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MISHRA DHATU NIGAM LIMITED

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Tender Notice No: MDN/PUR/10241040/RM/ADVT/537/24-25,

Date: 30-12-2024 **Start of Issue of Tender Documents:** 30th DEC 2024 at 17.00 Hrs. IST **Receipt of Tender on or before:** 28th JAN 2025 at 10.30 Hrs. IST **Opening of Tender Date:** 28th JAN 2025 at 10.35 Hrs. IST

Quantity tolerance: +/-5%

MATERIAL **Estimated Requirement DESCRIPTION & SPECIFICATION.** Unit Qty TITANIUM DI-OXIDE POWDER **KGs** 1,440 (DETAILS AS PER ANNEXURE-I)

List of Tender Documents: -

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For MISHRA DHATU NIGAM LIMITED

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Sr. Manager (Purchase)

<u>SPECIFICATION</u>:-<u>Technical specification of Titanium Di-Oxide powder (Ultra high</u> purity):-

Type : Ultra High purity Titanium Dioxide Powder to be used as an

alloying addition.

Manufacturing process : Sulphate process without addition of alkali or phosphoric acid

or Chloride process.

Appearance : White Powder.

Purity : Minimum99.9%TiO₂ (Dry)

Chemical composition:-

Titanium Dioxide :(TiO₂)----99.90 %

min. Iron :(Fe)-----0.005 %max.

Chlorine :(Cl)-----0.010%max.

Aluminum :(A1) -----0.005 % max.

Zirconium :(Zr) -----0.010% max.

Size : Fine Powder.

Average Particle Size : 1.2 - 1.8 microns.

Before shipping the material, party has to send the manufacturer's test certificate of the material offered to us, for confirmation from us.

Quantity:-1440Kg ±5%

Delivery schedule:-

FOB, PORT OF LOADING: WITHIN 60 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF PURCHASE ORDER (PO).

CIF, CHENNAI/NHAVASHEVA: WITHIN 90 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF PO.

FOR, MIDHANI: WITHIN105 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF PO.

<u>NOTE</u>: Delivery schedule shall be changed (pre-poned/postponed) with mutual consent depending on Midhani requirement.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Offered material and supplies shall be from the below six (06) sources/Original Manufacturers only i.e.,

- i. M/s. Aspa Technology Private Limited, Singapore;
- ii. M/s. TOHO Titanium Co Ltd, Japan;
- iii. M/s. Marubeni Company, Japan;
- iv. M/s. Blyth & Co Ltd, Japan;
- v. M/s. Mitsui & Company Ltd, Japan;
- vi. M/s. London & Scandinavian Metallurgical Co Ltd, England.

If a trader is participating on behalf of any above Supplier/Original Manufacturer, the trader shall submit the Original Manufacturer Test Certificate and material shall be delivered

in Original Manufacturer packaging with seals only. Final material acceptance will be based on Original Manufacturer Test Certificate and QA acceptance by MIDHANI.

Original Manufacturer Authorization Letter is not mandatory.

REPEAT ORDER:

The Purchaser may issue Repeat Order increasing the quantity upto 100% of original Purchase Order quantity with two years from the date of Original Purchase Order and completion of Original Purchase Order supplies, subject to no downward trend in prices by giving reasonable time / notice to the Supplier.

OPTION CLAUSE:

The Purchaser may issue amendment to increase the quantity upto 50% of the ordered quantity on the same price and terms and conditions with mutual consent during the currency of the contract i.e., till final delivery date / extended delivery date, by giving reasonable time / notice to the supplier.

- 1) Techno Commercial bid should contain the following information (Envelope I).
- II) Tenders received without the below documents & details are liable to be rejected.

S.No	Description	Comply (Yes/No)	If not complied / documents not submitted,
			please furnish the reasons
1	Detailed specification and Chemical		
	composition of the offered product		
2	Quantity offered		
3	Manufacturer's Name & Address		
4	Manufacturer (OM) Test Certificate		
	Documents required for Eligibility Criteria		
	i. Purchase Order / Contract along with Delivery		
	Challan/Invoice copy mentioning the Purchase		
5	Order / Contract number as proof of supply. ii. Test Certificate of the previous supplies to		
	verify whether the previous supplies are with		
	same Technical specification (or) higher as of the		
	tender.		
6	Delivery Schedule as per tender		
7	Signed copy of Technical Specification i.e.,		
	Annexure-I to tender		
	Validity period of the offer as per tender i.e.,		
8	30 days from the date of tender opening as		
	on the due date (or) as on the extended due		
	date of tender opening		
9	Price Basis		
10	EMD	NA	
11	Signed Integrity Pact		
	Terms of Payment as per tender		
12	Within 30 days from the date of receipt and		
	acceptance of material in MIDHANI.		
13	Country of Origin (COO) of goods		
14	Port of loading for FOB supplies. (For Import		
	Offers)		
15	Tariff Head Under H.S (Harmonised		
	System)/Custom duty tariff code: HSN code		
16	GST number and applicable rate (For		
	Indigenous bidder)		
17	Submission of Bank details on supplier's letter-		
10	head with signature		
18	Submission of Make-In-India (MII) declaration		
	indicating the % of value addition and place of value addition in INDIA as per tender (For		
	Indigenous bidder)		
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13	Un-conditional acceptance to Terms and conditions of the tender		
20	Any other remarks related to this tender		
20	please specify in your offer		
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Note:

