

MILITARY ENGINEER SERVICES**NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT)**

1. A tender is invited for the work as mentioned in Appendix 'A' to this NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT).
2. The work is estimated to cost as indicated in aforesaid Appendix 'A'. This estimate, however, is not a guarantee and is merely given as a rough guide and if the work cost more or less, a tenderer/bidder will have no claim on that account. The tender shall be based on as mentioned in aforesaid Appendix 'A'.
3. The work is to be completed within the period as indicated in aforesaid Appendix 'A' in accordance with the phasing, if any, indicated in the tender from the date of handing over site, which will be on or about two weeks after the date of Acceptance of tender.
4. The office of CWE (AF) Chandigarh will be the Accepting Officer here in after referred to as such for purpose of the contract.
5. The Technical bid and Financial bid (Cover-1 & Cover-2) shall be uploaded by the tenderer/bidder on or before the date & time mentioned in NIT. A scanned copy of DD with enlistment details/documents and Bid Securing Declaration as per para 11 of Appx 'A' of NIT shall be uploaded as packet 1/cover-1 ('T' bid) of the tender/bid on e-tendering portal. DD is refundable in case T bid is not accepted resulting in non-opening of 'Q' bid. The applicant contractor shall bear the cost of bank charges for procuring and encashing the DD and shall not have any claim from Government whatsoever on this account.
- 5.1 Tender form and conditions of contract and other necessary documents shall be available on defproc.gov.in site for download and shall form part of contract agreement in case the tender/bid is accepted.
- 5.2 In the case of a contractor who has not executed the "**Standing Security Bond**", the cover-1 shall accompanied by "**Earnest Money**" of amount as mentioned in Appendix "A" in the form of deposit at call receipt in favour of **GE (AF) Chandigarh** by a Scheduled Bank or in receipted Treasury Challan, the amount being credited to the revenue deposit of the **GE (AF) Chandigarh**.
- 5.3 The earnest money wherever applicable will be returned to all unsuccessful tenderers/ bidders by endorsing an authority on the deposit at call receipt for its refund, on production by the tenderer/ bidder a certificate of the Accepting Officer that a bonafide tender/ bid was received and all documents were returned.
- 5.4 Copies of the drawings and other documents pertaining to the work signed for the purpose of identification by the Accepting Officer or his accredited representative, sample of materials and stores to be supplied by the contractor will also be available for inspection by the tenderer/bidder at the office of Accepting Officer and concerned GE/AGE (I) during working hours.
- 5.5 In case of successful contractor i.e the lowest contractor having submitted EMD, he shall have the option of converting the EMD instrument into part of the performance security to be deposited by him within 28 days from the receipt of intimation of acceptance of tender from Accepting officer.
6. The tenderer/bidders are advised to visit the site of work by making prior appointment with GE/ AGE (I) who is also the Executing agency of the work (see Appendix 'A'). The tenderer/bidders are deemed to have full knowledge of all relevant documents, samples, site etc., whether they have inspected them or not.
7. Any tender/bid which proposes any alteration to any of the conditions laid down or which proposes any other condition or prescription whatsoever, is liable to be rejected.
8. The uploading of bid implies that bidder has read this notice and the conditions of contract and has made himself aware of the scope and specification of work to be done and of the conditions and rates at which stores, tools and plants etc will be issued to him and local conditions and other factors having bearing on the execution of the work.

9. Tenderer/bidders must be in possession of a copy of the MES standard schedule of Rates (see appendix 'A') including amendments and errata thereto.

10. Invitation for e-tender does not constitute any guarantee for validation of 'T' bid and subsequent opening of finance bid of any applicant/bidder, even of enlisted contractors of appropriate class, merely by virtue of enclosing DD. Accepting Officer reserves the right to reject the 'T' bid and not open the finance bid of any applicant/bidder. 'T' bid validation shall be decided by the Accepting Officer based on, inter alia, capability of the firm as per criteria given in Appx 'A' to this NIT. The applicant contractor/bidder will be informed regarding non-validation of his 'T' bid assigning reasons thereof through the e-procurement website i.e. www.defproc.gov.in. The applicant contractor/bidder if he so desires may appeal to the next higher Engineer authority via HQ CE (AF) WAC, Palam on email id dydircezafp2.e8-mes@gov.in with copy to the Accepting Officer on email chdaf3-mes@nic.in before the scheduled date of opening of finance bid. The decision of the next higher Engineer authority (NHEA) shall be final and binding. The contractor/bidder shall not be entitled for any compensation whatsoever for rejection of his bid.

