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# **EXPRESSION OF INTEREST**

# Expression of Interest (EOI) No. - WBIW/EE-I/CD/e-EOI-2/2024-25

# (2<sup>nd</sup> Call of (EOI) No. - WBIW/EE-I/CD/e-EOI-1/2024-25)

# (Memo No. 3586, Dated: 13.12.2024)

Encrypted electronic Expression of Interest for competitive budgetary quotes at competitive market prices is hereby invited by the Executive Engineer – I, Canals Division, Irrigation & Waterways Directorate on behalf of the Governor of the State of West Bengal through a single stage two part e-Procurement System; (Part I: Techno-commercial bid and Part II: Financial bid) from eligible bona fide contractors/agencies/bidders/supplier having specified Pre-Qualification (eligibility) credential of supplying of sheet piles of similar nature and desired financial capabilities for Supplying Hot Rolled Non-Alloy Steel Sheet Piling, Z-Type or U-Type, with Larssen Interlock as per En 10248-1: 1996 & En 10248-2: 1996, Steel name S430GP & number 1.0523 (both as per EN-10027), Classification Quality Steel (QS) as per EN 10020, having minimum yield strength of 430 N/mm<sup>2</sup> as per dimensional parameters, sectional properties and testing requirements given below, for the work:

# 1. Name of the work: - "Construction of outfall structure & inlet structure of the Pump House at the outfall of Cantonment Khal along with construction of electrical sub-station, office building, cooling water recirculation pumping station building, boundary wall and Ramp in P.S. Baguiati, District North 24 Parganas."

at Ex-yards of the Supplier/Ex-Port in West Bengal/Ex-Railway Yard in West Bengal (Bidder should mention the Location Mouza/Municipal ward & District of the stackyard of the Company or name of Port or name of the railway yard in the Annexure-I (attached herewith) including all taxes, charges but excluding GST& Labour welfare cess (Required during execution of the work). For Ex-Port delivery, custom clearance formalities and charges would have to be borne by the Supplier.

Type of Sheet pile to be supplied	Range of minimum thickness (excluding tolerance) at any part in mm (tmin)	Range of Mass (Kg / sq.m) (M)	Range of Section Modulus (cm3) (Z)	Minimum yield strength (N/mm2) (fy)
Hot Rolled Non-Alloy Steel Sheet, Piling Z- Type or U- Type, with Larsen Interlock as per EN 10248- 1: 1996 & EN 10248-2: 1996	8.5≤t <sub>min</sub> ≤9.5	105.0 <u>&lt;</u> M≤120.0	1600 <u>&lt;</u> E <u>&lt;</u> 2200	430

N.B: Inspection of the sheet pile should be as per Cl. 2.6.1.3 (b) of the 6<sup>th</sup>Addenda & Corrigenda issued on 3rd May 2021, to the Unified Schedule of Rates of Irrigation & Waterways Department brought with effect from 19.01.2018, as reproduced below:

b) Hot Rolled Non-Alloy Steel Sheet Piling, Z-Type or U-Type, with Larssen Interlock as per EN 10248-1: 1996 & EN 10248-2: 1996, Steel name S430GP, & number 1.0523 (both as per EN-10027), Classification Quality Steel (QS) as per EN 10020, having minimum yield strength of 430 N/mm<sup>2</sup>.

i. Various EN Standards for testing of sheet piles are;

- □ BS EN 10248-1: 1996 Hot rolled sheet piles on non-alloy steel (technical Delivery Conditions).
- □ BS EN 10248-2 1996 (Tolerance on Shape & Dimension).
- □ EN 10204: 2004 (Metallic products- Type of inspection documents).
- EN 10021: 2006 (General technical delivery condition for metallic products).

ii. No materials shall be accepted without Manufacturer's Test Certificates (MTC).

iii. The MTC shall, inter alia, contain dimensional checks (100%), mechanical property tests including, tensile strength, yield stress, percentage elongation etc., and chemical analysis, and the Cast No./Heat No. of the sheets from which the sample products are selected for testing, as per the relevant EN Standards.

iv. Mechanical properties of the steel sheet piles shall be as per Table-2 of EN 10248-1.

v. Inspection and testing shall generally be as per provisions of Clause 8 of EN 10248-1, along with sub-cluses thereunder, subject to the following stipulations:

1) Clause 8.1.2 (a)-Type of inspection and testing: "Specific" (As per clause 3.10 of EN 10021).

