

APPENDIX - H

MODEL FORM OF BANK GUARANTEE FOR EMD OR SECURITY DEPOSIT

(UNCONDITIONAL)

We have been informed that _ [insert name of Supplier, which in the case of a joint venture shall be the name of the joint venture] (hereinafter called "the Applicant") has entered into Contract No. [insert reference number of the contract] dated [insert date] with the Beneficiary, for the supply of _ [insert name of contract and brief description of Goods and related Services] (hereinafter called "the Contract").

NOW THIS WITNESSETH:

AND WHEREAS it has been stipulated by you in the said Contract that the Contractor shall furnish you with a Bank Guarantee by a scheduled bank for the sum specified therein as Earnest Money Deposit for compliance with his obligations in accordance with the Contract;

AND WHEREAS we have agreed to give the Contractor such a Bank Guarantee;

NOW THEREFORE we hereby affirm that we are the Guarantor and responsible to you, on behalf of the Contractor, up to a total of _____ [amount of Guarantee],

_____ [amount in words], such sum being payable in the types and proportions of currencies in which the Contract Price is payable, and we undertake to pay you, upon your first written demand and without cavil or argument, any sum or sums within the limits of _____ [amount of Guarantee] as aforesaid without your needing to prove or to show grounds or reasons for your demand for the sum specified therein.

The guarantee will not be revoked during its currency without the prior consent of the beneficiary/_____.

We hereby waive the necessity of your demanding the said debt from the Contractor before presenting us with the demand.

We further agree that no change or addition to or other modification of the terms of the Contract or of the Works to be performed there under or of any of the Contract documents which may be made between you and the Contractor shall in any way release us from any liability under this guarantee, and we hereby waive notice of any such change, addition or modification.

This guarantee shall be valid upto _____ (a date 45 days after the lapse of Defect Liability Period).

SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF THE GUARANTOR

Name of Bank: _____

Address: _____

Date: _____

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