



Bid Number: GEM/2022/B/2312421 Dated: 07-07-2022

# **Bid Document**

Bid Details			
Bid End Date/Time	06-08-2022 11:00:00		
Bid Opening Date/Time	06-08-2022 11:30:00		
Bid Offer Validity (From End Date)	65 (Days)		
Ministry/State Name	Ministry Of Finance		
Department Name	Department Of Economic Affairs Security Printing And Minting Corporation Of India Limited (spmcil)		
Organisation Name			
Office Name	Janpath		
Total Quantity	25		
Item Category	high density graphite crucible (Q3)		
Minimum Average Annual Turnover of the bidder (For 3 Years)	3 Lakh (s)		
OEM Average Turnover (Last 3 Years)	3 Lakh (s)		
Years of Past Experience Required for same/similar service	3 Year (s)		
MSE Exemption for Years Of Experience and Turnover	Yes		
Startup Exemption for Years Of Experience and Turnover	Yes Experience Criteria,Past Performance,Bidder Turnover,OEM Annual Turnover,Compliance of BoQ specification and supporting document *In case any bidder is seeking exemption from Experience / Turnover Criteria, the supporting documents to prove his eligibility for exemption must be uploaded for evaluation by the buyer		
Document required from seller			
Past Performance	40 %		
Bid to RA enabled	Νο		
Time allowed for Technical Clarifications during technical evaluation	2 Days		
Evaluation Method	Total value wise evaluation		

# EMD Detail

Advisory Bank	Indusind bank
EMD Percentage(%)	2.00
EMD Amount	15458

# ePBG Detail

Advisory Bank	Indusind bank
ePBG Percentage(%)	3.00
Duration of ePBG required (Months).	5

(a). EMD EXEMPTION: The bidder seeking EMD exemption, must submit the valid supporting document for the relevant category as per GeM GTC with the bid. Under MSE category, only manufacturers for goods and Service Providers for Services are eligible for exemption from EMD. Traders are excluded from the purview of this Policy.

(b). EMD & Performance security should be in favour of Beneficiary, wherever it is applicable.

# **Beneficiary:**

dm(F&A) INDIA GOVERNMENT MINT, SHAHID BHAGAT SINGH ROAD, FORT, MUMBAI-400001 (Sragdhara Mumjumdar)

#### Splitting

Bid splitting not applied.

# **MII Purchase Preference**

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#### **MSE Purchase Preference**

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L	MSE Purchase Preference	Yes	

1. If the bidder is a Micro or Small Enterprise as per latest definitions under MSME rules, the bidder shall be exempted from the requirement of "Bidder Turnover" criteria and "Experience Criteria". If the bidder is OEM of the offered products, it would also be exempted from the "OEM Average Turnover" criteria. In case any bidder is seeking exemption from Turnover / Experience Criteria, the supporting documents to prove his eligibility for exemption must be uploaded for evaluation by the buyer.

 If the bidder is a Startup, the bidder shall be exempted from the requirement of "Bidder Turnover" criteria and "Experience Criteria". If the bidder is OEM of the offered products, it would also be exempted from the "OEM Average Turnover" criteria. In case any bidder is seeking exemption from Turnover / Experience Criteria, the supporting documents to prove his eligibility for exemption must be uploaded for evaluation by the buyer.
The minimum average annual financial turnover of the bidder during the last three years, ending on 31st March of the previous financial year, should be as indicated above in the bid document. Documentary evidence in the form of certified Audited Balance Sheets of relevant periods or a certificate from the Chartered Accountant / Cost Accountant indicating the turnover details for the relevant period shall be uploaded with the bid. In case the date of constitution / incorporation of the bidder is less than 3-year-old, the average turnover in respect of the completed financial years after the date of constitution shall be taken into account for this criteria.

4. Experience Criteria: In respect of the filter applied for experience criteria, the Bidder or its OEM {themselves or through reseller(s)} should have regularly, manufactured and supplied same or similar Category Products to any Central / State Govt Organization / PSU / Public Listed Company for number of Financial years as indicated above in the bid document before the bid opening date. Copies of relevant contracts to be submitted along with bid in support of having supplied some quantity during each of the Financial year. In case of bunch bids, the category of primary product having highest value should meet this criterion.

