

# NOIDA METRO RAIL CORPORATION (NMRC) LIMITED

**CONTRACT NO: NGNC-01** 

E Tender No.: NMRC/Civil/NGNC/149/2021

**TENDER DOCUMENTS** 

**VOLUME 1** 

**NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT)** 

Noida Metro Rail Corporation (NMRC) Limited
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District Gautam Budh Nagar, Uttar Pradesh, India

# **NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT)**

# **1.1** GENERAL (e-Tender)

### 1.1.1 Name of Work:

Noida Metro Rail Corporation (NMRC) Ltd. invites online open e-tenders from eligible applicants, who fulfil qualification criteria as stipulated in Clause 1.1.3 of NIT, for the work **Contract NGNC-01:** Part Design and Construction of Elevated Viaduct and 5 elevated stations viz NOIDA SEC -122, NOIDA SEC-123, GR. NOIDA SEC-4, ECOTECH-12, GR. NOIDA SEC-2, (excluding Architectural finishing Works and PEB works of stations) from Chainage 0.00 m to Chainage 9605 m of Noida -Greater Noida Metro Rail Project.

The brief scope of the work is provided in Clause A1 of ITT (Volume-1) and Employer's Requirement – Functional (Volume-3).

# 1.1.2 Key details:

Approximate cost of work	INR <b>563.04</b> Crores			
Tender Security	Amount of Tender Security: - INR 1.00 Crores.			
	Validity of Tender Security in case of BG/FDR/: <b>24/02/2022</b>			
	Tender Security (in original) as per clause C18 of ITT shall be accepted only upto 30/06/2021 (latest by 15:00 hrs) and should be valid up to 24/02/2022 in the office of ED/NMRC at the address mentioned here in after.			
	In case of RTGS/NEFT/IMPS transactions, bidders shall upload the scanned copies of transaction of payment of tender security / EMD including e-receipt (clearly indicating UTR No. and tender reference i.e. NGNC-01must be entered in remarks at the time of online transaction of payment, failing which payment may not be considered) to be uploaded in online bid submission. The detail of bank account of NMRC is mentioned below this table.			
	Note: Bidders to note that the payment of tender security shall be made from the account of bidder only.			
	If tender security has been made from other than the account mentioned above, same shall not be accepted and all such bids shall be considered ineligible and summarily rejected.  For further details, clause C18 of ITT may be referred.			
Completion period of the Work	24 (Twenty Four months)			

Tender documents on sale	From 31/05/2021 (from 1500 hrs) to 30/06/2021 (up to 1500 hrs) on e-tendering websitehttp://etender.up.nic.in.  Tender document can only be obtained online after registration of tenderer on the website <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> . For further information in this regard bidders are advised to contact on 0120-4344483/84			
Cost of Tender documents	INR 23,600/- (inclusive of 18% GST) Non-Refundable (Payment of tender document cost/tender fee is to be made only by RTGS, NEFT & IMPS. No other mode of payment will be accepted. The details of bank account of NMRC are mentioned below. The bidders are required to upload scanned copies of transaction of payment of tender document cost/tender fee including e-receipt (clearly indicating UTR No. & tender reference i.e. NGNC-01must be entered in the remarks at the time of online transaction of payment, failing which payment may not be considered) at the time of online bid submission). (Copy of GST registration no. to be provided along with Tender document cost/tender fee)			
Last date of Seeking Clarifications	16/06/2021 upto 17:00 hrs.  Queries/clarifications from bidders after due date and time shall not be acknowledged.			
Pre-bid Meeting	14/06/2021 at 1500 hrs.			
Last date of issuing addendum  Date & time of Submission of Tender	21/06/2021 at 1700 hrs.			
online	Tender submission start date: 31/05/2021 (1500 hrs).  Tender submission end date: 30/06/2021 (1500 hrs).			
Date & time of opening of Tender online	30/06/2021 at 15.30 hrs.			
<ul> <li>Authority for purchase of tender documents (in case of physical tenders), seeking clarifications and submission of completed tender documents</li> <li>Place of pre-bid meeting</li> </ul>	GM (Technical) Noida Metro Rail Corporation, Block-III, 3rd Floor, Ganga Shopping Complex, Sector-29, Noida 201301 Email: nmrcnoida@gmail.com WWebsite: www.nmrcnoida.com			

To facilitate payment of Tender Fee and Tender Security through RTGS, NEFT & IMPS, the details of bank account of NMRC is mentioned below:

Name of Bank	Bank's Address	Account Name & No.	Account Type	IFSC code
State Bank of India	State Bank of India (04077) – Sector 18, Noida ,Gautam Budh Nagar, Uttar Pradesh -201301	A/c No. 37707840592	Current	IFSC Code: SBIN0004077

