FIDIC EVENTS

Managing FIDIC Contracts

Programme: two-day seminar or training course

This practical training course or seminar, provided by professional engineers with extensive international experience, explains and illustrates the use of the FIDIC Conditions of Contract for Construction and for Plant and Design-Build. The course is designed to help the participants have confidence in working with these documents as project managers and contract administrators.

Day 1 Contract documents

Award and Tender Security

Documents

Sufficiency and discrepancies

Contradictions

Conditions of Contract and interpretation

Definition of the Engineer

Engineer must adhere to Works contract

Start-up

Appointment of the Engineer

Engineer's delegation of duties and authorities

Pre-commencement meeting

Contractor's Representative

Commencement Date

Performance Security

Advance Payment Security

Insurance

Breakdowns of Lump Sums and Unit Rates

Statutory Approvals and Permits

Works programme and cash flow

Quality Assurance and Control

Access to and possession of site

Construction Licence

Issuing drawings

Meteorological records

Contractor's reports

Price Adjustment Formula & Indices

Consent for Subcontractors

Nominated Subcontractors

Compliance with Local Law

Rules of origin and nationality

Imports and taxes

Contractor's Mobilization

Safety, Security & Protection of the Environment

Diaries and Events Log

Financial control

Bill of Quantities and Unit Prices

Provisional Sums

Variations

- General requirements
- Permitted Variations
- Employer's pre-approval
- Contractor's compliance
- Variations after Substantial Completion of the Works

Valuation of Variations

- Principles of valuation
- Adjustments arising from Variations in Quantities
- Incorporating Variations into the Bill of Quantities by establishing new BoQ Items for new and varied Rates
- Adjustments of the Contract Amount

Variation Orders

Value Engineering

Daywork

Measurement of Works

Valuation of Plant and Materials intended for the Works

Contractor's Interim Payment Statements

Interim Payment Certificates

- General Requirements
- Price Adjustments
- Repayment of Advance Payment
- Deductions for Retention
- Payment of Retention Money
- Security for Retention Money

Interim Payments

Delayed Payments

- Overview
- Interest (financing charges) on Late Payments

Records of Statements, Certifications and Payments

Estimates of Cost of Works to Completion

Work Quantities management

- Bill of Quantities
- Quantity Take-offs
- Monitoring quantity trends

Monitoring and reporting Works progress

- Percentage of Progress
- Progress Charts

Contract addenda and amendments

Day 2 Ongoing supervision

Engineer's Instructions

Regular progress meetings

Continuing Validity of Securities and Insurance Performance Security

Verification of Contractor's Personnel and Equipment

Samples and Testing of Materials, Workmanship and Plant

Works Inspection, Testing & Acceptance

Unacceptable Works, Defects Notification and remedies

- Defects Notification
- Acceptance of non-complying Works with payment deductions
- Remedies

Works programme and cash flow revisions

- Works programme revisions
- Cash flow revisions

Contractor's slow progress

- Remedies to comply with Time for Completion
- Increased working hours

Works Suspensions

- Suspension of Works by the Engineer
- Suspension of Works by the Contractor

Claims: Contractor's and Employer's

Documentation, determination and evaluation of Claims

Documentation of Claims

- Procedures for Determination
- Principle and quantum
- Due consultation
- Limits of the Engineer's Authority

Delays, Extension of Time for Completion and associated costs

- Completion of Works within the Time for Completion
- Grounds for Extension of Time
- Procedures for Extension of Time Claims
- Costs associated with Extension of Time
- Responsibility for Delay affects Entitlement to Costs
- Prolongation Costs
- Loss of Profit
- Overhead Recovery

Liquidated Damages and Bonus

Disputes and Dispute Resolution

- Contract Provisions
- Engineer's Decision
- Dispute Adjudication Board
- Amicable Settlement
- Arbitration

Taking over the Works

Substantial Completion

Taking-Over Certificate

- Taking-Over Certificate for the Whole of the Works
- Taking-Over Certificates for Parts of the Works
- Form of Taking-Over Certificate

Inspection at Completion and the Snagging List

Contractor's Statement at Completion

Interim Payment Certificate at Completion

- Engineer's Interim Payment Certificate at Completion
- Supplement Report to Interim Payment Certificate at Completion

Interim Payment at Completion

Defects Liability Period and Contract Completion

- Defects Liability Period
- Completion of Remaining Works and Rectification of Defects
- Inspections and Notification of Defects
- Cost of Rectifying Defects and Damage
- Remedies for Non-Performance in Defects Liability Period
- Extension of Defects Liability Period
- Further Tests
- Final Acceptance of Works
- Defects Liability Certificate
- Clearance of Site
- Contractor's Final Statement
- Contractor's Discharge
- Final Payment Certificate
- Final Payment

Contract Termination

- Termination by Employer arising from Contractor's Default
- Termination by Contractor arising from Employer's Default
- Termination resulting from Force Majeure
- Employer's Termination for Convenience

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