11. The Accepting Officer reserves the right to accept a tender submitted by a public Undertaking, giving a price preference over other Tender (s)/ bids which may be lower, as are admissible under the Government Policy. No claim for any compensation or otherwise shall be admissible from such tenderer/bidder whose tender/bid is rejected.

12. Accepting Officer does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender/bid or to give any reason for not doing so.

13. This Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) including Appendix 'A' shall form part of the contract.


Signature of Contractor

Dated : _____

DCWE (Contracts)

For Accepting Officer

APPENDIX 'A' TO NOTICE INVITING TENDER

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| 1. | Name of work | : | PROVN OF ROOF TOP SOLAR POWER PLANT OF 350 KW AT DIFFERENT LOCATIONS WITH MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION UNDER GE AF CHANDIGARH |
| 2. | Estimated Cost | : | Rs. 204.00 Lakh (As per Market) |
| 3. | Period of completion | : | 180 (One Hundred eighty) Days (excl. M&O) |
| 4. | Cost of tender documents | : | Rs 2000.00 in the form of DD / Bankers cheque from any Scheduled Bank in favour of GE (AF) Chandigarh, payable at Chandigarh (Note: In case of retendering, the contractor who had quoted in the previous call is not required to submit the cost of tender). |
| 5. | Website/portal address | : | <u>www.defproc.gov.in</u> AND <u>www.mes.gov.in</u> |
| 6. | Type of contract | : | Item rate contract based on IAFW-1779A and GCC (IAFW-2249) with Schedule 'A' (list of items of work) to be priced by contractor. |
| 7. | Timeline details | : |  Refer critical dates on the web site. |
| | (a) Bid Submission Start Date | : | |
| | (b) Bid Submission end date | : | |
| | (c) Date of opening of bid | : | |
| 8. | <u>Eligibility Criteria</u> | | |
| | (a) <u>For MES enlisted contractors</u> | : | Contractor shall be enlisted with MES in Class 'B' and above subject to satisfactory remarks wrt performance in respect of works in hand as reflected in Work Load Return (WLR) or any other report circulated by competent engineer authority. |
| | (b) <u>For contractors not enlisted with MES</u> | : | (i) Contractor not enlisted with MES should meet the enlistment criteria of 'B' Class Contractor with regard to satisfactorily completion of requisite value works with Central/State Government/ Central/ State PSUs/ AWHO/ AFNHB/ CGEWHO/ DGMAP, annual turnover, bank solvency, working capital and other requirements given in Para 1.4 & 1.5 of section 1 of MES Manual on Contracts-2020 as available in all MES formations as well as MES website (www.mes.gov.in). (ii) Not carrying adverse remarks in Work Load Report (WLR) or any other similar report circulated by any competent authority, if already working in MES. (iii) Not suspended/debarred/blacklisted (either permanently or temporarily) from participating in any bid or for business dealing by any Central/State Government Department or any Central/ State Government PSU or any Autonomous Body under Central/ State Government or any Local Body as on the bid submission end date. (iv) Details of works of similar nature completed and under progress in MES be submitted in the following format:- |