#### 1.1.3 QUALIFICATION CRITERIA:

# 1.1.3.1 Eligible Applicants:

- i. The tenders for this contract will be considered only from those tenderers (proprietorship firms, partnerships firms Limited liability partnership (LLP), companies, corporations,) who meet requisite eligibility criteria prescribed in the sub-clauses of Clause 1.1.3 of NIT. Joint Ventures or Consortiums, are not allowed to participate in the tender
- ii. A tenderer shall submit only one bid in the same tendering process, A tenderer who submits or participates in, more than one bid will cause all of the proposals in which the tenderer has participated to be disqualified. No tenderer can be a subcontractor while submitting a bid in the same bidding process.
- iii. Tenderers shall not have a conflict of interest. All Tenderers found to have a conflict of interest shall be disqualified. Tenderers shall be considered to have a conflict of interest with one or more parties in this bidding process, if:
  - (a) a tenderer has been engaged by the Employer to provide consulting services for the preparation related to procurement for / on implementation of the project:
  - (b) a tenderer is any associates/affiliates (inclusive of parent firms) mentioned in subparagraph (a) above; or
  - (c) a tenderer lends, or temporarily seconds its personnel to firms or organisations which are engaged in consulting services for the preparation related to procurement for / on implementation of the project, if the personnel would be involved in any capacity on the same project.
- iv. The payment of the tender cost is acceptable from any account. However, tenderer shall submit such transaction details along with their tender submission on e-portal. If the same transaction reference number has been submitted for more than one bids, all such bids shall be considered ineligible and summarily rejected.
- v(a) NMRC/ Any Other Metro Organisation (100% owned by Govt.)/ Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs/ Order of Ministry of Commerce, applicable for all Ministries must not have banned business with the tenderer as on the date of tender submission. The tenderer should submit undertaking to this effect in Appendix-19 of Form of Tender.
- v(b) Also no contract of the tenderer of the value more than 10% of NIT cost of work, executed either individually or in a JV/Consortium, should have been rescinded /

terminated by NMRC/ Any Other Metro Organisation (100% owned by Govt.) after award during last 03 years (from the last day of the previous month of tender submission) due to non-performance of the tenderer or any of JV/Consortium members. The tenderer should submit undertaking to this effect in Appendix-19 of Form of Tender.

- v(c) The overall performance of the tenderer shall be examined for all the ongoing Civil Engineering works awarded by NMRC/ any other Metro Organisation (100% owned by Govt.) of value more than 40% of NIT cost of work and also for all the completed Civil Engineering works awarded by NMRC/ any other Metro Organisation (100% owned by Govt.) within last one year (from the last day of the previous month of tender submission), of value more than 40% of NIT cost of work, executed either individually or in a JV/Consortium. The tenderer shall provide list of all such works in the prescribed Performa given in Appendix-19A of the Form of Tender. The tenderer may either submit satisfactory performance Certificate issued by the Client/ Employer for the works or give an undertaking regarding satisfactory performance of the work with respect to completion of work/execution of work (for ongoing works) falling which their tender submission shall not be evaluated and the tenderer shall be considered non-responsive and non-compliant to the tender conditions. In case of nonsubmission of either satisfactory performance Certificate from Client /Employer or undertaking of satisfactory performance of any of the above work, the performance of such work shall be treated as unsatisfactory while evaluating the overall performance of tenderer in terms of Note (b) of Appendix-19A. In case of performance certificate issued by the client, same should not be older than three month (from the last day of the previous month of tender submission) for on-going works. In case the tenderer does not have any work falling in above criteria, his performance will not be judged unsatisfactory.
- v(d). Tenderer for the works awarded by NMRC/ any other Metro Organisation (100% owned by Govt.) must have been neither penalised with liquidated damages of 10% (or more) of the contract value due to delay nor imposed with penalty of 10% (or more) of the contract value due to any other reason in any Civil Engineering works of value more than 10% of NIT cost of work, during last three years. The tenderer should submit undertaking to this effect in Appendix-20 of From of Tender.
- v(e). If the Tenderer does not meet the criteria stated in the Appendix-19 or Appendix-19A or Appendix-20, the tenderer shall be considered ineligible for participation in tender process and they shall be considered ineligible applicants in terms of Clause 1.1.3.1 of NIT.
- v(f). If there is any misrepresentation of facts with regards to undertaking submitted vide Appendix-19, or performance in any of the works reported in the Appendix 19A, or undertaking submitted vide Appendix-20, the same will be considered as "fraudulent practice" under Clause 4.33.1 a (ii) of GCC and the tender submission of such tenderers will be rejected besides taking further action as per Clause 4.33.1 (b) & 13.2.1 of GCC.
- vi. Tenderer must not have suffered bankruptcy/ insolvency during the last 5 years. The tenderer should submit undertaking to this effect in Appendix-21 of Form of Tender.

