

Minutes of Pre-bid Meeting

Project Name: Ranikunda Water Supply Project

Contract No: NP-DWSSM-424267-CW-RFP

Background:

Bardagoriya Rural Municipality (RM) has prioritized construction of water supply project. The project area covers all the settlements of WN 3 of RM which includes Ranikunda, Uttar Purba Ranikunda, Dailekhi Tole, Katan Tole, and Butkuwa Chautara. Finally, the project was tendered for the purpose of construction at 15th August. 2023. As per ITB 7.4 the Pre-bid meeting was held at 29th July 2024 in Bardagoriya PIU office for sharing the detail information required to bid from the interested bidders (Contractors). Interested bidders took part in the pre-bid meeting for collecting information and observation of the construction site.

Attendees

For the benefit of all the Potential Bidders submitting the request for Bid Document and to avoid the possible confusion, Bid Documents clarifies as follows:

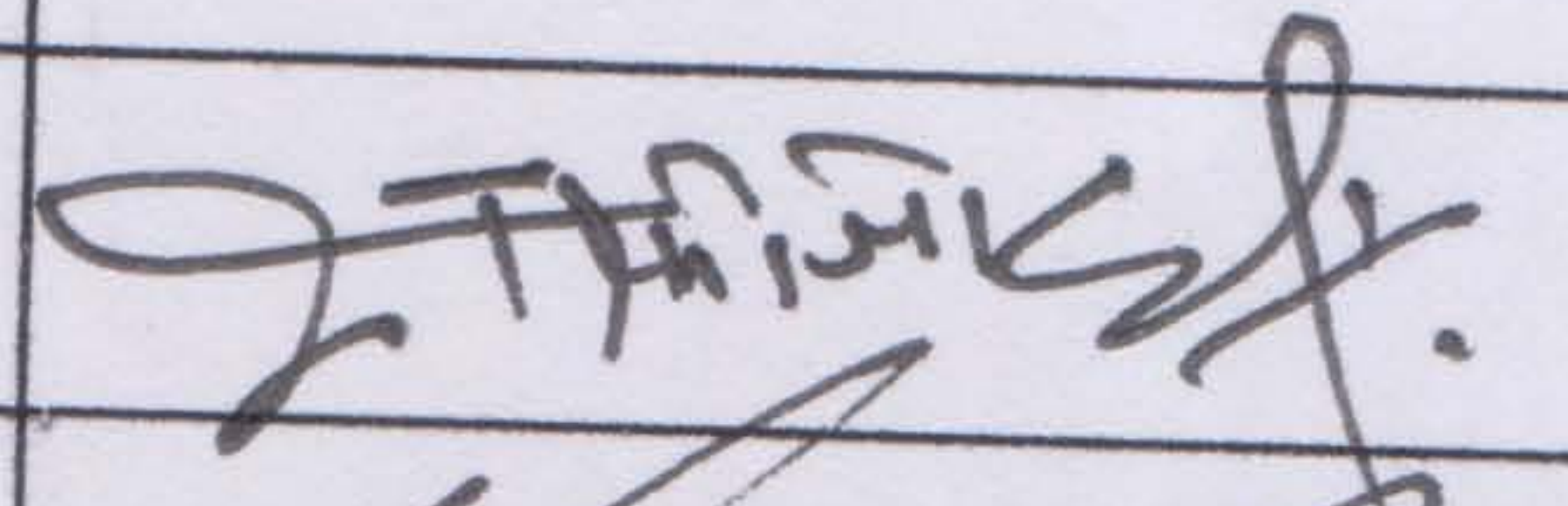
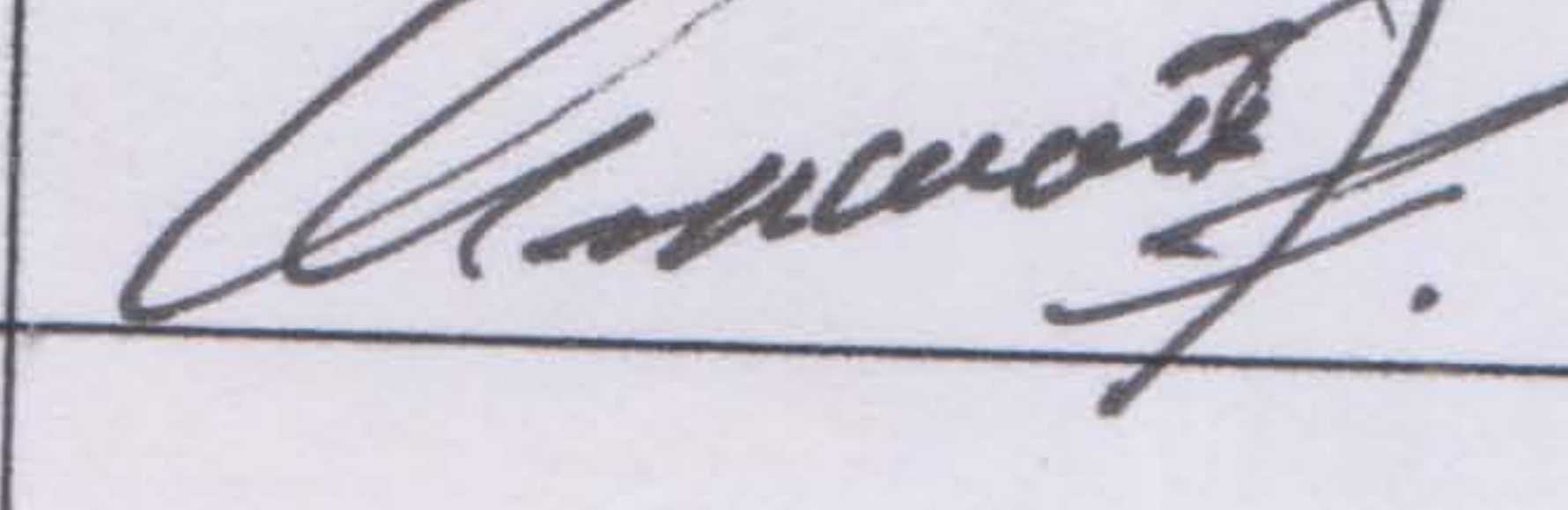
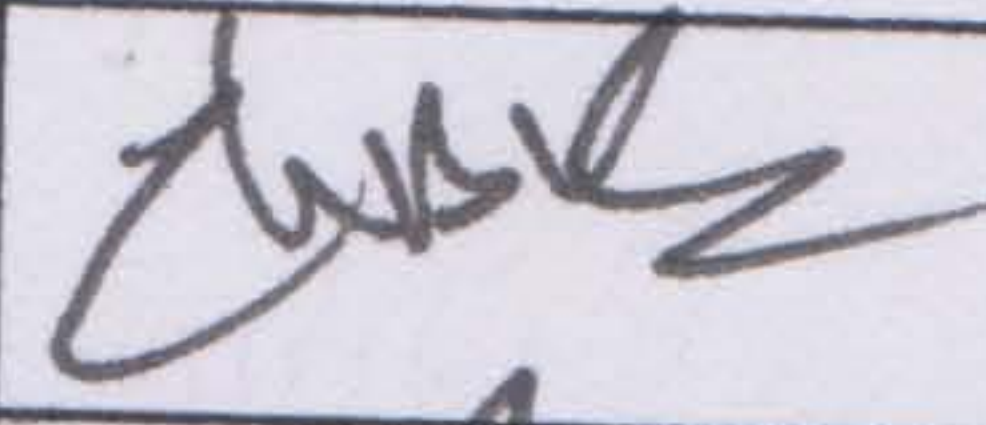
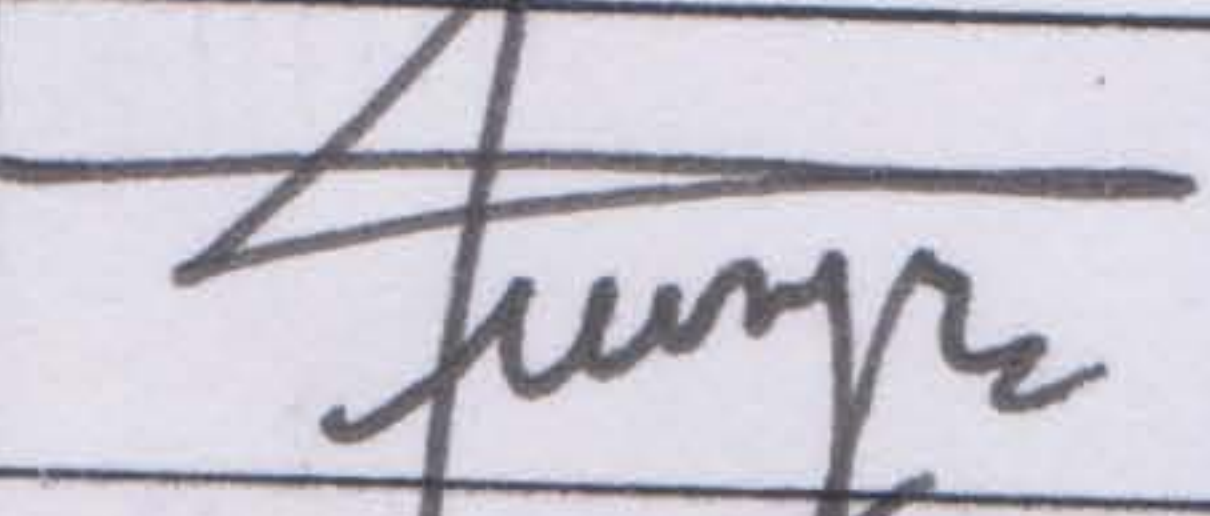
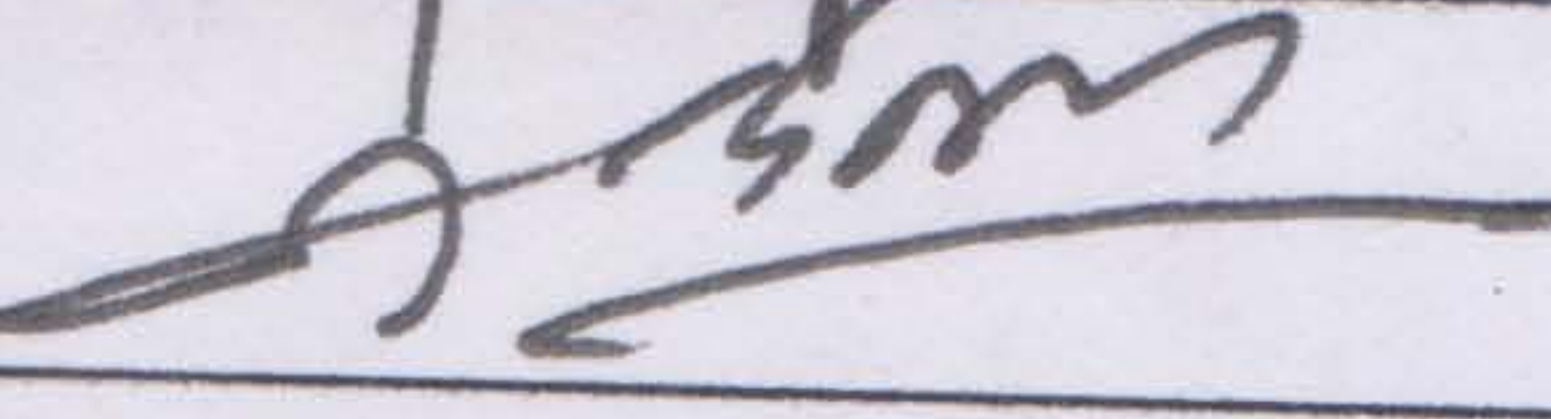
Venue: Project Implementation Unit, Bardagoriya Rural Municipality