2) Clause 8.1.2 (b)-Type of inspection document: Type 3.2" (As per clause 4.2 of EN 10204). The requirement of attending the inspection by the Purchaser's (i.e., contractor's) representative may be done away with for all orders less than 1000 MT.

3) Product analysis (i.e., chemical analysis) need not be carried out as a part of "Specific inspection".

vi. Other than dimensional checking for allowable tolerances, no further checking needs to be done at site by the Engineer in Charge, after delivery of the materials.

The technical bid in Part-I would require the bidder to qualify for the next phase of financial bid: Part-II, in which L1 bid price would determine the final selection of Budgetary quote for estimating purpose.

Intending contractors/bidders desirous of participating in this e-EOI are required to login to the Government of West Bengal e-Procurement website having URL <u>https://wbtenders.gov.in</u> and locate the instant EOI by typing **WBIW/EE-I/CD/EoI-1/2024-25** in the search engine provided therein, or by logging-in using their assigned User ID and password. They may also visit the official website of the Irrigation & Waterways Department, Government of West Bengal <u>www.wbiwd.gov.in</u> to locate the same e-EOI by scrolling the "e-Procurement" link.

Contractors/bidders willing to take part in the e-EOI are required to obtain a valid Digital Signature- Certificate (DSC) from any of the authorized 'Certifying Authorities' (CA) under Controller of Certifying Authorities (CCA), Department of Electronics & Information Technology (DEIT), Govt. of India. (viz. NIC, n-Code Solution, Safescrypt, e-Mudhra Consumer Services Ltd, TCS, MTNL, IDRBT) or as notified by the CA /Finance Department, GoWB from time to time. DSC is given as a USB e-Token. After obtaining the Class 2 or Class 3 Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from any of the above CA, they are required to register the fact of possessing the DSC through the registration system available in the above mentioned websites. A list of such licensed CAs' are also available in the CCA website cca.gov.in. The prospective contractors / bidders may contact the Departmental e-Tendering Help desk located at the 7th Floor of Jalasampad Bhavan at Bidhannagar, Sector-II, Kolkata, through e-mails irrigationhelpdesk@gmail.com and dvcsc6816@gmail.com or Telephone No. 033-23346098 and the State Level e-Procurement Help Desk located at the Ground Floor of Jalasampad Bhavan through e-mail wbehelpdesk@gmail.com or Ph:(033)-2334 5161 on any working day between 10.30AM-5.30PM for any query on EOI procedure, obtaining DSC and free of cost training on e-Procurement procedure.

Intending contractors/bidders are required to download the EOI documents directly from either of the websites stated above. This is the <u>only mode</u> for submission of a EoI. The interested bidders eligible for the EOI are required to submit their bids through the e-Procurement System using their valid DSC e-Token with assigned PIN using login ID and password. Details of e-filing procedure for participating in e-EOIs under State Government have also been explained in the 'Bidders' Manual', available in the Departmental website <u>www.wbiwd.gov.in</u>.

# Last date & time of submission of bid electronically, is on 30.12.2024 at 17.00 Hrs.

The applicant bidders/contractors are advised to carefully read all the 'Terms & Conditions' contained in this e-Notice Inviting EOI (e-EOI). He/she should particularly go through the minimum desired Pre-qualification (PQ) works credential & financial eligibility criteria and satisfy himself/herself of all the mandatory eligibility requirements. Bidders desirous of participating in the e-EOI should submit bids only if they fulfil the minimum PQ eligibility criteria and are in possession of all the required PQ Credential documents "in original" as these may be summoned by the e-EOI accepting authority for verification purposes.