- a. Any order resulting from this Invitation to Tender shall be governed by our General conditions of Contractand the supplier quoting against this enquiry shall be deemed/ to have read and understood the same.
- b. Please enclose the above check list along with the Techno-Commercial bid.
- c. Tenderer's offer must conform in all respects with the applicable specifications and terms and conditions of the tender. In case of, deviation if any, from the tender specifications or terms and conditions must be clearly and explicitly stated. Technical deviations and Commercial deviations shall be furnished in separate sheets under the headings "TECHNICAL DEVIATIONS" and "COMMERCIAL DEVIATIONS" respectively, along with reasons for taking such deviations. Deviation(s) mentioned elsewhere shall not be accepted.

 MIDHANI reserves the right to accept / reject any deviation in tenderer's offer pertaining to the materials specifications or to the terms and conditions stipulated in this tender without assigning any reason.

General Terms and Conditions of the Tender

- 1.0 Any Order resulting from this invitation to tender shall be governed by our General Terms and Conditions of Contract and the supplier quoting against this enquiry Shall be deemed / to have read and understood the same.
- 2.0 Where counter terms and conditions have been offered by the Tenderer, the purchaser shall not be governed by these unless specific acceptances have been given in writing in the order by the Purchaser.
- 3.0 The offer should be complete in all respects. Full Particulars and descriptive literature and drawing should be forwarded along with the quotation. The make of the items offered should be clearly specified. Materials should be offered strictly conforming to our specifications. The deviations if any should be clearly indicated in the quotation. Test Certificates must be produced, wherever required. Material confirming to IS will be preferred.

4.0 VALIDITY:

The offer should be valid for a minimum period of **30 Days** from the date of opening of the tender. In case of shorter Price validity period, than what is stipulated in the Tender, the Company reserves the right to reject the bid summarily.

5.0 <u>DELIVERY PERIOD</u>: As per Annexure – I.

6.0 **EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT**:

The tender must be accompanied by an **EMD amount of INR 60,000/- or USD705** through online (as per Bank details indicated in Annexure – I) or Bank Guarantee as per format enclosed from a Scheduled Bank encashable in Hyderabad, India with validity till **90 days**.

If EMD is not submitted, offers are liable for rejection. EMD and Security Deposit in the form of Demand Draft or Bankers Cheque will not be considered unless prior consent from MIDHANI is obtained. Exemption of EMD is available to MSE's and Start Up's as per Government Guidelines.

The earnest money shall be kept deposited till validity of the offers/finalization of the tender whichever is earlier. The Earnest Money will not earn any interest. If the tenderer after submitting his tender and during the tender's validity period, resile from his offer or modifies the terms and conditions thereof in a manner not acceptable to the Purchaser, the earnest money shall be liable to be forfeited. Should an Invitation to tender to be withdrawn or cancelled by the Purchaser, which it shall have the right to do at any time, the earnest money paid with the tender will be returned.

The Earnest Money shall be returned to all the firms after finalization of the tender, except to the successful tenderer. EMD of successful tenderer shall be returned after submission of Security Deposit/shall be held as Security Deposit as the case may be. Should the successful tenderer, upon the acceptance of his tender, fail or refuse to duly sign the agreement within the period fixed by the Purchaser as indicated above, the earnest money shall be forfeited without prejudice to his being liable for any further loss or damage incurred in consequence by the purchaser.

Note: EMD is exempted for all Government Departments/Central PSUs and Original Raw Material Manufacturers who participate directly.

In case of EMD Exemption/EMD Not applicable: In case of failure of the bidder to accept / execute the contract, the bidder shall not be permitted to participate in the re-tender for the same item. Also suitable penal action as deemed fit by Midhani shall be imposed.

7.0 SECURITY DEPOSIT (SD):

In case of successful tenderer, 5% of total Purchase Order Value (or) as per Government guidelines issued from time to time towards SD shall be submitted by vendor within 21 days from the date of PO, in the form of Bank Guarantee or payment through online with proof thereof. In case the supplies are completed within 21 Days and the same are subsequently accepted by MIDHANI, no SD or Interest shall be applicable.

The Security Deposit of above amount shall be submitted on placement of order, through online: Or Bank Guarantee as per format enclosed from a Scheduled Bank of India encashable in Hyderabad, India with validity till successful completion of the Order, within 21 days from the placement of order.

The security deposit shall be for the due and faithful performance of the contract and shall remain binding not withstanding such variations, alterations or extensions of time as it may be made, given, conceded or agreed to between the Supplier/Contractor and Purchaser.

The Security Deposit furnished by the successful tenderer will be subject to the Terms & Conditions of the order/contract finally concluded between the parties and the Purchaser will not be liable for payment of any interest on the security deposit or any depreciation thereof.