| | | | <table><tr><th>Srl No.</th><th>CA No. & Name of Work</th><th>Value of CA</th><th>Date of Commencement</th><th>Date of Completion</th><th>Extended Date of Completion</th></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td><td>6</td></tr></table> <p>(v) Un-enlisted Contractor who have secured two works in MES should get themselves registered in the appropriate designated Class with any Registering Authority, else the firm will not be eligible for participation in the tender unless until' the firm is enlisted with the MES.</p> | Srl No. | CA No. & Name of Work | Value of CA | Date of Commencement | Date of Completion | Extended Date of Completion | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
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| 9 | TECHNICAL PRE-QUALIFICATION CRITERIA (PQC) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | (a) For MES Enlisted Contractors | | <p>(i) The contractor should have MoU with Solar Power firms of rating 1A/1B/1C/2A/2B/2C given by CRISIL/ CARE/ FITCH/ ICRA / SMERA/Brick Work Ratings India Pvt Ltd and having experience as given at (c) (i) below.</p> <p>(ii) Enlisted contractors who are either having above mentioned solar rating themselves fulfilling the criteria laid down here-in-below or meeting the criteria laid down for un-enlisted contractors shall also be considered eligible</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | (b)For Un-Enlisted Contractors | | <p>(i) Contractor meeting the criteria of enlistment, annual turnover, financial criteria, solvency, working capital in MES.</p> <p>(ii) Contractor should have MoU with solar power firms having criteria as given at (c) (i) & (ii) below.</p> <p>(iii) No recovery outstanding in Government Department.</p> <p>(iv) They should not have any adverse remark in work load return of competent engineer authority.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | (c) For All Contractors | | <p>(i) The contractor should have experience of having successfully completed & commissioned Roof Top Solar Plant in Government Department/ PSU during last seven years ending last day of month previous to the month of bid submission start date, should be either of the following: -</p> <p>(aa) One work of capacity not less than 280 KW of capacity specified in the NIT OR</p> <p>(ab) Two works of capacity not less than 175 KW of capacity specified in the NIT OR</p> <p>(ac) Three works of capacity not less than 140 KW of capacity specified in the NIT</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10. | Tender Issuing & Accepting officer | : | Col Amit Bhat, CWE HQ CWE (AF) Chandigarh, PIN-160003 c/o 56 APO Tele : 0172-2642251, e-mail : chdaf3-mes@nic.in | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 11. | Executing agency | : | GE (AF) Chandigarh | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 12. | Earnest Money | | Rs.2,79,000/- in favour of GE (AF) Chandigarh in the form of Deposit at call receipt, FDR not acceptable. | | | | | | | | | | | | |

NOTES 1: -

- (a) In a tender, the eligible solar power firms can either bid as direct participant/ bidder or under MoU with MES enlisted /un-enlisted contractors, but cannot bid simultaneously for the same tender as direct participant/ bidder as also under MoU with MES enlisted/ un-enlisted contractors.
- (b) MoU will be permitted between one eligible solar power firm and one MES enlisted / un-enlisted contractor, bidding for the same tender.
- (c) In case any violation of condition at (a) and (b) above is noticed, all such bids shall be treated as invalid.
- (d) It is mandatory for all contractors participating in selection process to upload the list of works executed in the format specified alongwith copies of completion certificates for experience criteria for 'Installation of roof top solar'.

NOTES 2: -

1. In case after opening of Cover 1, the number of MES enlisted contractors of eligible class as well as eligible un-enlisted contractors, if any, fulfilling the other eligibility criteria given in NIT is less than 7 (Seven), applications in respect of MES contractors of one class or two classes (in case of remote and difficult areas to be decided as per list circulated by CE command/ADG) below the eligible class shall also be considered subject to fulfillment of other eligibility criteria given in the NIT. Therefore, MES contractor's one class below (two classes below in case of remote and difficult areas) may also bid for this tender. Such contractors (contractors of one/two classes below the eligible class) shall not be considered in case their present residual work in hand is more than FIVE TIMES their present tendering limit. However, in case such contractors fulfil the criteria of upgradation to the stipulated eligible class based on past experience of completed works (individual work experience and/or average annual turnover, as applicable) and financial soundness (solvency/financial soundness and working capital), the ceiling of present residual work will not apply and they will be considered for issue of tender. Such bidders shall upload in their Cover-1 bid details related to residual work in hand like details of works in hand showing names of work, names of Accepting Officers, Contract amount, dates of commencement and completion (stipulated) and progress as on bid submission date. Such contractors, if claim to fulfill the criteria of upgradation shall also upload the requisite information/documents in support of upgradation. These details shall be verified by the Tender Issuing Authority from concerned formations in case bids of such contractors are considered for evaluation.
2. In case after opening of Cover 1, the number of MES enlisted contractor of eligible class as well as un-enlisted contractor, if any, fulfilling the other eligibility criteria given in NIT are 7 (Seven) or more, applications of only those one class below the eligible class bidders shall be considered, who have previously completed similar works satisfactorily and are meeting the criteria of upgradation in respect of past experience of completed works (individual work experience and or average annual turnover as applicable) and financial soundness (solvency/financial soundness and working capital) as per details given in Manual on Contracts. Therefore, such contractors shall upload the requisite information/documents in the Cover-1.
3. Un-enlisted contractor shall be considered provided he meets the criteria. Foreign firms shall not be eligible for this tender. However Indian Firms having foreign national/Indian nationals staying abroad/Indian national having taken foreign citizenship, as director(s) shall be considered subject to security clearance from the concerned authorities.
4. Contractors enlisted with MES will upload following documents in Cover-1 for checking eligibility:-
 - (a) Copy of application for issue of tender on letter head of company/ firm.
 - (b) Enlistment letter issued by the Registering Authority duly renewed for the cycle period in vogue.
 - (c) Scanned copy of DD /Bankers Cheque toward cost of tender and EMD instrument in case SSD bond is not signed at the time of registration as per details & amount indicated.
 - (d) Copy of Provident Fund Code Number issued by Employees Provident Fund Organization.
 - (e) Scanned copy of Registration of Goods and Services Tax (GST) No.

