

NTPC LIMITED
(A Government of India Enterprise)



CENTRAL PROCUREMENT GROUP - 01
(CONTRACTS AND MATERIALS DEPARTMENT)
CONTRACTS SECTION

SECTION – I
INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

**INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)
FOR
SUPPLY, INSTALLATION, COMMISSIONING AND CAMC OF IP BASED EPABX SYSTEM FOR KAHALGAON
PLANT AREA
(Domestic Competitive Bidding)**

NIT no: NTPC/USSC-CPG1/9900276943

1.0 NTPC invites on-line bids at Government e-procurement portal of NIC (GePNIC) at website- <https://eprocurmentpc.nic.in/> on **Single Stage Two Envelope Basis (i.e. Envelope-I: Techno-Commercial Bid and Envelope-II: Price Bid)** from eligible Bidders for aforesaid package, as per the scope of work briefly mentioned hereinafter.

2.0 Brief Scope of Work

**SUPPLY, INSTALLATION, COMMISSIONING AND CAMC OF IP BASED EPABX SYSTEM FOR
KAHALGAON PLANT AREA**

3.0 NTPC intends to finance the aforesaid Package through Own Resources

4.0 Detailed specification, scope of work and terms & conditions are given in the Bidding Documents, which are available at the GePNIC (e-tender) portal at <https://eprocurmentpc.nic.in/>. The Bidding Schedule* for the Tender is as under:

Issuance of IFB	On 28.03.2024, 13:00 Hrs.
Documents Sale Dates & Timings	28.03.2024, 13:00 Hrs.
Last date for receipt of queries from bidders (if any)**	08.04.2024; 16:00 Hrs.
Pre Bid Conference date & time	Not Applicable
Bid (both Techno-Commercial and Price) receipt date & time	15.04.2024; 16:00 Hrs.
Date & Time for opening of Techno-Commercial bid	16.04.2024; 16:00 Hrs.
Date & Time for opening of Price bid	Shall be intimated separately.
Cost of Bidding Documents in INR	INR 2,655.00, To be Paid Online Only (No other mode is acceptable).
Bid security / EMD	INR 200,000.00, To be paid Online Only (No other mode is acceptable).
MSE Benefit	Not Applicable

****Bidders are advised to visit the GePNIC (e-tender) portal of NTPC for updated bidding schedule of the Tender.***

****It is to be noted that "No Queries from Bidders, whatsoever, shall be entertained by the Employer beyond the last date of receipt of Queries/ Pre-Bid Conference (if applicable) as specified at GePNIC portal of NTPC".**

5.0 All bids must be accompanied by Bid Security for an amount as indicated above.

ANY BID NOT ACCOMPANIED BY AN ACCEPTABLE BID SECURITY SHALL BE REJECTED BY THE EMPLOYER AS BEING NON-RESPONSIVE AND SHALL NOT BE OPENED.

6.0 A complete set of Bidding Documents may be downloaded by any interested Bidder from the e-Tender Portal as per specified schedule. The tender is invited under e-tendering process. The bidders can enroll themselves on the website <https://eprocurementpc.nic.in/>. The use of Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) Class-3 key is mandatory for e-tendering activities. Accordingly, bidders should have Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) key of Class 3 to participate in e-tendering. Bidders, if required, can obtain DSC Class-3 key from agencies authorized by Govt. of India. The e-Tender Portal also has the user manuals with detailed guidelines on enrolment and participation in the bidding process.

No hard copy of Bidding Documents shall be issued. Bids shall be submitted ONLY at the e-Tender Portal i.e. <https://eprocurementpc.nic.in/>

7.0 Qualifying Requirements for Bidders: ***As mentioned in Annexure-1 of IFB***

8.0

For Goods/Services/Works covered under para 2.1 (Procurement of Goods and / or Services or Works where there is sufficient Local Capacity) of the Circular 819

"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."

OR

For Goods/Services/Works covered under para 2.2.1 of the Circular 819

~~*'Class-I local suppliers' and 'Class-II 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.'*~~

OR

~~***For Goods/Services/Works/Packages covered under para 2.2.2 of the Circular 819***~~

~~*"Bids from 'Class-I local supplier' as defined in the bidding documents/ Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 and its subsequent amendments/ revisions issued by DPIIT shall be eligible for purchase preference. The bidders may apprise themselves of the relevant provisions of bidding documents in this regard before submission of their bids."*~~

OR

For Goods covered under para 2.4 of System Circular 819 read in conjunction with Circular 840

~~"Bids from 'Class-I local supplier' as defined in the bidding documents/ Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 and its subsequent amendments/ revisions issued by DPIIT shall be eligible for purchase preference. The bidders may apprise themselves of the relevant provisions of bidding documents in this regard before submission of their bids."~~

9.0 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.

