Tender No. : 23000038-HD-10120



Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited Corporate Identification Number L23201MH1952GOI008858

Basic Information Of Tender	
Title	1.9 MW SOLAR PROJECT @ HIRIYUR
Description	This tender is being floated for 1.9 MW Solar Project at Hiriyur
Tender Type	Public
Tender Scope	Domestic
Bid Type	Two Bid
Evaluation Criteria	Overall L1 for all items
Tender Due Date & Time	05-Jun-2023 15:00
Reverse Auction Applicable	Yes
Pre Bid Conference Start Date & Time	
Pre Bid Conference End Date & Time	
Queries Start Date & Time	19-May-2023 15:00
Quries End Date & Time	29-May-2023 15:00
Un Priced Bid Open Date & Time	05-Jun-2023 15:30
Purchase Deptt.	PURCHASE DEPT-Pipeline Dept HB
Fax No.	2260855
Office Address	Hindustan Bhavan, P&P HQO-HB1, No 8, SV Marg, Ballard Estate, MUMBAI, 400001,, MH,,
TF/EMD Drop Box Address	Hindustan Bhavan, Ground Floor,8 Shoorji Vallabhas Marg, Ballard Estate, Mumbai 400001
Tender Description	This tender is being floated for 1.9 MW Solar Project at Hiriyur. For details please refer tender documents.NOTEThis tender is being floated as domestic Public tender, any reference to foreign bidder which is not relevant to the domestic public tender, is to be ignored. EMD is applicable for this tender
Notice Inviting Tender	
Currency Type	Tender Fee EMD
INR	0 2500000

Delivery Terms - Free to Destination location unless specified otherwise. Validity of offer - 120 days from the initial or extended Due Date for submission of Tender whichever is later unless specified otherwise. Liquidated Damages/Price Reduction clause accepted unless specified otherwise.

In case bidder does not deviate from the standard offer validity in on line deviation form, bids offer validity shall be considered as mentioned above.

In case a Revised priced bid is initiated for this tender, at a later date (eg Technical evaluation stage etc), it shall be incumbent upon the bidder to submit revised bids for the specified items/entire tender. In the absence of revised bids rom the bidder within specified time period, the original bid submitted by the bidder shall not be considered for evaluation.

Organization reserves the right to reveal the contents of the bid documents submitted by the vendor during the witness bid opening process as per prevailing policy of the corporation.

Please quote all the taxes, if applicable, only in percentage terms and not in Per unit(Amount) basis. The Per unit option is provided only to quote for extras like Loading charges, packing charges, TPI charges etc. In case, it is found that you have quoted taxes in amount basis, your bid may be liable for rejection.





Reverse Auction – Terms & Conditions and Procedure

HPCL proposes to conduct Reverse auction for the items or schedules or on overall basis as specified in the tender. Please go through the Terms & Conditions and Procedure given below and submit your acceptance to the same by signing and uploading this document along with unpriced bid.

Terms & Conditions

- 1. HPCL reserves the right to carryout 'Online Reverse Auction' with techno-commercially accepted bidders for determining the lowest bidder for the requirements mentioned in this tender enquiry. *Reverse auction shall be conducted only when there are at least two or more "Techno-commercially" accepted vendors at Technical evaluation stage*.
- 2. Online reverse auction shall be conducted by HPCL on a specified date and time. The vendors shall be participating in the reverse auction from their own offices / place of their choice. Internet connectivity shall have to be ensured by the bidders themselves. *HPCL shall not be held responsible for local issues, such as loss of connectivity, Internet discontinuity, and discrepancy in browser which may result in non-display of latest bid in client PC.*
- 3. In extreme case of Server outage, network outage or failure of Internet connectivity, (or any other unforeseen conditions) from HPCL's end, fax/ <u>E-Mail communication</u> shall have to be made immediately, to concerned purchase officer of HPCL. *No such request shall be entertained beyond one hour of the RA closing time*. To provide equal opportunity, HPCL may decide to extend the Reverse auction at their discretion, but not as the right of the bidder. The vendors participating in Reverse Auction process shall be kept on standby for 1 Hour after RA closing time.
- 4. HPCL shall investigate the above matter and decision for extension of Reverse Auction shall be based on the merit of the issues pointed out and verified by HPCL and same shall be final and binding on the vendor.
- 5. HPCL shall complete the investigation within two working days of receiving complaint from any of the vendor.
- 6. In case of decision to extend Reverse Auction, intimation mail may go out to all vendors within a day of investigation closure. Vendors shall generally be given intimation, a day in advance before extended Reverse Auction is commenced. The Reverse Auction shall commence from the last **saved decrement value** and shall be open for period of **original duration** from commencement.



