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All prospective bidders who participated in the Pre-bid meeting,

**Procurement of Urea for Maha Season 2022/23**  
**Contract No. MOA/Proc/02/Urea/ Maha 2022**

Following clarification is made regarding the "CC 14 Conditions applied to the payment", as requested by the prospective bidders at the Pre-bid meeting held on 12<sup>th</sup> July 2022.

There are 2 methods of payment as described below.


**(A) Special Commitment:**

This would require a Letter of Credit for the contract amount. The following are the broad steps in the Special Commitment process:

1. Government requests World Bank to issue a Special Commitment to Bank of the supplier by submitting a withdrawal application. Completed letter of credit and proforma invoice are also to be submitted.
2. If all documents are in order, World Bank issues Special Commitment to the bank of the supplier.
3. Based on the letter of credit terms, negotiating bank would claim amount with World Bank. All communication would be through SWIFT network and Ministry wouldn't be copied.
4. World Bank would pay amount to Negotiating bank.

**(B) Direct payment:**

1. In this procedure, the requirement is submission of invoice and a signed withdrawal application from the Government. Delivery should have been usually completed.
2. World Bank directly makes payment to the bank account of the supplier.
3. Government should provide the correct payment instructions. Payment would be made in the invoice currency.

  
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