

GLOBAL TENDER ENQUIRY DOCUMENT

FOR PURCHASE OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

FOR & ON BEHALF OF

Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi

On E-Tender Basis

HSCC/SJH/Medical Equipment/2018/41 Dated 14/03/2018

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SECTION- I

NOTICE INVITING TENDERS (NIT)
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Tender Enquiry No.: HSCC/SJH/Medical Equipment/2018/41

Dated 14.03.2018

Medical Superintendent, Safdarjung Hospital & VMMC, New Delhi under Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India through their Consultants HSCC (India) Ltd. invites **On-line bids** from eligible bidders, in single stage two bid system for supply, installation, testing, commissioning & handing-over of **Medical Equipment for New Emergency & New Super-Specialty Block at Safderjung Hospital & VMMC, New Delhi:**

Sr. No.	Name of Equipment	Qty.	Department	EMD (Rs.)
1.	Holter Monitoring System	2 Nos.	2 Nos. for Cardiology in Super-Specialty Block	40,000.00
2.	Operative Microscope	1 Nos.	1 Nos. for Neurosurgery Department in Super specialty Block	70,000.00
3.	EBUS	1 Nos.	1 no. for Pulmonary Medicine Deptt. of Super-Specialty Block	2,00,000.00
4.	Portable Sleep Lab	1 Nos.	1 no. for Pulmonary Medicine Deptt. of Super-Specialty Block	24,000.00
5.	Digital EEG System 64 Channels	1 Nos.	1 Nos. Digital EEG System 64-Channels with	20,000.00

The bidders are required to be registered at HSCC e-tender portal www.tenderwizard.com/HSCC. Please log on to www.tenderwizard.com/HSCC only for downloading bid document and for participation through **E-tendering basis**. For submission and other details please refer HSCC e-tender portal www.tenderwizard.com/HSCC. For submission of the bids, the bidders are required to have Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from the authorized Certifying Authorities.

Complete set of Bid Documents has been made available at E-Tender portal www.tenderwizard.com/HSCC, www.hsccltd.com, CPPP Portal for downloading from **14.3.2018 to 14.4.2018**. Prospective bidders are advised to regularly scan through HSCC E-tender portal www.tenderwizard.com/HSCC and www.hsccltd.com as corrigendum/modification/amendments, if any, will be notified on this portal only and no separate advertisement will be made for this.

Sr. No.	Description	Schedule
iii.	Cost of the Tender Enquiry Document	INR 3, 000/-
iv.	Pre Tender Meeting Date & Time	21.03.2018, 14.30 hrs. IST
v.	Pre Tender Meeting Venue	Medical Superintendent Office, Conference Room, Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi
vi.	Closing date & time for receipt of Tender	14.04.2018, 1430 hrs IST
vii.	Time and date of opening of Techno – Commercial tenders	14.04.2018, 1500 hrs IST
viii.	Venue of Opening of Techno Commercial Tender	Same as 2 (ii)

2. Interested tenderers may obtain further information about this requirement from this office inviting the tenders.

3. The prospective bidders who have not registered can register with E-procurement system of NIC by paying necessary registration charges. The bidders may prepare a banker cheque/Draft in favour of HSCC (India) Ltd. Office at Noida, payable at Noida/Delhi and deposit it. In order to submit the bids electronically bidders are required to have type-II Digital Signature Certificate. Digital Signature can be obtained from any of the certifying agency.

The tender shall be submitted all the necessary documents and in physical form (with respect to few documents as mentioned in the SIT) in parts/covers as mentioned below:

Part-I In Original Offline (In separate Envelope) & Copy Online

- I. Tender Fee and EMD
- II. Affidavit as per Section XIX
- III. Performance statement along with required PO copies and its corresponding end user's satisfactory performance certificate as per section IX.
- IV. Technical compliance for the quoted goods vis-à-vis the Technical specifications and with all related brochures/catalogues in the tender enquiry, technical bid

Part-II Online

- I. Tender Fee and EMD
 - II. Power of Attorney
 - III. Tender Form as per section X.
 - IV. Manufacturers Authorization Form
 - V. Affidavit as per Section
 - VI. Proforma A
 - VII. Performance statement along with required PO copies and its corresponding end user's satisfactory performance certificate as per section IX
- viii) Technical compliance for the quoted goods vis-à-vis the Technical specifications
- (ix) Name, address and details of account with respect to bidder and/or beneficiary of L/C. Copy of PAN. Certificate of Incorporation/Declaration being a proprietary firm.
- (x) Audited Annual report of last 3 completed financial years (Balance sheet and Profit & Loss Account). Certificate of Regn. Issued by Directorate of Industries/NSIC, if SSI unit. (xi) Quality Control Requirements as per Section VIII

Price Bid (Only online).

- Price Schedule

- CMC Price Schedule
- Turnkey Price Schedule

4. All prospective tenderers may attend the Pre Tender meeting. For all the above tender IDs, Pre-bid meeting shall be held as mentioned above.

5. To participate in the submission against the tender, it is mandatory for the Applicants to get digital signature and get themselves registered with e-tendering system.

6. Complete set of Bid Documents has been made available at E-Tender portal www.tenderwizard.com/HSCC, www.hsccltd.com for downloading. The cost the Tender Enquiry Document is **INR 3,000/ which is payable in the form of Cash/Demand Draft** drawn on a scheduled bank in India in favour of **HSCC (India) Ltd.** payable at Delhi/Noida.. Tenderer may download the tender enquiry documents from the website and submit its tender online after logging in to their user ID. The bidders are required to be registered at HSCC e-tender portal www.tenderwizard.com/HSCC. Please log on to www.tenderwizard.com/HSCC only for uploading its tender on-line for participation through **E-Tendering basis**. For submission and other details, please refer HSCC e-tender portal www.tenderwizard.com/HSCC.

7. Tenderers shall ensure that their tenders, complete in all respects, are submitted online and desired hard copies in original dropped in the Tender Box located at HSCC (India) Ltd., E-6A, Sector-1, Noida, U.P.-201301 on or before the closing date and time indicated above, failing which the tenders will be treated as late and rejected.

8. In the event of any of the above mentioned dates being declared as a holiday /closed day for the purchase organisation, the physical form of tenders will be received/opened on the next working day at the appointed time. Bidders are requested to regularly visit website www.tenderwizard.com/HSCC & www.hsccltd.com for corrigendum/amendments etc., if any, as these there no separate advertisement for them.