The Security Deposit shall be refunded on application by the contractor after expiry of the contract period and after he has discharges all his obligations under the contract and produced a certificate from the Purchaser's authorized representatives certifying the due completion & acceptance of the work.

All Government Departments and Central PSUs are exempted from payment of Security Deposit. In all cases where SD is exempted, in case of failure of the bidder to accept / execute the contract as per agreed terms, the bidder shall not be permitted to participate in the retender for the same item. Suitable penal action in accordance with other provisions of the Tender shall also be applicable.

In case of Off-Loading, amount shall be submitted within 10 days from the collection of the material corresponding to the contract value for the quantities of material issued and the SD shall be returned after processed material is supplied and accepted by MIDHANI. Interest @ 12% p.a. shall be levied for the period of delay beyond 10 days.

Note: SD is exempted for all Original Raw Material Manufacturers who participate directly.

NOTE: In case SD is not submitted within the stipulated time as above, interest @ 12% p.a. shall be levied for the period of delay beyond the stipulated time. Interest as above may be either deposited by the supplier / contractor or recovered from any amounts due to the supplier / contractor.

8.0 All Bank Guarantees (EMD/SD/Advances/PBG) submitted:

- **a.** Shall be from a Nationalized Bank/ Scheduled Commercial Bank encashable in Hyderabad and in our prescribed formats only.
- **b.** Bank Guarantees (SD/Advances/PBG) shall have an additional claim period which is contractually agreed between the applicant and beneficiary as per their operational necessity, **IN GENERAL** three months from the date of expiry
- 9.0 Purchase Preference under 'Make in India' Programme as per attached Make in India Order and Notifications issued and amended from time to time shall be provided to all Local suppliers.

10.0 MSE (MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES):

As per Public Procurement Policy(PPP) for Micro & Small Enterprises (MSEs) order,2012 vide Gazette notification dated 23.03.2012 by Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises of Govt of India, the following benefits will be extended to the MSEs.

If Tenderer happens to be a MSE as per Government Guidelines, necessary benefits in line with Government Guidelines issued from time to time shall be provided on submission of valid documentary proof to the satisfaction of the Purchaser. In case organization is an MSE Unit owned by SC/ST Entrepreneur or owned by Women Entrepreneur, submit valid documentary proof for extending benefits as per Government guidelines. Benefits include

- i) EMD is exempted for Micro & Small Enterprises (MSEs) registered with Competent Authorities as per Latest Government Guidelines issued from time to time. Note: Presently, Udhyam Registration is required to be submitted to consider under MSEs. Existing Enterprises registered as MSEs (Without Udhyam Registration) prior to June 30, 2020 shall continue to be valid only for a period up to March 31, 2021.
- ii) Purchase Preference to MSE's shall be provided as given below.
 - a) In tenders, participating Micro and Small Enterprises quoting price within price band of L1+ 15 percent shall also be allowed to supply at least 25% requirement by bringing down their price to L1 price in a situation where L1 price is from someone other than a Micro and Small Enterprise. In case of more than one such Micro and Small Enterprise, the supply shall be shared proportionately (to tendered quantity).
 - b) In case of tender item is non-divisible and if Micro and Small Enterprises quoted price is within the price band L1+15% shall be allowed to supply total tender requirement by bringing down their price to L1 price in a situation where L1 price is from someone other than a Micro and Small Enterprise.
- iii) "Vendors to intimate the value of Goods & Services which are sub contracted by them from the MSE's if any, pertaining to the ordered item(s)".
- iv) The benefits mentioned above are meant for procurement of goods produced and services rendered by MSE's. Traders are excluded from availing these benefits
- 11.0Start ups as recognized by Department of Industrial policy and Promotion (DIPP) shall be exempt from paying Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)

12.0 QUERIES / CLARIFICATIONS:

Queries / clarifications technical, financial or commercial, if any, that may arise, should be referred by the tenderer by email/letter to

Technical Queries:

Name: Shri. Nishank K Jain (DGM, Titanium Shop)

Email id:nishank.jain@midhani-india.in

Commercial/Financial Queries:

Name:Sri.Mukesh. K

Email id: kmukesh@midhani-india.in

Ph:040-2418 4348

13.0 **PRICE NEGOTIATIONS**:

Price Negotiations as such shall not be held, except in the case of Negotiations with the lowest tenderer and accordingly, the tenderers shall have to submit their best commercial bids.

14.0 ARBITRATION:

Any dispute(s) or difference(s) whatsoever arises under or out of or in connection with the EOI/contract, or in respect of any defined legal relationship associated therewith or derived there from, shall be resolved/settled amicably, through mutual negotiation; failing which the differences shall be resolved by way of arbitration in accordance with the India International Arbitration centre (IIAC) Arbitration Rules. The authority to appoint the arbitrator(s) shall be the India International Arbitration centre (IIAC). And will provide administrative services in accordance with IIAC Arbitration Rules. The seat of arbitration shall be India. The language of

the arbitration proceeding shall be English. The place of arbitration proceedings shall be Hyderabad, Telangana, India.

