

Q&A list – Stage I.1
 PKN/2/002001/26 - EPCC contract for the execution of the Waste-to-Hydrogen Complex in Plock PART I

Date of question	Bidder's Question	Date of answer	Clarification
15-06-2026	The question has not been published due to the presence of information that could reveal the identity of the company submitting the question. The essence of the question has been reflected in the Company's response.	18-06-2026	With regard to BIDDER question on the experience requirements and scoring methodology we would like to refer you to Appendix No. 2 to ITB, where: □ Table II defines the conditions of participation in the PROCEDURE (pass-fail criteria), and □ Table III defines the selection criteria. As part of the conditions of participation (Table II point 10 of the Appendix No. 2 to ITB), the ORDERING PARTY requires that: The BIDDER shall demonstrate that the BIDDER's PROPOSED TECHNOLOGY comprises gasification technology for the processing of MSW or MSW-derived feedstock (based on oxygen gasification technology, including at least syngas production), which has achieved a Technology Readiness Level (TRL) 7 and shall demonstrate operational experience within the last 15 years prior to REQUEST submission. The COMPANY does not specify a minimum duration of such operational experience. For avoidance of doubt, the reference to the last 15 years does not mean that the installation is required to have operated for 15 years in total or on a continuous basis. It defines the period within which the relevant operational experience must have occurred. The COMPANY does not specify a minimum duration of such operational experience. Considering that the minimum required Technology Readiness Level is TRL 7, such experience may include non-continuous operation, including operation during test campaigns, demonstration campaigns or other time-limited operating periods. Additionally, for the avoidance of doubt, RDF (Refuse Derived Fuel) may be considered MSW-derived feedstock in the meaning of this condition for participation, where it is produced from MSW or MSW-derived waste streams. Additionally, Table III of the Appendix No. 2 to ITB provides for the allocation of scoring points for installations processing different types of feedstock and producing different products, as well as for installations that operated within the periods of 2, 15 and 30 years prior to the REQUEST submission date for the relevant total, specified number of operating hours. At the same time, we would like to emphasize that the verification of compliance with the conditions of participation, as well as detailed evaluation of references and allocation of scoring points, will be carried out after submission of the REQUESTs, in accordance with the PROCEDURE. Both conditions of participation and selection criteria will be evaluated based on the submitted documents and information provided. At this stage, the ORDERING PARTY is not in a position to confirm or preclude the eligibility of any specific solution or the outcome of the scoring assessment.
18-06-2026	Chciałabym się upewnić, że opisany w Zapytaniu proces waste-to-H₂ to ma być proces gazyfikacji odpadów wymienionych w Załączniku Appendix A4.1, którego produktami mają być gaz syntezowy Czy to ma być proces termicznej utylizacji odpadów z produkcją wodoru w formule waste-to-energy-to-hydrogen? Jeżeli mia to być proces gazyfikacji to rozumiem, że użyta technologia ma zapewnić również odzysk wodoru i CO₂ Translation into English: I would like to confirm that the waste-to-H₂ process described in the Inquiry is intended to be a gasification process of the waste types listed in Appendix A4.1, with syngas as the resulting product. Should this be understood as a thermal waste treatment process with hydrogen production in a waste-to-energy-to-hydrogen scheme? If this is indeed a gasification process, I assume that the selected technology is also expected to enable the recovery of hydrogen and CO₂.	18-06-2026	Zgodnie z Sekcją III Załącznikiem A0 Technical Information on the Subject of the BID/CONTRACT, przedmiotem postępowania jest kompleks WASTE TO HYDROGEN, rozumiany jako instalacja termicznego przekształcania odpadów komunalnych (MSW) z wykorzystaniem procesu zgazowania. Strumien wsadowy stanowią odpady o składzie określonym w Sekcji III, Załącznik A4.1. Wymagany efektem procesu jest produkcja: □ wodoru (H₂), □ dwutlenku węgla (CO₂), przy czym oba produkty powinny być uzyskiwane z gazu syntezowego powstałego w procesie zgazowania. Wskazujemy jednocześnie, że: □ niedopuszczalne jest spalanie gazu syntezowego, □ niedopuszczalne jest wykorzystanie elektrolizy do produkcji wodoru. In accordance with Section III Appendix A0 Technical Information on the Subject of the BID/CONTRACT, the subject of the procurement is a WASTE TO HYDROGEN Complex, defined as a thermal conversion plant using gasification of municipal solid waste (MSW). The feedstock shall consist of waste streams with composition specified in Section III Appendix A4.1. The required outputs of the process are: □ hydrogen (H₂), □ carbon dioxide (CO₂), both to be produced from the synthesis gas generated in the gasification process. We explicitly state that: □ combustion of syngas is not allowed, □ the use of electrolysis for hydrogen production is not allowed.
	Between 26 June and 1 July, numerous requests were received from bidders for an extension of the deadline for the submission of REQUEST.	02-07-2026	On the basis of sec. 5.1. of the INSTRUCTION TO BIDDERS ("ITB"), the OWNER modified (on its own initiative) the BIDDING DOCUMENTS by changing the deadline for submitting REQUESTS. The new deadline for submitting REQUEST is set for August 31 at 12:00 p.m.
08-06-2026	Proposed amendment to Appendix No. 4 to ITB_Waste-to-Hydrogen Complex_NDA_TEMPLATE (marked in red): Article 1 sec. 3.1.disclosure, including provision of the Business Secrets, to staff members of the Bidder or to other persons, including in particular to advisers, affiliates (i.e. any entity that directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Bidder, whether through management control or ownership of more than fifty percent of the voting shares or similar equity interest in such entity) or subcontractors, is necessary for the purposes of the Process, and such persons have been obligated by the Bidder in writing to protect the Business Secrets on the conditions at least such as specified herein or	02.07.2026	The Ordering Party does not agree to the proposed amendment. Simultaneously, the Company decided to introduce a modification to Article 1, Section 3.1 of Appendix 4 to the ITB by issuing Addendum No. 2 to the ITB.

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