9. Purchaser/HSCC reserves the right to annul the tendering process at any stage without assigning any reason thereof.

**Medical Superintendent
Safdarjung Hospital,
New Delhi.**

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS (GIT)

A. PREAMBLE

1. Definitions and Abbreviations

1.1 The following definitions and abbreviations, which have been used in these documents shall have the meanings as indicated below:

1.2. Definitions:

- (i) "Purchaser" means the organization purchasing goods and services as incorporated in the Tender Enquiry document, i.e. Medical Superintendent, SafdarjungHospital & VMMC, New Delhi.
- (ii) "Tender" means Bids / Quotation / Tender received from a Firm / Tenderer / Bidder.
- (iii) "Tenderer" means Bidder/ the Individual or Firm submitting Bids / Quotation / Tender
- (iii) "Supplier" means the individual or the firm supplying the goods and services as incorporated in the contract.
- (iv) "Goods" means the instruments, machinery, equipment, medical equipment, etc. which the supplier is required to supply to the purchaser under the contract.
- (v) "Services" means services allied and incidental to the supply of goods, such as transportation, installation, commissioning, provision of technical assistance, training, after sales service, maintenance service and other such obligations of the supplier covered under the contract.
- (vi) "Earnest Money Deposit" (EMD) means Bid Security/ monetary or financial guarantee to be furnished by a tenderer along with its tender.
- (vii) "Contract" means the written agreement entered into between the purchaser and/or consignee and the supplier, together with all the documents mentioned therein and including all attachments, annexure etc. therein.
- (viii) "Performance Security" means monetary or financial guarantee to be furnished by the successful tenderer for due performance of the contract placed on it. Performance Security is also known as Security Deposit.
- (ix) "Consignee" means SafdarjungHospital, New Delhi/person to whom the goods are required to be delivered as specified in the Contract. If the goods are required to be delivered to a person as an interim consignee for the purpose of despatch to another person as provided in the Contract then that "another" person is the consignee, also known as ultimate consignee.
- (x) "Specification" means the document/standard that prescribes the requirement with which goods or service has to conform.
- (xi) "Inspection" means activities such as measuring, examining, testing, gauging one or more characteristics of the product or service and comparing the same with the specified requirement to determine conformity.
- (xii) "Day" means calendar day.

1.3 Abbreviations:

- (i) "TE Document" means Tender Enquiry Document
- (ii) "NIT" means Notice Inviting Tenders.
- (iii) "GIT" means General Instructions to Tenderers
- (iv) "SIT" means Special Instructions to Tenderers

- (v) "GCC" means General Conditions of Contract
- (vi) "SCC" means Special Conditions of Contract
- (vii) "DGS&D" means Directorate General of Supplies and Disposals
- (viii) "NSIC" means National Small Industries Corporation
- (ix) "PSU" means Public Sector Undertaking
- (x) "CPSU" means Central Public Sector Undertaking
- (xi) "LSI" means Large Scale Industry
- (xii) "SSI" means Small Scale Industry
- (xiii) "LC" means Letter of Credit
- (xiv) "DP" means Delivery Period
- (xv) "BG" means Bank Guarantee
- (xvi) "ED" means Excise Duty
- (xvii) "CD" means Custom Duty
- (xviii) "VAT" means Value Added Tax
- (xix) "CENVAT" means Central Value Added Tax
- (xx) "CST" means Central Sales Tax
- (xxi) "RR" means Railway Receipt
- (xxii) "BL" means Bill of Lading
- (xxiii) "FOB" means Free on Board
- (xxiv) "FCA" means Free Carrier
- (xxv) "FOR" means Free On Rail
- (xxvi) "CIF" means Cost, Insurance and Freight
- (xxvii) "CIP (Destinations)" means Carriage and Insurance Paid up to named port of destination. Additionally the Insurance (local transportation and storage) would be extended and borne by the Supplier from ware house to the consignee site for a period including 3 months beyond date of delivery.
- (xxviii) "DDP" means Delivery Duty Paid named place of destination (consignee site)
- (xxix) "INCOTERMS" means International Commercial Terms as on the date of Tender Opening
- (xxx) "CMC" means Comprehensive maintenance Contract (labour, spare and preventive maintenance)
- (xxxix) "RT" means Re-Tender.

2. Introduction

- 2.1 The Purchaser has issued these TE documents for purchase of goods and related services as mentioned in Section - VI - "List of Requirements", which also indicates, *interalia*, the required delivery schedule, terms and place of delivery.
- 2.2 This section (Section II - "General Instruction Tenderers") provides the relevant information as well as instructions to assist the prospective tenderers in preparation and submission of tenders. It also includes the mode and procedure to be adopted by the purchaser for receipt and opening as well as scrutiny and evaluation of tenders and subsequent placement of contract.
- 2.3 The tenderers shall also read the Special Instructions to Tenderers (SIT) related to this purchase, as contained in Section III of these documents and follow the same accordingly. Whenever there is a conflict between the GIT and the SIT, the provisions contained in the SIT shall prevail over those in the GIT.
- 2.4 Before formulating the tender and submitting the same to the purchaser, the tenderer should read and examine all the terms, conditions, instructions, checklist etc. contained in the TE documents. Failure to provide and/or comply with the required information,

instructions etc. incorporated in these TE documents may result in rejection of its tender.

3. Availability of Funds

3.1 Expenditure to be incurred for the proposed purchase will be met from the funds available with the purchaser/consignee.

4. Language of Tender

4.1 The tender submitted by the tenderer and all subsequent correspondence and documents relating to the tender exchanged between the tenderer and the purchaser, shall be written in the English language, unless otherwise specified in the Tender Enquiry. However, the language of any printed literature furnished by the tenderer in connection with its tender may be written in any other language provided the same is accompanied by an English translation and, for purposes of interpretation of the tender, the English translation shall prevail.

4.2 The tender submitted by the tenderer and all subsequent correspondence and documents relating to the tender exchanged between the tenderer and the purchaser, may also be written in the Hindi language, provided that the same are accompanied by English translation, in which case, for purpose of interpretation of the tender etc, the English translations shall prevail.

5. Eligible Tenderers

5.1 This invitation for tenders is open to all suppliers who fulfil the eligibility criteria specified in these documents.

6. Eligible Goods and Services

6.1 All goods and related services to be supplied under the contract shall have their origin in India or any other country with which India has not banned trade relations. The term "origin" used in this clause means the place where the goods are mined, grown, produced, or manufactured or from where the related services are arranged and supplied.

7. Tendering Expense

7.1 The tenderer shall bear all costs and expenditure incurred and/or to be incurred by it in connection with its tender including preparation, mailing and submission of its tender and for subsequent processing the same. The purchaser will, in no case be responsible or liable for any such cost, expenditure etc regardless of the conduct or outcome of the tendering process.

B. TENDER ENQUIRY DOCUMENTS

8. Content of Tender Enquiry Documents

8.1 In addition to Section I – "Notice inviting Tender" (NIT), the TE documents include:

- Section II – General Instructions to Tenderers (GIT)
- Section III – Special Instructions to Tenderers (SIT)
- Section IV – General Conditions of Contract (GCC)
- Section V – Special Conditions of Contract (SCC)
- Section VI – List of Requirements
- Section VII – Technical Specifications
- Section VIII – Quality Control Requirements
- Section IX – Qualification Criteria
- Section X – Tender Form

- Section XI – Price Schedules
- Section XII – Questionnaire
- Section XIII – Bank Guarantee Form for EMD
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8.2 The relevant details of the required goods and services, the terms, conditions and procedure for tendering, tender evaluation, placement of contract, the applicable contract terms and, also, the standard formats to be used for this purpose are incorporated in the above-mentioned documents. The interested tenderers are expected to examine all such details etc to proceed further.

9. Amendments to TE documents

9.1 At any time prior to the deadline for submission of tenders, the purchaser may, for any reason deemed fit by it, modify the TE documents by issuing suitable amendment(s) to it.

