERY STORAGE AND HANDLING

Materials shall be protected from damage during loading shipment delivery and storage Non-staining materials shall be used for blocking and packing.

#### 5.0 PREPARATORY WORK

- 5.1 All scuppers and roof drains shall be placed and metal flashing flanges etc. shall be provided in time to be installed alongwith the roofing assembly.

- 5.2 All surfaces, to be treated shall be dust free and dry. Application of roof finishes shall not start unless the preparatory work has been inspected and approved by the Engineer.

**6.0 WATER PROOFING TREATMENT IN FOUNDATIONS AND SURFACES IN CONTACT WITH EARTH**

All surfaces to be bitumen painted shall be thoroughly cleaned of any accretion, dust, dirt etc. by scraping, wire brushing or as directed by the Engineer. The surface shall be primed with a coat of asphalt oil used at the rate of not less than 1 gallon /100 square feet. Two coats of hot bitumen paint shall be applied at the rate of 1 kg/Sq.m. each coat. The first coat shall be allowed to dry for about 6 hours before applying the second coat. During operation of painting great care shall be taken to avoid air bubbles. The manufacturers shall be taken to avoid air bubbles. The manufacturer's instructions and Engineer's directions shall be followed.

**7.0 APPLICATION OF WATER PROOFING TO UNEDERGROUND WATER RETAINING STRUCTURES**

- 7.1 Water proofing shall not be applied during rain or while surfaces are damp, it shall be applied only to surfaces that are clean and dry.

- 7.2 Cementitious based water proofing shall be applied as per manufacturer's recommendation and to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

**8.0 EXPANSION JOINT FILLING**

Before filling of Expansion Joint the surface shall be thoroughly cleaned and filling/packing material removed up to a depth of 50mm (2 in.). Backer Rod shall then be inserted throughout the length of joint and pressed in. The joint shall then be sealed with 2 part polyurethane sealant. The expansion joint shall be covered with 22 SWG GI Flashing sheet of shape and size shown on drawings.

**9.0 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT**

**9.1 General**

Except otherwise specified herein or elsewhere in the Contract Documents, no measurement and payment will be made for the under mentioned specified works related to the relevant items of the Bills of Quantities. The cost thereof shall be deemed to have been included in the quoted unit rate of the respective items of the Bills of Quantities.

The rates quoted by the Contractor in the Bill of Quantities shall include work to be executed under these specification in any floor and at any height except where otherwise specifically stated in the relevant item of Bill of Quantities and the Contractor shall not be entitled to any claim or claim any compensation on this account.

- 9.1.1 All preparatory work, scrapping, scratching, cleaning, cant strips, gravel strips, etc.
- 9.1.2 Formwork
- 9.1.3 Roof treatment including Class 'C' cement concrete
- 9.1.4 Coats of bitumen.
- 9.1.5 Polyethylene sheet including laps/overlaps and joints.
- 9.1.6 Class 'C' cement concrete cant strip.

## 9.2 **Bitumen Painting/Coating**

### 9.2.1 Measurement

Measurement of acceptably completed works of bitumen painting/coating will be made on the basis of net actual area in square meter / square foot as shown on the Drawings or as directed by the Engineer.

### 9.2.2 Payment

Payment will be made for acceptable measured quantity of bitumen painting/coating on the basis of unit rate per square meter / square foot quoted in the Bills of Quantities. The unit rate shall include all cost of surface preparation and shall constitute full compensation for all the works related to the item.

## 9.3 **Waterproofing and Built-Up Roofing**

### 9.3.1 Measurement

Measurement of acceptably completed works of Waterproofing and Built-Up Roofing will be made on the basis of net actual area in square meter / square foot as shown on the Drawings or as directed by the Engineer.

### 9.3.2 Payment

Payment will be made for acceptable measured quantity of Waterproofing and Built-Up Roofing on the basis of unit rate per square meter / square foot quoted in the respective items of Bills of Quantities. The unit rate shall include all cost of surface preparation and shall constitute full compensation for all the works related to the item.

## 9.4 **Expansion Joint**

### 9.4.1 Measurement

Measurement of acceptably completed works of expansion joint will be made on the basis of actual length of treated expansion joint in running meter / running foot as shown on the Drawings or as directed by the Engineer.