- Viii Participation by Subsidiary Company / Parent Company with credential of other Company
  - a) Applicant in the capacity of a Subsidiary Company as a single entity is not permitted to use the credential of its Parent Company and/or its Sister Subsidiary Company/ Companies.
  - b) Applicant in the capacity of a Parent Company as a single entity is not permitted to use the credential of its Subsidiary Company/ Companies.
- ix. Purchase Preference to Local Suppliers/Preference to Make In India:

# a) Definitions:

- i. 'Local content' means the amount of value added in India which shall be the total value of the item procured (excluding net domestic indirect taxes) minus the value of imported content in the item (including all custom duties) as a proportion of the total value, in percent. Minimum local content shall be 90% as per MOHUA guidelines for the subject tender.
- ii. 'Local Supplier' means a supplier or service provider whose product or service offered for procurement meets the minimum local content as prescribed at sr. no. i. above.
- iii. 'L1' means the lowest tender or lowest bid received in a tender, bidding process or other procurement solicitation as adjudged in the evaluation process as per the tender or other procurement solicitation.
- iv. 'Margin of purchase preference' means the maximum extent to which the price quoted by a local supplier may be above the L1 for the purpose of purchase preference. Margin of purchase preference shall be 10% for the subject tender.
- **b)** Procedure for Purchase Preference in procurement of goods or works which are divisible in nature: NOT APPLICABLE FOR THE SUBJECT TENDER
- i. Among all qualified bids, the lowest bid will be termed as L1. If L1 is from a local supplier, the contract for full quantity will be awarded to L1.
- ii. If L1 bid is not from a local supplier, 50% of the order quantity shall be awarded to L1. Thereafter, the lowest bidder among the local suppliers, will be invited to match the L1 price for the remaining 50% quantity subject to the local supplier's quoted price falling within the margin of purchase preference, and contract for that quantity shall be awarded to such local supplier subject to matching the L1 price.
- iii. In case such lowest eligible local supplier fails to match the L1 price or accepts less than the offered quantity, the next higher local supplier within the margin of purchase preference shall be invited to match the L1 price for remaining quantity and so on, and contract shall be awarded accordingly.
- iv. In case some quantity is still left uncovered on local suppliers, then such balance quantity may also be ordered on the L1 bidder.
- c) Procedure for Purchase Preference in procurement of goods or works which are not divisible in nature: APPLICABLE FOR THE SUBJECT TENDER
- i. Among all qualified bids, the lowest bid will be termed as L1. If L1 is from a local supplier, the contract will be awarded to L1.
- ii. If L1 is not from a local supplier, the lowest bidder among the local suppliers, will be

- invited to match the L1 price subject to local supplier's quoted price falling within the margin of purchase preference, and the contract shall be awarded to such local supplier subject to matching the L1 price.
- iii. In case such lowest eligible local supplier fails to match the L1 price, the local supplier with the next higher bid within the margin of purchase preference shall be invited to match the L1 price and so on and contract shall be awarded accordingly.
- iv. In case none of the local suppliers within the margin of purchase preference matches the L1 price, then the contract may be awarded to the L1 bidder.
- d) Minimum local content and verification of local content:
- i. The local supplier at the time of tender 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.
- ii. In case of procurement for a value in excess of Rs. 10 crores, the local supplier shall be required to provide a certificate from the statutory auditor or cost auditor of the company or from a practising cost accountant or practising chartered accountant giving the percentage of local content.
- iii. If any false declaration regarding local content is found, the company shall be debarred for a period of three years from participating in tenders of all metro rail companies.
- iv. Supplier/bidder shall give the details of the local content in a format attached as Appendix-23 and Appendix-24 of FOT duly filled to be uploaded along with the technical bid. In case, bidder do not upload Appendix-23 and Appendix-24 of FOT duly filled along with their technical bid, local content shall be considered as 'Nil' in tender evaluation.

# 1.1.3.2 Minimum Eligibility Criteria:

- A. Work Experience: The tenderers will be qualified only if they have successfully completed work(s), completion date(s) of which falling during last seven years ending lastday of the month previous to the month of tender submissionas given below:
  - (i) At least One "similar works" \*each of value of INR 450.43 crore or more.

OR

(ii) Two "similar works" \*each of value of INR 281.52 crore or more.

OR

- (ii) Three "similar works" \*each of value of INR 225.21 crore or more.
- <u>\*"Similar works" for this contract shall be "Part Design and Construction of Viaduct(which may include station along with viaduct) /Bridge /Flyover (excluding approaches & embankments) and pre-stressed concrete super-structure".</u>

Notes:

a) The tenderer shall submit details of works executed by them in the Performa of Appendix-17 & 17A of FOT for the works to be considered for qualification of work

experience criteria. Documentary proof of completion certificates from client clearly indicating the nature/scope of work, actual completion cost and actual date of completion for such work should be submitted. The offers submitted without this documentary proof shall not be evaluated. In case the work is executed for private client, copy of work order, bill of quantities, bill wise details of payment received certified by C.A., T.D.S certificates for all payments received and copy of final/last bill paid by client shall also be submitted.