- (f) Copy of MoU with Solar Power firms of rating 1A/1B/1C/2A/2B/2C given by CRISIL/ CARE/ FITCH/ ICRA/ SMERA/ Brick Work Ratings India Pvt Ltd and having requisite experience
- (g) Any other document required as described in this Appendix and/ or copy of any other documents which the bidder feel relevant.

5. Contractors not enlisted with MES will be required to upload following documents in Cover-1 for checking eligibility.

- (a) Copy of application for issue of tender on letter head of company/ firm.
- (b) Scanned copy of DD/ Bankers cheque toward cost of tender and Earnest Money deposit (EMD) instrument as per details & amount indicated.
- (c) Copy of Police Verification Report/Police Clearance Certificate/ Character Certificate from the Police Authority of the area where the registered office of the firm is located/notarized copy of valid passport of Proprietor/each Partner/each Director. (Not more than 6 months old)
- (d) All documents required for enlistment in MES for the class mentioned in Para 8(b) above as per Para 1.5 of Section 1 of MES Manual on Contracts 2020.
- (e) Details of works being executed in MES, if any.
- (f) Copy of MoU with Solar Power firms of rating 1A/1B/1C/2A/2B/2C given by CRISIL/ CARE/ FITCH/ ICRA/ SMERA/ Brick Work Ratings India Pvt Ltd and having requisite experience
- (g) Any other document required as described in this Appendix and/ or copy of any other documents which the bidder feel relevant.

6. Tenders not accompanied by scanned copies of requisite DD/Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender and EMD (as applicable) in Cover 1 shall not be considered for validation of 'T' bid and their Financial Bids will not be opened.

7. Contractors should ensure that their original DDs reach the office of Accepting Officer within 05 days of bid submission end date, failing which following action shall be taken: -

- (a) In case of tenders from an enlisted contractor of MES, where scanned copies of requisite DD/bankers Cheque towards cost of tender have been uploaded in Cover 1 but physical copies are not received within the stipulated period, their financial bids (Cover 2) will be opened. However non-submission of physical copies of cost of tender shall be considered as willful negligence of the tenderer and shall be banned from bidding for a period of six months commencing from the date of opening of Financial Bid (Cover 2).
- (b) In case of tenders from un-enlisted contractors, where scanned copies of requisite DD/Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender have been uploaded in Cover 1 but physical copies are not received within the stipulated period, their finance bids (Cover 2) will not be opened. Name of such contractor's alongwith complete address shall be circulated for not opening of their bids for a period of six months commencing from the date of opening of Financial Bid (Cover 2).
- (c) In case of tenders from enlisted and un-enlisted contractors, where scanned copies of instruments for Earnest Money Deposit (as applicable) have been uploaded in Cover 1 but the same are not received in physical form within stipulated period, such tender shall not qualify for opening of finance bid (Cover 2).

8. Contractor will not be allowed to execute the work by subletting or through power of attorney to a third party/another firm on his behalf. However, a contractor can execute the work through power of attorney to sons/ daughters/ spouse of Proprietor/partner/Director and firm's own employees, director, project manager **provided they are not having a separate enlisted firm in MES in their names as Proprietor/Partner/Director.**

9. After opening of Cover 1 and during its technical evaluation, in case any deficiency is noticed in the documents required to be uploaded by the tenderer as per NIT, a communication in the form of e-mail/SMS/Speed Post etc shall be sent to the contractor to rectify the deficiency within a period of Seven days from date of communication failing which their financial bid (Cover 2) shall not be opened and contractor shall not have any claim on the same.

