

8. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA :

A. WORK EXPERIENCE :

The Intending Bidder must have in its name or proportionate share as a member of Joint Venture/ Partnership firm experience of having successfully completed similar works, as a prime contractor, during **last 7(seven) years ending last day of month previous to the one** in which bid applications are invited (i.e. eligibility period) should be any of the following: -

Three similar **completed works** each costing not less than the amount equal to 40% of the estimated cost put to tender.

Or

Two similar **completed works** each costing not less than the amount equal to 50% of the estimated cost put to tender.

Or

One similar **completed work** costing not less than the amount equal to 80% of the estimated cost put to tender.

Similar nature of work shall include

“Supply, Installation, Commissioning, testing and comprehensive maintenance of grid connected rooftop Solar PV Power Plant as per latest MNRE guidelines including all allied civil/structural works”.

Experience for those works only shall be considered for evaluation purposes, which match eligibility requirement stipulated above, on or before the last day of month previous to one in which tender has been invited (publication date of NIT). The experience of incomplete/ongoing works as on last date of eligibility period will not be considered for evaluation. If the referred work includes construction as well as maintenance after construction, the experience of such work may be considered as ‘acceptable’ if the construction part is completed as on the last date of ‘eligibility period’, even if maintenance work is ongoing, and the certificate issued clearly stipulates the same. In all the above cases, while considering the value of completed works, the full value of completed work be considered whether or not the date of commencement is within the said 7(seven) years period.

Cost of previous completed works shall be given a simple weightage of 5% per year to bring them at current price level, while evaluating the qualification requirement of the Bidder. Such weightage shall be considered after end date of completion. Updating will be considered for full or part of the year (total no. of days / 365) i.e. considering 365 days in a year, till the last day of month previous to one in which bid has been invited.

In case the Bidder is not a prime contractor, but a sub-contractor, the Bidder's experience as sub-contractor will be taken into account, against suitable document that the contract in support of qualification is a sub-contract in compliance with the provision of such sub-contracts in the original contract awarded to prime contractor. The document may be issued by owner/Govt. department on behalf of the owner.

Note: Joint Venture is allowed for participation in the bid .

The above qualification criteria shall be fulfilled by JV in the following manner:

The qualifying criteria parameter e.g. experience of the individual partners of the J.V will be as deliberated hereinafter towards fulfilment of qualification criteria related to experience.

- a) In case of completion of single work of similar nature costing, not less than the amount equal to 80% of the estimated cost put to tender:-**

Any of the JV partner shall have the experience of having completed successfully a single work of similar nature equal to 80% of the estimated cost put to tender.

Or

- b) In case of completion of two works of similar nature each costing not less than the amount equal to 50% of the estimated cost put to tender :-**

i) Any one partner can match the above requirement.

Or

ii) At least two partners should each have completed at least one work of similar nature each costing not less than the amount equal to 50% of the estimated cost put to tender.

Or

- c) In case of completion of three works of similar nature, each costing not less than the amount equal 40% of the estimated cost put to tender:-**

i) Any one partner can match the above requirement.

Or

ii) Any two partners shall match the above requirement through completion of at least two work by one partner and one work by other partner of similar nature each costing not less than the amount equal 40% of the estimated cost put to tender.

Or

iii) All the three partners shall match the above requirement through completion of at least one work of similar nature each costing not less than the amount equal 40% of the estimated cost put to tender.

However, the participating share of JV partners shall be as below:

- I. Lead Partner shall have at least 50% participating share in JV
- II. Other partner(s) shall have at least 20% participating share in JV

Data to be furnished by the Bidders online :

- Description of qualifying experience(similar nature)
- Start date & end date of each qualifying experience (similar nature)
- Work order Number /Agreement Number of each experience
- Name & address of Employer/Work Order Issuing authority of each experience
- Percentage (%) share of each experience (In case the experience has been earned by the Bidder as a partner in a Joint Venture firm/Partnership firm then the proportionate value of experience in proportion to actual share of Bidder in that Joint Venture firm/ Partnership firm will be considered against eligibility else it shall be taken as 100%).
- Executed Value of work against each experience
- In case the Bidder is a Joint Venture, work experience as above may be furnished as the work experience of the Bidder.

Confirmation in the form of Yes/No regarding submission of similar work experience as defined in the NIT.

Technical evaluation by the System:

- ✓ The system shall calculate the period of 7 years backwards starting from the last day of month previous to the e-Publication date of NIT.
- ✓ The system shall check the End date of each experience (The system shall not allow more than 3 entries for experience) and accept it as a qualifying experience if the end date of experience falls within the 7 years computed by the system.
- ✓ The system shall calculate the value of each qualifying experience by multiplying the value with the % share of experience and adding 5% for each completed year (total No. of days/365) after the end date of experience of work till the last date of month previous to one in which the NIT has been published on e-Procurement portal.
- ✓ The system shall check the experience with highest value whether it exceeds 80% of ECV. In case it does not, it shall check the top 2 experiences whether each of them is greater than 50% of ECV. In case, it still does not, the system shall check all 3 qualifying experiences whether each of them exceeds 40% of ECV. The system shall regard the Bidder as 'Eligible' if it meets any of the aforementioned criteria or else it shall consider the Bidder as 'Ineligible'.
- ✓ The weightage of 5% every year will be on simple rate and will not be compounded on yearly basis for the purpose of calculating the value of each qualifying experience.
- ✓ The work experience of the Bidder for those works only shall be considered for evaluation purposes, which are completed before the last date of month previous to one in which NIT has been published on e-Procurement portal. Hence, the works which are incomplete/ongoing, as on the last date of month previous to one in which NIT has been published on e-Procurement portal, shall not be considered against eligibility.
- ✓ In case the work is started prior to the eligibility period of 7 years (counted backwards starting from the last day of month previous to the e-Publication date of NIT) and completed within the said eligibility period of 7 years, then the full value of work shall be considered against eligibility.
- ✓ In case the experience has been earned by the Bidder as an individual or proprietor of a proprietorship firm, then 100% value of the experience will be considered against eligibility. But if the experience has been earned by the Bidder as a partner in a Joint Venture/ Partnership firm then the proportionate value of experience in proportion to the actual share of Bidder in that Joint Venture/ Partnership firm will be considered against eligibility.