### 9.4.2 Payment

Payment will be made for acceptable measured quantity of expansion joint on the basis of unit rate per running meter / running foot quoted in the respective items of Bills of Quantities. The unit rate shall include all cost of surface preparation and shall constitute full compensation for all the works related to the item.

\*\*\* End of Section 6411 \*\*\*

# **ELECTRICAL WORKS**

## **SECTION - 8001**

### **GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS FOR ELECTRICAL WORKS**

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## **1.0 SCOPE OF WORK**

The works related to the electrical system which is included in the Scope of this Contract as shown on the Drawings, stated in the Specifications and Bill of Quantities and explained in these Specifications. The works shall broadly include but not limited to the following:

- General Specifications for Electrical Works
- Low Voltage D.G. Set
- Indoor power Transformer
- H.T. Switchboards
- L.T Switchboards
- LT Distribution Boards
- Motor Control Centre
- Light Fixtures
- Low Tension Cables
- Wiring Accessories
- Conduits and Pipes
- Earthing
- Lightning Protection System
- Miscellaneous Items
- Structured Cabling Network
- Fire Alarm System
- Closed Circuit Television System
- Public Address System
- Cable Antenna TV System

The Contractor shall also be responsible to supply any other equipment not specifically mentioned in these Documents but which is necessary for proper operation of the works/system included in the scope of this Contract. The Contractor shall solely be responsible for ensuring proper functional requirements of different equipment. He shall also be responsible for furnishing any additional piece of equipment and for making modification in the equipment as desired and/or approved by the Engineer to achieve proper co-ordination with various equipment offered in the bid and also with those installed by others.

## **2.0 RULES & REGULATIONS**

The entire electrical installation/work shall be carried out by licensed Contractor, authorised to undertake such work under the provisions of the Electricity Act 1910 and The Electricity Rules 1937 as adopted and modified upto date by the Government of Pakistan.

All works shall be carried out in accordance with the latest edition of the Regulations of the Electrical Equipment of Buildings issued by the Institute of Electrical Engineers-London, the Contract Documents, The Electricity Rules 1937 and bye-laws that are in force from time to time. Any discrepancy between these Specifications and any other rules and regulations shall be brought to the

notice of Engineer for his instructions and the discussion of the accepting/controlling shall be final and conclusive.

The Contractor shall be responsible for completing all formalities and submitting the test certificates as per prevailing rules and regulations, and shall have the installation passed by the Government Electric Inspector of that region. All requirements of the Electric Inspector and the WAPDA / MEPCO shall be complied with.

### **3.0 AMBIENT CONDITIONS**

All material and equipment supplied and installed shall be designed, manufactured and tested to meet the following ambient conditions unless specifically stated otherwise for any material/ equipment.

Maximum indoors ambient temperature	:	45-Degree Celsius
Minimum indoors ambient temperature	:	Zero Degrees Celsius
Maximum outdoors-ambient temperature	:	50-Degree Celsius
Minimum outdoors-ambient temperature	:	Zero Degrees Celsius
Maximum Relative humidity	:	100 Percent
Maximum Altitude of project	:	220 meters above the mean sea level.

The atmospheric conditions are tropical and highly humid.

### **4.0 STANDARDS**

The latest standards and codes of reputable organisations shall be applicable for the material and equipment specified herein and for installation work. Such organisations to be BSS, VDE, NFPA 99, NEC Article 517 etc. In case the Specifications laid down herein differ from those given in the standards, then the equivalent or better specifications shall govern. Wherever applicable the equipment shall also conform to the requirements of Pakistan Standard Institution (PSI).

Contractor shall maintain at the site office one copy of the standards / codes applicable to the works.

### **5.0 SYSTEM DATA**

Unless otherwise specified elsewhere, all equipment and material shall be designed to operate satisfactorily with the following minimum requirements without any de-rating.

a) Voltage rating of equipment :	HT :	11 kV, 3 phase, +/- 10%
	LT :	400 V, 3 phase, +/- 10%
		230 V, 1 phase, +/- 10%

b) Frequency : 50Hz  $\pm$  2Hz

In general, the electrical colour coding of switchgear cubicles, control panels, desks etc., shall be in accordance with the respective IEC Recommendations.