9.2 Such an amendment will be notified in the referred website only.

9.3 In order to provide reasonable time to the prospective tenderers to take necessary action in preparing their tenders as per the amendment, the purchaser may, at its discretion extend the deadline for the submission of tenders and other allied time frames, which are linked with that deadline.

10. Clarification of TE documents

10.1 A tenderer requiring any clarification or elucidation on any issue of the TE documents may take up the same with the purchaser **in writing on or before the due date of pre-bid meeting**. No queries will be entertained later on. The purchaser will respond in writing to such request as per the schedule.

C. PREPARATION OF TENDERS

11. Documents Comprising the Tender

11.1 The bids shall be submitted online and in physical form in three parts/covers as mentioned below:

(i) Tender Fee, EMD, Pre-qualification as per Tender Terms and referred in checklist at section XIX and as mentioned in para A below.

(ii) Technical Bid

(iii) Price Bid (Only online).

Tenderers are requested not to submit the hard copy of Price Bid along with the physical form of tender. In case the hard copy of price bid is submitted in physical form, the tender shall be straightway rejected. Also, uploading of the price bid in prequalification bid or technical bid will result in rejection of the tender.

A) Techno – Commercial Tender (Un priced Tender)

- i) Earnest money furnished in accordance with GIT clause 19.1 alternatively, documentary evidence as per GIT clause 19.2 for claiming exemption from payment of earnest money.
- ii) Tender Form as per Section X (without indicating any prices).
- iii) Documentary evidence, as necessary in terms of clauses 5 and 17 establishing that the tenderer is eligible to submit the tender and, also, qualified to perform the contract if its tender is accepted.
- iv) Tenderer/Agent who quotes for goods manufactured by other manufacturer shall furnish Manufacturer's Authorisation Form.
- v) Power of Attorney in favour of signatory of TE documents.
- vi) Documents and relevant details to establish in accordance with GIT clause 18 that the goods and the allied services to be supplied by the tenderer conform to the requirement of the TE documents.
- vii) Performance Statement as per section IX along with relevant copies of orders and end users' satisfaction certificate/Installation Reports.
- viii) Certificate of Incorporation in the country of origin.

B) Price Tender:

1. Prices are to be quoted in the attached Price Bid format online as per the directions on the official website.

2. The price should be quoted for the accounting unit indicated on the website.

The bidder shall not submit hard copy of financial bid otherwise his tender shall be straightway rejected. Also, uploading the price bid in prequalification bid or technical bid will result in rejection of the tender.

Note:

It is the responsibility of tenderer to go through the TE document to ensure furnishing all required documents in addition to above, if any.

11.2 A person signing (manually or digitally) the tender form or any documents forming part of the contract on behalf of another shall be deemed to warrant that he has authority to bind such other persons and if, on enquiry, it appears that the persons so signing had no authority to do so, the purchaser may, without prejudice to other civil and criminal remedies, cancel the contract and hold the signatory liable for all cost and damages

11.3 A tender, which does not fulfil any of the above requirements and/or gives evasive information/reply against any such requirement, shall be liable to be ignored and rejected.

11.4 Tender sent by fax/telex/cable/electronically shall be ignored.

12. Tender currencies

12.1 The tenderer supplying indigenous goods or already imported goods shall quote only in Indian Rupees.

12.2 For imported goods if supplied directly from abroad, prices shall be quoted in any freely convertible currency say US Dollar, Euro, GBP or Yen. As regards price(s) for allied services, if any required with the goods, the same shall be quoted in Indian Rupees only if such services are to be performed /undertaken in India. Commission for Indian Agent,

if any and if payable shall be indicated in the space provided for in the price schedule and will be payable in Indian Rupees only.

- 12.3 Tenders, where prices are quoted in any other way shall be treated as non-responsive and rejected.

13 Tender Prices

- 13.1 The Tenderer shall indicate on the Price Schedule provided under Section XI all the specified components of prices shown therein including the unit prices and total tender prices of the goods and services it proposes to supply against the requirement. All the columns shown in the price schedule should be filled up as required. If any column does not apply to a tenderer, same should be clarified as "NA" by the tenderer.

- 13.2 If there is more than one schedule in the List of Requirements, the tenderer has the option to submit its quotation for any one or more schedules and, also, to offer special discount for combined schedules. However, while quoting for a schedule, the tenderer shall quote for the complete requirement of goods and services as specified in that particular schedule.

- 13.3 The quoted prices for goods offered from within India and that for goods offered from abroad are to be indicated separately in the applicable Price Schedules attached under Section XI. Bidders must quote the prevailing taxes and duties as applicable.

- 13.4 While filling up the columns of the Price Schedule, the following aspects should be noted for compliance:

- 13.4.1 For domestic goods or goods of foreign origin located within India, the prices in the corresponding price schedule shall be entered separately in the following manner:

- a) the price of the goods, quoted ex-factory/ ex-showroom/ ex-warehouse/ off-the-shelf, as applicable, including all taxes and duties like sales tax, CST VAT, CENVAT, Custom Duty, Excise Duty etc. already paid or payable on the components and raw material used in the manufacture or assembly of the goods quoted ex-factory etc. or on the previously imported goods of foreign origin quoted ex-showroom etc;
- b) any sales or other taxes and any duties including excise duty, which will be payable on the goods in India if the contract is awarded;
- c) charges towards Packing & Forwarding, Inland Transportation, Insurance (local transportation and storage) would be borne by the Supplier from ware house to the consignee site for a period including 3 months beyond date of delivery, Loading/Unloading and other local costs incidental to delivery of the goods to their final destination as specified in the List of Requirements and Price Schedule;
- d) the price of Incidental Services, as mentioned in List of Requirements and Price Schedule;
- e) the prices of Turnkey (if any), as mentioned in List of Requirements, Technical Specification and Price Schedule; and
- f) the price of annual CMC, as mentioned in List of Requirements, Technical Specification and Price Schedule.

- 13.4.2 For goods offered from abroad, the prices in the corresponding price schedule shall be entered separately in the following manner:

- a) The price of goods quoted FOB/FCA port of shipment, as indicated in the List of Requirements and Price Schedule;
- b) the price of goods quoted CIP (name port of destination) in India as indicated in the List of Requirements, Price Schedule and Consignee List;
- c) the charges for Insurance (local transportation and storage) would be extended and borne by the Supplier from ware house to the consignee site for a period including 3

months beyond date of delivery. Other local costs and Incidental costs, as specified in the List of Requirements and Price Schedule;

- d) the charges for Incidental Services, as in the List of Requirements and Price Schedule;
- e) the prices of Turnkey (if any), as mentioned in List of Requirements, Technical Specification and Price Schedule; and
- f) the Total tender price of goods quoted CIP basis at consignee site in India as indicated in the List of Requirements, Price Schedule and Consignee List + quoted custom duty + quoted IGST
- g) the price of annual CMC, as mentioned in List of Requirements, Technical Specification and Price Schedule.

