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for

Lifting of Pond Ash on Free of Cost, First come First Served Basis from MTPS(Kanti Thermal)–December' 22 to June' 23

Date:11.11.2022

Ref No. EOI No. AM-1/MTPS/Pond Ash/ 2022

This expression of interest (EoI) consists of following annexures: -

- i. **Annexure 1:**Newspaper publication in respect of Expression of Interest (EoI)
- ii. Annexure 2: General Information.
- iii. **Annexure 3:** Standard format for response from interested parties.

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Name of Work: -

Lifting of Pond ash on 'free of cost', 'First come First Served' and 'as is where is 'basis from Thermal Power Station located at Kanti, Muzaffarpur. Lifting and Transportation of the ash shall be the responsibility of the interested Ash User.

MTPS invites Expression of Interest (EoI) from interested Ash Users for lifting of Pond Ash from its plant/Ash Dyke located at Kanti, Muzaffarpur ,BIHAR for the Period December 2022 to June 2023.

2.0 LMT Pond Ash Quantity offered for lifting is 'General information' for this Eol along with respective e-mail addresses and Contact Details

How to Apply

Interested parties are requested to submit their requirement(s) in the specified standard format to identified e-mail addresses as given in 'General Information' by 17:00 hrs. of 30.11.2022.

'General information' and **'Standard format for application**' for Expression of Interest have been uploaded on www.ntpctender.ntpc.co.in

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General Information

INTRODUCTION

Kanti Thermal Power Station (MTPS) is the power generating station of NTPC having total installed capacity of 390 MW (ST-2 ONLY). The power station is engaged in the business of generation and sale of bulk power.

MTPS produces approx. 8 Lac Metric Tons of Ash annually. To utilize the Ash in gainful and sustainable manner as per the provisions of extant MOEF&CC Gazette Notifications, MTPS/NTPC intends to 2.0 Lac Metric tons of its Pond Ash on free of cost basis from Power Plant to potential users.

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST:

MTPS invites Expression of Interest (EOI) from interested users of Pond Ash like Cement Plants, Brick kilns, Road and Construction Agency, Transporters, Traders and suppliers, etc.in the prescribed **FORMAT (Annexure- 3)** for issue of Pond Ash 2.0 Lac Metric tons from its Thermal Power Plant.

How to apply

Interested Ash Users desirous of lifting Pond Ash from MTPS as per the terms and conditions of this Eol, may submit their Expression of Interest along with specified documents duly filled in the enclosed "Standard Format for Response to EOI (Annexure- 3)" to the E - Mail address (mentioned in Table - 1 against the specific station from which the participant is desirous of lifting the ash) on or before 17:00 hrs. of 30th November 2022.Interest is to be submitted separately for user /consumer intends to lift Ash. It may be noted that Eol along with specified online documents needs to he submitted to the "aukbunl@ntpc.co.in" E-Mail address ONLY.

Documents to be submitted with duly filled Standard Format for Response to EOI (Annexure- 2):

- 1. GST registration as may be applicable
- 2. Pan Card copy
- 3. Documents detailing the nature of the agency e.g., End user, Trader, Transporter etc.

Allocation of Pond Ash Quantity:

Pond Ash quantity allocation to interested parties will be done on **first come first served** basis, till the available offered quantity is exhausted. Pond ash shall be issued free of cost. However, lifting and transportation of Pond Ash will be in the scope of Ash Recipient(s) only.

Pond Ash shall be issued from the Ash Dyke / Pond including its lagoons / sections / extended portions etc. as may be indicated / shown / pointed out by the Engineer in charge (EIC) of MTPS.

Refundable Security Deposit (SD):

User / Consumer shall be required to submit Refundable Security Deposit amount along with submission of LOA / LOI acceptance after Evaluation of submitted requests and Ash Allocation Process, at the rate of Rs. 10.00 / MT subject to minimum of Rs. 50,000. This SD will be kept for following purposes:

- 1. To ensure commitment of the Ash recipient(s) for lifting allocated Ash. An amount at the rate of Rs. 10.00 / MT of un-lifted quantity will be forfeited.
- 2. To cover for the cost of damage(s), if any, caused by the Ash recipient or its agent / representative during the lifting of Pond ash.
- To cover the cost of arrangements to be made by MTPS, which otherwise are in the scope of Ash recipient as per Terms and conditions of LoA / LoI. MTPS reserves right to suspend / cancel allocation of Ash in case the cost of arrangements to be made exceeds the SD.

