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INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

DETAILED INVITATION FOR BIDS

NTPC LIMITED
(A GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ENTERPRISE) (SSC-NR VINDHYACHAL)

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)
FOR
SUPPLY, ERECTION & COMMISSIONING OF 500MW ST-II HP/LP/SERVICE LINES BY REPLACING EXISTING PIPELINES.
(Domestic Competitive Bidding)

IFB No.: 9900211560

Date:

1.0 NTPC invites online Bids on **‘Single Stage Two Envelope bidding basis (Envelope-I: Techno- Commercial Bid & Envelope-II: Price Bid)** from eligible Bidders for aforesaid Package ,as per the Brief Scope of Work mentioned hereinafter.

2.0 **BRIEF SCOPE OF WORK**
SUPPLY, ERECTION & COMMISSIONING OF 500MW ST-II HP/LP/SERVICE LINES BY REPLACING EXISTING PIPELINES, **as detailed in the Technical Specification and as per provision of this Bidding Document**

3.0 NTPC intends to finance subject Package through: **Internal Resources**

4.0 **Brief Description of NIT:**
Detailed Specification, Scope of Work and Terms & Conditions are given in the Bidding Documents, which are available for examination and Sale at the address given below and as per the following schedule:

Tender Ref No / Tender ID	<i>NTPC/SSC-VSR/9900211560</i>
Document Download / Sale Start Date	17-Apr-2021 11:00 AM
Document Download / Sale End Date	03-May-2021 11:00 AM
Source of IFB/NIT	SSC-NR Vindhyachal
Form of Contract/Tender Category	SUPPLY CONTRACT *
Type Of Bidding	SINGLE STAGE-TWO ENVELOPE
Pre Bid Conference	AS PER GePNIC NIT
Clarification Start Date	17-Apr-2021 11:00 AM
Clarification End Date	23-Apr-2021 06:00 PM
Bid Submission Start Date	17-Apr-2021 11:00 AM
Bid Submission End Date	03-May-2021 11:00 AM
Bid Opening Date	05-May-2021 11:00 AM
“Cost of Bidding Documents”/”Tender Fee” in INR	Rs. 2,655/-
EMD/Bid Security	Bid Security Declaration vide GePNIC Attribute to be submitted
Pre Bid Conference Date & Time (if any)	As per GePNIC NIT
Integrity Pact (Applicable / Not Applicable)	Not Applicable

*The MSME Benefits as mentioned in Bid Data Sheet (BDS), shall be applicable for “Form of Contract/Tender Category” type “categorized as "Services" / ”Supply” and not for “Form of Contract/Tender Category” categorized as “Works Contracts”.

Applicable relevant MSME certificate should be submitted offline/online before schedule bid submission end date & time.

All bids must be accompanied by “Bid Security Declaration” in GEPNIC Attribute in lieu of Bid Security in the form as stipulated in the Bidding Documents.

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- 5.0 Bidder has to ensure the following documents to be submitted online/offline and if offline the same should reach in sealed envelopes before the bid submission deadline prescribed by the Employer, pursuant to ITB Clause 15, failing which bid is liable for rejection
- a) Tender Fee: as applicable
 - b) Earnest Money Deposit/Bid Security :
All bids must be accompanied by “**Bid Security Declaration**” in lieu of Bid Security in the GePNIC attribute.
Any bid not accompanied by acceptance of GePNIC attribute of “Bid Security Declaration” shall be rejected by the employer as being non-responsive and shall not be opened.
 - c) Integrity Pact : Not Applicable;

Any bid not accompanied by an acceptable Earnest Money Deposit, Tender fee and Integrity pact(Not applicable), shall be rejected by the Employer as being non-responsive and shall be rejected without being opened.

6.0 QUALIFYING REQUIREMENTS FOR BIDDERS

1.0 Technical Criteria

1. Bidder should have executed at least one job of 'Supply and Laying' of 'Steel pipe /Ductile Iron pipe / Cast Iron pipe' in the preceding seven (07) years, prior to date of Techno-Commercial bid opening.
2. Bidder should have executed any 'Similar work' in the preceding seven (07) years prior to the date of Techno-Commercial bid opening, meeting the following criteria-
 - (i) Single order of value not less than Rs 196.79 Lakhs
OR
 - (ii) Two orders of value not less than Rs 122.99 Lakhs each.
OR
 - (iii) Three orders of value not less than Rs 98.39 Lakhs each.

