Subject: Reply of CUH on the quarries raised by the bidders during the Pre-bid Meeting held on 25/11/2025.

Name of Equipment: Metabolic Analyzer/Cardio Pulmonary Exercise Test System

| Sr.<br>No | Name of firm                              | CUH Specification as per NIT  | Bidder's queries   | Reply of CUH  |
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| A.        | Global<br>Medical<br>Devices<br>Pvt. Ltd. | 1.Technical Specifications of the equipment:  Point no.6- System should have capacity for 18-hour record of a test in natural conditions. | Clause may remain; however, note that under maximal effort, a subject performs approx. 40 breaths/min, and COSMED K5 acquires over 65,000 breaths continuously.  Remarks / Justification: - The clause should clarify that practical operation needs.    | No Change   |
|           |   | Point no. 8- Flow rate: dead space <40 ml, flow range ±18 L/s, O <sub>2</sub> t90 < 100 ms, CO <sub>2</sub> t90 < 90 ms.                  | Modify to: Dead space <60 ml, flow range ±16 L/s, O <sub>2</sub> t90 < 130 ms, CO <sub>2</sub> t90 < 110ms.  Remarks / Justification:- To align with the ATS ERS Guidelines for Metabolic analyzer   | No Change   |
|           |   | Point no. 14.The system must include at least 10 global positioning sensors.  | Delete clause.  Remarks / Justification:- Current text misinterprets GPS functionality; multiple sensors are neither required nor available in portable CPET systems.  | No Change   |
|           |   | Point no. 15- GPS sampling frequency 18 Hz.   | Modify to <b>10 Hz</b> . <b>Remarks / Justification:-</b> 10 Hz GPS is the international standard for portable telemetry metabolic systems, ensuring accuracy and reliability.   | No Change   |
|           |   | Point no. 16-A<br>minimum of 10<br>vests with carry case<br>having 10 sensor<br>slots (or) one<br>adjustable size-fits-<br>all vest       | Modify to <b>one adjustable size-fits-all vest</b> and delete "10 slots for sensors." <b>Remarks / Justification:-</b> O <sub>2</sub> sensors are galvanic and replaced annually; multiple slots not practical.  Adjustable vest accommodates all users. | Point no. 16-A<br>to be read as<br>minimum of 10<br>vests with carry<br>case having 10<br>sensor slots (or)<br>one adjustable<br>size-fits-all<br>vest. |
|           |   | Point no. 19-<br>Drying desiccant<br>tube replacement<br>interval: 12 months<br>or 50 tests or after<br>water ingress.                    | Modify to 6 months or 100 tests; delete "after water ingress."  Remarks / Justification:- To align with the ATS ERS Guidelines for Metabolic analyzer  | No Change   |