In case of PSU/Government organization DPE guidelines in force or as amended from time to time shall be applicable. In the event of any dispute or difference relating to the interpretation and application of the provisions of commercial contract(s) between Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs)/Port Trusts inter se and also between CPSEs and Government dept./Organizations (Excluding disputes concerning Railways, Income Tax, Customs & Excise Dept.), such disputes or differences shall be taken up by either party for resolution through AMRCD as mentioned in DPE OM No. 4(1)/ 2013- DPE(GM)/FTS-1835 dated 22/5/2018 or the latest DPE Guidelines issued from time to time.

15.0 JURISDICTION:

All questions, disputes or differences arising under, out of or in connection with the contract shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of court within local limits of Hyderabad, India.

16.0 RISK PURCHASE:

The supply of all items must be completed satisfactorily and within the specified period in the order falling which the Purchaser reserves the right to purchase stores through Tendering (excluding that particular firm who failed to execute the supplies) from other sources at the supplier's cost and risk. In such case the supplier shall be bound to pay the extra cost incurred by Midhani forthwith on demand by Midhani.

17.0 ADDENDA TO TENDER DOCUMENTS:

The Purchaser reserves the right to issue addenda to the tender documents to clarify, modify, supplement or delete any of the condition, clause or items stated in the tender documents issued with this invitation to Tender. Each addendum issued will be distributed to each tenderer or his authorized representative and the addendum so issued shall form a part of the original tender documents to be reviewed as required.

18.0 NO CLAIM FOR COMPENSATION FOR SUBMISSION OF TENDER:

The tenderers whose tenders are not accepted shall not be entitled to claim any costs, charges and expenses of the tender, incidental to or incurred by them, through or in connection with their submission of tenders even though the Purchaser may elect to withdraw the invitation to tender.

19.0 BANKRUPTCY ETC.:

If the Supplier/Contractor shall become bankrupt or insolvent or cause or suffer any receiver to be appointed of his business or any asset thereof or compound with his creditors, or being a corporation commence to be wound up, or carry on its business under a Receiver for the benefits of its creditors or any of them, the Purchaser shall be at liberty:

- To terminate the contract forthwith upon coming to know of the happening of any such event as aforesaid by notice in writing to the Contractor or to the receiver / liquidator.
 OR
- b. To give such receiver, liquidator or other person the option of carrying out the contract subject to his providing guarantee up to an amount to be agreed for the due and faithful performance of the Contract.

20.0 RIGHT OF ACCEPTANCE:

The Purchaser does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any of other tender and reserves the right of acceptance the whole or any part of the tender or portion of the quantity offered. The purchaser reserves the right to place repeat order upto 100% of the quantities within two years from the date of Original order and completion of original order supplies, with mutual consent.

21.0 LIQUIDATED DAMAGES(LD):

Liquidated Damages shall be levied against Suppliers/Contractors in the event of unsatisfactory, delayed or non-supply of materials/execution of Contract beyond the date of delivery/completion of job. LD is leviable at the rate of 1% of the total order/contract prices per week or part there of subject to a maximum 10% of the order/contract prices including taxes &

duties without prejudice to the right of the purchaser to take any other action. The amount shall also be recoverable from any other contract on account of the supplier. The payment or deduction of such damages shall not relieve the contractor from his obligations to complete the work or from any other of his obligations and liabilities under the contract.

For FOB/FCA shipments (IMPORT), the date of handing over of the shipment to freight forwarder of MIDHANI / freight forwarder nominated by MIDHANI Customs Housing Agent (CHA) shall be calculated for LD.

22.0 CANCELLATION / SHORT CLOSURE OF CONTRACT/PURCHASE ORDER:

The purchaser may, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of Contract, by written notice of default sent to the supplier, terminate the contract in whole or in part:

- a) If the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the stores within the time period(s) specified in the contract, or any extension thereof granted by the Purchaser.
- b) If the supplier fails to perform any other obligation under the contract within the period specified in the contract or any extension thereof granted by the purchaser.
- c) MIDHANI reserves the right to short-close the Purchase Order for the total quantity (or) part thereof, under the circumstances viz., breach of trust/ breach of contract conditions, impossibility of performance, change in market conditions, change in production plan, change in specification, cancellation of order by customer/end-user etc.,
- 23.0 **REJECTED GOODS**: The rejected goods at MIDHANI premises will lie at the risk of the Vendor. They should be replaced immediately on receipt of intimation regarding rejection from Midhani. In case the rejected goods are not replaced within six weeks from the date of receipt of the inspection memo, MIDHANI is not responsible for any loss, damage and theft, and in addition, MIDHANI reserves the right to recover such amount as may be assessed on account of storage and incidentals or any other charges MIDHANI may have incurred.

The vendor has to lift the rejected material from MIDHANI within 6 months from the date of receipt of intimation. In case of rejected goods are in MIDHANI for more than 6 months, MIDHANI reserves the right to dispose of the same and Vendor shall not have any right for claiming the goods or damages thereof.