Live parts of electrical connections shall be colour coded according to IEC 446 as follows:

	<b>Conductor Designation</b>	<b>Coding Alphanumeric</b>	<b>Colour</b>
A.C. Network	Phase 1	L 1	red
	Phase 2	L 2	yellow
	Phase 3	L 3	blue
	Neutral	N	black
D.C. Network	Positive	L+	white
	Negative	L-	black
Earthing	Protective Earth	PE	green/yellow
	Earth	E	green/yellow

The colour coding for the secondary circuits of isolated power panel board is as follows:

Orange-Isolated Phase Conductor  
Brown- Isolated Neutral Conductor  
Green-Isolated Ground Conductor

Conductor insulation of secondary circuits of isolated power panel board shall be XLPE and PVC sheathed.

#### Control Cables

The Control Cables shall be manufactured according to specifications for L.T. Cables. The Control Cables shall be of multi-core, PVC insulated type withstanding without deterioration the conditions prevailing at the place of installation. The cross section of cable shall be as per the requirement of the system.

All the cores should be numbered and/or colour coded or otherwise properly identified. At-least 20% spare cores shall be provided in all Control Cables.

No separate payment is admissible for supplying, installing, testing and commissioning of control cables and is deemed to have been included in the BOQ rates of the respective equipment.

Distance in between power, communication and control cables shall be kept as per requirements laid down by NEC800, NFPA 70 and EN50174-2.

## **6.0 EQUIPMENT**

### **6.1 IP Degree of Protection**

The equipment shall have IP degree of protection as follows, unless mentioned other wise:

- IP 42 for indoor areas
- IP 54 for indoor damp areas
- IP 65 for outdoor areas

If properly rated equipment is not available, the Contractor shall provide field enclosures to attain the required IP degree of protection. If necessary cooling/exhaust fans and / or anti condensate heaters shall also be provided. No separate payment shall be made to attain the required IP degree of protection.

### **6.2 Identification & Labelling**

All devices, meters, cabling, wiring and auxiliaries shall be properly labeled for identification. Labeling of equipment shall be done by means of flameproof material using indelible ink/markings. The labeling shall be such as to ensure uniformity and shall facilitate study of control diagrams/ drawings during operation and maintenance.

All labeling shall be of suitable size to be visible from the operating conditions/positions at site.

### **6.3 Lamp Test Facility**

All equipment / switchboards, etc. shall be provided with common lamp test facility.

## **7.0 DRAWINGS AND DATA TO BE FURNISHED BY THE CONTRACTOR**

The shop drawings, as-built drawings and/or technical data to be furnished by the Contractor for each electrical equipment, LT cable distribution layout & shall include, but not limited to the following:

- (a) Structural drawings showing foundations, RCC details dimensional plans,

elevation and sections on a suitable scale.

- (b) Electrical drawings showing:
- Line diagrams of Switchboards, Motor Control Centres, distribution boards and isolated power panels with detailed wiring diagrams, elevations/internal component layout and other standard details.
  - LT Cabling, Grounding/Earthing including all cable routing and support details.
  - Necessary execution details such as no. of cable/wires, size of conduits, cable routes, cable trays and cable trenches, etc.
  - Substation and Generator Room Equipment installation detail.
  - Manhole/Duct works.
- (c) Layouts of all LT cable routes with coordinates and levels.
- (d) Technical literature and manufacturer's characteristic data with the description of materials and weights of all equipment as instructed by the Engineer.

At least three (3) copies of the shop drawings and/or technical data of the equipment shall be submitted to the Engineer for checking and approval.

## **8.0 MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS**

The Contractor shall supply to the Engineer in properly bound form six (6) copies of manufacturer's instruction manuals for installation, testing, commissioning, operation and maintenance of the specified equipment including manuals of spare parts and tools of the equipment. At least two copies of the documents shall be submitted in original. The installation instructions shall be submitted 2 weeks prior to commencement of installation of each equipment, and operation and maintenance instruction at the time of commissioning. If the Contractor fails to provide the documents the Engineer shall withhold issuance of requisite certificates and deduct suitable amount from the payments to the Contractor.

## **9.0 GUARANTEE**

The Contractor shall furnish written guarantee of the manufacturer or supplier with respect to satisfactory performance of each equipment. Guarantee shall be given for replacement and repair of part or whole of the equipment, which may be found defective in material or workmanship. The guarantee shall cover the duration of Maintenance Period as defined in the Conditions of Contract. This guarantee shall not relieve the Contractor of his obligations and he will be fully

responsible for the repair or replacement of any defective material in time, so as not to cause any undue delay in carrying out the repairs and/or replacements.