13.5 Additional information and instruction on Duties and Taxes:

13.5.1 If the Tenderer desires to ask for excise duty, sales tax/ VAT, Service Tax, Works Contract Tax etc. to be paid extra, the same must be specifically stated. In the absence of any such stipulation the price will be taken inclusive of such duties and taxes and no claim for the same will be entertained later.

13.5.2 Excise Duty:

- a) If reimbursement of excise duty is intended as extra over the quoted prices, the supplier must specifically say so also indicating the rate, quantum and nature of the duty applicable. In the absence of any such stipulation it will be presumed that the prices quoted are firm and final and no claim on account of excise duty will be entertained after the opening of tenders.
- b) If a Tenderer chooses to quote a price inclusive of excise duty and also desires to be reimbursed for variation, if any, in the excise duty during the time of supply, the tenderer must clearly mention the same and also indicate the rate and quantum of excise duty included in its price. Failure to indicate all such details in clear terms may result in rejection of that tender.
- c) Subject to sub clauses 13.5.2 (a) & (b) above, any change in excise duty upward/downward as a result of any statutory variation in excise duty taking place within contract terms shall be allowed to the extent of actual quantum of excise duty paid by the supplier. In case of downward revision in excise duty, the actual quantum of reduction of excise duty shall be reimbursed to the purchaser by the supplier. All such adjustments shall include all reliefs, exemptions, rebates, concession etc. if any obtained by the supplier.

13.5.3 Sales Tax:

If a tenderer asks for sales tax/ VAT, Service Tax and Works Contract Tax to be paid extra, the rate and nature of sales tax applicable should be shown separately. The sales tax / VAT, Service Tax and Works Contract Tax will be paid as per the rate at which it is liable to be assessed or has actually been assessed provided the transaction of sale is legally liable to sales tax / VAT, Service Tax and Works Contract Tax and is payable as per the terms of the contract. If any refund of Tax is received at a later date, the Supplier must return the amount forth-with to the purchaser.

13.5.4 Octroi Duty and Local Duties & Taxes:

Normally, goods to be supplied to government departments against government contracts are exempted from levy of town duty, Octroi duty, terminal tax and other levies of local bodies. However, on some occasions, the local bodies (like town body, municipal body etc.) as per their regulations allow such exemptions only on production of certificate to this effect from the concerned government department. Keeping this in

view, the supplier shall ensure that the stores to be supplied by the supplier against the contract placed by the purchaser are exempted from levy of any such duty or tax and, wherever necessary, obtain the exemption certificate from the purchaser.

However, if a local body still insists upon payment of such local duties and taxes, the same should be paid by the supplier to the local body to avoid delay in supplies and possible demurrage charges and obtain a receipt for the same. The supplier should forward the receipt obtained for such payment to the purchaser to enable the purchaser reimburse the supplier and take other necessary action in the matter.

13.5.5 Customs Duty:

The Purchaser will reimburse the Customs duty wherever applicable. Supplier shall be responsible for customs clearances of the consignments and custom clearance charges will be borne by the supplier.

13.6 For transportation of imported goods offered from abroad, relevant instructions as incorporated under GCC Clause 10 shall be followed.

13.7 For insurance of goods to be supplied, relevant instructions as provided under GCC Clause 11 shall be followed.

13.8 Unless otherwise specifically indicated in this TE document, the terms FCA, FOB, FAS, CIF, CIP, DDP etc. for imported goods offered from abroad, shall be governed by the rules & regulations prescribed in the current edition of INCOTERMS, published by the International Chamber of Commerce, Paris

13.9 The need for indication of all such price components by the tenderers, as required in this clause (viz., GIT clause 13) is for the purpose of comparison of the tenders by the purchaser and will no way restrict the purchaser's right to award the contract on the selected tenderer on any of the terms offered.

14. Indian Agent

14.1 If a foreign tenderer has engaged an agent in India in connection with its tender, the foreign tenderer, in addition to indicating Indian agent's commission, if any, in a manner described under GIT sub clause 12.2 above, shall also furnish the following information:

- a) The complete name and address of the Indian Agent and its permanent income tax account number as allotted by the Indian Income Tax authority.
- b) The details of the services to be rendered by the agent for the subject requirement.
- c) Details of Service outlets in India, nearest to the consignee(s), to render services during Warranty and CMC period.
- d) Copy of the agreement between Indian Agent & their principal detailing the scope of work/services during warranty & after sales periods.

15. Firm Price

15.1 Unless otherwise specified in the SIT, prices quoted by the tenderer shall remain firm and fixed during the currency of the contract and not subject to variation on any account.

15.2 However, as regards taxes and duties, if any, chargeable on the goods and payable, the conditions stipulated in GIT clause 13 will apply.

16. Alternative Tenders

16.1 Alternative Tenders are not permitted.

16.2 However the Tenderers can quote alternate models meeting the tender specifications of same manufacturer with single EMD.

17 Documents Establishing Tenderer's Eligibility and Qualifications

17.1 Pursuant to GIT clause 11, the tenderer shall furnish, as part of its tender, relevant details and documents establishing its eligibility to quote and its qualifications to perform the contract if its tender is accepted.

17.2 The documentary evidence needed to establish the tenderer's qualifications shall fulfil the following requirements:

- a) in case the tenderer offers to supply goods, which are manufactured by some other firm, the tenderer has been duly authorised by the goods manufacturer to quote for and supply the goods to the purchaser. The tenderer shall submit the manufacturer's authorization letter to this effect as per the standard form provided under Section XIV in this document.
- b) the tenderer has the required financial, technical and production capability necessary to perform the contract and, further, it meets the qualification criteria incorporated in the Section IX in these documents.
- c) in case the tenderer is not doing business in India, it is duly represented by an agent stationed in India fully equipped and able to carry out the required contractual functions and duties of the supplier including after sale service, maintenance & repair etc. of the goods in question, stocking of spare parts and fast moving components and other obligations, if any, specified in the conditions of contract and/or technical specifications.

18. Documents establishing Good's Conformity to TE document.

18.1 The tenderer shall provide in its tender the required as well as the relevant documents like technical data, literature, drawings etc. to establish that the goods and services offered in the tender fully conform to the goods and services specified by the purchaser in the TE documents. For this purpose the tenderer shall also provide a clause-by-clause commentary on the technical specifications and other technical details incorporated by the purchaser in the TE documents to establish technical responsiveness of the goods and services offered in its tender.

18.2 In case there is any variation and/or deviation between the goods & services prescribed by the purchaser and that offered by the tenderer, the tenderer shall list out the same in a chart form without ambiguity and provide the same along with its tender.

18.3 If a tenderer furnishes wrong and/or misleading data, statement(s) etc. about technical acceptability of the goods and services offered by it, its tender will be liable to be ignored and rejected in addition to other remedies available to the purchaser in this regard.

19. Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)

19.1 Pursuant to GIT clauses 8.1 and 11.1 the tenderer shall furnish along with its tender, earnest money for amount as shown in the List of Requirements. The earnest money is required to protect the purchaser against the risk of the tenderer's unwarranted conduct as amplified under sub-clause 19.7 below.