Date: 29.07.2024

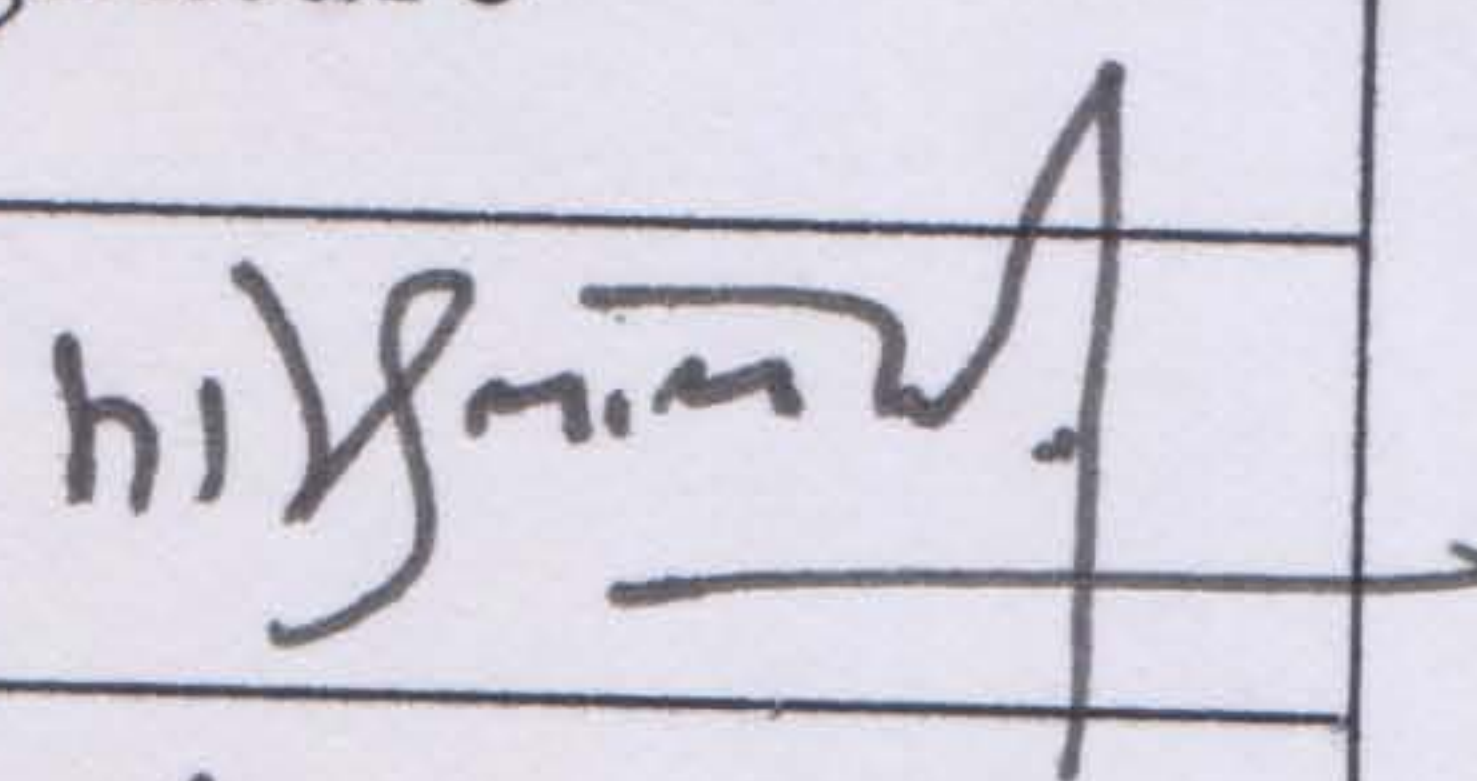
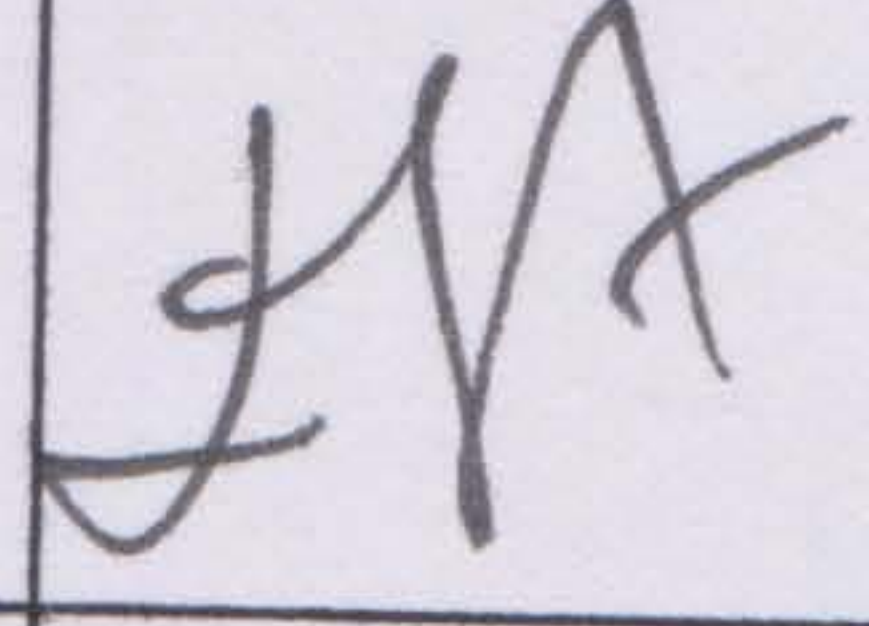