24.0 SUBMISSION OF TENDER:

Tenders shall be submitted as per procedure specified at Annexure III. The tenders received after the stipulated time and due date, due to any reason whatsoever will not be considered. Tenders who are incomplete or otherwise considered defective are liable to be rejected.

25.0 MULTIPLE L1 PARTIES:

In case more than one tenderer is qualifying as L1, after price evaluation and the order is not to be split, the placement of order shall be done after obtaining reduced revised price bid from the L1 tenderers and if still there is a tie among L1 tenderers then to discover the final L1, draw of lots shall be held in presence of the tenderers who chose to be present.

- 26.0 Only one vertical (Company) from a group of companies will be eligible to participate in the tender. Midhani reserves the right to reject the bids of all such parties summarily, if it is found that verticals under the same organizations have participated.
- 27.0 Exchange Rate for Payment (only in case of for Raw Material procurements where the unit rate quoted is linked with LME / MB / Other International indices).

For bid evaluation purposes the Exchange rate for the foreign currencies shall be considered as on price bid opening date for bid evaluation and comparison purpose. Exchange rate shall be taken from the website of RBI/FBIL.

For payment purposes bidder to mention the either of the following option:

- A) Exchange rate as on the date of procurement of Raw material from the Foreign supplier by the Vendor as evidenced from the Vendor Voucher (to be submitted by the vendor).
- B) Exchange rate as on the 7th day from the placement of Purchase Order.
- C) Exchange rate as on the 15th day prior to receipt of material at MIDHANI.

The bidder has to specify the basis of exchange rate to be adopted in his bid.

In case of High Seas Sales, however, only the Exchange rate as on the date of procurement of Raw material from the foreign supplier by the Vendor, as evidenced from the Vendor Voucher (to be submitted by the vendor) shall be adopted.

28.0 **Pre-Despatch Inspect (PDI) wherever applicable**: Pre-Dispatch Inspection shall be conducted as indicated in the Technical Specifications and Materials to be dispatched after obtaining the Dispatch Clearance from MIDHANI. Bidders to provide 10 days for PDI in all indigenous cases (supplier to give a minimum of ten days' notice) and Four weeks for all Foreign supply cases (supplier to give a minimum of four weeks' notice to take care of formalities associated with foreign travel).

Time taken by MIDHANI in excess of the defined time lines shall be considered as delay on the part of MIDHANI while calculating Liquidated Damages.

29.0 TENDER OPENING:

A. TECHNO-COMMERCIAL BIDS (UN-PRICED):

Techno-commercial Bids (un-priced) only shall be opened on the due date indicated in the enquiry in the e-platform (or) in the presence of Tenderers or their authorized representatives who choose to be present at the time of tender opening, as the case may be.

B. PRICE BIDS:

Price Bids of technically acceptable tenders' shall be opened after the Techno-commercial bids evaluation and after receipt of clarifications, if any, in the e-platform (or) in the presence of Tenderers or their authorized representatives who choose to be present at the time of tender opening, as the case may be at the time and date which will be informed to the tenderers concerned in advance.

The comparative assessment of offers received would be made on equal footing taking into account the financial implications for the deviations in terms and conditions/loading of any charges to arrive at the Landed Cost to MIDHANI. In case of any acceptable commercial deviation, MIDHANI may evaluate the prices with appropriate loading at One year MCLR rate + 0.5% of SBI prevailing on the date of Technical bid opening."

Conditional discounts offered by the tenderers for coverage within a shorter period for early inspection / payment etc., shall not be considered at the time of evaluation of tenders.

30.0 DEFINITIONS:

A. **PURCHASER**:

The term "Purchaser" or "Midhani" as used herein shall mean Mishra Dhatu Nigam Limited, incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956, and having its registered office at P.O. Kanchanbagh, Hyderabad - 500 058, India, and shall include its successors and assigns.

B. TENDERER:

The term "Tenderer" shall mean the person, firm or corporation submitting a tender against the Invitation to tender and shall include his/its heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors and assigns.

C. SUCCESSFUL TENDERER/SUPPLIER/CONTRACTOR:

The term "Successful Tenderer/Supplier/Contractor" shall mean the Tenderer whose tender has been accepted and shall include his/its heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors and assigns approved by the Purchaser.

31.0 FORCE MAJEURE:

If at any time during the continuance of this Contract, the performance in whole or in part, neither party shall be liable of performance under this Contract, any obligations under the Contract of any party is prevented or delayed due to reasons beyond such party's control, including but not limited to acts of God, fire, flood, earthquake other natural catastrophes, any law, order, regulation, direction, action of any civil or military authority, national emergencies, insurrections, riots, war (whether declared or not), hostility, acts of the public or enemy, civil commotion, sabotage, explosion epidemic, quarantine restrictions, strikes and lock-outs, work stoppage or other labour difficulties, absence of the usual means of communication or transportation (hereinafter referred to as 'eventuality') provided however the party to which the force majeure has happened shall use commercially reasonable efforts to eliminate such an event.