19.2 The tenderers who are currently registered and, also, will continue to remain registered during the tender validity period with Directorate General of Supplies & Disposals or with National Small Industries Corporation, New Delhi for the specific goods as per tender enquiry specification shall be eligible for exemption from EMD. Vague

- stipulations in the Registration Certificate such as “to customers’ specification” etc. will not be acceptable for exemption from furnishing of earnest money. In case the tenderer falls in these categories, it should furnish copy of its valid registration details (with DGS&D or NSIC, as the case may be)
- 19.3 The earnest money shall be denominated in Indian Rupees as per GIT clause 12.2. The earnest money shall be furnished in one of the following forms:
- i) Account Payee Demand Draft
 - ii) Banker’s cheque and
 - iii) Bank Guarantee
 - iv) FDR
- 19.4 The demand draft or banker’s cheque shall be drawn on any commercial bank in India or country of the tenderer, in favour of the “**HSCC (India) Ltd**” payable at New Delhi/Noida. In case of bank guarantee, the same is to be provided from any commercial bank in India or country of the tenderer as per the format specified under Section XIII in these documents.
- 19.5 The earnest money shall be valid for a period of forty-five (45) days beyond the validity period of the tender. As validity period of Tender as per Clause 20 of GIT is 120 days, the EMD shall be valid for 165 days from the **original last date** for submission of the tender/bid.
- 19.6 Unsuccessful tenderers’ earnest money will be returned to them without any interest, after expiry of the tender validity period, but not later than thirty days after conclusion of the resultant contract. Successful tenderer’s earnest money will be returned without any interest, after receipt of performance security from that tenderer.
- 19.7 Earnest Money is required to protect the purchaser against the risk of the Tenderer’s conduct, which would warrant the forfeiture of the EMD. Earnest money of a tenderer will be forfeited, if the tenderer withdraws or amends its tender or impairs or derogates from the tender in any respect within the period of validity of its tender or if it comes to notice that the information/documents furnished in its tender is incorrect, false, misleading or forged without prejudice to other rights of the purchaser. The successful tenderer’s earnest money will be forfeited without prejudice to other rights of Purchaser if it fails to furnish the required performance security within the specified period.
- 19.8 In the case of Bank Guarantee furnished from banks outside India (i.e. foreign Banks), it should be authenticated and countersigned by any nationalised bank in India by way of back-to-back counter guarantee.

20. Tender Validity

- 20.1 If not mentioned otherwise in the SIT, the tenders shall remain valid for acceptance for a period of 120 days (One hundred and twenty days) after the date of tender opening prescribed in the TE document. Any tender valid for a shorter period shall be treated as unresponsive and rejected.
- 20.2 In exceptional cases, the tenderers may be requested by the purchaser to extend the validity of their tenders up to a specified period. Such request(s) and responses thereto shall be conveyed by surface mail or by fax/ telex/cable followed by surface mail. The tenderers, who agree to extend the tender validity, are to extend the same without any change or modification of their original tender and they are also to extend the validity period of the EMD accordingly. A tenderer, however, may not agree to extend its tender validity without forfeiting its EMD.

20.3 In case the day up to which the tenders are to remain valid falls on/ subsequently declared a holiday or closed day for the purchaser, the tender validity shall automatically be extended up to the next working day.

21. Signing and Sealing of Tender

21.1 The tenderers shall submit their tenders as per the instructions contained in GIT Clause 11.

21.2 The original and other copies of the tender shall either be typed or written in indelible ink and the same shall be signed by the tenderer or by a person(s) who has been duly authorized to bind the tenderer to the contract. The letter of authorization shall be by a written power of attorney, which shall also be furnished along with the tender.

21.3 The tender shall be duly signed at the appropriate places as indicated in the TE documents and all other pages of the tender including printed literature, if any shall be initialled by the same person(s) signing the tender. The tender shall not contain any erasure or overwriting, except as necessary to correct any error made by the tenderer and, if there is any such correction; the same shall be initialled by the person(s) signing the tender.

D. SUBMISSION OF TENDERS

22. Submission of Tenders

22.1 The tender shall be submitted online and in physical form (except price bid) in three parts/covers as mentioned below:

- (i) Tender Fee and EMD (Both online and physical)
- (ii) Pre-qualification and Technical compliance as per following documents (Online submissions for all the documents and physical submission only for affidavit as per point i) below and original Technical brochures/catalogues against point j):
 - a) Manufacturer"s authorization in case bid is submitted by an Indian agent (A declaration must be attached here in case directly quoted by a manufacturer or a document establishing the relation of the Indian office with the manufacturer in case quoted by Indian office of the manufacturer).
 - b) b) Tender Form as per section X.
 - c) c) Copy of PAN.
 - d) Certificate of Incorporation/Declaration being a proprietary firm.
 - e) Annual report of last 3 years (Balance sheet and Profit & Loss Account)
 - f) Name, address and details of account with respect to bidder and/or beneficiary of L/C.
 - g) Quality Control Requirements as per Section VIII
 - h) Performance statement along with required PO copies and its corresponding end user"s satisfactory performance certificate as per section IX.
 - i) Affidavit as per Section XIX
 - j) Technical Bid along with clause-by-clause technical compliance statement for the quoted goods vis-à-vis the Technical specifications in the tender enquiry (Both online and physical)

(iii) Price Bid (Only online).

Bidders are requested not to submit the hard copy of Price Bid along with the physical form of tender. Uploading of the price bid in prequalification bid or technical bid will result in rejection of the tender.

Unless otherwise specified, the tenderers are to submit its tender online and deposit the physical form of tenders in the tender box kept for this purpose at HSCC (India) Ltd., E-6A, Sector-1, Noida-201301, ((UP).

- 22.2 The tenderers must ensure that they deposit their tenders not later than the closing time and date specified for submission of tenders. It is the responsibility of the tenderer to ensure that their Tenders whether sent by post or by courier or by person, are dropped in the Tender Box by the specified clearing date and time. In the event of the specified date for physical submission of tender falls on /is subsequently declared a holiday or closed day for the purchaser, the tenders will be received up to the appointed time on the next working day.

23. Late Tender

- 23.1 A tender, which is received after the specified date and time for receipt of tenders will be treated as "late" tender and will be ignored.

24. Alteration and Withdrawal of Tender

- 24.1 The tenderer, after submitting its tender, is permitted to alter / modify its tender so long as such alterations / modifications are received duly signed, sealed and marked like the original tender, within the deadline for submission of tenders. Alterations / modifications to tenders received after the prescribed deadline will not be considered.
- 24.2 No tender should be withdrawn after the deadline for submission of tender and before expiry of the tender validity period. If a tenderer withdraws the tender during this period, it will result in forfeiture of the earnest money furnished by the tenderer in its tender.

E. TENDER OPENING

25. Opening of Tenders

- 25.1 The purchaser will open the tenders at the specified date and time and at the specified place as indicated in the NIT.

In case the specified date of tender opening falls on / is subsequently declared a holiday or closed day for the purchaser, the tenders will be opened at the appointed time and place on the next working day.

- 25.2 Authorized representatives of the tenderers, who have submitted tenders on time may attend the tender opening provided they bring with them letters of authority from the corresponding tenderers.

The tender opening official(s) will prepare a list of the representatives attending the tender opening. The list will contain the representatives' names & signatures and corresponding tenderers' names and addresses.

