

NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT)

1. 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 guarantee and is merely given as 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 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. Normally contractors whose name are on the MES approved list for the area in which the work lies, and within whose financial category the estimated amount would fall, may tender/bid in case of term contracts , contractors of classes SS to E may tender/bid. Not more than one tender/bid shall be submitted/uploaded by one contractor or one firm of contracts. Under no circumstances will a father and his son(s) or other close relation who have business dealing with one another be allowed to tender/bid for the same contract as separate competitors. A breach of this condition will render the tender/bid of the both parties liable for rejection.
5. The office of **Commander Works Engineer, Deolali** will be the accepting officer here in after referred to as such for purpose of the contract.
6. The technical bid and financial bid (cover-1 and cover-2) shall be uploaded by the tenderer/bidder on or before the date and time mentioned in NIT. A scanned copy of DD with enlistment details/documents 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 en-cashing the DD and shall not have any claim from government whatsoever on this account.

Tender form and conditions of contracts and other necessary documents shall be available on <https://defproc.gov.in> site for download and shall form part of contract agreement in case the tender/bid is accepted.

PERFORMANCE SECURITY

Within 28 days of receipt of the letter of acceptance the successful contractor shall deliver to the Accepting Officer a **Performance Security 5% of the value of contract** in any of the forms given below:

- a) A Bank Guarantee in the prescribed form.
- b) Government securities, FDR or any other Government instruments stipulated by the Accepting Officer.

If the Performance Security provided by the successful Contractor in the form of Bank Guarantee, it shall be issued by Nationalized / Scheduled Indian bank but its confirmation shall be done only from the Head Office of the Bank.

Failure of the successful Contractor to comply with the requirements of sub clause 6.2.1 shall constitute sufficient grounds for cancellation of the award of work and forfeiture of the Earnest Money .In case of MES enlisted contractor, amount equal to the Earnest Money stipulated in the Notice Inviting Tender shall be notified to the tenderer for depositing the amount through MRO. Issue of tender to such tenderers shall remain suspended till the aforesaid amount equal to the Earnest Money is deposited in Government Treasury.

Enlistment in adjoining command facility is not applicable. The Contractor will be recognized by the Index No of only his Parent Command and there will be no reference to his enlistment under any Adjoining Command Facility/Parallel Enlistment Facility.

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The GE/GE(I) will return the earnest money wherever applicable to all unsuccessful tenderer/bidder 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.

The GE/GE(I) will either return the earnest money to the successful tenderer/bidder by endorsing an authority on the deposit-at-call receipt for it is refund on receipt of an appropriate amount of security deposit if such a transaction is feasible.

Copies of the drawings and other document pertaining to the work signed for the purpose of identification by the Accepting officer or his accredited representative, sample of materials and store 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/ GE(I) during working hours.

7. The tender /bidders are advised to visit the site of work by making prior appointment with GE/GE(I) who is also executing agency of the work (See appendix 'A'). The tenderer/Bidders are deemed to have full knowledge of all relevant documents, sample, site etc, whether they have inspected them or not.
8. 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.
9. The uploading of bid implies that bidder has read this notice and the Condition of Contracts and has made himself aware of the scope and specification of work to be done and of the conditions and rates at which store , tools and plants etc will be issued to him and local conditions and other factors having bearing on the execution of the work.
10. Tenderer/bidder must be possession of a copy of the MES Standard Schedule of the Rates (**see Appendix 'A'**) including amendments and errata thereto.
11. 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 contractor 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 Accepting officer based on, inter-alia, capability of the firm as per criteria given in appendix 'A' to this NIT. The applicant contractor/bidder will be informed regarding non validation of 'T' bid assigning reasons thereof through the <https://defproc.gov.in> website. The applicant contractor/bidders, if he, so desires may appeal to the next higher Engineering authority viz HQ CE Pune Zone on email ID cepz-mes@nic.in with copy to the Accepting officer on email before scheduled date of opening of finance bid. The decision of 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.
12. The Accepting Officer reserves the right to accept the tender submitted by a public undertaking giving a price preference over other tender(s)/Bids which may be lower, as are admissible under the Govt policy. No claim for any compensation or otherwise shall be admissible to such tenderer /bidder whose tender/bid is rejected.
13. Accepting Officer does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender/bid or to given any reason for not doing so.
14. Court of the place from where tender has been issued shall alone have jurisdiction to decide any dispute out of or in respect of this tender. After acceptance of tender, Condition 72- Jurisdiction of Courts of IAFW-2249 shall be applicable.
15. This Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) including Appendix 'A' shall form part of the contract.