This Security Deposit will be refundable after adjustment of amount to be recovered, if any, as per any or all of the above 03 conditions. This adjusted SD amount will be refunded within 45 days of end of the contract period or of lifting of entire allocated quantity, whichever is earlier.

Terms and Conditions and General Guidelines:

- Pond Ash shall be issued from the Ash Dyke to the recipient agencies, or their authorized representatives as may be agreed to in writing by the EIC considering Operational, Safety and Security issues of Ash Dyke.
- 2. Lifting agencies shall carry out their activities in full compliance of the rules, procedures and guidelines set by the EIC.
- 3. No person / agency shall be allowed to lift ash without due permission from MTPS.
- 4. Agencies eligible for lifting ash shall apply for permission for the equipment and machinery that they propose to deploy and submit the same to EIC along with specified documents like registration, license, insurance etc., who shall verify the same and issue permission. Quantum and capacity of such equipment and machinery shall be commensurate with the quantity of ash allocated.
- 5. Agencies shall mobilize with adequate manpower and machinery within 15 days of issue of communication from the EIC. However, depending upon operational convenience and dyke safety etc. EIC can schedule the lifting of ash from different areas by different agencies, which shall be binding upon the agencies. The schedules and deployment may be worked out / altered based on periodic meetings between concerned stakeholders.
- 6. Mobilized equipment shall be in healthy condition and amenable for safe operation.
- 7. Statutory / regulatory compliances shall be binding upon all the agencies and verifiable by MTPS.
- 8. Non compliance shall attract penal actions ranging from fine to termination of contract / agreement / issue of pond ash as decided by EIC.
- 9. T&Ps, excavation, loading and transportation of Ash shall be in the Scope of the recipient(s). Period of deployment of T&Ps, Excavation equipment and Vehicles for this purpose, shall be decided by the EIC.
- 10. Weighment should be done by Govt.(State/Center)certified Weigh

- Bridge(Kanta)and expenditure/cost is responsibility of agency, if any. Job specific facilitation viz. approach / ramp to specific allocated area and local fugitive dust suppression shall be in the scope of the recipient agency.
- 11. However, in case of requirement and / or non compliance, MTPS may, at its discretion, carry out full / part of any work in the scope of the agency on its own on chargeable basis after communicating to the agency.
- 12. The recipient agency shall submit undertaking for adherence to the extant provisions for Ash transportation in an Environment friendly manner as mandated by Statutory Authorities.
- 13. The recipient agency shall also furnish all Road Permits, Operator Licenses, Equipment Worthiness Certificates etc. for the deployed Equipment and Vehicles at the time of start of work and thereafter as and when demanded by the EIC for verification.
- 14. Recipient agencies shall submit affidavit on Non judicial stamp paper of requisite value, certifying the complete use of issued MTPS Pond ash as per intended use declared at the time of submission of EoI, and also certifying the adherence to provisions specified vide extant Notification and other applicable statutory regulations. This affidavit, in prescribed format, shall be submitted on Quarterly basis to the EIC.
- 15. In case of any liability on MTPS, in any manner that arises due to non-compliance of any Environmental and Transportation Norms, Rules, Guidelines and Statutory provisions by the recipient agency, the agency shall keep MTPS effectively indemnified of any such liability. An indemnity bond shall be submitted before start of lifting of Ash.
- Station may consider part / full facilitation for lifting of pond ash thru rail
 mode / road cum rail mode, subject to feasibility, cost economics and augmentation of ash utilization, within the parameters of the Policy.

