

## MINISTRY OF INFRASTRUCTURE, COMMUNICATION UTILITIES, HOUSING & TOURISM

PROCUREMENT #2021/MICUHT/AP/BPFT/1-1.0



**RESPONSES TO QUERRY #6 [25.3.21]** 

- 1. Is it permitted to run the conduit in the floor and roof slab?

  Yes it will be permitted to run conduit in the floor and roof slabs; however the cavity space in the suspended ceilings will also be used as appropriate.
- 2. Is it permitted to run the conduit in the beams and columns?

As per structural detail 1/S-11, all plumbing conduits should be routed through the cavities in the CMU walls to avoid the columns (the same applies to electrical conduit). In the event that this cannot be accommodated, the Project Manager will advise.

As indicated in the response to Question #1, it is expected to use the cavity space in the suspended ceilings to run conduit as appropriate. Therefore, it will be necessary to penetrate the beams at certain locations. When this occurs, the contractor will be expected to provide additional reinforcement in the beams as per structural detail 12/S-13 depending on the size of the sleeves placed in the beams.

- 3. Is the material duty free?
  Yes! All materials imported for this project will be exempted from Custom duties and other related port fees.
- 4. Item 27 in the bill of quantities is a "800A" automatic disconnect switch; what is meant by that?

This item is a 1000A Automatic Transfer Switch (same as Item 28 in the Supply of materials). The BoQ will be amended to reflect this change.

5. The one line diagram mentioned a 600A service disconnect, is this the same as the automatic switch? And if so what is the correct rating?

No! This was upgraded to 800A in the in Addendum #1. Please review Supply of materials section of BOQ for part numbers, size and rating of all electrical materials.

**Attachments: None** 

Chairman Procurement Committee

**END OF RESPONSE TO QUERRY #6**