(Signature of Contractor)
Dated: _____

DCWE (Contracts)
For Accepting Officer

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E-TENDER

1	Name of work	PROVISION OF ROOF TOP SOLAR AT CERTAIN BLDGS OF ARTY CENTRE UNDER GE NASIK ROAD CAMP.											
2	Estimated Cost	Rs. 33.14 Lakhs At par Market Rate.											
3	Period Of Completion	180 Days											
4	Cost Of Tender Documents	Rs. 500.00 in the shape of DD/Bankers cheque from any schedule Bank in favour of GE Nasik Road Camp and payable at Nashik.											
5	Website /Portal Address	https://defproc.gov.in and www.mes.gov.in											
6	Type of Contract	The tender shall be based on drawing and specifications (IAFW-2249) and (1779-A) with Schedule `A` (list of items of work) to be priced by tenderer.											
7	Information & Details	As per critical dates As per critical dates As per critical dates											
	(a) Bid Submission start Date												
	(b) Last date of Bid Submission												
	(c) Date of Bid Opening												
8	Eligibility Criteria												
	(A) For MES enlisted Contractors with MoU	Contractors shall satisfy the following: - (i) Contractor shall be enlisted with MES in Class “D” and Any category shall be considered eligible. (ii) Contractor should have MoU with Solar Power firms having criteria as given at SL No 8. (D) (i) & (ii) below. (iii) Shall not carry adverse remarks in Work Load Return or any similar report circulated by the competent engineer authority.).											
	(B) For Contractors not enlisted with MES with MoU	(i) Contractor shall meet the enlistment criteria of ‘D’ Class with regard to satisfactory completion of requisite value Works with central/State Government/ Central/State PSUs/ AWHO/AFNHB/CGEWHO/ DGMAP, annual turnover, bank solvency, working capital and other requirement given in Para 1.4 & 1.5 of Section 1 of MES Manual of Contracts 2020 as available inall MES formations, MES website (www.mes.gov.in). (ii) Not carrying any adverse remarks in WLR or any other similar report circulated by any competent authority, if already working in MES. (iii) Not suspended/debarred/blacklisted (either permanent Or temporarily) from participating in any bid or for business dealings 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 completed and under progress in MES be submitted in the following format :– <table><tr><td>Srl No</td><td>CA No & Name of Work</td><td>Valu e of CA</td><td>Date of commen cement</td><td>Date of completi on</td><td>Extended Date of completion</td></tr></table> (v) Un-enlisted contractors 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 MES. (vi) Contractor should have MoU with solar power firms Having criteria as given at SL No 8. (D) (i) & (ii) below. (vii) No recovery outstanding in Government Department.						Srl No	CA No & Name of Work	Valu e of CA	Date of commen cement	Date of completi on	Extended Date of completion
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	(C) For Enlisted / Un-enlisted contractor without MoU	In addition to the eligibility criteria mentioned above for enlisted contractors at 8A(i) & 8A(iii) and for un-enlisted contractors at 8B(i), 8B(iii) & 8B(iv), the pre-qualification criteria specified in Note No. 1 below shall also be fulfilled
	(D) Solar Power Firm bidding Directly	(i) Pre-qualification criteria specified in Note No. 1 below shall be fulfilled. (ii) Solar power firm should have rating 1A/ 1B/ 1C/ 2A/ 2B/ 2C Given by CRISIL/ CARE/ FITCH/ ICRA/ SMERA/ Brick work ratings India Pvt Ltd.
9	Tender Issuing and Accepting Officer	CWE DEOLALI
10	Executing Agency	<u>GE Nasik Road</u>
11	Earnest Money	Rs. 66,300.00

NOTES:-

1. PRE-QUALIFICATION CRITERIA (PQC):

- (i) Experience of having successfully completed similar works during last 7 years, ending last day of month previous to the month of bid submission start date, should be either of the following:
- a) Three similar completed works, each of capacity not less than 40% of the capacity of the Solar Power Plant specified in the NIT OR
 - b) Two similar completed works, each of capacity not less than 50% of the capacity of the Solar Power Plant specified in the NIT OR
 - c) One similar completed work of capacity not less than 80% of the capacity of the Solar Power Plant specified in the NIT.
- (ii) ‘Similar’ works shall mean as under: -
- Design, Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of solar power plants, including associated electrical works, successfully completed in MES/ any Central Government department/ State Government department / Central or State PSU.
- (iii) Production and verification of satisfactory performance report of the respective qualifying work(s) with supporting documents shall be essential requirement during scrutiny of PQC. Certificates shall be accepted only after due scrutiny and verification from concerned department. Contractor shall upload all the relevant documents viz. List of similar works executed including copies of Work Orders/ Work allotment letters, certified copies of completion certificates and Performance report for scrutiny of meeting the PQC.
- 2. The bidding by contractors/firms shall be governed by the following conditions:**
- (a) Eligible solar power firm may participate either as a direct bidder or under a MoU with an MES enlisted/un-enlisted contractor. However, participation in the same tender in both capacities (i.e. as a direct bidder as well as under MoU with an MES enlisted/unenlisted contractor) shall not be permitted.
 - (b) MoU shall be permitted only between one eligible solar power firm and one MES enlisted/ un-enlisted contractor in respect of this tender.
 - (c) In case of any violation of the conditions mentioned at sub-clauses (a) and (b) above all such bids shall be treated as invalid.