Note:-

1. All values are exclusive of GST/other Taxes.
2. 'Similar work' includes " Supply and/or ' Fabrication and Erection ' with/without civil works' “ of 'Steel pipe /Ductile Iron pipe / Cast Iron pipe/Hoppers/Bunkers/ Tanks/ Vessels/Silos/ Ducting/Structural Steel works'.

Notes for Clause 1.0 above:

- (i) The word “executed” means the Bidder should have achieved the criteria specified in the qualifying requirements at clause 1.0, even if the contract has been started earlier and/or is not completed /closed and shall be considered as below.

Case-I: The work is started earlier (prior to the period stipulated in clause-1.0, but completed within the stipulated period as mentioned in clause 1.0. In such cases, entire executed value of the relevant work vide that work order shall be considered for evaluation.

Case-II: The work is started and completed within the stipulated period as mentioned in clause 1.0

Case-III: The work is started within the stipulated period as mentioned in clause 1.0 but not completed as on the last date of stipulated period. In such cases, “In Progress” executed value of the relevant work vide that work order as on the last date of stipulated period, shall be considered for evaluation.

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- (ii) Remarks: Any of the above cases shall be supported by documentary evidence issued by the “Owner”. “Owner” means the entity which has the original requirement of the subject work and has initiated and awarded the work to the contractor (bidder) for executing the reference work against which the credentials have been submitted.

And the “Owner” defined as above is not a contractor to any other entity for the reference work. In case, the bidder has worked as approved sub-Contractor/sub-vendor, he has to provide documentary evidence issued by the “Owner”.

2.0 Financial Criteria

The average annual turnover of the bidder, in the preceding three (03) financial years as on the date of Techno-commercial bid opening, should not be less than Rs. **122.99** Lakh (Rupees One Crore Twenty Two lakhs Ninety-Nine Thousand only).

Notes for Clause 2.0 above:

- (i) In case where audited results for the last financial year as on the date of techno commercial bid opening are not available, the financial results certified by a practicing Chartered Accountant shall be considered acceptable. In case, Bidder is not able to submit the certificate from practicing Chartered Accountant certifying its financial parameters, the audited results for the three consecutive financial years preceding the last financial year shall be considered for evaluating the financial parameters, a Certificate would be required from the CEO/CFO as per the format enclosed in the bidding documents starting financial results of the company are under audit as on the date of techno-commercial bid opening and the certificate from a practicing chartered accountant certifying the financial parameters is not available.
- (ii) Other income shall not be considered for arriving at annual turnover.

7.0 Notwithstanding anything stated above, the Employer reserves the right to assess the capabilities and capacity of the Bidder /his collaborators/associates/subsidiaries/group companies to perform the contract, should the circumstances warrant such assessment in the overall interest of the Employer.

8.0 Employer reserves the right to reject any or all bids or cancel / withdraw the Invitation for Bids without assigning any reason whatsoever and in such case no bidder / intending bidder shall have any claim arising out of such action

9.0 A complete set of Bidding Documents may be downloaded by any interested Bidder from our NIC Portal (<https://eprocurmentpc.nic.in/nicgep/app>).

Note: No hard copy of Bidding Documents shall be issued.

10.0 Issuance of bid documents to any Bidder shall not construe that such bidder is considered to be qualified. Bids shall be submitted online and opened at the address given below in the presence of Bidder’s representatives who choose to attend the bid opening. Bidder shall furnish Bid Security, Integrity Pact, Deed of Joint Undertaking (if applicable) and Power of Attorney separately offline as detailed in Bidding Documents by the stipulated bid submission closing date and time at the address given below.

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- 11.0 Clarification on bidding documents:
A prospective Bidder requiring any clarification of the Bidding Document shall put the query under Clarification tab of the on-line bid at least three days prior to the clarification end date. EMPLOYER will respond to any request for clarification or modification of the bidding documents that it receives within the time line specified.

EMPLOYER will post the Clarifications under Clarification/Corrigendum tab at e-tender website. Bidders can view these clarifications.