- b) Value of successfully completed portion of any ongoing work up to last day of the month previous to the month of tender submission will also be considered for qualification of work experience criteria.
- c) For completed works, value of work done shall be updated to last day of the month previous to the month of tender submission price level assuming 5% inflation for Indian Rupees every year and 2% for foreign currency portions per year. The exchange rate of foreign currency shall be applicable 28 days before the submission date of tender.
- d) If the above work(s) (i.e. "Construction of Viaduct (which may include station along with viaduct) /Bridge /Flyover (excluding approaches & embankments) and prestressed concrete super-structure" comprise other works, then client's certificate clearly indicating the amount of work done in respect of the "similar work" shall be furnished by the tenderer in support of work experience along-with their tender submissions.
- e) If the qualifying work(s) were done by a contractor in JV/consortium having different constituents (consists of other than Indian Contractor or consists of Indian Contractor with less than 26% share), then the value of work as per their percentage participation in such JV/Consortium shall be considered, but in case if the qualifying work(s) were done by them in JV/consortium having different constituents (consist of Indian contractor with 26% or more participation), then the value of work as per Indian contractor's percentage participation in such JV/Consortium shall be taken Two times subject to the Maximum of 100% for the consideration of value of the work for similar Work experience
- f) Only work experience certificate having stamp of Name and Designation of officer along with the Name of client shall be considered for evaluation. However, if any work experience certificate has been issued prior to 31.03.2021, same shall be considered for evaluation even if it is not stamped.
- **B. Financial Standing:** The tenderers will be qualified only if they have minimum financial capabilities as below:
  - (i) T1 -Liquidity: It is necessary that the firm can withstand cash flow that the contract will require until payments received from the Employer. Liquidity therefore becomes an important consideration.

This shall be seen from the balance sheets and/or from the banking reference. Net current assets and/or documents including banking reference (as per proforma given in Annexure-8 of ITT), should show that the applicant has access to or has available liquid assets, lines of credit and other financial means to meet cash flow of **INR 40.21 crores** for this contract, net of applicant's commitments for other Contracts. Banking reference should contain in clear terms the amount that bank will be in a position to lend for this work to the applicant/member of the Joint Venture/Consortium. In case the Net Current Assets (as seen from the Balance Sheets) are negative, only the

Banking references will be considered. Otherwise the aggregate of the Net Current Assets and submitted Banking references will be considered for working out the Liquidity.

The banking reference should be from a Scheduled Bank in India or (in case of foreign parties) from an international bank of repute acceptable to NMRC and it should not be more than 3 months old as on date of submission of bids.

- (ii) **T2 Profitability:** Profit before Tax should be **Positive in at least 2 (two) years**, out of the last five audited financial years.
- (iii) T3 Net Worth: Net Worth of tenderer during last audited financial year should be ≥INR 56.30 crores
- (iv) **T4 Annual Turnover:** The average annual turnover from construction of last five financial years should be > **INR 225.21 crores**.

### Notes:

- a) Financial data for latest last five audited financial years has to be submitted by the tenderer in Appendix-18 of FOT along with audited balance sheets. The financial data in the prescribed format shall be certified by Chartered Accountant with his stamp and signature in original with membership number and firm registration number. In case audited balance sheet of the last financial year is not made available by the bidder, he has to submit an affidavit certifying that 'the balance sheet has actually not been audited so far'. In such a case the financial data of previous '4' audited financial years will be taken into consideration for evaluation. If audited balance sheet of any year other than the last year is not submitted, the tender may be considered as non-responsive.
- b) Where a work is undertaken by a group, only that portion of the contract which is undertaken by the concerned applicant/member should be indicated and the remaining done by the other members of the group be excluded. This is to be substantiated with documentary evidence.

# 1.1.3.3 Bid Capacity Criteria:

**Bid Capacity:** The tenderers will be qualified only if their available bid capacity is more than the approximate cost of work as per NIT. Available bid capacity will be calculated based on the following formula:

# Available Bid Capacity = 2\*A\*N - B

Where,

- A = Maximum of the value of construction works executed in any one year during the last five financial years (updated to last day of the month previous to the month of tender submission price level assuming 5% inflation for Indian Rupees every year and 2% for foreign currency portions per year).
- N = No. of years prescribed for completion of the work
- B = Value of existing commitments (as on last day of the month previous to the month of tender submission ) for on-going construction works during period of 24 months w.e.f. from the first day of the month of tender submission.

#### Notes:

- a) Financial data for latest last five financial years has to be submitted by the tenderer in Appendix-15 of FOT along with audited financial statements. The financial data in the prescribed format shall be certified by the Chartered Accountant with his stamp and signature in original with membership number and firm registration number.
- b) Value of existing commitments for on-going construction works during period of 24 months w.e.f from the first day of the month of tender submission has to be submitted by the tenderer in Appendix-16 of FOT. These data shall be certified by the Chartered Accountant with his stamp and signature in original with membership number and firm registration number.
- 1.1.3.4 The tender submission of tenderers, who do not qualify the minimum eligibility criteria& bid capacity criteria stipulated in the clauses 1.1.3.2 to 1.1.3.3 above, shall not be considered for further evaluation and therefore rejected. The mere fact that the tenderer is qualified as mentioned in sub clause 1.1.3.2 to 1.1.3.3 shall not imply that his bid shall automatically be accepted. The same should contain all technical data as required for consideration of tender prescribed in the ITT.
- **1.1.4** The Tender documents consist of :

#### Volume 1

- Notice Inviting Tender
- Instructions to Tenderers (including Annexures)
- Form of Tender (including Appendices)

### Volume 2

- General Conditions of Contracts
- Special Conditions of Contract (including Schedules)
- Condition of Contract on Safety & Health and Environment