5. OEM Turn Over Criteria: The minimum average annual financial turnover of the OEM of the offered product

during the last three years, ending on 31st March of the previous financial year, should be as indicated in the bid document. Documentary evidence in the form of certified Audited Balance Sheets of relevant periods or a certificate from the Chartered Accountant / Cost Accountant indicating the turnover details for the relevant period shall be uploaded with the bid. In case the date of constitution / incorporation of the OEM is less than 3 year old, the average turnover in respect of the completed financial years after the date of constitution shall be taken into account for this criteria.

6. Preference to Make In India products (For bids < 200 Crore):Preference shall be given to Class 1 local supplier as defined in public procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 as amended from time to time and its subsequent Orders/Notifications issued by concerned Nodal Ministry for specific Goods/Products. The minimum local content to qualify as a Class 1 local supplier is denoted in the bid document. If the bidder wants to avail the Purchase preference, the bidder must upload a certificate from the OEM regarding the percentage of the local content and the details of locations at which the local value addition is made along with their bid, failing which no purchase preference shall be granted. In case the bid value is more than Rs 10 Crore, the declaration relating to percentage of local content shall be certified by the statutory auditor or cost auditor, if the OEM is a company and by a practicing cost accountant or a chartered accountant for OEMs other than companies as per the Public Procurement (preference to Make-in -India) order 2017 dated 04.06.2020. Only Class-I and Class-II Local suppliers as per MII order dated 4.6.2020 will be eligible to bid. Non - Local suppliers as per MII order dated 04.06.2020 are not eligible to participate. However, eligible micro and small enterprises vill be allowed to participate .In case Buyer has selected Purchase preference to Micro and Small Enterprises clause in the bid, the same will get precedence over this clause.

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% (Selected by Buyer)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 25%(selected by Buyer) percentage of total QUANTITY.

8. Past Performance: The Bidder or its OEM {themselves or through re-seller(s)} should have supplied same or similar Category Products for 40% of bid quantity, in at least one of the last three Financial years before the bid opening date to any Central / State Govt Organization / PSU / Public Listed Company. Copies of relevant contracts (proving supply of cumulative order quantity in any one financial year) to be submitted along with bid in support of quantity supplied in the relevant Financial year. In case of bunch bids, the category related to primary product having highest bid value should meet this criterion.

# High Density Graphite Crucible (25 pieces)

(Minimum 50% and 20% Local Content required for qualifying as Class 1 and Class 2 Local Supplier respectively)

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echnical Specifications				
Buyer Specification Document	Download			
Additional Specification Documents				
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S.No.	Consignee/Reporti ng Officer	Address	Quantity	Delivery Days
1	Mangesh Anant Chavan	400001,India Govt Mint, Shahid Bhagat Singh Marg Fort Mumbai , Maharashtra - 400001 India	25	35

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

# 1. Generic

OPTION CLAUSE: The Purchaser reserves the right to increase or decrease the quantity to be ordered up to 25 percent of bid quantity at the time of placement of contract. The purchaser also reserves the right to increase the ordered quantity by up to 25% of the contracted quantity during the currency of the contract at the contracted rates. Bidders are bound to accept the orders accordingly.

# 2. Service & Support

Availability of Service Centres: Bidder/OEM must have a Functional Service Centre in the State of each Consignee's Location in case of carry-in warranty. (Not applicable in case of goods having on-site warranty). If service center is not already there at the time of bidding, successful bidder / OEM shall have to establish one within 30 days of award of contract. Payment shall be released only after submission of documentary evidence of having Functional Service Centre.

# 3. Generic

Actual delivery (and Installation & Commissioning (if covered in scope of supply)) is to be done at following address INDIA GOVERNMENT MINT SHAHID BHAGATSING ROAD FORT MUMBAI 400001.

# 4. Turnover

Bidder Turn Over Criteria: The minimum average annual financial turnover of the bidder during the last three years, ending on 31st March of the previous financial year, should be as indicated in the bid document. Documentary evidence in the form of certified Audited Balance Sheets of relevant periods or a certificate from the Chartered Accountant / Cost Accountant indicating the turnover details for the relevant period shall be uploaded with the bid. In case the date of constitution / incorporation of the bidder is less than 3 year old, the average turnover in respect of the completed financial years after the date of constitution shall be taken into account for this criteria.

# 5. Forms of EMD and PBG

Bidders can also submit the EMD with Account Payee Demand Draft in favour of INDIA GOVERNMENT MINT(UNIT OF SPMCIL)COLLECTION A/C payable at MUMBAI. Bidder has to upload scanned copy / proof of the DD along with bid and has to ensure delivery of hardcopy to the Buyer within 5 days of Bid End date / Bid Opening date.