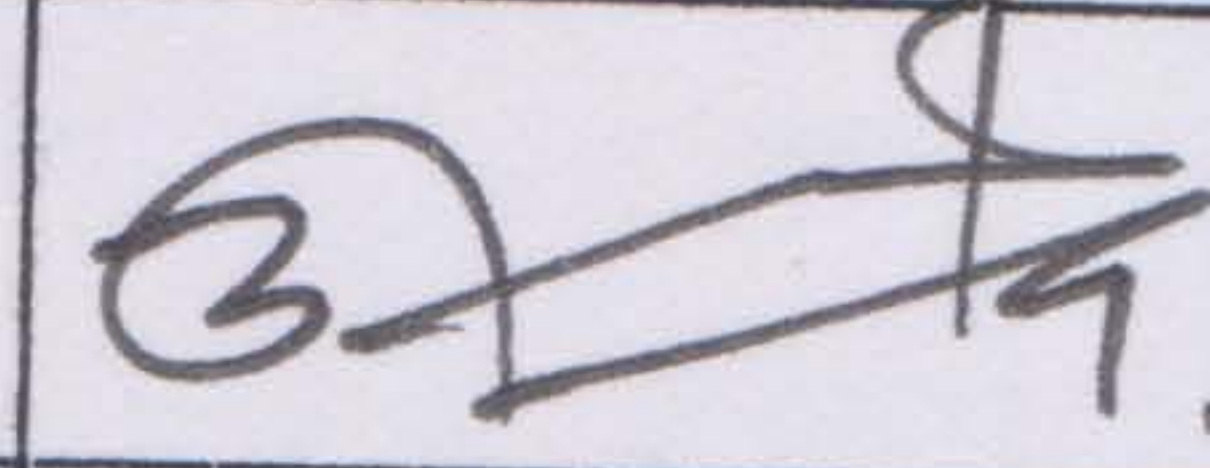
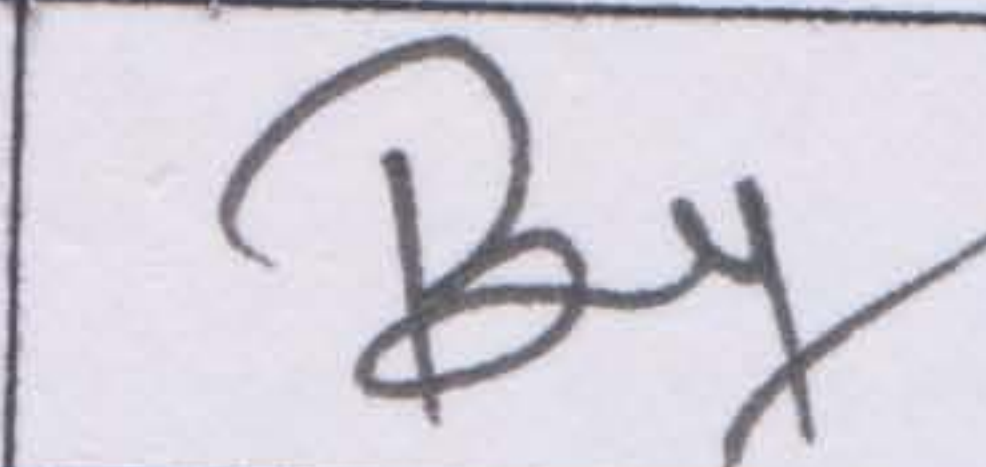
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