- a. EMD of the contractors/bidders disqualified in the technical evaluation will revert to the respective bidder's accounts without requiring any manual intervention following the same path in which the EMD was transferred from the bidder's bank account to the pooling account electronically once the technical evaluation is electronically processed in the e-tender portal.
- b. EMD of the technically qualified contractors/bidders other than that of the L1 and L2 will revert to the respective contractor's/bidder's account without any manual intervention following the same path in which the EMD was transferred from the bidder's bank account to the pooling account electronically once the financial bid evaluation is electronically processed in the e-tender portal.
- c. EMD of the L2 contractor/bidder will revert to the respective contractor's/bidder's account following the same path in which the EMD was transferred from the contractor's/bidder's account from the pooling account electronically, once the L1 contractor/bidder accepts the LOI/LOA and the same are processed electronically.
- d. Till such commencement of on-line EMD processing, the hard copies pledged in favour of Executive Engineer would require acquaintance from him/her as per banks mandate.

16. Payment against bills raised by the contractor

The payment of Running Account as well as final bill for any work based on progress and performance will be made according to availability of fund and no claim due to delay in payment will be entertained.

17. Bid Validity

The Bid will be valid for **120 days** from the date of opening of the financial proposal. However, extension of bid validity may be suitably considered by the TIA, if required, subject to written confirmation of the contractor/bidder (s) to that effect.

18. Withdrawal of bid

Withdrawal of tender/bid once the bid has been submitted online and after passing of end date for submission and has been accepted for further processing, is not allowed. EMD will be forfeited by the Government and the bidder/contractor penalised in terms of Clause 4(ii) and clause 8 referred earlier would be applicable.

19. Schedule of dates for e-Tendering

Sl. No.	Activity	Date & Time	Remarks
1.	Publishing Date	10/08/2016 at 17.30 Hrs	To be made available with the e- NIT in the website
2.	Document Download start date	10/08/2016 at 17.30 Hrs	
3,	Bid submission start date	10/08/2016 at 17.30 Hrs	
4.	Document Download end date	24/08/2016 at 17.30 Hrs	
5.	Bid submission end date	24/08/21016 at 17.30 Hrs	
6.	Technical Bid opening date	29/08/2016 at 11.00 Hrs	
7.	Uploading of the list of Technically qualified bidders	To be decided later	To be notified to all bidders through e- mail & SMS through auto- generation in the system.
8.	Financial Bid opening date	To be decided later	
9.	Uploading of CS (Comparative Statement) and uploading of Final FBE	To be decided later	
10.	Uploading of the Letter of Invitation / Acceptance LOI/LAO	To be decided later	
11.	Uploading of Award of Contract (AOC) (Work Order)	To be decided later	

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