# 6. Forms of EMD and PBG

Bidders can also submit the EMD with Fixed Deposit Receipt made out or pledged in the name of A/C (Name of the Buyer). The bank should certify on it that the deposit can be withdrawn only on the demand or with the sanction of the pledgee. For release of EMD, the FDR will be released in the favour of the bidder by the Buyer after making endorsement on the back of the FDR duly signed and stamped along with covering letter. Bidder has to upload scanned copy/ proof of the FDR along with bid and has to ensure delivery of hardcopy to the Buyer within 5 days of Bid End date/ Bid Opening date

# 7. Forms of EMD and PBG

Bidders can also submit the EMD with Banker's Cheque in favour of INDIA GOVERNMENT MINT(UNIT OF SPMCIL)COLLECTION A/C payable at MUMBAI.

Bidder has to upload scanned copy / proof of the BC along with bid and has to ensure delivery of hardcopy to the Buyer within 5 days of Bid End date / Bid Opening date.

#### 8. Forms of EMD and PBG

Bidders can also submit the EMD with Payment online through RTGS / internet banking in Beneficiary name INDIA GOVERNMENT MINT(UNIT OF SPMCIL)COLLECTION A/C Account No. 201003551159 IFSC Code INDB0000033 Bank Name INDUSIND BANK LIMITED Branch address FORT, BRANCH, PREMISES NO.1, GROUND FLOOR, SONAWALA BLDG.57, MUMBAI SAMACHAR MARG, FORT, MUMBAI. Bidder to indicate bid number and name of bidding entity in the transaction details field at the time of online transfer. Bidder has to upload scanned copy / proof of the Online Payment Transfer along with bid.

# 9. Generic

**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.

#### 10. Generic

Bidders shall quote only those products in the bid which are not obsolete in the market and has at least 3 years residual market life i.e. the offered product shall not be declared end-of-life by the OEM before this period.

#### 11. Certificates

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.

#### 12. Buyer Added Bid Specific ATC

Buyer Added text based ATC clauses

#### **Qualification/Eligibility Criteria**

#### 1. Experience & Past Performance

Bidder firm should have supplied at least 10 nos. or more High Density Graphite Crucible or similar items in any one year during the last five years ending 31.03.2021

# Note: 'Startups and Micro and Small Enterprises' are exempted from 'Experience and Past Performance Criteria'.

#### 2. Capability - Equipment & Manufacturing Facilities:-

The Bidder must have an annual capacity to supply at least 10 nos. or more High Density Graphite Crucible or similar items.

# 3. Financial Standing:

The average annual financial turnover of the bidder during the last three years, endingon 31.03.2021 should be at least Rs. 3,09,160 /- as per the annual report (audited balance sheet and profit & loss account) of the relevant period, duly authenticated by a Chartered Accountant/Cost Accountant in India or equivalent in relevant countries.

ii. The bidder should not have suffered any financial loss for more than one year during the last three years ending on 31.03.2021.

iii. The net worth of the Bidder should not be negative on 31.03.2021 and should not have eroded by more than 30% in the last three years, ending on 31.03.2021.

# Note: 'Startups and Micro and Small Enterprises' are exempted from 'Average Annual Turnover Criteria'.

1. Bidder has to submit the following documents:

a. Pan Card

b. MSE Certificate/EMD Submission proof.

c. GST Certificate

d. Experience (for Non MSME)

e. Capability Certificate

f. Financial Standing Documents, Annual Turn Over/Net worth & balance sheet as on 2019, 2020 & 2021.

g. Proof of availability of office of service provider in Maharashtra.

h. provide acceptance to all terms & condition (ATC) of Bid documents on your letter head or submit sealed & sign of tender document for ATC

2. Acceptance of Additional Terms & Condition as follows

"Our offer against GeM Bid No. \_\_\_\_\_ Doesn't contain any deviation from the stipulated bid conditions and we accept all the terms & Conditions of the tender inquiry without any deviations"

Please submit the undertaking in firms letter head with seal & signed.

3. Delivery Period - 150 DAYS (5 WEEKS)FROM THE DATE OF ISSUE OF PURCHASE ORDER

4. Payment Terms: ON RECEIPT AND ACCEPTANCE OF GOOD AND PRODUCTION OF ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTS CERTIFIED BY COMPETENT AUTHORITY.