10. Invitation for e-tender does not constitute any guarantee for validation of Technical bid and subsequent opening of financial bid of any applicant/bidder merely by virtue of enclosing DD. Accepting Officer reserves the right to reject the Technical bid and not to open the financial bid of any applicant/bidder. Technical bid validation shall be decided by the Accepting Officer based on eligibility of the firm as per criteria given in this Appendix. Tenderer/bidder will be informed regarding non-validation of this Technical bid assigning reasons therefore through tender evaluation report which shall be uploaded on the website. Such tenderer, if desires may appeal to the next higher Engineer Authority (NHEA) viz HQ CE (AF) WAC Palam on email id dydircezap2.e8-mes@gov.in with copy to the Accepting Officer on email chdaf3-mes@nic.in before the scheduled date of opening of Cover 2. NHEA shall decide the matter within a period of seven working days from the date of receipt of appeal. The decision of the NHEA shall be final and binding. The tenderer/bidder shall not be entitled for any compensation whatsoever for rejection of his bid.

11. In case an un-enlisted contractor is already executing works in MES, he shall not be considered eligible for the subject tender if the total value of such works is more than twice the tendering limit of the MES Class of contractor for which it is eligible. For this purpose, details of the works being executed by such a contractor shall be uploaded in the Cover-1 of the bid and shall be checked/verified by the Accepting Officer.

12. In case the BOQ is revised through corrigendum and the bidder has failed to quote on revised BOQ (ie he has quoted on pre revised BOQ), such bid shall be treated as willful negligence by the bidder and his quotation shall be considered non-bonafide. In such cases the lowest tender shall be determined from amongst the valid/bonafide tender for acceptance.

13. Revoking the offer or revising the rates upward or offering voluntary reduction by the lowest tenderer after opening of Cover 2 shall be considered as a willful default. For this default, a penalty for the amount equal to Earnest money shall be levied. In case of un-enlisted tenderer Earnest Money shall be forfeited in case deposited by him at the time of bid submission otherwise the amount equal to the Earnest Money calculated as per MES Manual on Contracts/stipulated in the Notice of tender, shall be notified to the tenderer/bidder for depositing the amount through MRO. In case of MES enlisted tenderer having deposited the Standing Security Bond an amount equal to the earnest money stipulated in the NIT/ the amount equal to the Earnest Money calculated as per MES Manual on Contracts, shall be notified to the tenderer/bidder for depositing the amount through MRO and consideration of such tenderer in tender evaluation for future works shall remain suspended till the aforementioned amount is deposited in the Government Treasury or six months whichever is later. In such a situation, the next lowest offer shall not be considered for acceptance. Instead, retendering shall be resorted to in a transparent and fair manner and the defaulting tenderer and his related firm, if any, shall not be eligible for this tender in second call or subsequent calls.

14 "Irrespective of whatever is mentioned in condition 19.3 of IAFW 2249 with regard to suspension of tenders on account of non-submission of performance security, issue of tenders to such tenderers shall remain suspended for a period of six months from the date of cancellation of contract under condition 19.3 of IAFW 2249 in case of un-enlisted contractors. In case of MES enlisted contractor, issue of tenders shall remain suspended till deposit of EMD or six months from the date of cancellation whichever is later".

15. Tender to related firms shall not be issued simultaneously. Firms shall be treated as related if Proprietor/one or more Partners/Directors are common. Decision of Accepting Officer on issue/deny the tender to any one of the related firms shall be final and binding.

16. **JOINT VENTURE**: - Joint Venture (JV) Firms as mentioned here-in-after are eligible to participate in the bidding process.

16.1 Joint Venture (JV) shall not comprise more than two firms (called parties of JV). The lead party shall have atleast 60% share of interest in the JV. The other than lead party shall have at least 30 % share of interest in the JV. The format of agreement is at Annexure 'IV'). The JV shall be considered as un-enlisted contractor. The JV shall submit Earnest Money Deposit for all tenders mandatorily. Any bid received from JV firm without EMD shall be considered as non- bonafide tender.

16.2 A valid agreement shall exist between the parties of JV defining clearly the role, responsibility and scope of work of each party, percentage share of each party alongwith nomination of leader (Lead Party) for the purpose of this work and a confirmation that the parties of the JV are jointly and severally responsible.

16.3 Joint Venture shall be allowed for solar plant works.

16.4 (a) Foreign Companies shall not be permitted to participate in JV.

(b) Indian Companies having Director (s) of foreign origin and Indian Companies having Director (s) of Indian origin but residing abroad/ having foreign citizenship shall be permitted to participate in JV. However, security clearance from Ministry of Home Affairs in respect of such firms/ director shall be mandatory as per policy.

