

Tender No.: CESC/IPDS/PMA/02

Tender Document for Appointment of Project Management Agency under GOI's IPDS

Clarification to Pre-bid Queries

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1	12	3	<p><u>Proof of credentials for experience</u></p> <p>Experience certificates and/or Acceptance reports and Work Order and/or LOA from the owners/client for completion of work done, in support of the qualifying requirements, clearly establishing the start and end date of the project, scope of work and worth of project, on client letterhead.</p>	<p>In case a bidder has been awarded a composite work order by a Discom for preparation of DPR and undertaking PMA activities, then at the time of award of work order, values of project cost may not be available as DPRs are not available at that time. Please suggest any alternative documents which can be submitted for showing worth of the project.</p>	<p>Bidder is requested to provide estimated value of project cost.</p> <p>Bidder may also indicate whether any of the arrangement under IPDS is in the State of West Bengal.</p>
2	14	4.3. II	<p>All the designated persons have to be stationed on full time basis at Kolkata. They will take prior permission before leaving headquarter.</p>	<p>The clause may be deleted</p>	<p>This will be negotiated amicably with the successful bidder.</p>
3	32	5.5.9 VI	<p>The selected PMA shall not assign or sub-let his contract or any substantial part thereof to any other agency without the permission of tendering authority except the one with whom the Bidder has partnered for the purpose of execution of the project</p>	<p>The bidder may be free to sub-let the contract without the requirement of taking prior approval of CESC</p>	<p>The bidder may consider subletting with prior intimation to CESC.</p>

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4	45	6.3 a ii	80% of contract value to be paid in phased manner on the basis of achievement of project milestones (to be decided by Utility)	The project milestones for payment as decided by CESC may be provided	This will be negotiated amicably with the successful bidder.
5	46	6.4.1 a	Penalty Clause	Due to some reasons if Bidder is required to replace a resource, he may be allowed to replace him with prior permission of the CESC. No penalty should be imposed on replacement of resource.	This will be negotiated amicably with the successful bidder.
6	46	6.4.1 b	Penalty Clause	No penalty amount may be levied.	This will be negotiated amicably with the successful bidder.
7	47	6.42 a	All resources deployed by the PMA will compulsorily mark their entry and exit as per the directions/policy of CESC	This clause should be deleted.	This will be negotiated amicably with the successful bidder.
8	50	Annexure I-B	The following information is required to be filled in the table: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Duration of work in months (start & end date) • Value of completed work 	As the eligibility criteria requires that Bidder should have been awarded orders by at least 2 DISCOMs for consultancy work under IPDS Scheme, “end date” and “value of completed work” may not be possible to fill in the table as the awarded project to the Bidder may be under progress. Hence, suitable modifications may be made in the table	Bidder is requested to provide estimated completion period and estimated value of project work for ongoing jobs.
9	53	Annexure I-B	Format to be signed by Staff member as well as Authorized signatory	Signature of the Authorized Signatory may suffice. Signature of Staff Member may not be asked for	Signature of the authorised signatory will suffice.

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10	61	Annexure V-B	The Bidder shall indicate in the following format the List of Staff they intend to engage along with their qualifications /experience, Duration of engagement and Quarterly rate considered in the price quoted	CESC may provide clarity on the Quarterly Rate that needs to be mentioned in the bid	Bidder is requested to indicate Quarterly Rate of the different resources for reference in case of any addition / deletion in scope during execution.
11.	2	Table no. 1	Last date & time for submission of Bid is 16.11.2015 up to 3: P.M.	It is requested to kindly extend the Last date & time for submission of Bid at least by 15 days since there are couple of Govt. holidays in the 2nd week of November'2015.	Please refer notice in CESC's website.
12.	12	Point no. 3 under Eligibility Criteria	Under Technical header "Proof of credentials for experience should be the following "	If the Balance Sheet for the last three financial years has been certified by CA then will it be necessary to submit separate CA certificate indicating net worth of the company during the last three financial years	Separate certificate will not be necessary.
13.	37	Point no. 6.2.12	As mentioned, "The Contract/ Project Period shall commence from the date of issue of work order/ award and up to 3 Years on terms and conditions of the Contract/ award, and which is extendable on the same terms& conditions for a period to be decided at that point of time. However, this Extension will be sole discretion of CESC."	As PMA scope of work is dependent on contractor's work, if guided by any uncontrolled situation beyond the hand of PMA, the project period has been extended over 3 years, then whether CESC will escalate the PMA's contract price or no and in that case whether penalty will be imposed on PMA or not? It is requested to kindly clarify and elaborate the same please.	Please refer Bid document.

BIDDERS MAY KINDLY NOTE THAT THERE WILL NOT BE ANY PRE-BID CLARIFICATION MEETING.

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