### Volume 3

- Employer's Requirement General
- Employer's Requirement Functional
- Employer's Requirement Design
- Employer's Requirement Construction
- Employer's Requirement Appendices

#### Volume 4

- Outline Design Specifications
- Outline Construction Specifications for Civil Works

#### Volume 5

Tender Drawings

#### Volume 6

Bill of Quantities

#### Volume 7

Geotechnical Investigation Report

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- 1.1.5 The contract shall be governed by the documents listed in Para 1.1.4 above along with latest edition of CPWD Specification, IRS Specifications & MORTH Specifications. These may be purchased from the market.
- 1.1.6 The tenderers may obtain further information/ clarification, if any, in respect of these tender documents from the office of The GM/Technical, Noida Metro Rail Corporation (NMRC) Limited Block-III, 3rd Floor, Ganga Shopping Complex, Sector-29, Noida 201301, District Gautam Budh Nagar, Uttar Pradesh, India
- 1.1.7 All tenderers are hereby cautioned that tenders containing any material deviation or reservations as described in Clause E 4.0 of "Instructions to Tenderers" and/or minor deviation without quoting the cost of withdrawal shall be considered as non-responsive and is liable to be rejected.
- 1.1.8 The intending tenderers must be registered on e-tendering portal <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a>. Those who are not registered on the e-tendering portal shall be required to get registered beforehand. After registration, the tenderer will get user id and password. On login, tenderer can participate in tendering process and can witness various activities of the process.
- 1.1.9 The authorized signatory of intending tenderer, as per Power of Attorney (POA), must have valid Class-II or Class-III digital signature. The tender document can only be downloaded or uploaded using Class-II or Class-III digital signature. However, the tenderer shall upload their tender on <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> using class-II or class-III digital signature of the authorized signatory only.
- 1.1.10 Tender submissions shall be done online on <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> after uploading the mandatory scanned documents towards cost of tender documents such as scanned copies of transaction of payment i.e. RTGS, NEFT & IMPS and towards Tender Security such as Bank Guarantee or Demand Draft or Pay Order or Banker's Cheque from a Scheduled commercial bank based in India or scanned copies of transaction of payment i.e. RTGS, NEFT & IMPS (and other documents as stated in the tender document. Instructions for on-line bid submission are furnished hereinafter.
- 1.1.11 Submission of Tenders shall be closed on e-tendering website of NMRC at the date & time of submission prescribed in NIT after which no tender shall be accepted. It shall be the responsibility of the bidder / tenderer to ensure that his tender is submitted online on e-tendering website <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> before the deadline of submission. NMRC will not be responsible for non-receipt of tender documents due to any delay and/or loss etc.
- 1.1.12 Tenders shall be valid for a period of 180 days (both days inclusive i.e. the date submission of tenders and the last date of period of validity of the tender) from the date of submission of Tenders and shall be accompanied with a tender security of the requisite amount as per clause C18 of ITT.
- 1.1.13 NMRC reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals without assigning any reasons. No tenderer shall have any cause of action or claim against the NMRC for rejection of his proposal.

- 1.1.14 Tenderers are advised to keep in touch with e-tendering portal <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> for updates.
- 1.1.15 For any complaints, tenderers may contact NMRC at Noida Metro Rail Corporation (NMRC) Limited, Block-III, 3rd Floor, Ganga Shopping Complex, Sector-29, Noida -201301, District Gautam Budh Nagar, Uttar Pradesh, India

General Manager/Technical Noida Metro Rail Corporation Limited

#### 2.1. General instructions

- a. A tenderer shall submit only one bid in the same tendering process. A tenderer who submits or participates in more than one bid will cause all the proposals in which the tenderer has participated to be disqualified. No tenderer can be a sub-contractor while submitting a bid individually.
- b. The Bidder shall initiate, and actively pursue and involve itself in all investigations and enquiries, Corporation feedbacks, information, convening of and attendance at meetings, and in any other activities as are or may be necessary for producing high quality work as per the requirements.
- c. The Bidder shall carry out the services in compliance with the provisions of this Agreement. All changes necessary to ensure that the Bidder's documents conform to the intent and purpose set out in the Agreement, shall be made at the Bidder's own expense. The Bidder represents that it is a professional and experienced company, and hereby agrees to bear full responsibility for the correctness and technical merit of the services performed.
- d. Bidders shall be evaluated based on the Evaluation Criteria specified in this document. Bidders shall be deemed to have understood and agreed that no explanation or justification for any aspect of the Selection Process will be given and that NMRC's decisions are without any right of appeal whatsoever.
- e. Any entity which has been barred by the Central/State Government in India or by any entity controlled by them, from participating in any project, and the bar subsists as on the date of Bid, would not be eligible to submit an e Bid.
- f. Bidders are encouraged to inform themselves fully about the assignment and the local conditions before submitting the e-Bid by paying a visit to the Corporation and/or by sending written queries to NMRC before the last date for receiving queries/clarifications.
- g. NMRC shall not be liable for any omission, mistake or error on the part of the Bidder in respect of any of the above or because of any matter or thing arising out of or concerning or relating to e-Bid or the Selection Process, including any error or mistake therein or in any information or data given by NMRC.
- h. The currency for the Proposal shall be the Indian Rupee (INR).
- i. Tenderers shall not have a conflict of interest. All Tenderers found to have a conflict of interest shall be disqualified. Tenderers shall be considered to have a conflict of interest with one or more parties in this bidding process, if:
- j. A tenderer has been engaged by the Employer to provide consulting services for the preparation related to procurement or implementation of the project;
- k. A tenderer is any associates/affiliates (inclusive of parent firms) mentioned in subparagraph above; or
- I. A tenderer lends, or temporarily seconds its personnel to firms or organizations which are engaged in consulting services for the preparation related to procurement for an implementation of the project, if the personnel would be involved in any capacity on the same project.