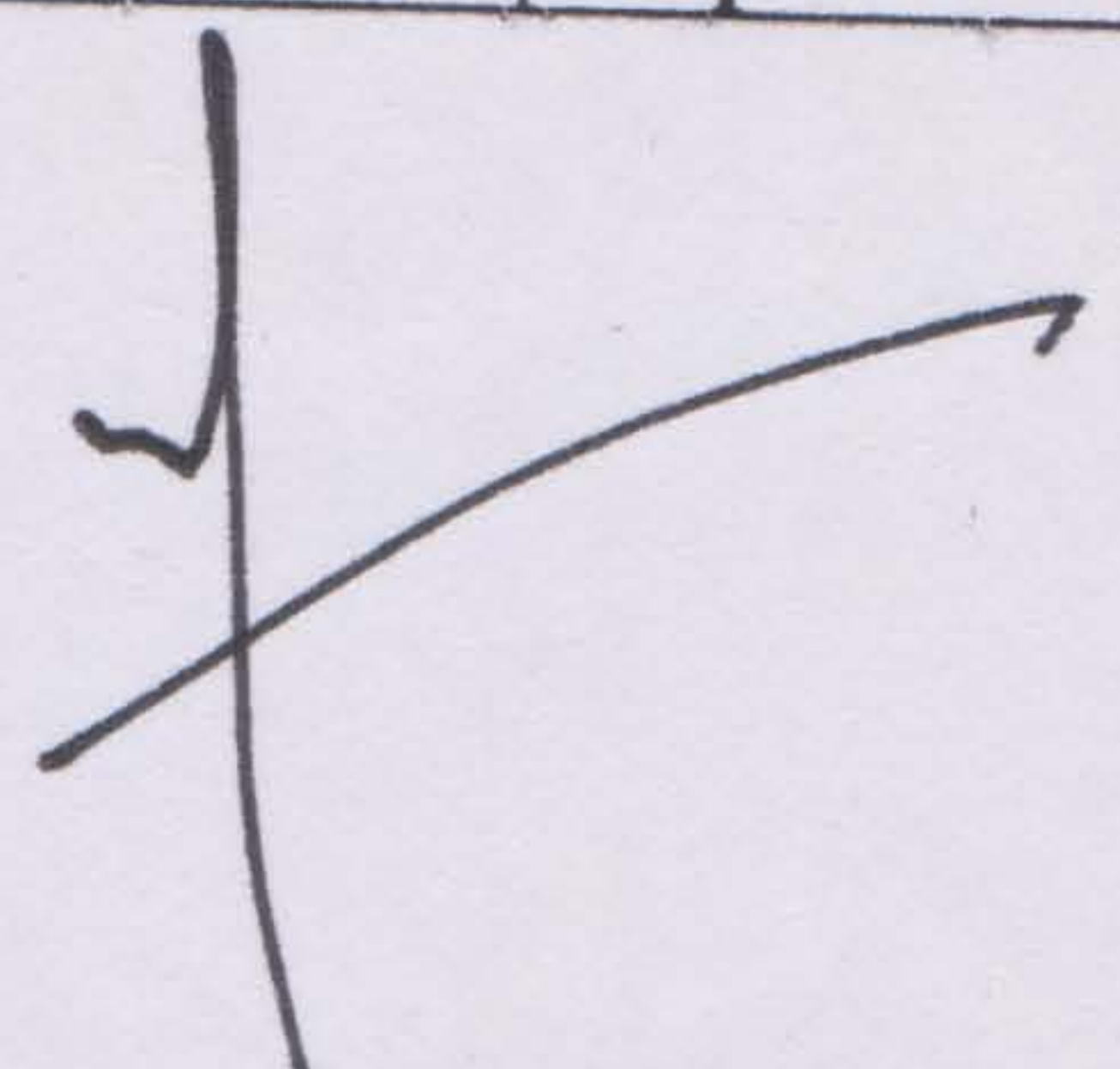
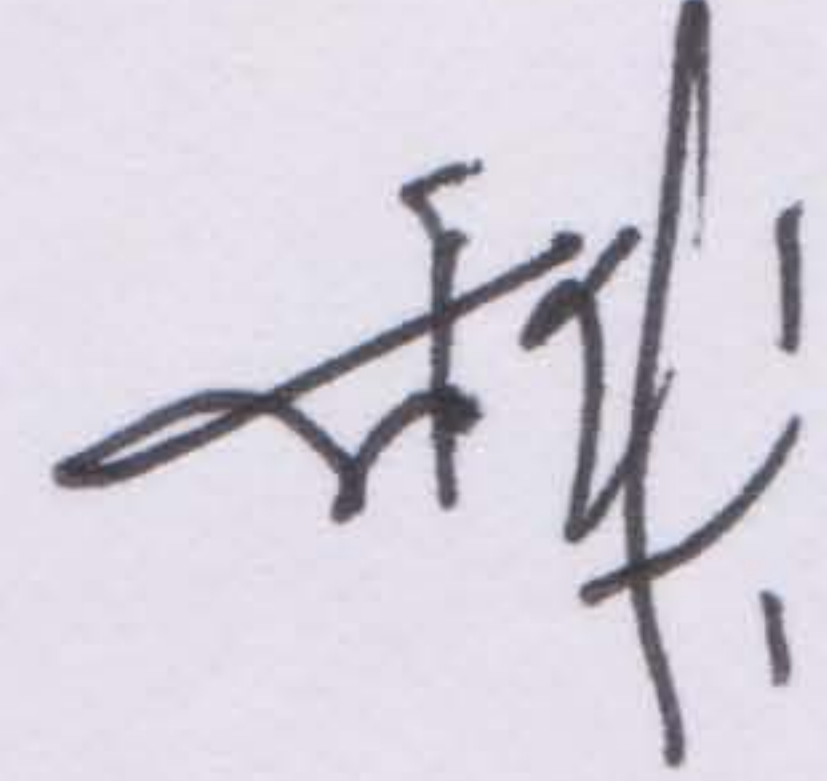
Participants:

Project Implementation Unit

Name	Designation	Organization	Signature
Mr. Laxmi Raj Joshi	PIU Chief	Bardagoriya, PIU Kailali	
Mr. Padam Raj Joshi	Engineer (Civil)	Mwash Unit, Bardagoriya R.M.	
Mr. Dharmaraj Upadhyay	Account Officer	Bardagoriya R.M.	
Mr. Chandra Dev Bk	Sub-Engineer	Bardagoriya RM	
Mr. Dilip Dhungana	Computer Operator	Mwash Unit, Bardagoriya R.M.	
Mr. Mohan singh Madai	Asst. Sub-Engineer	Bardagoriya R.M.	

Consultant (Municipal Support Team) MST

Name	Designation	Organization	Signature
Mr. Er. Mohan Lal Jaishi Regmi	Team Leader/Team Coordinator	AARVE-FBC-PARAGON JV	
Mr. Suman Dahal	Procurement and Contract Management Specialist	AARVE-FBC-PARAGON JV	
Mr. Bhakta Bahadur Bhandari	Financial Management Specialist	AARVE-FBC-PARAGON JV	
Mr. Hikmat Bahadur Rokaya	Social Development Specialist	AARVE-FBC-PARAGON JV	

Prospective Bidders

Name	Designation	Organization	E-Mail Address	Signature
Umesh malla	Manager M.D	M.K. Road Company Pvt. Ltd	umainfra.info@gmail.com	
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Suman Thapa	Site Engineer	Swar Const. Pvt. Ltd	Swarc@ymail.com Swarccontpl@gmail.com	
Mahesh Joshi	"	Barun nirman sewa		
Khagendra Mahata	M.D	Uma Infra Builders Pvt Ltd.	Umainfra.info@gmail.com	
Pred Pr. Bhata	Director	U.N. Sewa.		
Surendra Kant Pant	Managing Director	Uchehacati. Nirman Sewa	surendrapant@hotmail.com	
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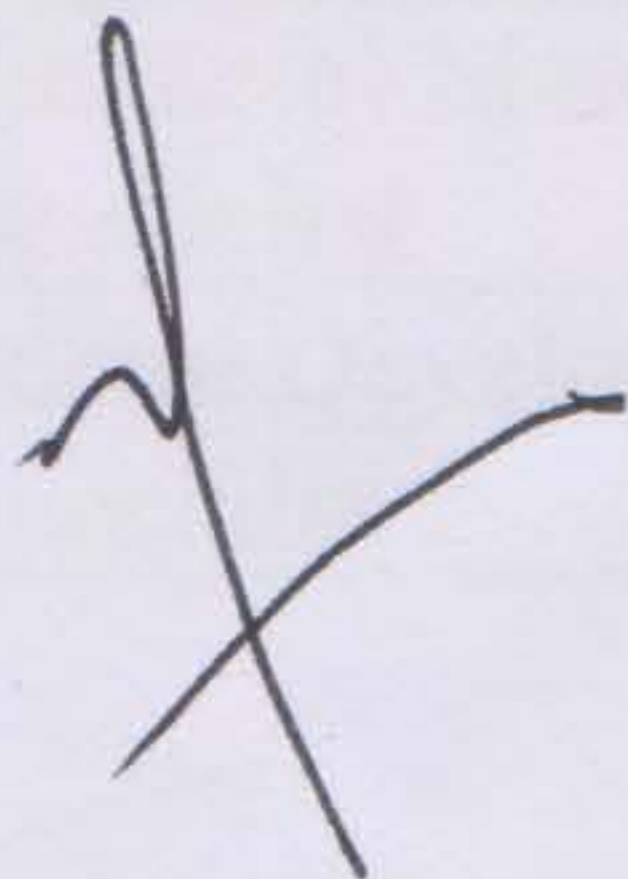
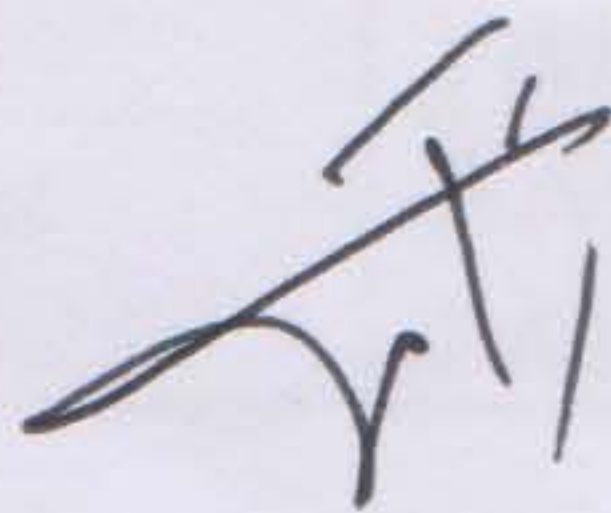
Conclusion:

- 1.0 The pre-bid meeting for Construction of Ranikunda Water Supply Project in Bardagoriya Rural Municipality, Kailali (Contract Identification Number NP-DWSSM-424267-CW-RFP) was held under the chairmanship of Mr. Laxmi Raj Joshi, PIU chief. He welcomed all the participants as well as appraised them about the project.
- 2.0 The specific queries raised by the potential bidders during the meeting are stated in Table below.