# **General Terms & Conditions for Contract**

# 1. Eligibility for participation in e-EOIs under National Comparative Bidding (NCB)

All Bonafide Indian contractors/Suppliers/ Manufactures /Organizations, Registered Companies/ Firms including Registered Partnership Firms, Proprietorship Firms, and contractors/bidders of equivalent grade or class having Pre-Qualification (PQ) Credential from the Government of West Bengal, Union Government Departments/ Other State Government Departments/ Engineering Wings of Gol/IRCON/RVNL/NHPC, Autonomous Project Authority and other similar organizations of Gol and State Governments/PSU and Corporations of Government of India and other States having successfully completed at least one similar nature project and not otherwise debarred are eligible to participate subject to fulfilling the other PQ eligibility criteria laid down in the subsequent paragraph.

# 2. Submission of bid

# 2.1. General procedure for submission of e-bid

Bids are to be submitted electronically in the on-line mode through the e-Procurement portal www. wbtenders.gov.in. Contractors/bidders are required to upload the entire EOI documents along with all other relevant PQ credential documents as asked for in the EoI, electronically, through the above portal within the stipulated date and time as notified in the EoI. EoI to be submitted in two parts/folders at the same time for each work, one being 'Technical Proposal' and the other 'Financial Proposal'. The contractor/bidder should carefully go through all the documents of the e-EOI and upload the scanned copies of his/her/their original documents in 'Portable Document Format' (PDF) files in the designated links in the web portal as their 'Technical Bid'. He/she needs to fill up the financial offer/bid price/ rates in amount in INR in the downloaded BOQ of the work in the designated cell in 'Excel sheet only' and upload the same in the designated link of the portal as their 'Financial Bid'. Documents uploaded are virus scanned and required to be digitally signed using their 'Digital Signature Certificates' (DSC). Contractors/bidders should specially take note of all the Addenda or Corrigenda notices related to the EoI if any and upload all of these documents forming a part of their e-bid as EOI document. Documents digitally signed and uploaded in the e-tender portal by the contractors/bidders containing requisite information & financial bid/rate comprising 'Technical bid' and 'Financial bid' are submitted concurrently, which cannot be changed after end date and time fixed for submission of the e-EOI. Extension of last date for e-bid submission or insertion of any of Addendum/Corrigendum, if unavoidable is to be notified as per Finance Department guidelines in the e-Procurement Portal, Departmental website, Newspapers and in Notice boards. When number of bid received is less than 3(three) the last date of bid submission can be extended for at least 5(five) clear days which would be counted from the date of publication of the corrigendum notice by publishing in at least one widely circulated daily newspaper. Except for date corrigendum, all other corrigendum, if necessary, the EOI would have to be extended by 7(seven) calendar days after following all necessary formalities. Extension of last date and time for bid submission by issuance of a Corrigendum shall not be treated as 2nd Call.

# 2.0 Technical Proposal

The Technical Proposal should contain scanned PDF files of all documents in the following standardised formats in two part covers or folders.

Cover No	Cover	Document Type	Descriptions
1.	Pre-Qual/Technical	.pdf	Eol Corrigendum
		.pdf	Forms
2.	Finance	.xls	BOQ

# **Descriptions of Technical (Pre-Qual) Covers**

- i. 'Eol\_Corrigendum folder': Eol is to be downloaded in entirely, digitally signed and uploaded during e-bid submission in "Eol\_Corrigendum" folder. 'Corrigenda/Addenda' if published in connection with the Eol is to be digitally signed and uploaded in the 'Eol\_Corrigendum' folder merged with Eol documents during e-bid submission.
- 'Forms' folder: Applications for e-EOI vide self declaration format in specimen <u>Form-1</u>, Self declaration of bidder not having common interest as a different bidder organisation in any other work tendered under different serials of this particular e-EOI vide specimen <u>Form-2</u>, Power of Attorney to sign contract/Agreement on behalf of a Registered Company, Government Undertakings, autonomous organisations, vide specimen <u>Form-3</u>, and self declaration on antecedents and performance of the bidder in specimen <u>Form-4</u>. All above are to be filled up completely, digitally signed and uploaded during bid submission in "Forms" folder.

