### NTPC Limited

(A Government of India Enterprise)



### **INVITATION FOR**

# **EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)**

For

Installation of mechanized system for covering and uncovering of BOBR Wagons used for transportation of coal on EPC basis for NTPC Sipat, Chhattisgarh- India

# **DETAILED NOTICE INVITING EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)**

**EOI No.: NTPC/MGR/EOI/1/2023-24** 

Date: 11-07-2023

NTPC Sipat is Inviting an Expression of Interest for installation of mechanized system for covering and uncovering of BOBR Wagons used for transportation of coal on EPC basis for NTPC Sipat Chhattisgarh – India

NTPC Limited (A Government of India Enterprise) intends to Install mechanised system for covering and uncovering of BOBR Wagons used for transportation of coal for NTPC Sipat Project at Chhattisgarh, India. In this regard, NTPC Limited invites Expression of Interest (EOI) from any Indian/ Overseas entity. (Hereinafter called APPLICANT).

Note: This EOI is to identify prospective entities for the installation of mechanised system in BOBR Wagons for covering and uncovering.

#### 1. DOWNLOAD AND TIMELINES FOR SUBMISSION OF EOI

**a.** Interested APPLICANTs may download the documents of EOI free of cost from www.ntpctender.com & https://eprocurentpc.nic.in

**b.** Last date for submission of EOI : **30.09.2023** 

2. NTPC encourages submission of EOI in soft copy. For consideration of EOI, APPLICANTs are required to e-mail softcopy of EOI, completed in all respect, through e- mail mentioned hereunder. If APPLICANTS also wish to submit hard copy of the EOI, the same can be submitted either in person or by registered/ speed post till the last date of submission of EOI to the following address: -

To: nirajkumarsahu@ntpc.co.in CC to: rkchoudhary02@ntpc.co.in

AGM (MGR)

NTPC Sipat, Bilaspur CG -495555

3. NTPC reserves the right to reject or accept any or all applications, cancel/withdraw the EOI process without assigning any reason whatsoever and in such case, APPLICANT shall not have any claim arising out of such action. NTPC bears no responsibility or liability of any kind in reference to the EOI.

**Detailed EOI** 

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

NTPC Sipat is a coal based thermal power station situated in Sipat which is approximately 20 km away from Bilaspur City, Chhattisgarh. Total installed capacity is 2980MW which requires approximately 45000 MT coal per day. To transport the required coal, NTPC Sipat has a captive railway network (MGR system). The coal is transported in BOBR wagons from linked mines situated at Dipka (Korba), which is approximately 45 km away from NTPC Sipat plant.

# 2. INTENT OF THE EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EoI)

NTPC Ltd., invites Expression of Interest from Companies in India or abroad for Installation of Mechanized system in BOBR Wagon for covering and uncovering while loading from silos and unloading of coal at Track Hoppers on EPC basis at NTPC Sipat.

Presently, the loaded wagons are covered with tarpaulin manually at mines end and then uncovered before unloading at NTPC Sipat plant end.

The present process is very time taking which has increased the cycle time of MGR rakes of NTPC Sipat. The requirement of new system is for reduction of time as well as manpower and for enhancement of safety during the process.

#### **3.** CRITERIA FOR PARTICIPATION:

- The Applicant of the EOI should be any entity capable of installation of mechanized system for covering and uncovering of goods in Railway Wagon (min. 3 years of experience).

# **4.** The Applicants should note that:

a. For expression of interest, application form and annexures given shall be duly filled and sent to NTPC by the APPLICANT in soft copy.

- b. Applicants should go through EOI document thoroughly before filling and submitting the application form and annexures.
- c. Applicants shall mention the name and contact details of two persons, with complete address, phone number and email id.
- d. NTPC Ltd. may, at its sole discretion, ask for additional information/ documents and/ or seek clarifications from the Applicant(s) after the Deadline for submission of response, inter alia, for the purpose of removal of inconsistencies or infirmities in their responses.
- e. This EOI is non-committal.
- f. Agency has to obtain RDSO approval of his design to be furnished for this work.

# 5. Enquiries and clarifications

Any clarifications on the EOI may be sought to the following via email:

To: nirajkumarsahu@ntpc.co.in CC to: rkchoudhary02@ntpc.co.in

### **6.** Corrigendum

At any time before the last date of submission of EOIs, NTPC may, for any reason, whether at its own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by an applicant, modify the EOI document. The amendment will be posted on the website and will be binding on the Applicants and the Applicant will give due consideration to the same, while they submit their EOIs, and would invariably enclose documents/information, as required, on account of the amendment, as a part of the EOI. NTPC may, at its discretion, extend the deadline for the submission of EOIs.

### 7. Preparation of the response to EOI

The application of EOI consists of the following:

Filled up all annexures.