Further, any bidder (including bidder from India) having specified Transfer of Technology (ToT) arrangement with an entity from a country which shares a land border with India, will be eligible to bid only if the bidder is registered with the same competent authority.

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.

10.0 Transfer of Bidding Documents by one intending Bidder to another is not permissible.

11.0 Downloading/Issuance of Bidding Documents and /or submission of Bid shall not construe that bidder is considered qualified.

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

13.0 Address for Communication

DGM(C&M) /AGM (CPG-1)

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14.0 Registered Office

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QUALIFYING REQUIREMENTS

1.0 Technical Criteria: -

1.1 The Bidder Should be a manufacturer of IP-PBX System.

OR

The Bidder should be a subsidiary / Dealer / Channel partner of the original Equipment manufacturer (OEM) as above as on the date of opening of techno- Commercial Bid Opening. The Bidder Should be duly authorized by OEM for this Bid.

1.2 The Bidder should have valid TEC (Telecommunication Engineering Centre) certification issued by department of Telecommunication, Government of India in the name of quoted make and model of IP Based Exchange.

1.3 The bidder should have executed "Purchase Order for Supply and/or Erection of IP-PBX" system in India, in the preceding seven (07) years prior to the date of techno-commercial bid opening, meeting the following criteria

(i) Single order having executed value of not less than Rs 69 Lakhs.

OR

(ii) Two orders of value not less than Rs 43 Lakhs each.

OR

(iii) Three orders of value not less than Rs 34 Lakhs each.

Notes for Clause 1.0 above:

1. The word "Executed" mentioned above means that the bidder should have achieved the criteria specified above, even if the total contract is started earlier and/or is not completed/closed.
2. In case of orders under execution, the value of work executed prior to the date of Techno-Commercial bid opening duly certified by bidder's client shall be considered acceptable.
3. Reference work executed by the bidder as a sub-contractor may also be considered provided the certificate issued by main contractor is duly certified by owner specifying the scope of work executed by the sub-contractor in support of qualifying requirements.
4. For arriving at the executed value of work specified above, basic amount only shall be considered. In case contract is inclusive of taxes, bidder should provide the break – up of basic value and taxes.
5. In case, bidder has executed reference work under two orders one for supply and one for services separately for the same installation, combined value of both the orders shall be considered as a single order for the purpose of evaluation.

2.0 Financial Criteria: -

- 2.1** The average annual turnover of the Bidder, in the preceding three (3) financial years as on the date of Techno-Commercial bid opening, should not be less than **Rs 86 Lakhs (Rupees Eighty-Six Lakhs Only)**.
- 2.2** In case the bidder does not satisfy the financial criteria, stipulated at Cl. 2.1 above on its own, its Holding Company would be required to meet the stipulated turnover requirements at Cl. 2.1 above, provided that the net worth of such Holding Company as on the last day of the preceding financial year is at least equal to or more than the paid-up share capital of the Holding Company. In such an event, the bidder would be required to furnish along with its Techno-Commercial bid, a Letter of Undertaking from the Holding Company, supported by Board Resolution, as per the format enclosed in the bid documents, pledging unconditional and irrevocable financial support for the execution of the Contract by the bidder in case of award.
- 2.3** In case the bidder is not able to furnish its audited financial statements on stand-alone entity basis, the unaudited unconsolidated financial statements of the bidder can be considered acceptable provided the bidder further furnishes the following documents for substantiation of its qualification,
- Copies of the unaudited unconsolidated financial statements of the bidder along with copies of the Audited consolidated financial statements of its Holding Company.
 - A Certificate from the CEO/CFO of the Holding Company, as per the format enclosed in the bidding documents, stating that the unaudited unconsolidated financial statements form part of the Consolidated Annual Report of the company.
- 2.4** In cases where audited results for the last preceding 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 of three consecutive financial years preceding the last financial year shall be considered for evaluating the financial parameters. Further, a Certificate would be required from the CEO/CFO as per the format enclosed in the bidding documents stating that the financial results of the Company are under audit as on the date of Techno- Commercial bid opening and the Certificate from the practicing Chartered Accountant certifying the financial parameters is not available.

Notes for 2.0:

1. Other income shall not be considered for arriving at annual turnover.
2. "Holding Company" and "Subsidiary Company" shall have the meaning ascribed to them as per Companies Act of India, in vogue.
3. Net worth means the sum total of the paid-up share capital and free reserves. Free reserve means all reserves credited out of the profits and share premium account but does not include reserves credited out of the revaluation of the assets, write back of depreciation provision and amalgamation. Further, any debit balance of Profit and Loss account and miscellaneous expenses to the extent not adjusted or written off, if any, shall be reduced from reserves and surplus.