# 2.2A. NOTE:

*i.* Contractors/bidders are required to keep track in the e-Procurement website www.wbtenderls.gov.in & IW&D portal wbiwd.gov.in for all the Addenda or Corrigenda notices and documents published in connection with a particular e-EOI

within the bidding period and upload the same, digitally signed by him/her along with their e- bid. EOIs submitted without Addendum/Corrigendum are liable to be treated as incomplete and thereby liable for disqualification or rejection.

- *ii.* Form 1, Form 2, Form-3 and Form 4 are taken from bidders by TIA as bidders self-declarations' or undertakings. These formats are specimens or samples only, which are to be firstly downloaded by the bidders from the EOI in e-Procurement portal, filled up completely and again uploaded with their electronic bids.
- iii. Bidder should mention the Location Mouza/Municipal ward & District of the stackyard of the Company or name of Port or name of the railway yard in the Annexure-I (attached herewith) including all taxes, charges but excluding GST& Labour welfare cess

#### 2.2 B My Document [OID\* Cover] containing:

It is desired that PDF files of all other original documents in support of their eligibility and PQ credential shall have to be submitted under the OID cover folders as detailed below:

#### My Document Format for uploading in the OID folder: -

SI. No.	Category	Sub-category	Sub-category description	Remarks if any
I	Certificates	1. Certificates.pdf 2. GST registration certificates.pdf	<ol> <li>Latest Professional Tax Payment Certificate (PTPC) or PT deposit challan for current financial year or</li> <li>Government Order for exemption in other States wherever applicable</li> <li>Valid PAN Card in the name of bidder/organisation Income Tax Return of current Assessment year or, IT Return of immediate preceding Assessment year whichever is at least available.</li> <li>Valid GSTIN under GST Act &amp; Rules.</li> </ol>	Refer to
11	Company Details	companydetails.pdf 1 companydetails.pdf 2	<ol> <li>For Proprietorship Firms, Partnership Firms, Registered Companies, Registered Co-operative Societies</li> <li>Valid Trade License/ acknowledgement, or Receipt of application for Trade License/Revalidation.</li> <li>OTHER REQUIREMENTS: -</li> <li>For Partnership Firms:</li> <li>Legally valid Partnership Deed, Form-VIII/ Memorandum of Registration of Registrar of Firms</li> <li>For Companies:</li> <li>Incorporation Certificate, Memorandum of Articles of ROC, List of current owners/ Directors/Board Members</li> <li>For State Registered Co-operative Societies:</li> <li>Society Registration certificate from ARCS of the State, Society bylaws, latest available Auditor's Report of Directorate of Co-operative Audit within proceeding five years as per Societies Act &amp; Rules</li> </ol>	Refer to Clause 2.2C(II) for details
111		1.Credential.pdf 1 2.Credential.pdf 2	1 Work Order, Award of Contract or LOA/LOI along with completion certificate duly authenticated by issuing authority.	Refer to Clause 2.2C(III) for details

\* OID denotes Other Important Documents.

Note:

- i. It is desirable though not mandatory that all documents stated above in PDF files shall be uploaded by bidders only in specified designated folders. No off-line document will be accepted and considered during EOI evaluation stage from bidders.
- ii. Validity of documents submitted by bidder shall be stand determined on the date of publication of EOI notice (e-Notice Inviting EOI)
- 2.2C(I) <u>Certificate/s</u>: The documents mentioned below under Serial a, b & c are to be uploaded as 'PDF' filesinCertificate.pdf1(name of the file should be "*certificates.pdf*")

The document mentioned under SI. d below is to be uploaded in GST Registration Certificate.pdf2 file

a. Latest available Professional Tax Payment Certificate (PTPC) or the PT payment challan/ receipt for current financial year/Waiver Order of competent authority in other States if applicable.

b. Valid PAN Card of the bidder/s are required;

c. Income Tax Return of current Assessment Year or, IT Return of immediate preceding Assessment year under IT Act & Rules, whichever latest available with the bidder.