- 25.3 The **Techno - Commercial Tenders** are to be opened in the first instance, at the prescribed time and date as indicated in NIT. These Tenders shall be scrutinized

and

evaluated by the competent committee/ authority with reference to parameters prescribed in the TE document. During the Techno - Commercial Tender opening, the tender opening official(s) will read the salient features of the tenders like brief description of the goods offered, delivery period, Earnest Money Deposit and any other special features of the tenders, as deemed fit by the tender opening official(s). Thereafter, in the second stage, the Price Tenders of only the Techno - Commercially acceptable offers (as decided in the first stage) shall be opened for further scrutiny and evaluation on a date notified after the evaluation of the Techno - Commercial tender. The prices, special discount if any of the goods offered etc., as deemed fit by tender opening official(s) will be read out.

F. SCRUTINY AND EVALUATION OF TENDERS

26. Basic Principle

26.1 Tenders will be evaluated on the basis of the terms & conditions already incorporated in the TE document, based on which tenders have been received and the terms, conditions etc. mentioned by the tenderers in their tenders. No new condition will be brought in while scrutinizing and evaluating the tenders.

27. Scrutiny of Tenders

27.1 The Purchaser will examine the Tenders to determine whether they are complete, whether any computational errors have been made, whether required sureties have been furnished, whether the documents have been properly signed stamped and whether the Tenders are generally in order.

27.2 Purchaser will determine the responsiveness of each Tender to the TE Document without recourse to extrinsic evidence.

27.3 The tenders will be scrutinized to determine whether they are complete and meet the essential and important requirements, conditions etc. as prescribed in the TE document. The tenders, which do not meet the basic requirements, are liable to be treated as non - responsive and will be summarily ignored.

27.4 The following are some of the important aspects, for which a tender shall be declared non - responsive and will be summarily ignored;

- (i) Tender form as per Section IX (signed and stamped) not enclosed
- (ii) Tender is unsigned.
- (iii) Tender validity is shorter than the required period.
- (iv) Required EMD (Amount, validity etc.)/ exemption documents have not been provided.
- (v) Tenderer has quoted for goods manufactured by other manufacturer(s) without the required Manufacturer's Authorisation Form as per Section XIV.
- (vi) Tenderer has not agreed to give the required performance security.
- (vii) Goods offered are not meeting the tender enquiry specification.
- (viii) Tenderer has not agreed to other essential condition(s) specially incorporated in the tender enquiry like terms of payment, liquidated damages clause, warranty clause, dispute resolution mechanism applicable law.
- (ix) Poor/ unsatisfactory past performance.
- (x) Tenderers who stand deregistered/banned/blacklisted by any Govt. Authorities.
- (xi) Tenderer is not eligible as per GIT Clauses 5.1 & 17.1.
- (xii) Tenderer has not quoted for the entire quantity as specified in the List of Requirements in the quoted schedule.

27.5 The following are some of the important aspects, for which a tender shall be declared nonresponsive during the evaluation and will be ignored;

- (i) The bidder has submitted hard copy of financial bid (only online submission price bids are allowed).
- (ii) Tender validity is shorter than the required period.
- (iii) Required EMD (Amount, validity etc.)/ exemption documents have not been provided.
- (iv) Tenderer has quoted for goods manufactured by other manufacturer(s) without the required Manufacturer's Authorisation Form as per Section XIV.
- (v) Tenderer has not agreed to give the required performance security of required amount in an acceptable form in terms of GCC clause 5, read with modification, if any, in Section - V – "Special Conditions of Contract", for due performance of the contract.
- (vi) Tenderer has not agreed to other essential condition(s) specially incorporated in the tender enquiry like terms of payment, liquidated damages clause, warranty clause, dispute resolution mechanism applicable law.
- (vii) Poor/ unsatisfactory past performance.
- (viii) Tenderers who stand deregistered/banned/blacklisted by any Govt. Authorities.
- (ix) Tenderer is not eligible as per GIT Clauses 5& 17.1.
- (x) Tenderer has not quoted for the entire quantity as specified in the List of Requirements in the quoted schedule.
- (xi) Tenderer has not agreed for the delivery terms and delivery schedule.

28. Minor Infirmary/Irregularity/Non-Conformity

28.1 If during the preliminary examination, the purchaser find any minor informality and/or irregularity and/or non-conformity in a tender, the purchaser will convey its observation on such 'minor' issues to the tenderer by registered/speed post etc. asking the tenderer to respond by a specified date. If the tenderer does not reply by the specified date or gives evasive reply without clarifying the point at issue in clear terms, that tender will be liable to be ignored.

29 Discrepancies in Prices

29.1 If, in the price structure quoted by a tenderer, there is discrepancy between the unit price and the total price (which is obtained by multiplying the unit price by the quantity), the unit price shall prevail and the total price corrected accordingly, unless the purchaser feels that the tenderer has made a mistake in placing the decimal point in the unit price, in which case the total price as quoted shall prevail over the unit price and the unit price corrected accordingly.

29.2 If there is an error in a total price, which has been worked out through addition and/or subtraction of subtotals, the subtotals shall prevail and the total corrected; and

29.3 If there is a discrepancy between the amount expressed in words and figures, the amount in words shall prevail, subject to sub clause 29.1 and 29.2 above.

29.4 If, as per the judgement of the purchaser, there is any such arithmetical discrepancy in a tender, the same will be suitably conveyed to the tenderer by registered / speed post. If the tenderer does not agree to the observation of the purchaser, the tender is liable to be ignored.

30. Discrepancy between original and copies of Tender

30.1 In case any discrepancy is observed between the text etc. of the original copy and that in the other copies of the same tender set, the text etc. of the original copy shall prevail.

Here also, the purchaser will convey its observation suitably to the tenderer by register / speed post and, if the tenderer does not accept the purchaser's observation, that tender will be liable to be ignored.

31. Qualification Criteria

31.1 Tenders of the tenderers, who do not meet the required Qualification Criteria prescribed in Section IX, will be treated as non - responsive and will not be considered further.

32. Conversion of tender currencies to Indian Rupees

32.1 In case the TE document permits the tenderers to quote their prices in different currencies, all such quoted prices of the responsive tenderers will be converted to a single currency viz., Indian Rupees for the purpose of equitable comparison and evaluation, as per the exchange rates established by the Reserve Bank of India for similar transactions, as on the date of 'Price Tender' opening.

33. Equipment-wise Evaluation

33.1 The tenders will be evaluated and compared separately for each equipment. The tender for a schedule will not be considered if the complete requirements prescribed in that schedule are not included in the tender.

34. Comparison of Tenders

34.1 Unless mentioned otherwise in Section – III – Special Instructions to Tenderers and Section – VI – List of Requirements, the comparison of the responsive tenders shall be carried out on Delivery on DDP basis at Consignee site basis, inclusive of applicable taxes, duties, incidental services. The quoted turnkey prices and CMC prices will also be added for comparison/ranking purpose for evaluation.