S.No	Queries from prospective Bidders
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3.0 Laxmi Raj Joshi, PIU chief thanked the prospective bidders for their active participation. He also reminded to submit the proposal on time. The meeting was concluded at 15:00 hrs. The participants were informed that minutes of pre-bid meeting will be sent by email to the potential bidders and will be uploaded on Bardagoriya Rural Municipality website (<https://bardgoriyamun.gov.np>).

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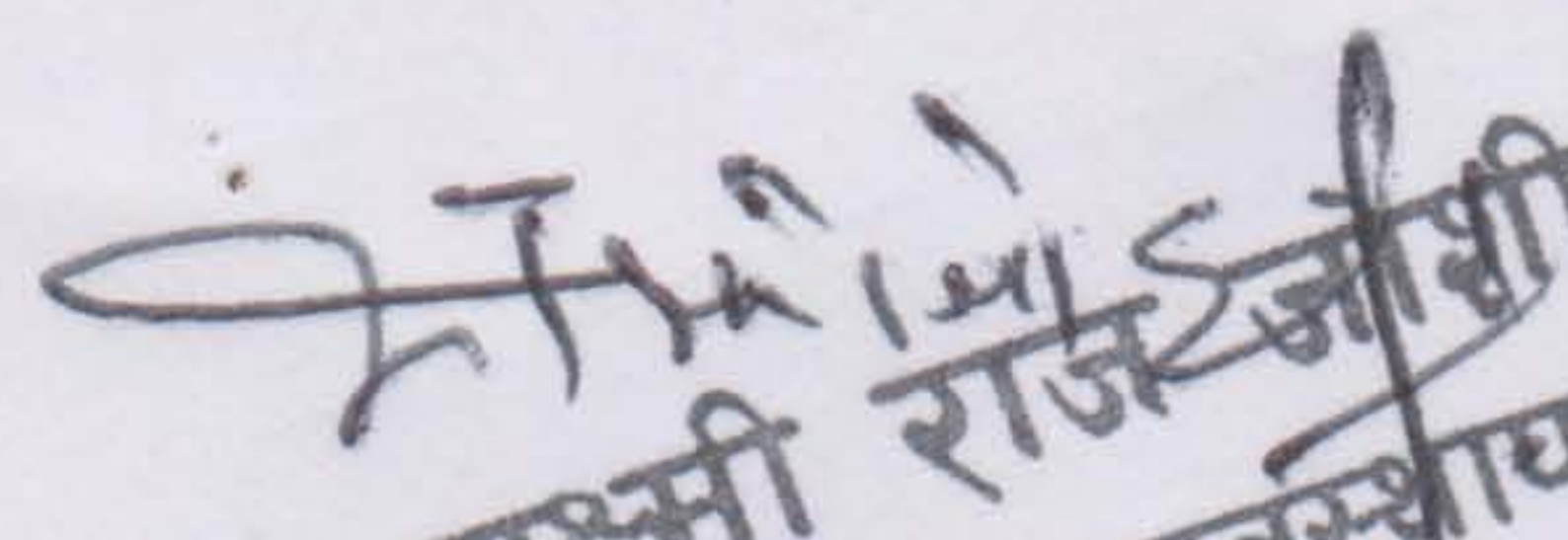
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PIU Response to Queries Submitted by the Prospective Bidders on Construction of Ranikunda Water Supply Project

S. No	Queries from prospective Bidders	Clarifications
1.	BoQ item no 8 Why is there are 2 pressure filters in PS items? Please clarify	It remains as it is as per the design.
2.	Brief the level of automation of SCADA.	The Provisions in the bid document are self-explanatory
3.	Will the existing tube wells be reliable?	Several Rehab works have been included to make it reliable.
4.	BoQ item no 104 Supply, Placing and Packing of Pea Gravels (size of 4 to 8mm) in a continuous operation in annular space of full depth of the borehole including supply of labor, material, equipment and all necessary spare parts for complete execution of the work as per clause 9.3 of general technical specification and all other relevant specifications, drawings, and as instructed by the Engineer. Q: how can we place and pack the Pea Gravels in an already existing bore hole?	During rehabilitation, if it is required, the placing will be done as per the instruction of engineer
5.	BoQ item no 106 Supply and Replacement of 80mm diameter Medium Grade G.I. Pipe for gravel Packing as per specification and instruction of Site Engineer including supply of labor, material, equipment's as per clause 9.4 of general technical specification and all other relevant specifications and as instructed by the Engineer with all lead and lift. Q: how can we supply and replace G.I pipe in already existing bore hole?	During rehabilitation, if it is required, the placing will be done as per the instruction of engineer
6.	BoQ item no 122 Supply and installation of extension pipes (CI/ DI/ GI pipes) of nominal diameter of 150mm as a surface extension pipe for Surface Valve Box as per drawing, sub clauses 3.5.8 & 3.5.11 of general technical specification and instruction of the Engineer Q: Please confirm the rate as it is stated "set" in BoQ	Piece of pipe (set equivalent to 1m) needed for a surface valve box is referred to as "set". Ref. Drawing for more clarification.
7.	BoQ item no 130 Cleaning all the water exposed surface of the existing OHT by water jetting after clearing	Any equipment /process /method / material required to get this item done shall be used.