#### **10.0 DANGER BOARDS WITH SIGNS, DESIGNATION AND SHOCK / FIRST AID CHARTS AND FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT**

Danger Boards having signs and designation of the room shall be installed on the external door of HT, LT, Power transformer, Low Voltage DG Set Rooms. Shock/First Aid Charts shall be installed in H.T, L.T and Low Voltage DG Set Rooms.

Potable fire fighting extinguisher suitable to control electrical fire shall be provided in H.T, L.T, Power Transformer and Low Voltage DG Set Rooms.

All the above items shall also be provided, wherever required to comply the requirements of the Pakistan Electricity Rules/Electric Inspector.

Laminated single line and adequate detail drawings on proper boards highlighting the main system features shall be displayed/ fixed in respective electrical and communication rooms.

#### **11.0 ASSOCIATED CIVIL WORKS**

Except where separately stated in the Bill of Quantities the cost of all civil works associated with any BOQ item of electrical works, such as excavation and back filling of earth, compaction of the earth, foundation pads, chiselling, making openings, etc. shall be included in the price quoted against respective items. No separate payment for such works will be made. Such works will also include repair of any damage to civil works caused by the Contractor during electrical installation.

#### **12.0 INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS - GENERAL**

The Contractor shall furnish all labour, materials, tools and equipment required to install, connect, test and commission all electrical equipment specified herein, whether or not such equipment is furnished by him or by others.

For all equipment to be installed by the Contractor, the Contractor shall supply and install all erection materials such as foundation bolts, washers, nuts, etc. as required and without any additional costs.

The Contractor shall set out the works himself as per Specifications and Drawings and shall properly position the equipment on specified foundation/location. In general, the manufacturer's instructions for installation shall be followed. Any defect or faulty operation of equipment due to the Contractor not following the manufacturer's instructions shall be corrected and repaired by the Contractor at his own cost.

For any deviation from the working drawings or specification that are deemed necessary by the Contractor due to site conditions, he shall submit the details and obtain the Engineer approval before starting such works.

### **13.0 FACTORY TESTS**

All type and routine tests on Low Voltage D.G Set, Power Transformer, H.T Switchboards, LT Switchboards, Motor Control Centre, H.T Cables, LT Cables, and all other equipment shall be performed at the manufacturer's works in the presence of the Engineer or his Representative. Type tests may be waived off in case test certificates are submitted as certified by an Engineer approved standard laboratory of international repute; but merely producing the test type certificates will not relieve the manufacturer to carry out the required standard/routine tests.

The Contractor shall inform the Engineer about the date and time of test of each equipment at least two weeks in advance. This shall, however, be done after the Contractor has got the test procedures duly approved by the Engineer. The witnessing of test by the Engineer and the Employer shall not absolve the Contractor from his responsibility for the proper functioning of the equipment, and for furnishing the guarantees referred to in clause 9.0. All test results shall be supplied in quadruplicate. All expenses for carrying out the tests as incurred by the Engineer and the Employer to witness it shall be borne by the Contractor and deemed to have been included in the bid. Provision for at least two person's visit for Factory Acceptance Tests shall be made to include one representative each from the Employer and the Consultant/Engineer. The contractor shall undertake all formalities as may be required for the Engineer or his representative to enable him make the visit.

### **14.0 TESTING - GENERAL**

#### **14.1 Scope**

Upon completion of the installation, the Contractor shall perform field tests on all equipment, materials and systems. All tests shall be conducted in the presence of the Engineer for the purpose of demonstrating equipment or system compliance with Specifications. The Contractor shall submit for Engineer's approval complete details of tests to be performed describing the procedure, test observations and expected results.

The Contractor shall furnish all tools, instruments, test equipment, materials, etc., and all qualified personnel required for the testing, setting and adjustment of all electrical equipment and material including putting the same into operation.

All tests shall be made with proper regard for the protection of the personnel and equipment and the Contractor shall be responsible for

adequate protection of all personnel and equipment during such tests. The cost of any damages or rectification work due to any accident during the tests shall be the sole responsibility of Contractor.

The Contractor shall record all test values of the tests made by him on all equipment. Four (4) copies of all test data and results certified by the Engineer shall be given to the Engineer for record purposes. These shall also include details of testing method, testing equipment, diagrams, etc.

