

INVITATION FOR BID

**NTPC LIMITED
(A GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ENTERPRISE)
RENEWABLE ENERGY – CONTRACTS SERVICES, NOIDA.**

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB) FOR

SELECTION OF SOLAR POWER GENERATORS FOR SETTING UP OF 1200 MW ISTS-CONNECTED SOLAR PV POWER PROJECTS WITH 600 MW / 2400 MWh (600 MW X 4 HOURS) ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEMS (ESS) ANYWHERE IN INDIA (SOLAR-ESS-01)

(International Competitive Bidding)

IFB No.: NTPC/RE-CS/2024-25/ SOLAR-ESS-01

Date: 27.01.2025

Tender Search Code: NTPC-2025-TN000001

RfS No: NTPC/RE-CS/2024-25/SOLAR-ESS-01

- NTPC Ltd.** invites online bids from eligible bidders on Single Stage Two Envelope (i.e. Envelope-I: Technical Bid and Envelope-II: Financial Bid) with Reverse Auction for Selection of Solar Power Generators for Setting up of 1200 MW ISTS-connected Solar PV Power Projects with 600 MW / 2400 MWh (600 MW X 4 hours) Energy Storage Systems (ESS) Anywhere in India on Build-Own-Operate (BOO) basis.
- Detailed Terms & Conditions are given in the Request for Selection (RfS) documents No. **NTPC/RE-CS/2024-25/SOLAR-ESS-01** which are available for examination and Downloading at e-Tender Portal (as specified in this IFB) as per the following schedule:

IFB No.	NTPC/RE-CS/2024-25/ SOLAR-ESS-01	
IFB Date	27.01.2025	
Downloading of Bidding Documents	From 07.02.2025 to 27.02.2025	
Pre Bid Conference and Last Date for receipt of queries from prospective Bidders	28.02.2025	
Last Date and Time for receipt of bids comprising both Technical and Financial Bid	13.03.2025	15:00:00 (IST)
Date & Time of opening of Technical Bids	13.03.2025	15:30:00 (IST)
Reverse Auction	Shall be Intimated separately by NTPC	
Cost of RfS Documents in INR	INR 22500/- (Indian Rupees Twenty-Two Thousand Five Hundred only)	

Bidder to download official copy of bidding document from the ETS Portal.

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- 3.0 All bids must be accompanied by Earnest Money Deposit for an amount calculated at the rate of **INR 16.38 Lakh per MW** (Indian Rupees Sixteen Lakh Thirty Eight Thousand per MW) and in the form as stipulated in the RfS Documents

MSEs (Micro and Small Enterprises) having UDYAM registration only are exempted from submission of Cost of RfS Document, Processing Fee & Earnest Money Deposit (EMD). For a Consortium to be eligible for exemption from submission of Cost of RfS document, Processing Fee & Earnest Money Deposit, all the members of the Consortium shall be registered as MSE.

ANY BID NOT ACCOMPANIED BY AN ACCEPTABLE EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT IN A SEPARATE SEALED ENVELOPE SHALL BE REJECTED BY THE EMPLOYER AS BEING NON-RESPONSIVE AND RETURNED TO THE BIDDER WITHOUT BEING OPENED.

- 4.0 **Qualifying Requirements for Bidders:**

Qualifying Requirements shall be as specified in the RfS documents.

- 5.0 NTPC 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.

- 6.0 Interested parties are required to get registered with M/s ISN Electronic Tender Services website <https://www.bharat-electronictender.com> (if not registered already).

The cost of the RfS documents as mentioned above is required to be submitted along with GSTIN and Organization ID registered with ETS portal or in the manner specified at 6.1 below. After registration, a complete set of RfS Documents may be downloaded by any interested Bidder from Portal <https://www.bharat-electronictender.com> with Tender Search Code **NTPC-2025-TN000001** free of cost. Interested parties are required to ensure that they have downloaded the official copy of RfS documents against Tender Search code- NTPC-2025-TN000001 from abovementioned website without which they will not be able to submit their bids. For technical assistance call ETS Helpdesk at +91 124-4229071, +91 124-4229072.

- 6.1 Interested Bidders can pay for the cost of bidding documents as mentioned above in the form of Electronic transfer/NEFT Payments in the following account details of NTPC:

Account No.	52142904702
IFSC Code	SBIN0020511
MICR	110002658
Name of the Bank	State Bank of India
Branch Code	20511
Address	Scope Complex Lodhi Road Branch, Ground Floor, Core-6 Scope Complex, Delhi-110003

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While carrying out online transfer, Bidders shall ensure to enter "Tender Fee - Tender No-Bidder Name" in the Text / Remarks / Reason field. Bidder shall intimate the details of same through email to Employer as mentioned below at para 10.0 requesting for access for download of the bidding documents in working hours between Monday to Friday:

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

- 7.0 Issuance of RfS Documents to any Bidder shall not construe that such Bidder is considered to be qualified. Bids shall be submitted online. Bidder shall furnish Earnest Money Deposited, Integrity Pact, Pass Phrase and Board Resolution separately offline as detailed in RfS Documents before the stipulated bid submission closing date and time at the address given below.
- 8.0 Transfer of RfS Documents purchased by one intending Bidder to another is not permissible.
- 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.

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 **Address for communication:**

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