5. Price Bid Evaluation will be done as per Lowest one (L1) among above submitted quotation on total value

The terms and conditions, guidelines of SPMCIL Procurement Manual Version 2.0 willbe applic able to this bid at any stage to avoid any conflict at later stage. Kindly refer GITand GCC of SP MCIL Procurement Manual Version 2.0 for additional termsand conditionsas per the links give n below:

GIT: https://spmcil.com/uploaddocument/GIT/new.pdf

GCC: <a href="https://spmcil.com/uploaddocument/GCC/new.pdf">https://spmcil.com/uploaddocument/GCC/new.pdf</a>

Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, Public Procurement Division, Orders (Public P rocurement 1,2 and 3) F. No. 6/18/2019- PPD dated 23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> July 2020 (or any further amendments thereof) regarding eligibility of bidders from specified countries shall be applicable to this tender. Bidders are required submit the appropriate undertaking in this regard. Salient features of this are :

(i) Any bidder from a country which shares a land border with India (excluding countries as listed in the website of Ministry of External Affairs, to which the Government of India has extended lines of credit or i n which the Government of India is engaged in development projects) will be eligible to bid in this tend er only if the bidder is registered with the Registration Committee constituted by the Department for pro motion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT). The bidders shall enclose following certificate in this regar d.

"We have read the clause regarding restrictions on procurement from a bidder of a country which share s a land border with India; and solemnly certify that we are not from such a country or, if from such a co untry, we are registered with the Competent Authority (copy enclosed). We hereby certify that we fulfill all requirements in this regard and are eligible to be considered."

(ii) In tenders for Turnkey contracts including works contracts, the successful bidder shall not be allowe d to sub- contract works to any contractor from a country which shares a land border with India unless

such contractor is similarly registered with the Registration Committee constituted by the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT). In such cases the bidders shall enclose following certificate:

"We have read the clause regarding restrictions on procurement from a bidder of a country which share s a land border with India and on subcontracting to contractors from such countries,; and solemnly cert ify that we are not from such acountry or, if from such a country, we are registered with Competent Aut hority (copy enclosed) and we will not subcontract any work to a contractor from such countries unless such contractor is registered with the Competent Authority. We hereby certify that we fulfill all require ments in this regards and are eligible to be considered."

(iii) "Bidder" including the terms 'tenderer', 'consultant' or 'service provider' in certain contexts means any person or firm or company, including any member of a consortium or joint venture (that is an associ ation of several persons, or firms or companies), every artificial juridical person not falling in any of the descriptions of bidders stated hereinbefore, including any agency branch or office controlled by such pe rson, participating in a procurement process.

(iv) "Bidder from a country which shares a land border with India" for the purpose of this Order means:a) An entity incorporated, established or registered in such a country; or

b) A subsidiary of an entity incorporated, established or registered in such a country; or

c) An entity substantially controlled through entities incorporated, established or registered in such a country; or

d) An entity whose beneficial owner is situated in such a country; or

e) An Indian (or other) agent of such an entity; or

f) A natural person who is a citizen of such a country; or

g) A consortium or joint venture where any member of the consortium or joint venture falls under any of t he above

(v) The beneficial owner for the purpose of (III) above will be as under:

a) In case of a company or Limited Liability Partnership, the beneficial owner is the natural person(s), who, whether acting alone or together, or through one or more judicial person, has a controlling ownership interest or who exercise control through other means.

b) Explanation:

(1) "Controlling ownership interest" means ownership of or entitlement to more than twenty-five per cent of shares or capital or profits of the company.

(2) In case of a partnership firm, the beneficial owner is the natural person(s) who, whether acting alone or together, or through one or more juridical person, has ownership of entitlement to more than fifteen percent of Capital or profits of the partnership.

(3) In case of an unincorporated association or body of individuals, the beneficial owner is the natural person(s), who, whether acting alone or together, or through one or more juridical person, has ownership of or entitlement to more than fifteen percent of the property or capital or profits of such association or body of individuals;

(4) Where no natural person is identified under (1) or (2) or (3) above, the beneficial owner is the relevant natural person who holds the position of senior managing official.

(5) In case of a trust, the identification of beneficial owner(s) shall include identification of the author of the trust, the trustee, the beneficiaries with fifteen percent or more interest in the trust and any other natural

person exercising ultimate effective control over the trust through a chain of control or ownership.

(vi) An Agent is a person employed to do any act for another, or to represent another in dealings with third person.

