Bid Corrigendum

GEM/2023/B/3721282-C9

Following terms and conditions supersede all existing “Buyer added Bid Specific Terms and conditions” given in the bid document or any previous corrigendum. Prospective bidders are advised to bid as per following Terms and Conditions:

**Buyer Added Bid Specific Additional Terms and Conditions**

1. Experience Certificate for the supply of the same to any Govt/ PSU/ any renowned private organisation along with Supply/ Purchase Order.
2. If the agency is registered under MSME or NSIC, then EMD exemption certificate needs to be enclosed.
3. **OPTION CLAUSE:** The buyer can increase or decrease the contract quantity or contract duration up to 25 percent at the time of issue of the contract. However, once the contract is issued, contract quantity or contract duration can only be increased up to 25 percent. Bidders are bound to accept the revised quantity or duration
4. **Malicious Code Certificate:**
   
   The seller should upload following certificate in the bid:-
   
   (a) This is to certify that the Hardware and the Software being offered, as part of the contract, does not contain Embedded Malicious code that would activate procedures to :-
      
      (i) Inhibit the desires and designed function of the equipment.
      
      (ii) Cause physical damage to the user or equipment during the exploitation.
      
      (iii) Tap information resident or transient in the equipment/network.
   
   (b) The firm will be considered to be in breach of the procurement contract, in case physical damage, loss of information or infringements related to copyright and Intellectual Property Right (IPRs) are caused due to activation of any such malicious code in embedded software.
5. **Bidder financial standing:** The bidder should not be under liquidation, court receivership or similar proceedings, should not be bankrupt. Bidder to upload undertaking to this effect with bid.
6. 1. The Seller shall not assign the Contract in whole or part without obtaining the prior written consent of buyer.
    
    2. The Seller shall not sub-contract the Contract in whole or part to any entity without obtaining the prior written consent of buyer.
    
    3. The Seller shall, notwithstanding the consent and assignment/sub-contract, remain jointly and severally liable and responsible to buyer together with the assignee/ sub-contractor, for and in respect of the due performance of the Contract and the Sellers obligations there under.
7. Purchase preference to Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs): Purchase preference will be given to MSEs as defined in Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) Order, 2012 dated 23.03.2012 issued by Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises and its subsequent Orders/Notifications issued by concerned Ministry. If the bidder wants to avail the Purchase preference, the bidder must be the manufacturer of the offered product in case of bid for supply of goods. Traders are excluded from the purview of Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises. In respect of bid for Services, the bidder must be the Service provider of the offered Service. Relevant documentary evidence in this regard shall be uploaded along with the bid in respect of the offered product or service. If L-1 is not an MSE and MSE Seller (s) has/have quoted price within L-1+ 15% of margin of purchase preference/price band defined in relevant policy, such Seller shall be given opportunity to match L-1 price and contract will be awarded for percentage of 100% of total value.
8. **AVAILABILITY OF OFFICE OF SERVICE PROVIDER:** An office of the Service Provider must be located in the state of Consignee. **DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE TO BE SUBMITTED.**
9. Escalation Matrix For Service Support : Bidder/OEM must provide Escalation Matrix of Telephone Numbers...
for Service Support.

10. Bidder's offer is liable to be rejected if they don't upload any of the certificates / documents sought in the Bid document, ATC and Corrigendum if any.

11. **Proof for Past Experience and Project Experience clause:** For fulfilling the experience criteria any one of the following documents may be considered as valid proof for meeting the experience criteria:
   a. Contract copy along with Invoice(s) with self-certification by the bidder that service/supplies against the invoices have been executed.
   b. Execution certificate by client with contract value.
   c. Any other document in support of contract execution like Third Party Inspection release note, etc.

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13. Successful Bidder can submit the Performance Security in the form of Account Payee Demand Draft also (besides PBG which is allowed as per GeM GTC). DD should be made in favour of Director, NIHFW payable at State Bank of India. After award of contract, Successful Bidder can upload scanned copy of the DD in place of PBG and has to ensure delivery of hard copy to the original DD to the Buyer within 15 days of award of contract.

14. File Attachment [Click here to view the file.]

15. Buyer uploaded ATC document [Click here to view the file.]

**Disclaimer**

The additional terms and conditions have been incorporated by the Buyer after approval of the Competent Authority in Buyer Organization, whereby Buyer organization is solely responsible for the impact of these clauses on the bidding process, its outcome, and consequences thereof including any eccentricity / restriction arising in the bidding process due to these ATCs and due to modification of technical specifications and / or terms and conditions governing the bid. Any clause(s) incorporated by the Buyer regarding following shall be treated as null and void and would not be considered as part of bid:

1. Definition of Class I and Class II suppliers in the bid not in line with the extant Order / Office Memorandum issued by DPIIT in this regard.
2. Seeking EMD submission from bidder(s), including via Additional Terms & Conditions, in contravention to exemption provided to such sellers under GeM GTC.
3. Publishing Custom / BOQ bids for items for which regular GeM categories are available without any Category item bunched with it.
4. Creating BoQ bid for single item.
5. Mentioning specific Brand or Make or Model or Manufacturer or Dealer name.
6. Mandating submission of documents in physical form as a pre-requisite to qualify bidders.
7. Floating / creation of work contracts as Custom Bids in Services.
8. Seeking sample with bid or approval of samples during bid evaluation process.
9. Mandating foreign / international certifications even in case of existence of Indian Standards without specifying equivalent Indian Certification / standards.
10. Seeking experience from specific organization / department / institute only or from foreign / export experience.
11. Creating bid for items from irrelevant categories.
12. Incorporating any clause against the MSME policy and Preference to Make in India Policy.
13. Reference of conditions published on any external site or reference to external documents/clauses.
14. Asking for any Tender fee / Bid Participation fee / Auction fee in case of Bids / Forward Auction, as the case may be.

Further, if any seller has any objection/grievance against these additional clauses or otherwise on any aspect of this bid, they can raise their representation against the same by using the Representation window provided in the bid details field in Seller dashboard after logging in as a seller within 4 days of bid publication on GeM.
is duty bound to reply to all such representations and would not be allowed to open bids if he fails to reply to such representations.

*This document shall overwrite all previous versions of Bid Specific Additional Terms and Conditions.

This Bid is also governed by the General Terms and Conditions.