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3. 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 fulfilment of other eligibility criteria given in the NIT. Therefore MES contractors 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 up gradation to the stipulated eligible class based on past experience of completed works (individual work experience of completed 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 amounts, dates of commencement and completion (stipulated) and progress as on bid submission date. Such contractors, if claim to fulfil the criteria of up gradation shall also upload the requisite information/ documents in support of up gradation. These details shall be verified by the Tender Issuing Authority from concerned formations in case bids of such contractors are considered for evaluation.

4. In case after opening of Cover I, the number of MESW enlisted contractors of eligible class as un-enlisted contractors, 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 up gradation 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-I.

5. 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 authorities.

6. Contractors enlisted with MES will upload following documents in Cover I for checking eligibility:-

- (i) Application for tender on Firm's letter head
- (ii) Enlistment letter issued by the Registering Authority duly renewed for the cycle period in vogue.
- (iii) Scanned copy of DD/ Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender and EMD instrument in case SSD bond is not signed at the time of registration.
- (iv) Any other documents required as described in this Appendix.

7. Contractors not enlisted with MES will be required to upload following documents in Cover I for checking eligibility.

- (i) Application for tender on Firm's letter head
- (ii) Scanned copy of DD/ Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender AND Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) instruments.
- (iii) 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.
- (iv) 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
- (v) Details of work being executed in MES, if any
- (vi) Any other documents required as described in this Appendix.

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

9. Contractors should ensure that their original physical DDs and Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) instrument (as applicable) 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 contractors of MES where scanned copies of requisite DD/ Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender have been uploaded in Cover I but physical copies are not received within the stipulated period, their financial bids (Cover II) will be opened. However non-submission of physical copies of cost of tender shall be considered as willful negligence of the tenderer with ulterior motives and such tenderer shall be banned from bidding for a period of six months commencing from the date of opening of Financial Bid (Cover II).
- (b) In case of tenders from un enlisted contractor, where scanned copies of requisite DD/ Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender have been uploaded in Cover I but physical copies are not received within the stipulated period, their financial bids (Cover II) will not be opened. Name of such contractors along with 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 II)
- (c) In case of tenders from enlisted and unenlisted contractors, where scanned copies of instrument for Earnest Money Deposit (as applicable) have been uploaded in Cover I but the same are not received in physical form within stipulated period, such tenders shall not qualify for opening of financial bid (Cover II).

10. 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 name as Proprietor/ Partner/ Director.**

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

12. 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 his Technical bid assigning reasons therefore through tender evaluation report which shall be uploaded on the website. Such tenderer, if desired, may appeal to the next higher Engineer Authority (NHEA) viz. Chief Engineer Pune Zone Pune on email id cepze8@gmail.com with copy to the Accepting Officer on email before the schedule date of opening of Cover II. 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 final and binding. The tenderer/ bidder shall not be entitled for any compensation whatsoever for rejection of his bid.

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

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14. In case the BOQ is revised through the corrigendum and the bidder has failed to quote on revised BOQ (i.e. he has quoted on pre revised BOQ), such bid shall be treated 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/ bonfide bids only. Accepting Officer may decide whether to re-tender or consider the lowest bonafide tender for acceptance.
15. Revoking the officer or revising the rates upward or offering voluntary reduction by the lowest tenderer after opening of Cover II shall be considered as a willful default. For this default as penalty of an amount equal to Earnest Money shall be levied. In case of an un enlisted tenderer, Earnest Money deposited by him shall be forfeited. In case of MES enlisted tenderer having deposited the Standing Security Bond, an amount equal to the money stipulated in the NIT shall be notified to the tenderer for depositing 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. No other disciplinary/ administrative action shall be taken against such tenderers. In such a situation, the next lowest offer shall not be considered for acceptance. Instead, retendering shall be resorted to in 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.
16. Tender to related firms shall not be issued simultaneously. Firms shall be termed 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.

(Signature of Contractor)
Officer Dated: _____

DCWE (Contracts)
For Accepting

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Dated 26 DEC 2025

Military Engineer Services
Headquarters
Commander Works Engineer
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