16.5 JV as a single unit or each party of the JV shall have Permanent Account Number (PAN) and GSTIN. However, if the contract is awarded to the JV, then PAN & GSTIN Shall be obtained by the JV as single unit.

16.6 Parties to the JV shall meet the following laid down criteria for the purpose of forming a JV :-

| Criteria | Lead Party | Other than Lead Party | Overall, as a JV |
|---|--|--|------------------|
| Average Annual turnover as per NIT/Tender documents | Min 60 % | Min 30 % | 100 % |
| Technical capacity as per NIT /Tender documents | Min 30 % of Pre-qualification criteria | Min 30 % of Pre – qualification criteria | - |

16.7 (a) The JV shall collectively meet the working capital criteria as contained in the NIT/Tender Documents.

(b) The JV shall collectively meet the Bank solvency/Financial soundness for engagement criteria as contained in the NIT/Tender Documents.

16.8 Both the parties of the JV either individually (single entity of the JV) or collectively (Lead and other than lead) shall fulfil the 100 % of the Technical Qualifying criteria as stipulated in the NIT/Tender Documents.

16.9 Both the parties of the JV shall jointly possess the required T & P, machinery and Engineering/supervision staff. T & P can be either on ownership basis or leasehold as stipulated in the NIT/Tender Documents and documentary proof of the same shall be submitted.

16.10 JV concluded upto the date of bid submission are permitted to apply. Copy of JV should be uploaded alongwith Technical Bid (Cover-I). The department reserves the right to verify the particulars furnished by the applicant independently. If any information furnished by the applicant JV is found incorrect and/ or misleading and /or false representation and /or deliberately suppressed information, at a later stage, the JV and both the parties shall be liable to be debarred from tendering / taken up of any work in MES.

16.11 Party / parties will not be allowed to bid for the same tender in their independent capacity as well as under JV. Also, no party will be allowed to bid the same tender under multiple JVs. In case of violation (party/parties bidding independently as well as under JV for the same tender, party/ parties bidding for the same tender under multiple JVs), the bid of the party/parties concerned as well as the bid(s) of the related JV (s) shall not be opened (i.e shall not be qualified in 'T' bid cover-I).

16.12 The lead party shall attend all progress review meetings and shall be answerable to all issues relating to the project.

16.13 For any of the defaults as under of the JV, administrative action shall be taken against both the parties of JV :-

(a) In case of non - submission of physical original documents of EMD, parties shall be barred from bidding for six months.

(b) Due to default in performance of contract etc, administrative actions as per existing instructions shall be taken.

16.14 Any unrealized recovery from JV shall be recovered proportionately from the parties in proportion to their percentage share in the JV. If it is not possible to recover proportionate share (partly/fully) from one party, it shall be recovered from other party.

17. **INTEGRITY PACT**: The Integrity Pact (IP) is an integral part of contract and both parties are bound by its provisions. Integrity Pact are enclosed and scanned copy of same (all Pages) be uploaded as part of NIT along with tender documents. Scanned copy of IP duly signed on each page by the bidder(s) shall be uploaded as part of technical bid (Cover I) and original IP duly signed on each page shall be forwarded by post. Bidders who do not upload scanned copy of IP duly signed, shall be intimated of the same alongwith intimation of other such deficient documents, through option of 'Short Fall Documents' (in e-tendering portal) before 'T' Bid evaluation. Any bidder who fails to forward the copy of IP duly signed even after communication, shall be disqualified in the Technical Bid evaluation.

Notes

(a) In a tender, the eligible solar power firms can either bid as direct participant/ bidder or under MoU with MES enlisted /un-enlisted contractors, but cannot bid simultaneously for the same tender as direct participant/ bidder as also under MoU with MES enlisted/ un-enlisted contractors.

(b) MoU will be permitted between one eligible solar power firm and one MES enlisted / un-enlisted contractor, bidding for the same tender.

(c) In case any violation of condition at (a) and (b) above is noticed, all such bids shall be treated as invalid.

Signature of contractor

(Hemant Gautam)
EE (QS&C)
DCWE (Contracts)
for Accepting Officer

File No. 8325/CHD/T-22/ 03 /E8

Dated: 17 Sep 2025

Headquarters
Commander Works Engineers (AF), Chandigarh