- d. Valid 15 digit Goods and Service Tax payer Identification Number (GSTIN) as per GST Act, 2017 & Rules of the bidder to be uploaded *in 'GST registration certificate pdf*
- 2.2 C(II) All documents mentioned in tabular format under Clause 2.2B and also explained below should be uploaded duringelectronic bid submission in *PDF* files with the *name of file should be "companydetails.pdf*"
  - i. For Partnership Firms: Documents of Registration of Partnership Firms in the certified copy of 'Form No. VIII,' issued under Indian Partnership Act, 1932 (Act-IX of 1932) by the Registrar of Firms. In case a Partnership Firm is yet to receive Form No. VIII, a "Memorandum" issued by the Registrar of Firms may also be accepted.
  - ii. For Companies: Incorporation Certificate, valid Trade License, or acknowledgement of issuing authority of receipt of application for Trade License / renewal, 'Memorandum of Articles' registered under the Registrar of Companies (ROC) under the Indian Companies Act, List of owners/ Directors/Board Members are to be uploaded with the e-bid.
     iii. For State Registered Co-operative Societies:
    - a. Society Registration certificate from ARCS (Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies, GoWB) and By-Laws for Cooperative Societies under West Bengal Co-operative Societies Act, 2006 and Rules, 2011 and all amendments.
    - b. Latest Auditor's Report of Directorate of Co-operative Audit under Department of Co-operative, Government of West Bengal within preceding five financial years as per Societies Act & Rules.

#### 2.2 C(III)Eligibility criteria based on Credential of work/Prequalification Work Credential "credential.pdf"

- Work Order/Award of Contract or the Letter of Acceptance (LoA) along with completion certificate indicating completion of at least one work during last 5 (five) financial years in which quantity of sheet pile supplied is
   82.61 MT or 787 Sqm (minimum) duly authenticated by the competent issuing authority is to be submitted under Technical cover (name of file should be "credential.pdf 1).
- **Note:** No file in Technical / Pre-Qual cover or OID cover folder is allowed by the system to be kept blank/empty. Wherever the forms and documents are uploaded by the EOI Inviting Authority, the same is to be downloaded, duly filled up, converted to pdf file, and again uploaded after digital signing, forming a part of EOI document. These formats are specimens or samples only and deviation from specimen format is not a sufficient ground for rejection of the bid. Relevant blank Forms are to be firstly downloaded by the bidders from the EOI in e-Procurement portal, filled up completely and again uploaded with their electronic bid. No offline document is acceptable from bidders by TEC during evaluation stage.

#### 2.3 Financial proposal / bid under Financial cover:-

The financial bid should contain the following documents in one cover or folder.

- i. <u>Bill of Quantities (BOQ)</u>: The contractor/bidder is required to quote the financial offer/bid price, in the space marked for quoting rate in the BOQ of the EOI work.
- ii. Only the downloaded sheet of the above document in Excel format is required to be uploaded by the contractor/bidder.
- iii. BOQ without a valid numeric rate at the designated space provided in the BOQ will be disqualified and rejected outright.
- 3. EOI Fee and Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) No EMD is required for this Eol.

# 4. CONDITIONAL AND INCOMPLETE EOI

Conditional and incomplete bidders are liable to be summary rejected. No off-line document will be entertained.

#### 5 OPENING & EVALUATION OF EOI

#### 5.1 Opening of a Technical Proposal

For e-EOI bids are to be invited in two parts under a two-bid electronic system.

- i. Technical proposal will be opened by the EOI Inviting Authority or his/her authorised representative/s electronically in the official website using their authorised valid Digital Signature Certificate/s (DSC).
- ii. Intending contractors/bidders may remain present if they so desire.
- iii. Technical cover documents (vide Clause 2.2.A) will be opened /decrypted first and if found in order, Cover (Folder) for OID (vide Clause 2.2.B) will be opened/ decrypted. If there is any material deficiency in either of the technical cover documents, the e-bid is liable to be disqualified & rejected.
- iv. Decrypted (transformed into readable format) documents of the Pre-Qual Technical cover and the OID (Other Important Document) Cover will be decrypted/downloaded by the TIA and handed over to the Technical Bid Evaluation Committee (TEC).