Force majeure shall also be deemed in the event of any regulatory decision or government order requiring the either party to suspend its service(s) or operation(s) for any reasons whatsoever. Notice of the happening of any such eventuality or force majeure as mentioned herein shall be given by either party to the other within fifteen (15) days from the date of the occurrence thereof along with supporting proof of the occurrence of the Force Majeure event , neither party shall, by reason of such eventuality, be entitled to terminate this Contract, nor shall either party have any claim for damages against the other in respect of such non-performance, or delay in performance, and the work under this Contract shall be resumed as soon as practicable after such eventuality has come to an end or ceased to exist, and the decision of the Purchaser as to whether the work has been so resumed shall be final and conclusive.

Certificate of a Chamber of Commerce (Commerce and Industry) or other competent authority or organization of respective country shall be a sufficient proof of commencement and cessation of the above circumstances.

The party who has given such notice shall be excused from the performance or punctual performance of its obligations under the Contract for so long as the relevant event of Force Majeure continues and to the extent that such party's performance it prevented, hindered or delayed. The time for completion shall be extended by number of days the party giving notice was prevented from performing his obligation due to Force Majeure, in accordance with Clause 27 hereof.

Should one or both parties be prevented from fulfilling their contractual obligations by a state of force majeure lasting continuously for a period of at least six (6) months, both the parties shall consult each other regarding the further implementation of the Contract, provided always that, if no mutually agreed arrangement is arrived at within a period within three (3) months from the expiry of the six (6) months referred to above, the Contract shall be deemed to have expired at the end of the said six (6) months referred to above. The above mentioned expiry of the Contract will imply that both the parties have the obligation to reach an agreement regarding the winding up and financial settlement of the Contract.

The Purchaser may issue Repeat Order increasing the quantity upto 100% of original Purchase Order quantity with two years from the date of Original Purchase Order and completion of Original Purchase Order supplies, subject to no downward trend in prices by giving reasonable time / notice to the Supplier.

33.0 OPTION CLAUSE:

The Purchaser may issue amendment to increase the quantity upto 50% of the ordered quantity on the same price and terms and conditions with mutual consent during the currency of the contract i.e., till final delivery date / extended delivery date, by giving reasonable time / notice to the supplier.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR INDIGENOUS OFFERS

1. PRICE BID FORMAT:

Prices shall be quoted ONLY in the following format/as per BOQ:

SI. No	Description	Quantity with UOM	Unit Price per job (INR)	Total FOR Midhani price (INR)	HSN/SAC Code	GST (%)
I	II	III	IV	(V = III x IV)		VI
1	TITANIUM DIOXIDE POWDER (DETAILS AS PER ANNEXURE-I)	1440Kgs				

The tenderer shall indicate/furnish the following in his offer:

- a. Manufacturer's Name & Address.
- b. Country of origin of goods.
- c. Delivery period.
- d. Mode of packing.
- e. Net weight and Gross weight.
- f. Technical Literature / Catalogue/Specifications.
- g. Details of Shelf life, if any, applicable for the goods offered.
- h. Your Banker's Name, Address & Details.
- i. A confirmation that the price quoted is your lowest export price and is the same as you would normally quote to Government department and other favored customers.
- j. HSN Code for all the Items quoted along with applicable GST Rates.
- k. TARIFF HEAD UNDER H. S. (HARMONISED SYSTEM).

Note: Technical Offers shall contain UNPRICED Format indicating all the details without which offers are liable to be rejected.

2. TERMS OF PAYMENT for Indigenous Offers:

100% Payment within 30 Days from the date of Receipt and acceptance of Material at MIDHANI.

3.PRICES

Price Basis: FOR MIDHANI, Hyderabad basis shall be quoted. The Prices must be per unit shown inclusive of packing forwarding insurance Octroi duty and delivery charges and should be on FOR destination basis, Offers from local suppliers should be for free delivery at our Stores.

Prices Shall be firm and fixed till final execution of order.

4.TAXES AND DUTIES:

The Tenderer shall indicate their GST Number & date in the quotation. Taxes/Duties payable have to be clearly indicated in the quotation. The nature of duties and applicable percentages thereof and the items on which such taxes/duties are leviable along with applicable HSN code shall be indicated in the Offer. Payment of taxes or duties shall be as applicable at the time of supply and on production of documentary evidence. Statutory variation in the rate of Taxes and duties during the delivery period shall be accepted.

Note:Payment shall be released only after filing of GSTR1 and GSTR3B including availability of invoices in GSTR2A of MIDHANI.

5.PACKING:

The stores should be securely packed and properly marked to avoid loss or damage in Transit by Rail / Road. Mode of Packing shall be specified in the offer.

GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS FOR IMPORT OFFERS

1. Prices shall be quoted ONLY in the following format/as per BOQ:

SI. No	Description	Quantity with UOM	Unit Price (USD/EUR/GBP/ JPY)	Total Price (USD/EUR/GBP/ JPY)	Customs Tariff (HSN) Code
1	II	III	IV	(V = III x IV)	
1	TITANIUM DIOXIDE POWDER (DETAILS AS PER ANNEXURE-I)	1440 Kgs			

In case you opt for any other INCOTERMS other than FCA, ONLY additional Charges for CIP/CIF/C&F Price may be quoted separately. FCA PRICE SHALL BE INDICATED IN THE OFFER WITHOUT FAIL.