The witnessing of any tests by the Engineer does not relieve the Contractor of his guarantees for materials, equipment and workmanship, or as any other obligations of Contract.

#### 14.2 **Low Voltage D.G. Set**

Prior to the tests, the contractor shall submit manufacturer's recommended detailed description of the test procedures to be conducted for Engineer's approval.

The Contractor shall carry out full site load and no load tests in accordance with IEC, ISO or BS Specifications for site commissioning. The inspection and tests shall include but not be limited to:

Basic Tests:	Insulation Resistance Earth Continuity Earth Loop Impedance Polarity Phase Rotation Voltage and Frequency Starting System Protection Equipment
Battery:	Nominal Voltage Discharge Voltage Specific Gravity of Electrolyte Level of Electrolyte Charging System
Lubrication:	Check as required by manufacturer
Operational Check at Start-up	Oil Pressure Fuel Oil Leaks Operation of Safety Devices Operational Speed Automatic Control Instrument Check Exhaust Check Undue Vibration



Operational Check	Oil Pressure	
After one hour's run:	Oil Leaks	
	Cooling System	
	Oil Temperature	
Commissioning Test:	25% of full load	2 hrs.
	50% of full load	5 hrs.
	75% of full load	8 hrs.
	100% of full load	8 hrs.
	110% of full load	1 hr.

All commissioning and test results shall be recorded and compared with design data. A retest/commissioning shall take place if results are not satisfactory. All the tools, labour, POL, required for the testing and commissioning shall be provided by the Contractor at no extra cost. If required load is not available at site for testing the generators, the Contractor shall provide dummy load at site at no extra cost to the Employer. The correct functioning of the control equipment shall also be proved.

#### Battery Charger

Battery charger shall be static type and shall provide for both trickle and boost charging of the batteries when the engine is not in operation. The charger shall be of suitable capacity to fully recharge the completely discharged batteries within four hours at boost charge.

#### Control Panel

The Control Panel shall provide all the necessary control and monitoring devices of the Diesel Generating Sets. All the control and monitoring of the safety devices, alarms, protections, meters, lamps, etc. as mentioned in this Specifications and required as per good engineering practices for such an installation shall be provided in the Control Panel.

### 14.3 **Transformer Tests**

In addition to the insulation resistance test of the transformer, a polarity and phase rotation test shall also be made. Buchholz relay shall be tested for proper operation. Di-electric test shall be carried out on transformer oil prior to putting the same in operation.

### 14.4 **HT / LT Switchboards**

Each circuit breaker shall be operated electrically and mechanically. All interlocks and control circuits shall be checked for proper connections in accordance with the wiring diagrams given by the manufacturer.

The Contractor shall properly identify the phases of all switchgear and cables for connections to give proper phase sequence.

Trip circuits shall be checked for correct operation and rating of equipment served. The correct size and function of fuses, disconnect switches, number of interlocks, indicating lights, alarms and remote control devices shall be in accordance with approved manufacturer drawings. Nameplates shall be checked for proper designation of equipment served. Protective relays shall be tested and set at site prior to commissioning of the equipment.

#### 14.5 **Insulation Resistance Test**

Insulation resistance test shall be made on all electrical equipment by using a meggar of 500 volts for circuits upto 250 volts and 1000 volt for circuits between 250 and 500 volts. For testing of 11 kV circuits, upto 5 kV meggar shall be used; the exact voltage shall be as advised by the equipment manufacturer unless otherwise advised by the Engineer.

The insulation resistance values of cables, transformer, switchgears, etc., shall be as per BSS, IEEE, NEC, ICEA and Pakistan Electricity Rules.

Before making connections at the ends of each cable run or joint between cables, the insulation resistance test of each cable section shall be made. H.T. cables shall be subjected to high voltage test as per recommendations of standard to which the cable is manufactured. Each conductor of a multi-core cable shall be tested individually with each of the other conductor of the group and also with earth. If insulation resistance test readings are found to be less than the specified minimum in any conductor, the entire cable shall be replaced and tests repeated on new cable. If cable joint is provided, then each cable section shall be tested, and joint made only after the tests have been made satisfactorily. Finally the completed cable length including the joints shall be tested.

The transformer and switchgears shall be given an insulation resistance measurement test after installation, but before any wiring is connected. Insulation tests shall be made between open contacts of circuit breakers, switches and between each phase and earth.

