

MEETING MINUTES FOR TENDER NO: GEM/2024/B/5378173

For Item Category: Automated HPLC System for Separation of complex mixtures (Q3)

1. Date: 27/09/2024 (Prebid Meeting)
2. Time: 11:00 am
3. Venue: Meeting Room, National Forensic Sciences University, Dharwad Campus

Technical Evaluation committee members



Special Invitee:



The following Bidders' Representatives attended the pre-bid meeting:

Sr. No.	Name of prospective bidders/Firm
1.	M/s Spincotech System

The following companies showed representation by email:

Sr. No.	Name of prospective bidders/Firm
1.	M/s Analytical Technologies
2.	M/s Waters TM

The following queries received from various companies were discussed and clarified. The clarifications arrived thereof are indicated as under:

The queries/request were raised in Clause 29 Buyer added Bid specific ATC as mentioned below:

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Sr. No.	Prospective Bidder(s)	Query/Clarification/Suggestion	Response
1	M/s Analytical Technologies		
	1.	EMD and Tender fee exemption will be given for NSIC holders as per the government/MSME notification.	EMD exemption will be provided as per GoI norms.
	2.	15 % price preference will be given to NSIC holders to calculate L1 to abide by the government/MSME Ministry notification.	MSE purchase preference will be provided as per GoI norms.
	3.	Add the word turnkey solution should be provided : We would request you to kindly add word "Turn Key solution should be provided by the bidder" in your above mentioned tender, which will help bidder to provide you with a turnkey solution for your whole project, also you will get many advantages for inclusion of "Turn Key" word in your above tender to complete project smoothly in the shortest span of time.	Committee has not recommended.
	4	Add the terms under eligibility of bidder that the bidder should have received single government order for lab equipment worth INR 12crores.	As per GoI norms, we cannot impose financial restrictions on prospective bidders, as there are multiple clauses in the MSE Act.
	5.	The bidder should enclose single government of india order copy for turnkey solution worth 10 Crore and above	As per GoI norms, we cannot impose financial restrictions on prospective bidders, as there are multiple clauses in the MSE Act.
	6.	Add the terms that minimum average sales turnover of the bidder for 3 years should be at least 10 crores	As per GoI norms, we cannot impose financial restrictions on prospective bidders, as there are multiple clauses in the MSE Act.
	7.	To support govt of india make in India (MII) initiative, Indian companies/Brands/trade marks registered in india would be given preference to encourage Indian industry as per the government MSME notification	As per OM No. F.4/1/2023-PPD(pt.) by GoI, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, Procurement Policy Division, UHPLC is exempted.

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	8.	Please Add -No prior experience and no minimum turnover required for NSIC holders Clause to be added to tenders documents BOQ as per the government/MSME notification.	Committee has not recommended.
	9.	Bidders should experience of turnkey lab setup solutions in the past.	Committee has not recommended.
	10.	The bidder company with past experience of providing INSTALLATION/training services/Maintenance to high tech equipment like LCMS/GCMS/ICPOES/ ICPMS/ HPLC/TGA/AAA/IC/Particle Size Analysers/Laser Particle counters/ TOC/AAS etc., would be given preference.	Committee has not recommended.
	11.	Public Limited companies would be preferred over the other types of companies for the reliability.	Committee has not recommended.
	12.	Bidder to comply with Indian Government Order No.P-45021/2/2017-PP(BE-II).	As per OM No. F.4/1/2023-PPD(pt.) by GoI, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, Procurement Policy Division, UHPLC is exempted.
	13.	Payment terms : Payment would be made by Inland Letter of Credit as per the guidelines already given by procurement manual of Government of India (Ministry of Finance) regarding the payment terms to be followed by government organisations.	Committee has not recommended.
	14.	Indian OEMs will be preferred over resellers or traders	as per MSE act purchase preference will be given.
2	M/s Waters™		
	Tender Points		
	1. Maximum Pressure: 15,000psi	Maximum Pressure: 9,500psi or better	Committee has not recommended. The specification is minimum requirement of the University.
	2. Flow Rate Precision: ≤ 0.06% RSD or better	Flow Rate Precision: ≤ 0.075% RSD or better	Committee has not recommended.

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	3. Samples for Processing: 160 Nos. (1.5 mL sample vial) or better	Samples for Processing: 90 Nos. (1.5 mL sample vial) or better	Considering the high sample load the sample processing numbers cannot be changed.
	4. The photo-diode array detect or should have 1024 elements	The photo-diode array detect or should have 512/1024 elements	Committee has not recommended.
	5. Original licensed software	Original licensed software with oracle database	Any Original licensed Software with 21CFR compliance is the requirement.
3	M/s Spincotech System		
	Page No. 16, Sr. No. 11 Additional required spare	Sought the clarification on when to provide the following accessories: Additional Deuterium (D2) lamp – 1no.s Additional Tungsten lamp – 1no.s	The committee has reiterated the point and clarified that the accessories mentioned in Sr. No. 11 should be supplied free of cost as and when required within the warranty period.