The tenderer shall indicate/furnish the following in his offer:

- a. Manufacturer's Name & Address.
- b. Country of origin of goods.
- c. Delivery period.
- d. Mode of packing.
- e. Net weight and Gross weight.
- f. Technical Literature / Catalogue/Specifications
- g. Details of Shelf life, if any, applicable for the goods offered.
- h. Your Banker's Name, Address & Details.
- i. A confirmation that the price quoted is your lowest export price and is the same as you would normally quote to Government department and other favored customers.
- j. HSN Code for all the Items quoted along with applicable GST Rates.
- k. TARIFF HEAD UNDER H. S. (HARMONISED SYSTEM).

Note: Technical Offers shall contain UNPRICED Format indicating all the details without which offers are liable to be rejected.

2. CREDIT RATING CERTIFICATE:

- a) Tenderers may furnish credit rating obtained by them from any reputed credit rating agency along with offer.
- b) DEALERSHIP CERTIFICATE (If Applicable):

Dealers/Stockists/traders shall furnish dealership/authorisation certificate from the OEM along with offer. Offer shall not be considered in case authorization certificate from OEM is not submitted.

3. **AGENCY COMMISSION:**

We are a Government of India Enterprise. It is our policy to deal with the foreign suppliers/manufacturers directly without associating any of their Indian agents or payment of any agency commission. You are therefore requested to quote your price without any agency commission, passing on this benefit to the Purchaser which is Government of India Enterprise. Please therefore specifically state in your offer that the price quoted by you is net and NO agency commission is payable to any Indian agent.

4. <u>TERMS OF PAYMENT: 100% Payment within 30 Days from the date of Receipt and acceptance of Material at MIDHANI</u>.

5. **PRICES**:

Prices Shall be firm and fixed till final execution of order.

- i. Offers in Foreign Currencies shall be normally on FOB/FCA basis. However, in case any other Terms as per INCOTERMS are quoted, FOB/FCA price must be indicated. MIDHANI shall reserve the right to place order on either FOB or other Terms as per INCOTERMS.
- ii. Supplier (For CIF shipment) shall provide mandatory 14 days of free period for arranging custom clearance in Final place of Delivery: ICD, Hyderabad.DO/Liner Invoice should be provided to MIDHANI on the same day on which cargo reaches ICD Hyderabad & after payment of DO/Liner Invoice by MIDHANI, the DO to be handed over to CHA of MIDHANI on same day. Delay beyond these specified periods in these activities is to supplier's account & does not come under 14 days free period timeframe for arranging custom clearance by MIDHANI.
- iii. Indicate whether the shipment shall be FCL (Full Container Load) or LCL (Low Container Load) and number of containers in the techno-commercial bid. In case the same is not feasible, indicate the volume and weight of the consignments.
- iv. Exchange rate for the foreign currencies shall be considered as on final scheduled technocommercial bid opening date for bid evaluation and comparison purpose. Exchange rate shall be taken from the website of RBI/FBIL.
- v. Landed Costs shall be calculated on FOB Costs considering the following:
 - Freight, Insurance and Clearance Charges (as per the port of Loading) till receipt of material in MIDHANI.
 - b. Duties applicable after considering Input Tax Credits.
 - Interest Charges for normalizing payment terms (if any), based on One year MCLR rate
 + 0.5% of SBI prevailing on the date of Technical bid opening.
 - d. LC charges prevailing as on techno-commercial bid opening date as per SBI taking into account the Delivery Period.
 - e. Pre Dispatch Inspection Charges, if any, for Inspection by MIDHANI.
- vi. Freight & Insurance charges whichever is lower either (i) from offer, in case of other than FOB price or (ii) our internal prices in case of FOB Price shall be considered.

Prices guoted Shall be firm and fixed till final execution of order.

6. **DISCOUNT**:

Prices quoted should be applicable to purchases by Manufacturers and the manufacturer's discount, if any, should be indicated in the offer.

7. MODE OF SHIPMENT:

By SEA for Import offers with place of delivery as ICD, Hyderabad on LCL basis.

(Port of Loading shall be clearly mentioned for FOB supply in Techno-commercial offer)

8. **DESCRIPTION & SPECIFICATION:**

The description and specification offered in the offer will be binding on the Tenderer and no alteration thereof will be permitted.

9. AUTHORITY TO SUBMIT TENDER:

The signatory to the Tender will be deemed to have the authority to submit the Tender. The Tender will be binding on the tenderer and no alteration will be permitted.

10. TAXES & DUTIES:

All statutory customs/import duties, taxes, fees, cess & levies, etc. in India on the imported goods on amount payable in foreign currencies shall be borne and paid by the Purchaser.

Income tax (Withholding Tax) in India, if leviable and other taxes in relation thereto on any other account shall be borne and paid by the successful Supplier. The successful supplier shall be liable to file tax returns with respective income tax authorities as required under the Indian Income Tax Act.

