

Proceedings of the Pre-bid meeting held on 12.06.2026 in the office of Executive Engineer, KNNL, Kalasa Project Division, Khanapur, Belagavi, Tender invited vide this office Tender Notification No. KNNL/KPD/KNP/PB/TND/WI-3888/Call-2/2026-27/425, Date: 06.06.2026

Mr. Subhash V Naik, Executive Engineer, KNNL, Kalasa Project Division, Khanapur, Conducted the meeting in presence of following officers/officials and contractors/representatives.

I Officers/Officials (Sriyuths).

1. Subhash V Naik, Executive Engineer, KNNL, Kalasa Project Division, Khanapur.
2. Nagesh A Angolkar, Technical Assistant, KNNL, Kalasa Project Division, Khanapur.
3. Mahesh Kumar M, Assistant Executive Engineer(I/C). KNNL, MLBCC Div No.03, Khanapur.
4. S.D. Mitbavkar, Junior Engineer KNNL, MLBCC Div No.03, Khanapur.

II Contractors/Representatives (Sriyuths).

-Nil-

PRE-BID Queries and Clarifications for the Work: "Construction of a Bridge cum Barrage across the Malaprabha River at Chikkahattiholi Village, Khanapur Taluk, Belagavi District along with allied works including Sopanam, Left Bank Protection and Connecting Roads From Chikkahattiholi and Karvinkoppa Villages together With Operation and Maintenance for a Period of Five Years. (W.I. No. – KNNL/2025-26/BB/WORK_ INDENT 3888/Call-2)".

The attendees of the Pre-bid meeting were welcomed by the Executive Engineer, KNNL, Kalasa Project Division, Khanapur. Further the bidders sought clarifications regarding technical and financial aspects pertaining to the tender notification.

The bidders submitted their written submissions prior to pre-bid meeting pertaining relaxations/modifications related to tender conditions which were discussed in detail with CE, Malaprabha Project Zone and SE MLBC, Navilurteertha based on which the replies to the pre-bid queries are prepared which is appended herewith for submission.

Sd/-

Executive Engineer

KNNL, Kalasa Project Division,
Khanapur.

No: KNNL/KPD/KNP/PB/WI3888/Call-2/Pre-bid/2026-27/ 489

Date: 15.06.2026

1. Copy submitted the Managing Director, KNNL, Bengaluru for kind information.
2. Copy submitted to the Chief Engineer, KNNL, Malaprabha Project Zone, Dharwad for kind information.
3. Copy submitted to the Superintending Engineer, KNNL, MLBCC Circle, Naviluteertha for kind information



Executive Engineer

KNNL, Kalasa Project Division,
Khanapur.

Replies to Pre-bid queries received for W.I. No. KNNL/2025-26/BB/WORK_INDENT 3888/Call-2

Sl. No.	Bidder Name	Bidder Query	Clarifications
1.	S.S. Bennalli, Govt Class-I Contractor, Chikkodi, Belagavi	<p>the Tender for the above work is published in KPP-Portal. As we are interested to participate in the tender, we inspected the site along with documents & drawing uploaded in KPP portal. During inspection, it has come to our notice that the major components of the work included the below components.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Construction of Bridge cum Barrage across Malaprabha River 2. Construction of Store room for storing Gates of BCBs 3. Construction of Retaining wall 4. Construction of CC Roads on both banks connecting BCB 5. Construction of Sopanam and cattle access ramp on Right Bank of BCB 6. Construction of River Bank protection works on U/S & D/S of proposed BCBs i.e., Gabion Structures & RCC Retaining Wall. 7. Construction of Road from SH:31 to Proposed BCB 8. Construction of Gabion structures and Sopanam near Veerabhadreshwar temple <p>As above, even though the tender is inclusive of Bridge Cum Barrage, roads, protection works, buildings etc, the non-bridge works are in majority. But your office has included "concrete structures such as RCC Retaining wall /Bridge / Barrage, Riverbank Protection Work, along with Rigid Pavement and Flexible pavement, etc" as similar nature of work in PQ conditions of the tender which is non-conclusive and not</p>	Tender Condition prevails.

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		<p>acceptable. The single bidder cannot execute all the works as mentioned in PQ condition in a single work for the amount range of your tender.</p> <p>Hence, we sincerely request you to provide conclusive PQ conditions without any ambiguity.</p>	
2.	S.B. Sutagatti and Sons, PWD Class-I Contractor, Belagavi	<p>For the above tender published in KPP-Portal, we have queries which needs to be addressed at earliest. We have verified the tender documents on KPP portal. The tender is mainly included the works of formations, Road, Protection and Bridge work. But, in PQ conditions of the tender the weightage is given mainly for Bridge cum barrage even though the work portions of formation, Roads and Protection works are more than Bridge cum barrage which is directly affecting the competitiveness of the tender.</p> <p>Hence, we request you to kindly provide relaxation in PQ condition and allow us to participate in said tender.</p>	Tender Condition prevails.
3.	R G Constructions, Dharwad	<p>the Tender for the above work is published in KPP-Portal is verified with site inspection by our staffs as per the documents uploaded in KPP portal. The work is mainly for connecting the two banks across Malaprabha river with construction of Road along with Bridge as cross drainage for river with additional scope for storage of water by constructing Barrage along with Bridge. Also, the work included the Bank protection works, retaining wall, Sopanam near Temple.</p> <p>During verification of Bid documents, it is very clear that your office has given main importance for the Bridge cum barrage in</p>	Tender Condition prevails.

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		<p>PQ condition even though other components are in major importance.</p> <p>We sincerely request you to change the Prequalification condition i.e., "a. The Contractor should have satisfactorily completed (at least 90% of the contract value) as a prime contractor for at least one similar work (concrete structures such as RCC Retaining wall /Bridge / Barrage, Riverbank Protection Work, along with Rigid Pavement and Flexible pavement, etc) of value not less than Rs. 2442.28 Lakhs" in the Bid document to suitably represent the actual work.</p>	


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