# 2.1.1. Cost of Bid Document / e-Tender processing Fee

- a. The Tenderer shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of its e-Bid and Noida Metro Rail Corporation Ltd. ("NMRC" or "the Corporation"), will in no case be responsible or liable for these costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the e-Bid process.
- a. This tender document is available on the web site <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> on NMRC website (<a href="www.nmrcnoida.com">www.nmrcnoida.com</a>) to enable the tenderers to view, download the e-Bid document and submit e-Bids online up to the last date and time mentioned in e-Tender notice/e-tender document against this e-Tender. The Tenderers shall have to pay cost of bid document/e-Tender processing fee of as mentioned in Data Sheet through RTGS/NEFT only, payable in favour of Noida Metro Rail Corporation Limited in the A/c No. mentioned in Data Sheet. The scanned copy of RTGS/NEFT receipt with transaction Id certified by the same bank must be enclosed along with the e-Bid. This cost of bid document/e-Tender processing fee as mentioned in Data Sheet will be non-refundable. Tender without cost of bid document/e-Tender processing fee in the prescribed form, will not be accepted.

### 2.1.2. Acknowledgement by Bidder

It shall be deemed that by submitting the e-Bid, the Bidder has:

- a. made a complete and careful examination of the e-Bid;
- b. received all relevant information requested from NMRC;
- c. acknowledged and accepted the risk of inadequacy, error or mistake in the information provided in the e-Bid or furnished by or on behalf of NMRC;
- d. satisfied itself about all matters, things and information, necessary and required for submitting an informed Application and performance of all its obligations there under;
- e. acknowledged that it does not have a Conflict of Interest; and
- f. agreed to be bound by the undertaking provided by it under and in terms hereof.

# 2.1.3. Availability of Bid Document

This Bid document is available on the web site <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> on Noida Metro website <a href="www.nmrcnoida.com">www.nmrcnoida.com</a> to enable the Bidders to view, download the e-Bid document and submit e-Bids online up to the last date and time mentioned in e-Bidder notice/e-Bid document. The Bidders shall have to pay e-Bid document fee and EMD as mentioned in Data sheet through RTGS/NEFT on addresses given in data sheet. The scanned copy of RTGS/NEFT with transaction ID certified by the same bank must be enclosed along with the e-Bid. This e-Bid document fee will be non-refundable. Bid without Bid fee in the prescribe form will not be accepted.

# 2.1.4. Clarifications of e-Bid

a. During evaluation of e-Bid, NMRC may, at its discretion, ask the Bidder for a clarification of his/her e-Bid. The request for clarification shall be in writing.

- b. Any queries or request for additional information concerning this RFP shall be submitted in writing or by fax and e-mail to the Executive Director, NMRC only before or during Pre-Bid Meeting held at NMRC. The envelopes/ communication shall clearly bear the following identification/ title: "Queries/ Request for Part Design and Construction of Elevated Viaduct and 5 elevated stations viz NOIDA SEC -122, NOIDA SEC-123, GR. NOIDA SEC-4, ECOTECH-12, GR. NOIDA SEC-2, (excluding Architectural finishing Works and PEB works of stations) from Chainage 0.00 m to Chainage 9605 m of Noida -Greater Noida Metro Rail Project". The responses will be posted to all such queries on the official Website <a href="www.nmrcnoida.com">www.nmrcnoida.com</a>. NMRC reserves the right not to respond to any questions or provide any clarifications, in its sole discretion, and nothing in this Clause shall be taken or read as compelling or requiring NMRC to respond to any question or to provide any clarification.
- c. A pre-submission meeting shall be called on the date mentioned in Data Sheet at NMRC Office. Any change corresponding to date, if any, shall be communicated to the Bidder vide NMRC/ e-Tendering website.
- d. In case the Bidder seeks for any queries, he shall send letter or e-mail to the correspondence address given in Data Sheet.
- e. However, NMRC shall not entertain any correspondence from the Bidders during the period of e-Bid opening to selection of the successful Bidder. Any wrong practice shall be dealt under Fraud and Corrupt Practices.
- f. The Tenderer is advised to visit and examine the Site of Works and its surroundings and obtain for himself on his own responsibility all information that may be necessary for preparing the Tender and entering into a contract for the proposed work. The costs of visiting the Site shall be borne by the Tenderer. It shall be deemed that the Contractor has undertaken a visit to the Site of Works and is aware of the site conditions prior to the submission of the tender documents.
- g. The Tenderer and any of his personnel will be granted permission by the Employer to enter upon his premises and lands for the purpose of such inspection, but only upon the express condition that the Tenderer, and his personnel, will release and indemnify the Employer and his personnel from and against all liability in respect thereof and will be responsible for death or personal injury, loss of or damage to property and any other loss, damage, costs and expenses incurred as a result of the inspection.

