Appendix B – the Text of a Guarantee to Secure a Bid

**The Text of the Guarantee**

**Comment: Due to wording problems, it is recommended to submit a cashier’s check, rather than a guarantee, as a security for the submission of the bid. A bidder, who notwithstanding chooses to submit a guarantee must take steps to ensure that the text of the guarantee issued by a bank branch/insurance company is identical to the following, with no change at all.**

To:

The Technion – Israel Institute of Technology

Haifa 3200

**Subject: Guarantee No…… for the Sum of NIS……**

 This guarantee is in effect until………………………

1. Pursuant to the request of………………….. (hereinafter: the “Requesting Party”), we pledge to pay you, under a complete and absolute guarantee, any sum which is or shall be owed to you by the Requesting Party up to the sum of NIS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter” the “Sum of the Guarantee”), in association with Tender No………….. for……………………………………

2. We will pay you any sum, up to the sum of the guarantee, immediately upon your first written request, without you having to explain your request, and we will not file any defense claim against you, to which the Requesting Party may have recourse in association with the charge debited to you, and while not initially requiring clearance of said sum from the Requesting Party.

3. This guarantee will remain in effect until\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ inclusive, and shall thereafter become null and void. Any demand in accordance with this guarantee must be received by us, no later than the above-mentioned date.

4. This guarantee cannot be transferred or endorsed.

5. This demand in accordance with this guarantee should be addressed to the bank branch/the insurance company at the following address.

 The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Bank/Insurance Company)

Stamp and signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (the branch/insurance company)

at: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (address)