# 13. Service & Support

Dedicated /toll Free Telephone No. for Service Support : BIDDER/OEM must have Dedicated/toll Free Telephone No. for Service Support.

# 14. Generic

Experience Criteria: The Bidder or its OEM {themselves or through reseller(s)} should have regularly, manufactured and supplied same or similar Category Products to any Central / State Govt Organization / PSU / Public Listed Company for 3 years before the bid opening date. Copies of relevant contracts to be submitted along with bid in support of having supplied some quantity during each of the year. In case of bunch bids, the primary product having highest value should meet this criterion.

# 15. Past Project Experience

For fulfilling the experience criteria any one of the following documents may be considered as valid proof for meeting the experience criteria:

a. Purchase Order copy along with Invoice(s) with self-certification by the bidder that supplies against the invoices have been executed.

b. Execution certificate by client with order value.

c. Any other document in support of order execution like Third Party Inspection release note, etc.

#### 16. Generic

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.

# 17. Financial Criteria

**NET WORTH:** Net Worth of the OEM should be positive as per the last audited financial statement.

# 18. Purchase Preference (Centre)

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.

# 19. Generic

Products supplied shall be nontoxic and harmless to health. In the case of toxic materials, Material Safety Data Sheet may be furnished along with the material.

# 20. Forms of EMD and PBG

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 INDIA GOVERNMENT MINT(UNIT OF SPMCIL)COLLECTION A/C payable at MUMBAI. 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.

# 21. Forms of EMD and PBG

Successful Bidder can submit the Performance Security in the form of Fixed Deposit Receipt also (besides PBG which is allowed as per GeM GTC). FDR should be made out or pledged in the name of INDIA GOVERNMENT MINT(UNIT OF SPMCIL)COLLECTION A/C A/C (Name of the Seller). The bank should certify on it that the deposit can be withdrawn only on the demand or with the sanction of the pledgee. For release of Security Deposit, the FDR will be released in favour of bidder by the Buyer after making endorsement on the back of the FDR duly signed and stamped along with covering letter. Successful Bidder has to upload scanned copy of the FDR document in place of PBG and has to ensure delivery of hard copy of Original FDR to the Buyer within 15 days of award of contract.

# 22. Forms of EMD and PBG

Successful Bidder can submit the Performance Security in the form of Payment online through RTGS / internet banking also (besides PBG which is allowed as per GeM GTC). On-line payment shall be in Beneficiary name INDIA GOVERNMENT MINT(UNIT OF SPMCIL)COLLECTION A/C Account No. 201003551159 IFSC Code INDB0000033 Bank Name INDUSIND BANK LIMITED Branch address FORT, BRANCH, PREMISES NO.1, GROUND FLOOR, SONAWALA BLDG.57, MUMBAI SAMACHAR MARG, FORT, MUMBAI. Successful Bidder to indicate Contract number and name of Seller entity in the transaction details field at the time of on-line transfer. Bidder has to upload scanned copy / proof of the Online Payment Transfer in place of PBG within 15 days of award of contract.

# 23. Generic

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.

# 24. Generic

While generating invoice in GeM portal, the seller must upload scanned copy of GST invoice and the screenshot of GST portal confirming payment of GST.

# Disclaimer

The additional terms and conditions have been incorporated by the Buyer after approval of the Competent Authority in Buyer Organization. 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 incorporated by the Buyer such as demanding Tender Sample, incorporating any clause against the MSME policy and Preference to make in India Policy, mandating any Brand names or Foreign Certification, changing the default time period for Acceptance of material or payment timeline governed by OM of Department of Expenditure shall be null and void and would not be considered part of bid. Further any reference of conditions published on any external site or reference to external documents/clauses shall also be null and void. 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. Buyer 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. Also, GeM does not permit collection of Tender fee / Auction fee in case of Bids / Forward Auction as the case may be. Any stipulation by the Buyer seeking payment of Tender Fee / Auction fee through ATC clauses would be treated as null and void.

This Bid is also governed by the General Terms and Conditions

In terms of GeM GTC clause 26 regarding Restrictions on procurement from a bidder of a country which shares a land border with India, any bidder from a country which shares a land border with India will be eligible to bid in this tender only if the bidder is registered with the Competent Authority. While participating in bid, Bidder has to undertake compliance of this and any false declaration and non-compliance of this would be a ground for immediate termination of the contract and further legal action in accordance with the laws.

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