# 2.1.5. Amendment of e-Bid Document

- a. At any time prior to the deadline for submission of e-Bid, NMRC may, for any reason, whether at its on in iterative or in response to a clarification requested by a prospective Bidder, modify the e-Bid document by amendments. Such amendments shall be uploaded on the e-procurement website <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> or NMRC's website <a href="www.nmrcnoida.com">www.nmrcnoida.com</a>. The relevant clauses of the e-Bid document shall be treated as amended accordingly.
- b. It shall be the sole responsibility of the prospective Bidder to check the web site <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> or NMRC's website <a href="www.nmrcnoida.com">www.nmrcnoida.com</a> from time to time for any amendment in the e-Bid documents. In case of failure to get the amendments, if any, NMRC shall not be responsible for it.

c. In order to allow prospective e-Bids a reasonable time to take the amendment into account in preparing their e-Bids, NMRC, at the discretion, may extend the deadline for the submission of e-Bids. Such extensions shall be uploaded on the e-procurement website <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> or NMRC's website www.nmrcnoida.com.

### 2.2. Preparation and submission of Bids

# 2.2.1. Language of e-Bid

The e-Bid prepared by the Bidder, as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the e-Bid exchanged by the Bidder and NMRC shall be written in English language. Only English numerals shall be used in the e-Bid. The correspondence and documents in any other language must be accompanied by transcripts verified by the Embassy of Home Country or equivalent.

### 2.2.2. Documents constituting the e-Bid

The e-Bid prepared by the Bidder shall comprise the following components:

- a) Technical e-Bid- Technical e-Bid will comprise of -
  - (i) Fee details Details of Bid processing fee and prescribed EMD
  - (ii) Eligibility details Includes copies of required documents in PDF format justifying that the Bidder is qualified to perform the contract if his/her bid is accepted and the Bidder has financial & technical capability necessary to perform the contract and meets the criteria outlined in the Qualification requirement and technical specification and fulfil all the conditions of the contract.
  - (iii) Technical evaluation Details of all documents needed for Technical evaluation as mentioned in this RFP
- b) Financial e-Bid -
  - (i) Price bid Bill of Quantities in XLS format to be filled in after downloading from the e-Procurement website for this e-tender. There shall be a single quote.

# 2.2.3. Documents establishing Bidder's Qualification

- a. The Bidder shall furnish, as part of its technical e-Bid, documents establishing the Bidder's qualification to perform the contract if its e-Bid is accepted. The documentary evidence should be submitted by the Bidder electronically in the PDF format.
- b. The documentary evidence of Bidder's qualification to perform the contract if its e-Bid is accepted shall be as per qualification requirements specified in e-Bid document.

#### 2.2.4. **E-Bid form**

The Bidder shall complete the e-Bid form and the appropriate price schedule/BOQ furnished in the e-Bid document.

### 2.2.5. E-Bid Currency

Prices shall be quoted in Indian Rupees only.

# 2.2.6. Formats and Signing of e-Bid

- a. The Bidder shall prepare one electronic copy of the technical e-Bid and financial e-Bid separately.
- b. The e-Bid document shall be digitally signed, at the time of uploading, by the Bidder or a person or persons duly authorized to bind the Bidder to the contract. The later authorization shall be indicated by a scanned copy of written power-of attorney accompanying the e-Bid. All the pages/documents of the e-Bid that are to be uploaded shall be digitally signed by the person authorized to sign the e-Bid.
- c. Bidders should provide all the information as per the RFP and in the specified formats. NMRC reserves the rights to reject any proposal that is not in the specified formats.
- d. In case the Bidders intends to provide additional information for which specified space in the given format is not sufficient, it can be furnished in duly stamped and signed PDFs.

#### 2.2.7. Deadline for submission of e-Bid

E-Bid (Technical and financial) must be submitted by the Bidder at e-procurement website <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> not later than the time specified on the prescribed date (as the server time displayed in the e-procurement website). NMRC may, at its discretion, extend this deadline for submission of e-Bid by amending the e-Bid document, in which case all rights and obligations of NMRC and Bidders previously subject to the deadline will thereafter be subject to the deadline as extended.

### 2.2.8. Submission of e-Bid

- a. The bid submission module of e-procurement website <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a>enables the Bidders to submit the e-Bid online in response to this e-Bid published by NMRC.
- b. Bid submission can be done only from the bid submission start date and time till the bid submission end date and time given in the e-Bid. Bidders should start the bid submission process well in advance so that they can submit their e-Bid in time.
- c. The Bidder should submit their e-Bid considering the server time displayed in the e-procurement website. This server time is the time by which the e-Bid submission activity will be allowed till the permissible time on the last/end date of submission indicated in the e-Bid schedule.
- d. Once the e-Bid submission date and time is over, the Bidders cannot submit their e-Bid. For delay in submission of e-Bid due to any reasons, the Bidders shall only be held responsible.