NOTE: No Queries from Bidders, whatsoever, shall be entertained by the Employer beyond the last date of receipt of Queries/ Pre-Bid Conference (if applicable) specified above.”

- 12.0 Transfer of Bidding Documents purchased by one intending Bidder to another is not permissible.

- 13.0 **Class-I local suppliers’ only are eligible to participate in this tender, as defined in the bidding documents/ Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 and its subsequent amendments/ revisions issued by DPIIT. The bidders may apprise themselves of the relevant provisions of bidding documents in this regard before submission of their bids.**

NOTE:

Bidders are requested to give acceptance of being Class-I Local Supplier (Minimum Local Content >50%) by accepting the GTE & declaration in Bid Form.

By accepting the MLC provision of GTE it will be considered that:-

“Bidder is 'Class-I local supplier’ and is meeting the MLC requirement stipulated in Annexure-II to BDS.

Also supplier has not been debarred / banned by any other procuring entity for violation of ‘Public Procurement (Preference to Make In India), Order 2017’ (PPP-MII Order) dated 15.06.2017 and its subsequent revisions / amendments issued by Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal trade (DPIIT)’.

In case false declaration in respect of Local content, same shall be treated as false declaration and will be dealt in line with the Fraud Prevention Policy of NTPC.

The bidders may apprise themselves of the relevant provisions of bidding documents in this regard before submission of their bids.

14. **Any ‘Bidder from a country which shares a land border with India’, as specified in the Bidding Documents, will be eligible to bid in this tender only if bidder is registered with the Competent Authority as mentioned in the Bidding Documents.**

However, the said requirement of registration will not apply to bidders from those countries (even if sharing a land border with India) to which the Government of India has extended lines of credit or in which the Government of India is engaged in development projects.

15. MSE benefits will be extended only to such Bidders who are manufacturer of the item(s) which is / are a pre requisite for extending MSE benefits. Pre-requisite for extending MSE benefits of purchase preference is **“bidder to be the Manufacturer of upto 700 NB dia pipe”** . Purchase preference will be given for entire package provided the bidder is manufacturer of such item(s) which is necessary pre requisite as specified above.

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16.0 For the purpose of meeting Qualifying requirement, Section-III, BDS (Bid data sheet) Clause 6 may also be seen.

17.0 Address for communication:

NTPC Ltd.,
Contract Services, SSC NR Vindhyachal 2nd Floor ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING,
P O Vindhyanagar, DISTT: Singrauli (MP) – 486885

AGM. (Contracts), SSC NR Vindhyachal e-mail: gauravsaraswat@ntpc.co.in

DGM. (Contracts), SSC NR Vindhyachal e-mail: schakarvorty01@ntpc.co.in

Manager (Contracts), SSC NR Vindhyachal e-mail: nehakansal@ntpc.co.in

Websites: <https://eprocurementpc.nic.in> or www.ntpc.tender.com

18.0 Registered Office

NTPC Limited
NTPC Bhawan, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 110003
Corporate Identification Number: L40101DL1975GOI007966.
Website: www.ntpc.co.in

Note:

1	<p>While submitting the ON-LINE BID Acceptance of Following conditions are specified in the GTE:</p> <p>1.0 Confirmation that you are a LOCAL SUPPLIER, and the LOCAL CONTENT included in the PACKAGE FOR COMPLETE SCOPE OF WORK meets the MINIMUM LOCAL CONTENT requirements of the tender. 2.0 Acceptance of Bid Security Declaration 3.0 Acceptance of NTPC Safety Rules 4.0 Acceptance of NTPC Fraud Prevention Policy 5.0 Acceptance of NTPC Withholding and Banning of Business Dealing Policy 6.0 Certification for Full compliance on clause as per tender documents on “Restrictions on procurement from a Bidder of a country which shares a land border with India”. 7.0 Certification for full compliance on Qualifying Requirements 8.0 Compliance to All Provisions of Bidding Documents (NIL Deviation Certificate)</p> <p>Bidders may note that in case they do not accept the GTE conditions, their bids shall be not evaluated and shall be rejected. Any other condition, if mentioned in GTE, requiring any confirmation/information are to be ticked/filled up suitably.</p>
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