For any queries:

Please contact: Mr. Dipak Nath

dipaknath@ntpc.co.in & contact no: 9650990233

Format for Response to EOI

EOI for Issue of Pond ash from Muzaffarpur Thermal Power Station

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Addı	ress		:
	re of business: (tick the a	applicable	, ´
Cem	nent Manufacturer:		Ready Mix Concrete (RMC)
Ash	Supplier / Trader		Brick Manufacturer
Any	Other (please specify):		
 Clas	sification of the Company	/: Public	Limited / Private Limited/ Partnership Firm
			Others (please specify)
Con	tact details	:	Name:
			Designation:
			Tel No(with STD code
			Fax No.:
			Mobile No
			Email ID:
Alter	rnate Contact details	:	Name: Designation:
			Tel No(with STD code
			Fax No.:
			Mobile No
			Email ID:
Prop	posed end use of Pond as	h: Ceme	ent/RMC/Brick/Others (Please specify):
 Insta	alled capacity of Ash base	ed Produ	ct:

10.	Whether willing to enter into Contract?(Yes/No)
11.	Any other relevant information
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/	We(Name of the firm /

individual) hereby certify that we have fully read and thoroughly understood the Eol requirements and accept all terms and conditions of the Eol including those contained in all corrigendum/addendum issued, if any. Our offer is in conformity with all the terms and conditions of the tender including all corrigendum/addendum, if any. In the event of award of contract for issue of ash to us, the complete Eol document shall be considered as part and parcel of the LOA / LOI for constitution of Contract Agreement and also as and wherever applicable and required by MTPS.

I / We hereby confirm that we are neither blacklisted / barred by Government / Semi – Government / Quasi- Government organization / PSU or Govt. Corporation, nor have been convicted of violating applicable law.

In case the contract is awarded to us:

- I / We agree to abide by the directions of the EIC (Engineer In Charge) with regard to mobilization of adequate / commensurate number of healthy machinery and to operate them in a safe manner and also with regard to other aspects of the pond ashutilization including dyke safety. I / We agree to carry out the work as per instructionsof, and to the full satisfaction of the EIC.
- I / We agree to comply with all applicable statutory regulations including those regarding environmental, road transport etc. I / We shall fulfill all applicable statutory requirements for, and in connection with the execution of the contract.
- I / We agree to cooperate with the EIC and with other agencies working in the area as directed by the EIC with the objective of smooth and safe execution of lifting and utilization of pond ash.
- I / We agree to submit indemnity bond indemnifying MTPS from any liability, whatsoever, which may arise due to violation / Non compliance of any applicable norms / rules / regulations/ Guidelines / laws during the course of execution by way of omission or commission by the agency or its representatives / agents.
- I / We hereby undertake to utilize the ash issued by MTPS for only the end use purposes as identified in extant MOEF & CC Notification. I/We also agree to submit on quarterly basis, an affidavit, on "Actual End Use" of the issued ash for the purposes as identified in extant MOEF & CC Notification.
- I / We shall have no objection to the forfeiture of security deposit amount, in case I fail to execute the contract faithfully and the contract is terminated as per contract conditions mentioned in LOA /LOI.
- I / We hereby also declare that all the particulars furnished by us in this EoI are true to the best of my/our knowledge and we understand and accept that if at any stage, the information furnished is found to be incorrect or false, we are liable for

Disqualification from this EoI and also are liable for any other penal action that may arise due to the above.

DECLARATION

I / We understand that:

Thanking you,

- 1. This EoI by MTPS is not a commitment for pond ash tie-up/ agreement.
- 2. I / We shall be bearing all costs associated with the preparation and submission of the EoI. MTPS will, in no case be responsible or liable for these costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the assessment / evaluation process.
- 3. Arrangement with Railways, Freight charges payable to Railways, haulage charges and other charges as applicable in case of transportation by rail in Environment friendly manner, will be in my / our scope. Station may consider part / full facilitation for lifting of pond ash thru rail mode / road cum rail mode, subject to feasibility and cost economics.
- 4. Allocation will be done on First Come First Served basis, till the time available offered quantity is exhausted, to the parties who have submitted all requisite documents, complete in all respect. Receipt of request will be treated as received on receipt of all specified documents only.
- 5. Refundable Security Deposit: I / We shall be required to submit Refundable Security Deposit amount at the rate of Re 10.00 / MT subject to minimum of Rs. 50,000 , along with submission of LOA / LOI acceptance. This Security Deposit will be refundable as per the conditions mentioned in 'General Information' under the head "Refundable Security Deposit". In case of non-receipt of LOA / LOI acceptance along with requisite security deposit and other specified documents required by the MTPS within stipulated time, MTPS reserves the right to cancel the pond ash allocation to me / us.