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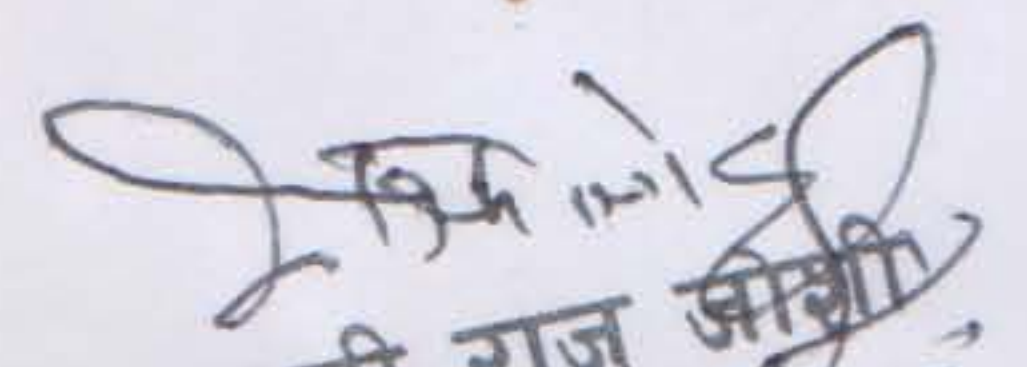


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	<p>sludge/filter media/ loose concrete and other loose construction material cleaning the same by water jetting and finally disinfection and sterilizing of the tank as instructed by the Engineer including supply of potable water, necessary equipment and safe disposal of water after disinfection and water quality test all complete work as per sub clause 2.6.5.1 and clause 15.20 of general technical specification and all other relevant specifications and as instructed by the Engineer with all lead and lift..</p> <p>Q: Please clarify the scaffolding required for this item</p>	
8.	<p>BoQ item no 155 Supply and Installation of PP Compression Metal Insert Female Thread Adapters as per drawing, specification and instruction of the Engineer for all lead and lift as per sub clause 3.5.9.10 of general technical specification and all other relevant specifications, drawings and as instructed by the Engineer with all lead and lift conforming to ISO 14236 or equivalent.</p> <p>Q: Can we replace the Female thread adapters to Brass union as it is readily available in the market.</p>	<p>The Provisions in the bid document are self-explanatory</p>
9.	<p>BoQ item no 163 Supply and installation of Stainless-Steel Fixed Flow Non-Return Valve as per specification for Household connection as per sub clauses 3.5.8.6.9 & 3.5.11 of general technical specification and all other relevant specifications, drawings and as instructed by the Engineer with all lead and lift conforming to IS 5312 (Part 1): 2004 or equivalent</p> <p>Q: No Return valve is not in practice, what are the alternatives?</p>	<p>The Provisions in the bid document are self-explanatory</p>

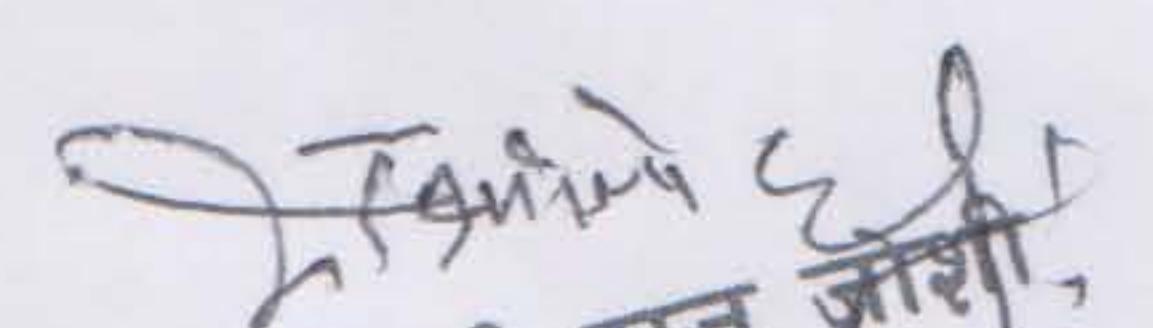

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S. No	Queries from prospective Bidders	Clarifications
10.	BoQ item no 229 Supply of all material and Installation of DI Flanged Bell Mouth of 200mm nominal diameter for PN 16 rating to the Site as per sub clause 3.5.8 of general technical specification and all other relevant specifications, drawings and as instructed by the Engineer including transportation with all lead and lift conforming to ISO 2531 Q: How to install DI Flanged Bell Mouth in existing pipeline?	Bell mouth is only proposed in new RVTs,
11.	BoQ item no 336 and 337 Q. Is vertical pump and submersible pump similar? Q. Is open well suitable for it and how can it be used?	Refer Drawings for more clarifications.
12.	Section VI: Work requirement – Equipment requirement Backhoe Excavator: Q: Does it mean a backhoe loader, excavator or any other equipment?	The Provisions in the bid document are self-explanatory
13.	Q: Is this bid price adjustable or not?	The Provisions in the bid document are self-explanatory
14.	Q: Do the key activities provided in the bid document need to be meet all by partners combined or can they meet individually?	The Provisions in the bid document are self-explanatory
15.	Q: Are the key activities calculated based on the annual production rate from any of the last 5 years or are other factors considered as well?	The Provisions in the bid document are self-explanatory
16.	For JV Partner: Same nature of works shall be considered in Water Management, Road Improvement and Building project Q: Please reconsider addendum	The Provision in the Bidding Document remains unchanged.


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