If the insulation resistance of the circuit under test is less than the specified value, the cause of the low reading shall be determined and removed. Corrective measures shall include dry-out procedure by means of heaters, if equipment is found to contain moisture. Where corrective measures are carried out, the insulation resistance readings shall be taken after the correction has been made and repeated twice at 12 hours interval. The maximum range for each reading in the three successive tests shall not exceed 20% of the average value. After all tests have been

made, the equipment shall be reconnected as required. Polarity test shall be made on single pole switching devices.

#### 14.6 **Earth Resistance Test**

The Contractor shall make Earth resistance tests on the Earthing system, separating and reconnecting each earth connection.

If it is indicated that soil treatment or other corrective measures are required to lower the ground resistance values, the Engineer will determine the extent of such corrective measures.

The electrical resistance of the ECC together with the resistance of the Earthing leads measured from the connection with earth electrode to any other position in the complete installation shall not exceed one ohm.

Earth resistance test shall be performed as per Electrical Inspector's requirements. Where more than one earth electrodes are installed, the earth resistance test of each electrode shall be measured by means of resistance bridge instrument.

The complete lightning protection system shall be tested for continuity and earth resistance. The combined earth resistance at any point in the lightning protection system shall not exceed 10 ohms.

#### 14.7 **Completed Tests**

After any equipment has been tested, checked for operation, etc., and is accepted by the Engineer the Contractor shall be responsible for the proper protection of that equipment so that subsequent testing of other equipment do not cause any damage to the already tested equipment.

#### 14.8 **Expenses**

All expenses, i.e., travelling, boarding and lodging for carrying out the tests and witnessing by the Engineer shall be borne by the Contractor and are deemed to have been included in the BOQ rates of the respective equipment(s) by the Contractor.

#### 14.9 **Spare Parts**

Contractor shall provide spare parts as identified in relevant appendix. The cost of each spare parts shall be carried over to relevant BOQ item and no extra payment shall be admissible in this regard.

#### **14.10 Special Tools**

Contractor shall provide special tools as indicated in Appendix-IV and as may be deemed essential for assembly, adjustment, dismantling, installation and maintenance reasons.

No separate payment shall be made for any special tools and cost shall be deemed to be included in the cost of the Contract.

#### **15.0 APPENDICES TO BE FILLED IN BY THE BIDDER**

The details regarding equipment manufacturers, deviations, etc., are to be furnished in the appendices attached with form of Bids, in accordance with the provisions of the clause "Requirements of Electrical Works" given in the instructions to Bidder, Volume - I.

#### **16.0 PAYMENT**

No separate payment shall be made for work involved within the scope of this section unless specifically stated in the Bill of Quantities or herein.

\*\*\* End of Section 8001 \*\*\*

**SECTION - 8133**

**LT DISTRIBUTION BOARDS**

- 1.0 SCOPE OF WORK**
- 2.0 GENERAL**
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- 4.0 MATERIAL**
- 5.0 INSTALLATIONS**
- 6.0 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT**

## 1.0 SCOPE OF WORK

The work under this section consists of supplying, installing, testing, and commissioning of all material and services of the complete Low Tension (LT) Distribution Boards as specified herein and/or shown on the Bidding Drawings and stated in the Bill of Quantities.

The Contractor shall discuss the electrical layout with the Engineer and coordinate at site with other services for exact location and position of the each L.T. Distribution Board.

The Low Tension Distribution Board with accessories shall also comply with the General Specifications for Electrical Works, Section - 8001 and with other relevant provisions of the Bidding Document.

## 2.0 GENERAL

The Low Tension Distribution Board (DB) shall be sheet steel fabricated suitable for surface/recessed mounting on wall or floor standing totally enclosed, dust tight and vermin proof. It shall be complete in all respect with material and accessories, factory assembled, type-tested and finished according to the Specifications and to the normal requirements. The LT Distribution Board shall have protection class IP-42 for indoor installation, class IP-54 for indoor damp areas and class IP-65 for outdoor area.