The Bidders have to follow the following instructions for submission of their e-Bid:

a. For participating in e-Bid through the e-Biding system it is necessary for the Bidders to be the registered users of the e-procurement website <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a>. The Bidders must obtain a user login Id and password by registering themselves with U.P. Electronics Corporation Ltd., Lucknow if they have not done so previously for registration.

- b. In addition to the normal registration, the Bidder has to register with his/her digital signature certificate (DSC) in the e-Biding system and subsequently he/she will be allowed to carry out his/her e-Bid submission activities. Registering the digital signature certificate (DSC) is a one-time activity. Before proceeding to register his/her DSC, the Bidder should first log on to the e-Biding system using the user login option on the home page with the login Id and password with which he/she has registered.
  - For successful registration of DSC on e-procurement website <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> the Bidder must ensure that he/she should possess class-2/class-3 DSC issued by any certifying authorities approved by controller of certifying authorities, Government of India, as the e-procurement website <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a> is presently accepting DSC issued by these authorities only. The Bidder can obtain user login Id and perform DSC registration exercise given above even before the e-Bid submission date starts. NMRC shall not be held responsible if the Bidder tries to submit his/her e-Bid at the moment before end date of submission but could not submit due to DSC registration problem.
- c. The Bidder can search for active Bids through "search active tenders" link, select a Bid in which he/she is interested in and then move it to 'My Tenders' folder using the options available in the e-Bid submission menu. After selecting and the Bid, for which the Bidder intends to e-Bid, from "My tenders" folder, the Bidder can place his/her e-Bid by clicking "pay offline" option available at the end of the view Bid details form. Before this, the Bidder should download the e-Bid document and price schedule/bill of quantity (BOQ) and study them carefully. The Bidder should keep all the documents ready as per the requirements of e-Bid document in the PDF format except the price schedule /bill of quantity (BOQ) which should be in the XLS format (excel sheet).
- d. After clicking the 'pay offline' option, the Bidder will be redirected to terms and conditions page. The Bidder should read the terms & conditions before proceeding to fill in the Bid fee and EMD offline payment details. After entering and saving the Bid fee and EMD details form so that "bid document preparation and submission" window appears to upload the documents as per technical (fee details, qualification details, e-Bid form and technical specification details) and financial (e-Bid form and price schedule/BOQ) schedules/packets given in the Bid details. The details of the RTGS/NEFT should tally with the details available in the scanned copy and the date entered during e-Bid submission time otherwise the e-Bid submitted will not be accepted.
- e. Next the Bidder should upload the technical e-Bid documents for fee details (e-Bid fee and EMD), Qualification details. Before uploading, the Bidder has to select the relevant digital signature certificate. He may be prompted to enter the digital signature certificate password, if necessary. For uploading, the Bidder should click "browse" button against each document label in technical and financial schedules/packets and then upload the relevant PDF/XLS files already prepared and stored in the Bidder's computer. The required documents for each document label of technical (fee details, qualification details, e-Bid form and technical specification details) and financial (e-Bid form and price schedule/BOQ) schedules/packets can be clubbed together to make single different files for each label.
- f. The Bidder should click "Encrypt" next for successfully encrypting and uploading of required documents. during the above process, the e-Bid documents are digitally signed using the DSC of the Bidder and then the documents are encrypted/locked electronically with the DSC's of the bid openers to ensure that the e-Bid documents are protected, stored and opened by concerned bid openers only.

- g. After successful submission of e-Bid document, a page giving the summary of e-Bid submission will be displayed confirming end of e-Bid submission process. The Bidder can take a printout of the bid summary using the "print" option available in the window as an acknowledgement for future reference.
- h. NMRC reserves the right to cancel any or all e-Bids without assigning any reason.

#### 2.2.9. Late e-Bid

- a. Bids received by NMRC after the specified time on the Bid Due Date shall not be eligible for consideration and shall be summarily rejected.
- b. The server time indicated in the bid management window on the e-procurement website <a href="http://etender.up.nic.in">http://etender.up.nic.in</a>will be the time by which the e-Bid submission activity will be allowed till the permissible date and time scheduled in the e-Bid.
- c. Once the e-Bid submission date and time is over, the Bidder cannot submit his/her e-Bid. Bidder has to start the bid submission well in advance so that the submission process passes off smoothly. The Bidder will only be held responsible if his/her e-Bid is not submitted in time due to any of his/her problems/faults, for whatsoever reason, during e-Bid submission process.

#### 3.0 ASSISTANCE TO BIDDERS

- 1) Any queries relating to the tender document and the terms and conditions contained therein should be addressed to the Tender Inviting Authority for a tender or the relevant contact person indicated in the tender.
- 2) Any queries relating to the process of online bid submission or queries relating to UP Portal in general may be directed to the 24x7 UP Portal Helpdesk.
- 3) For any Technical queries related to Operation of the UP Portal Contact at:
- 4) Tel: The 24 x 7 Help Desk Number 0120-4001002.

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