35. Additional Factors and Parameters for Evaluation & Ranking of Responsive Tenders

35.1 Further to GIT Clause 34 above, the purchaser's evaluation of a tender will include and take into account the following:

i) In the case of goods manufactured in India or goods of foreign origin already located in India, sales tax & other similar taxes and excise duty & other similar duties, Customs Duties, Service Tax, Works Contract Tax etc which will be contractually payable (to the tenderer), on the goods if a contract is awarded on the tenderer; and

ii) in the case of goods of foreign origin offered from abroad, customs duty and other similar import duties/taxes, which will be contractually payable (to the tenderer) on the goods if the contract is awarded on the tenderer.

35.2 The purchaser's evaluation of tender will also take into account the additional factors, if any, incorporated in SIT in the manner and to the extent indicated therein.

35.3 The Purchaser reserves the right to give the price preference to small-scale sectors etc. and purchase preference to central public sector undertakings as per the instruction in vogue while evaluating, comparing and ranking the responsive tenders.

35.4 **Preference to Make in India:** As per the Order issued by Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion (DIPP) vide no. P-45021/2/2017-BE-II dated 15.6.2017, the Purchaser reserves the right to give preference to the local supplier. A copy of this

order is enclosed which will form a part of the Tender Enquiry Document for evaluation and ranking of the bids. A local supplier (definition of local supplier is given in Clause 2 of the aforesaid Order of DIPP) has to submit the following along with their tenders failing which their bid will be evaluated without considering such preference mentioned in the DIPP under Order dt. 15.06.2017.

a. The local supplier at the time of tender, bidding or solicitation shall be required to provide self certification that the item offered meets the minimum local content and shall give details of the location(s) at which the local value addition is made.

b. In cases of procurement for a value in excess of Rs.10.00 crores, the local supplier shall be required to provide a certificate from the statutory auditor or cost auditor of the company (in the case of companies) or from a practicing cost accountant or practicing chartered accountant (in respect of suppliers other than companies) giving the percentage of local content.

36. Tenderer's capability to perform the contract

36.1 The purchaser, through the above process of tender scrutiny and tender evaluation will determine to its satisfaction whether the tenderer, whose tender has been determined as the lowest evaluated responsive tender is eligible, qualified and capable in all respects to perform the contract satisfactorily. If, there is more than one schedule in the List of Requirements, then, such determination will be made separately for each schedule.

36.2 The above-mentioned determination will, inter alia, take into account the tenderer's financial, technical and production capabilities for satisfying all the requirements of the purchaser as incorporated in the TE document. Such determination will be based upon scrutiny and examination of all relevant data and details submitted by the tenderer in its tender as well as such other allied information as deemed appropriate by the purchaser.

37. Contacting the Purchaser

37.1 From the time of submission of tender to the time of awarding the contract, if a tenderer needs to contact the purchaser for any reason relating to this tender enquiry and / or its tender, it should do so only in writing.

37.2 In case a tenderer attempts to influence the purchaser in the purchaser's decision on scrutiny, comparison & evaluation of tenders and awarding the contract, the tenderer shall be liable for rejection in addition to appropriate administrative actions being taken against that tenderer, as deemed fit by the purchaser.

G. AWARD OF CONTRACT

38. Purchaser's Right to accept any tender and to reject any or all tenders

38.1 The purchaser reserves the right to accept in part or in full any tender or reject any or more tender(s) without assigning any reason or to cancel the tendering process and reject all tenders at any time prior to award of contract, without incurring any liability, whatsoever to the affected tenderer or tenderers.

39. Award Criteria

39.1 Subject to GIT clause 38 above, the contract will be awarded to the lowest evaluated responsive tenderer decided by the purchaser in terms of GIT Clause 36.

40. Variation of Quantities at the Time of Award/ Currency of Contract

40.1 At the time of awarding the contract, the purchaser reserves the right to increase or decrease by up to fifty (50) per cent, the quantity of goods and services mentioned in the schedule (s) in the "List of Requirements" (rounded of to next whole number) without any change in the unit price and other terms & conditions quoted by the tenderer.

40.2 If the quantity has not been increased at the time of the awarding the contract, the purchaser reserves the right to increase by up to fifty (50) per cent, the quantity of goods and services mentioned in the contract (rounded of to next whole number) without any change in the unit price and other terms & conditions mentioned in the contract, during the currency of the contract after one year from the Date of Notification of Award.

Further, Purchaser reserves the rights to delete any of the tendered items without assigning any reason whatsoever. Purchaser as deemed fit, out of the total tendered quantity for the tendered items may place Notification of Award for the quantity as per the requirements and may defer the balance quantity of the item(s) to be supplied later.

41. Notification of Award

41.1 Before expiry of the tender validity period, the purchaser will notify the successful tenderer(s) in writing, by registered/speed post/by fax/ telex/cable (to be confirmed by registered / speed post) that its tender for goods & services, which have been selected by the purchaser, has been accepted, also briefly indicating therein the essential details like description, specification and quantity of the goods & services and corresponding prices accepted. The successful tenderer must furnish to the purchaser the required performance security within thirty days from the date of dispatch of this notification, failing which the EMD will forfeited and the award will be cancelled. Relevant details about the performance security have been provided under GCC Clause 5 under Section IV.

41.2 The Notification of Award shall constitute the conclusion of the Contract.

42. Issue of Contract

42.1 Promptly after notification of award, the Purchaser/Consignee will mail the contract form (as per Section XV) duly completed and signed, in duplicate, to the successful tenderer by registered / speed post.

42.2 Within twenty one days from the date of the contract, the successful tenderer shall return the original copy of the contract, duly signed and dated, to the Purchaser/Consignee by registered / speed post.

42.3 The Purchaser/Consignee reserves the right to issue the Notification of Award consignee wise.

43. Non-receipt of Performance Security and Contract by the Purchaser/Consignee

43.1 Failure of the successful tenderer in providing performance security and / or returning contract copy duly signed in terms of GIT clauses 41 and 42 above shall make the tenderer liable for forfeiture of its EMD and, also, for further actions by the Purchaser/Consignee against it as per the clause 24 of GCC – Termination of default.

44. Return of E M D

44.1 The earnest money of the successful tenderer and the unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them without any interest, whatsoever, in terms of GIT Clause 19.6.

45. Publication of Tender Result

45.1 The name and address of the successful tenderer(s) receiving the contract(s) will be mentioned in the notice board/bulletin/web site of the purchaser.

46. Corrupt or Fraudulent Practices

46.1 It is required by all concerned namely the Consignee/Tenderers/Suppliers etc to observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement and execution of such contracts. In pursuance of this policy, the Purchaser: -

(a) defines, for the purposes of this provision, the terms set forth below as follows:

(i) "corrupt practice" means the offering, giving, receiving or soliciting of any thing of value to influence the action of a public official in the procurement process or in contract execution; and

(ii) "fraudulent practice" means a misrepresentation of facts in order to influence a procurement process or the execution of a contract to the detriment of the Purchaser, and includes collusive practice among Tenderers (prior to or after Tender submission) designed to establish Tender prices at artificial non-competitive levels and to deprive the Purchaser of the benefits of free and open competition;

(b) will reject a proposal for award if it determines that the Tenderer recommended for award has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for the contract in question;

(c) will declare a firm ineligible, either indefinitely or for a stated period of time, to be awarded a contract by the purchaser if it at any time determines that the firm has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for, or in executing the contract.