The minimum form of construction to be followed for type tested DBs is as follows:

	<b>Equipment Type</b>	<b>Min IP Rating</b>	<b>Min Form of Construction</b>
1	Main LT Panel (MLTP)	IP 54	Form 4b, Type 6
2	Distribution Boards below 250A	IP 41	Form 2b, Type 2
3	Sub Main Distribution Boards above 250A	IP 41	Form 3b, Type 2
4	Final Circuit Distribution Boards	IP 41	
5	Life Safety/Emergency Distribution Equipment	IP 54	Form 4b, Type 6

The Low Tension Distribution Board shall be front operation type and shall:

- have a rated service short circuit breaking capacity (Ics), conforming to IEC 60947-2 and as shown on the drawings.
- be provided with adequate clearance from live parts so that the flashovers can not be caused by switching, vermin, pests etc.
- be suitable for 400 Volts, 3 phase 4 wire, 50 Hz system.
- be designed for flush mounting of all instruments on the front side.

- have incoming and outgoing cable termination arrangement, terminal block/line up terminals.
- be provided with stainless steel name plate on the front side of door.
- have all incoming and outgoing connections from top or bottom as per requirement of site conditions.
- have door grounded by flexible copper strip/cable.
- have wiring diagram in the pocket inside the door of Distribution Board

### **3.0 APPLICABLE STANDARDS/CODES**

The latest editions of the following standards and codes shall be applicable for the materials specified within the scope for this section:

- IEC 60051 - Direct setting electrical measuring instruments
- IEC 60073 - Colours for indicator lights and push buttons
- IEC 60947-2 - Low voltage switchgear and control gear
- IEC 60439 - Low Voltage Switchgear and Control gear Assemblies.
- BS 4752 - Circuit Breaker
- BS 3871 - Miniature & Moulded Case Circuit Breakers
- BS 88 - HRC fuses
- BS 89/90 - Ammeters and Voltmeters
- BS 3938 - Low voltage current transformers
- BS 1432 - Bus Bars

### **4.0 MATERIAL**

#### **4.1 Sheet Metal Work**

The Low Tension Distribution Board (DB) shall be fabricated with 16 SWG/14SWG sheet steel recess / surface mounting as approved by the Engineer. All the components shall be installed on a common component mounting plate inside the enclosure and protected from the front with screwed sheet steel front plate. The enclosure shall be

provided with rubber gasketing and a lockable hinged door with cam fastener.

The distribution board shall be supplied complete with all installation materials as recommended by the manufacturer. The incoming and outgoing cable connections shall be according to the wiring requirements. If required, an adapter box for accommodating the cables and conduits may be provided. The box shall be of the same material and finish as the DB. All holes, cutout etc. shall be tool and free from burrs and rough edges.

The cabling inside the DB shall be suitably harnessed by means of straps or cords. Colour sleeves shall be provided on each cable lugs connected to the bus bars, circuit breakers or terminals for phase identification. An earth bar shall be provided for connection of incoming and outgoing earth conductors. The earth bar shall be permanently connected to the body of DB at two points. Flexible copper strip shall be provided for earthing of the door of DB.

Circuit numbers/ designation on all circuits shall be conspicuously marked to facilitate connection and maintenance.

All metal work of the DB shall be cleaned down to bare shining metal phosphated and the surfaces chemically prepared for powder coating. Then these shall be coated with powder of colour RAL 7032 and then baked in oven. The thickness of powder coating shall not be less than 120 microns.

## 4.2 **Components**

The Low Tension Distribution Boards (DB) shall be provided with components as specified, as shown on the Bidding Drawings and required for the satisfactory operation of the distribution board and of the electrical system.

Typical component specifications are given below:

### 4.2.1 Bus Bars

The Bus bars shall be made of 99.99% pure high conductivity electrolytic tinned copper and shall be completely isolated and mechanically braced for the specified fault level. The identification of bus bars shall be by providing colours sleeves on bus bar ends and these shall be red, yellow and blue for phases and black for neutral. The earth bus bar shall be green.

The bus bars shall be for three phase, neutral and earth and shall be of appropriate size to meet the electrical and mechanical



requirements of the system. The temperature rise shall not exceed 30°C at rated current.

#### 4.2.2 Moulded Case Circuit Breaker (MCCB)

The MCCBs shall be moulded case triple pole 440 Volts or single/double pole 250 Volts of current ratings as shown on the drawings. These shall have fixed magnetic short circuit and adjustable/fixed thermal overload protection.

Under voltage and shunt trip etc. shall also be provided when so required for safe operation and interlock.

The MCCBs shall be installed such that their switching levers are accessible through the front plate for operation.