# 8. Submission of the response to EOI

All the pages of the response should be duly signed by the authorized signatory.

The responses to the EOI should be submitted within the Deadline at the address provided in this EOI to the following emails:

To: nirajkumarsahu@ntpc.co.in CC to: rkchoudhary02@ntpc.co.in

# 9. Opening of responses to the EOI

The responses to the EOI shall be opened as per the time schedule 15:00 HRS on 30.08.2023 as mentioned in the document and will be communicated to the Applicants via e- mail. In the event of any of above dates falling on a day which is not a working day, or which is a public holiday, the responses shall be opened on the next working day at the same venue and time.

# **10.** Costs and expenses towards response to EOI

The Applicants shall bear all the costs associated with the preparation of the response and participation in discussions and finalization & execution of the documents related with this EOI, regardless of the conduct or outcome of this short-listing/ selection process.

#### Annexure-1

#### FORMAT FOR COVERING LETTER CUM UNDERTAKING

(The covering letter should be on the Letter Head of the applicant)							
Date : Place :							
То,							
Sub.: (INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST)							
Ref.: Eol No.	, dated	(the "Eol")					
Dear Sir,							

We, the undersigned ...... [insert name of the "Applicant"] having read, examined and understood in detail the (INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST).

We confirm that neither we nor any of our Parent Company/ Affiliate/ Ultimate Parent Company has submitted response other than this response directly or indirectly in response to the aforesaid EOI.

- 1. We give our unconditional acceptance to the EOI, issued by NTPC, as amended. In token of our acceptance to the EOI, the same have been signed & stamped by us and enclosed to the response.
- 2. We have submitted our response strictly as per provisions and formats of the EOI, without any deviations, conditions and without mentioning any assumptions or notes.
- 3. We hereby unconditionally and irrevocably agree and accept that the decision made by NTPC in respect of any matter regarding or arising out of the EOI shall be binding on us. We hereby expressly waive any and all

claims in respect of EOI process. We confirm that there are no litigations or disputes against us, which materially affect our ability to participate or function under the obligations with regard to EOI.

4.	Details of the contact person are furnished as below:
	Name: Designation: Address: Contact numbers: email id:
5.	We are enclosing herewith the entire response containing duly signed formats in electronic format sent via email to: as per the EOI for consideration.
6.	It is confirmed that our response is consistent with all the requirements of submission as stated in the EOI and subsequent communications from NTPC, if any.
7.	The information submitted in our response is complete, strictly as per the requirements stipulated in the EOI and is correct to the best of our knowledge and understanding. We would be solely responsible for any errors or omissions in our response.
W	e remain,
Yc	ours sincerely
	ame, Designation and Signature of Authorized Person in whose name Power of torney is issued)

#### Annexure-2

#### **INFORMATION TO BE SUBMITTED BY APPLICANT**

(Note: Documents in support of meeting the respective requirement shall be sub mitted by the Applicant.)

- 1. Name of the Entity:
- 2. Legal status of the Entity:
- 3. Brief description of the Entity including details of its business groups/subsidiaries/ affiliates:
- 4. Existing commercial/demonstration facilities (if any)—Locations, Capacity
- 5. Date of Incorporation (if any):
- 6. Date of Commencement of Business (if any):
- 7. Full address including Telephone nos. / Fax nos.:
  - a. Registered Office:
  - b. Head Office:
  - c. Address for communication:
  - d. Contact Details:
  - e. Office Address in India, if any:
- 8. No. of wagons per year intended to be installed for mechanized covering and uncovering system in BOBR Wagons.
- 9. Whether the facility for such mechanized covering and uncovering system in Wagons has already been installed elsewhere: Yes/No
  - a. If Yes, provide details:
  - b. If No, then provide details of the future plan:

#### 10. Documents to be enclosed:

Technical Credentials — Relevant Product/System catalogues, Experience /Reference List (if any), Copies of Customer Certificates, Engineering strengths, collaborations/tie-ups with manufacturer (if applicable), quality accreditations, logistics infrastructure, RDSO Enlistment Certificate etc.

Financial Credentials – Copies of Audited Financial statements (Annual Reports) for last 3 years (if any).

11. Any other documents considered relevant.

(Sign & Entity Seal)
Authorized signatory

### **Annexure-3**

# INFORMATION TO BE SUBMITTED BY APPLICANT

Installation of mechanized system in BOBR Wagon for covering and uncovering of coal

S.N.	Information Required				
1.	Time taken in covering and uncovering process (in Sec)				
2.	Yearly Quantity installation (Nos. of wagon)				
3.	Duration of completion (for 300 nos. of wagon)				
4.	Price offered (per wagon)				

(ANY OTHER INFORMATION)

If Applicant desires to share any other additional Information relevant to the work / assignment like brochure, future plan or any suggestion, it may be given in this Annexure.