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The following Special Instructions to Tenderers will apply for this purchase. These special instructions will modify/substitute/supplement the corresponding General Instructions to Tenderers (GIT) incorporated in Section II. The corresponding GIT clause numbers have also been indicated in the text below: In case of any conflict between the provision in the GIT and that in the SIT, the provision contained in the SIT shall prevail.

Submission of Tenders

(i) All the necessary documents as prescribed in the NIT shall be prepared and scanned in different files (in PDF or JPEG format as prescribed) and uploaded for on-line submission of Proposal. However, physical documents as per NIT to be submitted in “**ORIGINAL**” to HSCC (India) Ltd. before the prescribed date & time for submission of physical tender restricted to the following documents only.

- a) Demand Draft towards Tender Fee in favour of HSCC (India) Ltd.
- b) EMD in the prescribed format in favour of HSCC (India) Ltd.
- c) Technical Data Sheet and original technical literature/ Brochure (if any)
- d) Affidavit as per Section XIX

(ii) All document(s)/ information(s) other than above including the Financial Proposal (i.e. **FORMAT FOR SUBMISSION OF PRICE BID/FINANCIAL PROPOSAL**) should be **uploaded online only** in the prescribed format given in the website. No other mode of submission shall be acceptable.

(iii) The prospective bidders may scan the documents in low resolution (**75 to 100 DPI**) instead of 200 DPI. The documents may be scanned for further lower resolution (if possible). This would reduce the size of the Cover and would be uploaded faster.

(iv) The prospective bidders may upload Drawing files, if any, in “**.dwf**” format so that the size of document is less. This is a generic format and all software supports this format.

(v) At the time of cover content creation, the prospective bidders would have to define the document type as “**.rar**” format.

(vi) The prospective bidders should be asked to zip all the .dwf files to a .rar file & upload it

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GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC)

1. Application

- 1.1 The General Conditions of Contract incorporated in this section shall be applicable for this purchase to the extent the same are not superseded by the Special Conditions of Contract prescribed under Section V, List of requirements under Section VI and Technical Specification under Section VII of this document.

All documents submitted physically or uploaded as scanned copies must be self-attested, legible and numbered.

2. Use of contract documents and information

- 2.1 The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, disclose the contract or any provision thereof including any specification, drawing, sample or any information furnished by or on behalf of the purchaser in connection therewith, to any person other than the person(s) employed by the supplier in the performance of the contract emanating from this TE document. Further, any such disclosure to any such employed person shall be made in confidence and only so far as necessary for the purposes of such performance for this contract.

- 2.2 Further, the supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, make use of any document or information mentioned in GCC sub-clause 2.1 above except for the sole purpose of performing this contract.

- 2.3 Except the contract issued to the supplier, each and every other document mentioned in GCC sub-clause 2.1 above shall remain the property of the purchaser and, if advised by the purchaser, all copies of all such documents shall be returned to the purchaser on completion of the supplier's performance and obligations under this contract.

3. Patent Rights

- 3.1 The supplier shall, at all times, indemnify and keep indemnified the purchaser, free of cost, against all claims which may arise in respect of goods & services to be provided by the supplier under the contract for infringement of any intellectual property rights or any other right protected by patent, registration of designs or trademarks. In the event of any such claim in respect of alleged breach of patent, registered designs, trade marks etc. being made against the purchaser, the purchaser shall notify the supplier of the same and the supplier shall, at his own expenses take care of the same for settlement without any liability to the purchaser.

4. Country of Origin

- 4.1 All goods and services to be supplied and provided for the contract shall have the origin in India or in the countries with which the Government of India has trade relations.

- 4.2 The word "origin" incorporated in this clause means the place from where the goods are mined, cultivated, grown, manufactured, produced or processed or from where the services are arranged.

- 4.3 The country of origin may be specified in the Price Schedule

5. Performance Security

- 5.1 Within fifteen (15) days from date of the issue of notification of award by the Purchaser/Consignee, the supplier, shall furnish performance security to the Purchaser/Consignee for an amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the total value of the contract, valid up to sixty (60) days after the date of completion of all contractual obligations by the supplier, including the warranty obligations, initially valid for a period of minimum 66 months (as applicable warranty period of 5 years) from the date of Notification of Award.

- 5.2 The Performance security shall be denominated in Indian Rupees or in the currency of the contract as detailed below:
- a) It shall be in any one of the forms namely Account Payee Demand Draft or Fixed Deposit Receipt drawn from any Scheduled bank in India or Bank Guarantee issued by a Scheduled bank in India, in the prescribed form as provided in section XV of this document in favour of the Purchaser/Consignee. The validity of the Fixed Deposit receipt or Bank Guarantee will be for a period up to sixty (60) days beyond Warranty Period.
- 5.3 In the event of any failure /default of the supplier with or without any quantifiable loss to the government including furnishing of consignee wise Bank Guarantee for CMC security as per Proforma in Section XV, the amount of the performance security is liable to be forfeited. The Administration Department may do the needful to cover any failure/default of the supplier with or without any quantifiable loss to the Government.
- 5.4 In the event of any amendment issued to the contract, the supplier shall, within twenty-one (21) days of issue of the amendment, furnish the corresponding amendment to the Performance Security (as necessary), rendering the same valid in all respects in terms of the contract, as amended.
- 5.5 The supplier shall enter into Annual Comprehensive Maintenance Contract as per the 'Contract Form - B' in Section XVI with respective consignees, 3 (three) months prior to the completion of Warranty Period. The CMC will commence from the date of expiry of the Warranty Period.
- 5.6 Subject to GCC sub - clause 5.3 above, the Purchaser/Consignee will release the Performance Security without any interest to the supplier on completion of the supplier's all contractual obligations including the warranty obligations & after receipt of Consignee wise bank guarantee for CMC security in favour of Head of the Hospital/ Institute/ Medical College of the consignee as per the format in Section XV.

6. Technical Specifications and Standards

- 6.1 The Goods & Services to be provided by the supplier under this contract shall conform to the technical specifications and quality control parameters mentioned in 'Technical Specification' and 'Quality Control Requirements' under Sections VII and VIII of this document.

For Radiology, the equipment viz. CT Scan, MRI, Digital Radiography, Digital Radio Fluoroscopy, Ultrasound, X-Ray Machines etc. Should be DICOM 3.0 enabled & complied with HL7 (Health Level 7) Standards. DICOM 3.0 provides reliable protocols for integration of image data between imaging, non-imaging modalities, devices & systems.

For Laboratory Equipment, equipment should be ASTM (American Society for Testing & Materials) compliant for integration of System Software with Lab. Records & Database.

Above standards are required for interfacing of equipment with PACS (Picture Archiving & Communication System) & HMIS (Hospital Management & Information System) during the computerization of the Hospital.

7. Packing and Marking

- 7.1 The packing for the goods to be provided by the supplier should be strong and durable enough to withstand, without limitation, the entire journey during transit including transshipment (if any), rough handling, open storage etc. without any damage, deterioration