- 7. Bidders are requested to confirm their willingness to participate in 'Online Reverse Auction' during their bid submission by ensuring compliance to the Terms & Conditions and Procedure specified herewith. Please note that non acceptance to participate in the Reverse Auction process may lead to rejection of the bid without any further evaluation.
- 8. HPCL will pre-decide the commercial loading, if any, on the basis of the taxes & duties quoted by the bidder, and loading on account of commercial deviations, if any. The loading factors shall be displayed in the portal prior to the date scheduled for Reverse Auction Event.
- 9. Bidders are encouraged to understand the Loading factors applied on their bids at the earliest, on getting intimation regarding same. In case of any objection to the applied loading factor same shall be brought to the notice of Purchase officer immediately. No further communication on this ground will be entertained after publishing of Reverse auction.
- 10. As part of Reverse Auction process, the Start Bid price (Leading Bid) shall be specified by HPCL on Reverse Auction Portal. The Lowest of the {Price Bid or the estimate} will be considered as the benchmark price (Start bid price). Please note that such priced bid opening shall be system driven and therefore bidder's identity vis-à-vis quoted price shall be confidential.
- 11. In case of overall evaluation tenders or schedule wise evaluation tender, the Reverse auction shall be conducted on the bottom line, net delivered cost.
- 12. In case of tenders, which are evaluated on Schedule wise or Overall L1 basis, the individual item rates with **get reduced on pro-rated basis** as the decrements are effected during reverse auction event.
- 13. During the Reverse auction event, the **taxes** which are quoted in percentage basis will get **reduced proportionately** as the RA progresses. However, **Extras** like Loading charges/packing charges/TPI which are quoted in per unit basis (amount terms) **remains constant** as the decrements are effected.
- 14. Vendors shall ensure to quote the **statutory taxes only in percentage basis** and not in amount terms. In case of non-compliance to this clause, bids shall be liable for rejection.
- 15. System shall allow to conduct Reverse Auction on multi-currency tender/bidding. In such cases the basic reverse Auction shall be carried out in INR currency only. However bidders



having submitted bids in any of the following four currencies – USD, EUR, GBP, JPY shall be able to view the basic rates (in original currency) corresponding to contemplated decrement in the "**show**" screen.

- 16. The exchange rate for converting the INR value to originally quoted currency (USD, EUR, GBP, JPY) shall be the one which was prevailing on the **date of unpriced bid opening** in line with tender condition.
- 17. Reverse auction shall be held for a period of 60 minutes and shall be automatically extended by a further period of 5 minutes in case of receipt of any bid during the last 5 minutes of the auction period. This process shall continue until no bids are received in the last 5 minutes of the auction. Thereafter reverse auction shall get automatically closed. This shall be an automated process.
- 18. Order may be placed on the lowest bidder, emerging out of the reverse auction process and HPCL's decision on award of contract shall be final and binding on all the bidders.
- 19. HPCL reserves the right to further rationalize the prices with lowest bidder for reducing the price at any time before ordering.
- 20. HPCL reserves the right to cancel the reverse auction after event is scheduled but before actual event taking place or after the reverse auction has completed in case of failure or any other reason. The reasons for cancellation shall be conveyed to all vendors.
- 21. In cases where tender is required to be cancelled after opening of priced bid and identification of L1 vendor and Reverse Auction was also part of tender, reasons for cancellation shall be conveyed to all vendors.
- 22. During Reverse Auction Process, if no bids are received within the scheduled/rescheduled date & specified time of the reverse auction, HPCL at its discretion can scrap the reverse auction and proceed with the opening of the Electronic priced bids submitted by the bidders. In such case HPCL shall display the bidder's identity and original rates.
- 23. The bid on the Reverse Auction Portal will be taken as an offer to sell. Bids once made, cannot be cancelled / withdrawn and the bidder shall be bound to sell the material/services at the final bid price, and as per the specifications mentioned in the tender. Should the bidder back out and not make the supplies as per the rates quoted or in case the material supplied/services is not as per specifications mentioned in the tender, HPCL shall take appropriate action as per the terms & conditions mentioned in the tender.

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- 24. At the end of the Reverse Auction, HPCL will decide the successful bidder, basis the evaluation criteria specified in the tender. HPCL's decision on award of Contract shall be final and binding on all the Bidders.
- 25. HPCL shall not have any liability to bidders for any interruption or delay in access to the reverse auction portal irrespective of the cause.
- 26. The **participation of vendors in the tendering process** shall be construed as acceptance to the terms & conditions and procedure for the **reverse auction** (*until and unless the contrary is explicitly mentioned in the deviation sheet*). This compliance also shall be deemed as participation in Reverse auction.
- 27. In case a bidder agrees for reverse auction in the un-priced bid but withdraws acceptance any time after tender due date & time, the EMD of such bidder may be forfeited along with rejection of offer at the sole discretion of HPCL.
- 28. Once Auction is started, no communication from vendor shall be entertained unless it is of the nature of any serious issue in the portal.
- 29. The **yellow color back ground** on RA page indicates the due date and time of respective Reverse Auction is over. (*However, this will happen only if the vendor's PC is connected to the HPCL server*). RA shall be concluded after standby period is over and auto generated mail is received by vendor.
- 30. The Bidder shall not involve himself or any of his representatives in Price manipulation of any kind directly or indirectly by communicating with other suppliers / bidders.
- 31. The Bidder shall not divulge either his Bids or any other exclusive details of HPCL to any other party.
- 32. HPCL's decision on award of Contract shall be final and binding on all the Bidders.
- 33. HPCL can decide to extend, reschedule or cancel any Auction. If any changes are made by HPCL after the first posting and the Bidder continues to access the site after that time, it shall be presumed that the bidder has accepted the changes.
- 34. HPCL shall not be responsible for any damages, including damages that result from, but are not limited to negligence. HPCL will not be held responsible for consequential damages, including but not limited to systems problems, inability to use the system, loss of electronic information etc.