The single and triple pole MCCBs shall have short circuit rupturing capacity suitable for the distribution system as approved by the Engineer or as shown on the drawings. The MCCBs shall be suitable for working on lighting and power circuits.

#### 4.2.3 Ammeters and Voltmeters

All meters shall be flush mounting, moving iron, spring controlled. The front dimensions shall be 96 x 96 mm for meters.

The meters shall be of accuracy class 1.5 according to BS-89 and 90. The ammeter shall be suitable for connection to 5 Amps secondary of current transformers or directly through shunt as shown on drawings. The ammeters and voltmeters shall have measuring range as indicated on the drawings.

#### 4.2.4 Current Transformers

Air cooled, ring type current transformers shall be provided having transformation ratio as indicated on the drawings. The current transformers shall be of suitable burden having accuracy class 1.0 according to BS 3938. The current transformers shall have 5 amps secondary.

#### 4.2.5 Selector Switches

The ammeter and voltmeter selector switches shall be complete with front plate, grip handle, R-Y-B and OFF position for ammeters, and RY-YB-BR-RN-YN-BN and OFF position for voltmeters shall be marked on the respective selector switches.

#### 4.2.6 Air Break Contactors

The contactors shall be air break, triple pole 400 VAC type and suitable for the type of duty (at least utilization Category AC3) to be performed. The main contacts shall be silver tipped, butt type with double break per pole. Each contactor shall be provided with single phase 230 VAC operating coil and minimum one spare normally open and one normally closed auxiliary contact. The number of working auxiliary contacts shall be provided according to the system requirements.

#### 4.2.7 Push Buttons

The push buttons shall be illuminated, momentary make/break contact type or latch type (push-on/push-off) as required and approved by the Engineer and suitable for flush mounting. The push button for ON and OFF switching shall be red and green respectively. They shall be provided as shown on the drawing.

#### 4.2.8 Indicating Lamps

Indicating lamps shall be LED type suitable for flush mounting, complete with base. They shall be suitable for operation on 230 V AC and it shall have rosettes of suitable colours as approved by the Engineer. These shall be provided for R, Y, B phases on each distribution board.

#### 4.2.9 Impulse Relay

Impulse Relay shall be 1 or 2 pole, 250 V rated and be provided with latching mechanism.

#### 4.2.10 Line up Terminals

Line up terminals wherever provided for control or power circuits shall be suitable for voltage and size of conductors as indicated on drawing.

The line-up terminals for controls shall be suitable for channel mounting. All necessary accessories such as end plates, fixing clips, transparent label holder caps and label sheets with marking shall be provided.

## **5.0 INSTALLATION**

The location of low tension distribution boards (DB) are shown diagrammatically on the drawings. The actual location shall be determined at site, keeping in view the site conditions and in co-ordination with other equipment, as approved by the Engineer.

Low tension distribution board for recessed mounting in wall shall be installed such that the door shall finish flush with the surface of wall. The recess mounted distribution board shall be installed before the plastering of walls. The DB shall be protected to avoid any damage due to the civil work. Any cuttings, dismantling of the existing wall required for fixing the DB shall be coordinated at site with the approval of Engineer. Any damage done to civil structure shall be made good by the Contractor.

All loose parts dispatched separately with the DB shall be installed as per manufacturer instructions and all adjustments or setting shall be made as required. All screws, nuts and bolts used for fixing the distribution board shall be galvanized.

The distribution boards installation shall include connecting all incoming and outgoing cables. The cable entry in the boards shall be provided from top or bottom as required and/or as approved by the Engineer.

The distribution boards shall be tested as per instructions contained in article "Testing" of General Specifications for Electrical Works, Section-8001 of these Specifications.

## **6.0 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT**

### **6.1 General**

The Contractor's bid amount against each item of Bill of Quantities as given below shall include design, fabrication, supply, installation, testing, commissioning and completion for all works specified herein and/or as shown on the Bidding Drawings related to the item.

### **6.2 LT Distribution Boards (DBs)**

#### **6.2.1 Measurement:**

Measurement shall be made for the number of each LT Distribution Board acceptably supplied and installed by the Contractor as a complete job.

#### **6.2.2 Payment:**

Payment shall be made for the number of jobs measured, as

provided above, at the Contract unit price each and shall constitute full compensation for design, fabricating, supplying, installing, connecting, testing and commissioning of the LT Distribution Boards, including fixing arrangement, adapter box and other components/accessories for complete installation.

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