# 5.2 Uploading of list of technically qualified contractors / bidders in the web portal/s

- i. After electronically decrypting on the designated date and time the e-bids received, all the bids will be <u>admitted</u> for downloading of documents without verification by the TIA and placed before the TEC for evaluation. The bidders shall receive an automated message through e-mail/text message that their bids have been decrypted. The TEC shall within a minimum of 2(Two) working day scrutinise the bids and Technical Bid opening Summery sheet (TBO) shall be uploaded by TIA pursuant to preliminary scrutiny and decision of the Tender Evaluation Committee (TEC) with reasons for preliminary rejection, and preliminary list of eligible bidders/ contractors for a particular serial of work whose Technical proposal have been considered for uploading in the web portal/s by the TEC.
- ii. While evaluating, the TEC may, if they so desire, summon the contractors/bidders and seek further clarification/information or seek verifications of original hard copy of any of/all the documents already submitted on-line, and if these cannot be produced within stipulated timeframe, their bids will be liable for rejection.
- iii. Sometimes it is seen that EOI are being rejected in technical bid pre-qualification stage due to minor clerical/rectifiable deficiencies in the uploaded documents of the bidders. In such cases:
  - a) The EOI inviting authority may give an opportunity to the bidders whose technical bids are found defective due to minor clerical mistakes/ rectifiable deficiencies to explain their position within 7 working days through e-mail.
  - b) And after receiving the clarification on deficiency, the TIA may take appropriate decision on the admission of the bid considering the merit of the case.

#### 5.3 Process of Technical Evaluation in a EOI

Within 24 hours of uploading the TBO summery sheet containing Preliminary Technical Qualification result, any of the aggrieved bidder, may seek clarification / redressal / review from the TEC on the list of bidders, through e-mail with supporting facts / figures / documents. If such clarification /review relates to eligibility of other bidders, on the grounds of submission of false/ forged / manipulated / inappropriate credentials, modalities prescribed in the Departmental Notification shall be followed. e-mail communication in official e-mail address of TIA or TAA shall be treated as a valid mode of communication. In case, the review only seeks the eligibility of the applicant himself, views of the EOI Evaluation Committee (TEC) would be communicated in writing to that bidder within next two (2) working days. If the bidder is not satisfied with the clarification of the TEC, he/she may appeal to the concerned Chief Engineer within 24 hours of receipt of communication from the TEC. The concerned Chief Engineer will dispose such complaints jointly, in associated with at least another available Chief Engineer within next 2 working days. Thereafter final Technical Evaluation Sheet (TBE) of the technically qualified bidders would be uploaded, after incorporating modifications if required. The TIA shall while uploading the final TBE summery sheet accept or reject electronically the admitted bids based on the advice of TEC as per TBE summery sheet.

Power is delegated to TEC to verify the authenticity of bid documents by physically summoning the applicant bidder on the basis of specific doubts which could not be cleared, which shall be exercised in exceptional cases and only when all other methods of undertaking verification have been exhausted and there is ample reason to believe that firmness of the technical bid evaluation of the EOI cannot be ensured without such action. Prima-facie, if there is not enough reason to doubt the authenticity of the bid documents physical summon of the bidder shall be avoided.

#### 5.4 Uploading the list of technically qualified contractors/bidders

Pursuant to decision arrived after a Technical Bid Evaluation and review, the final list of eligible contractors/bidders having successfully qualified in the Technical Evaluation stage for a particular serial of work whose financial proposal will be thus considered, is uploaded on the web portal/s.

#### 5.5 Opening and Evaluation of Financial Proposal/bid

- i. Financial proposals of the bidders/contractors declared technically qualified by the Bid/EOI Evaluation Committee (TEC) will be opened electronically by the EOI Inviting Authority in the web portal stated above on the pre-notified date and time.
- **ii.** The encrypted copies will be decrypted, and the rates will be read out to the contractors/ bidders remaining present at that time, else they may login their respective e-EOI accounts to see the (CS) comparative statement in the web portal.
- **iii.** After opening the financial proposal, the preliminary summary result containing inter alia the names of contractors/bidders and the rates quoted by them will be uploaded and the result will be made available in the e-EOI platform.
- iv. If the e-EOI Accepting Authority (TAA) is satisfied that the rate obtained is fair and reasonable and there is no scope of further lowering down of rate, he/she may after having the comparative statement test checked by the Divisional Accountant / Divisional Accounts Officer attached to the office of the concerned Executive Engineer and after their acceptance by the e- EOI Acceptance Authority (TAA) instruct the e-EOI Inviting Authority(TIA) to upload the financial bid evaluation summary as result containing the name of contractors/bidders and the rates quoted by them against each work for budget quote purpose only.

- v. The EOI Accepting Authority may ask the L1 bidder/contractor to submit analysis of rates to justify the rate quoted by that bidder after declaration of financial bid evaluation result.
- vi. If there is no contractor/bidder or the number of contractors / bidders in the 1st e-EOI is less than four even after extension of last date for bid submission, the e-EOI has to be cancelled. In case of participation of more than four bidders, if the number of technically qualified bidder falls below four even after extension of last date for bid submission, the e-EOI is to be cancelled as well and fresh e-EOI vis-a-vis 2nd call e-EOI or even 3rd call e-EOI may be invited by suitably lowering of minimum eligibility PQ criteria for bidders with wide publicity of Re-EOI notices through electronic and print media.

# 5.6 EOI Accepting Authority (TAA)

Authority to which the power has been delegated to accept is Superintending Engineer, Eastern Circle. IWDte.

### 4. Critical dates of this e-EOI

SI. No.	Activity	Date & Time	Remarks	
1.	Publishing Date :	17.12.2024 at 10.00 Hrs.		
2.	Document Download start date :	17.12.2024 at 10.00 Hrs.		
3.	Bid submission start date :	17.12.2024 at 10.00 Hrs	To be made	
4.	Document Download end date :	30.12.2024 at 17.00 Hrs.	available with the e-EOI in the	
5.	Bid submission end date :	30.12.2024 at 17.00 Hrs.	website	
6.	Technical Bid opening date with preliminary result (TBO Sheet) :	31.12.2024 at 14.00 Hrs. or after		
7.	Uploading of the list of Technically qualified final list of bidders (TBE Sheet) :	To be notified later	To be notified to all bidders through e-mail &SMS through auto-generation in the system.	
8.	Financial Bid opening date (FBO Sheet) :	-do-		
9.	Uploading of CS (Comparative Statement) and uploading of Final FBE Sheet :	-do-		

TIA: e-EOI Inviting Authority (Executive Engineer) TAA: e-EOI Accepting Authority (Executive Engineer)

> Sd/-Executive Engineer-I Canals Division Irrigation & Waterways Directorate

Memo No.- EE-I/3586

# Date:-13.12.2024

#### Copy forwarded for information and wide circulation to the: -

- 1. Chief Engineer (South), I & W. Dte., Jalsampad Bhawan, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Kolkata-700091.
- 2. Superintending Engineer, Eastern Circle, I&W.Dte. Jalsampad Bhawan, 8<sup>rd</sup>Floor, Kolkata-700091.
- 3. Executive Engineer, DVC Study Cell, Jalsampad Bhawan, Salt Lake City, Kolkata 700091 for information.
- 4. Sub Divisional Officer, Dabu (I) Sub- Division.
- 5. Sub Divisional Officer Calcutta Canals Sub- Division.
- 6. Estimating Branch, Canals Division.
- 7. Notice Board, Canals Division.
- 8. Accounts Section, Canals Division.

Sd/-

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