All payments under the Purchase Order to the successful tenderer shall be subjected to deduction of taxes at source at the applicable rates in force as per the provisions of the Indian Income Tax Act or Double Taxation Avoidance Treaty whichever is more beneficial to the tenderer. Where the benefits of double taxation are to be availed, it shall be the responsibility of the tenderer to furnish the Tax Residency Certificate to the Purchaser required under the Indian Income Tax Act.

11. **INSURANCE:**

Marine Insurance Coverage will be arranged by the Purchaser for FOB / FCA shipment only.

12. **EXPORT LICENCE:**

Restrictions if any, for exporting this item to Midhani, India may please be indicated specifically with regard to time required for executing the order as per the quoted delivery schedule.

13. **PACKING:**

The material should be securely packed Annexure-land properly marked to avoid Loss & Damage in Transit. Mode of Packing shall be indicated in the Offer.

14. **COO (Country of Origin):**

Country of Origin Certificate to be issued by Chamber of Commerce to avail discount in preferential custom Duty amount in India Customs.

PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED FOR SUBMISSION OF TENDER (In Separate Sealed Covers)

ENVELOPE NO.1:

PART – I "TECHNO- COMMERCIAL BID"

ENQUIRY NO.MDN/PUR/10241040/RM/ADVT/537/24-25

DATE: **30-12-2024**

DUE DATE: 28-01-2025 AT 10.30 AM

To

THE ADDL. GENERAL MANAGER (PURCHASE)

MIDHANI, HYDERABAD - 500 058.

NAME OF THE TENDERER:

ENVELOPE NO.2:

PART - II "PRICE BID"

ENQUIRY NO. MDN/PUR/10241040/RM/ADVT/537/24-25

DATE: **30-12-2024**

To

THE ADDL. GENERAL MANAGER (PURCHASE)

MIDHANI, HYDERABAD - 500 058.

NAME OF THE TENDERER:

PLEASE PUT ALL THE TWO ENVELOPES IN A BIGGER SIZE ENVELOPE:

ENVELOPE NO: 3 (BOTH THE ENVELOPE NO. 1 & NO. 2 TO BE PLACED IN THE ENVELOPE NO. 3):

TENDER NO.

ENQUIRY NO.MDN/PUR/10241040/RM/ADVT/537/24-25

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To

THE ADDL. GENERAL MANAGER (PURCHASE)

MISHRA DHATU NIGAM LIMITED

PO: KANCHANBAGH, HYDERABAD - 500 058.

NAME OF THE TENDERER:

Annexure IV

SPECIMEN FORMS OF EMD &SECURITY DEPOSIT BANK GUARANTEE

- 1. BG FORMAT IN LIEU OF EMD
- 2. FORM OF BANK GUARANTEE IN LIEU OF SECURITY DEPOSIT

BANK GUARANTEE FOR EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT

 WHEREAS 	MISHRA D	HATU NIGAM	LIMITED (A GOVERNM	ENT OF	INDIA
ENTERPRISE) PO	KANCHANBA	GH, HYDERABA	AD (hereinaf	fter referred	as " The O)wner
/ Company"whic	ch expression	n shall unless	repugnant	to the subj	ect or co	ntext
includes its legal	representati	ives, successor	s and assig	ns) has issue	d tender _l	paper
vide its Te	ender No:	<u> </u>		for	supply	of
		(herein aft	er called "	the said ter	nder") to	M/s.
	(herein	after called "t	he said Ter	nderer(s)" wl	nich expre	ession
shall unless repug	gnant to the	subject or conf	text include	s their legal r	epresenta	itives,
successors and a	assigns) and	as per terms	and conditi	ons of the s	aid tendei	r, the
tenderer shall su	bmit a Bank	Guarantee for	Rs./USD	t	owards ea	irnest
money in lieu of o	cash.					

- 2. WE (Bank Name and Address) (herein after called the bank) do hereby undertake to pay the amount due and payable under this Guarantee without any demur merely on a demand from the company stating that in the opinion of the company, which is final and binding, the amount claimed is due because of any withdrawal of the tender or any material alteration to the tender after the opening of the tender by way of any loss or damage caused or would be caused or suffered by the company by reason of any breach by the said tenderer(s) of any of the terms and conditions contained in the said tender or failure to accept the Letter of Intent / Agreement or that the amount covered under this Guarantee is forfeited. Any such demand made on the bank by the owner shall be conclusive as regards the amount due and payable by the Bank under this Guarantee. However, our liability under this guarantee shall be restricted to an amount not exceeding Rs./USD_______.
- 3. We undertake to pay to the Company any money so demanded notwithstanding any dispute or disputes raised by the tenderer(s) in any suit or proceeding pending before any office, court or tribunal relating thereto, our liability under this present guarantee being absolute and unequivocal. The payment so made by us under this bond shall be a valid discharge of our liability for payment thereunder. Our liability to pay is not dependant or conditional on the owner proceeding against the tenderer.
- 4. The guarantee herein contained shall not be determined or affected or suspended by the liquidation or winding up, dissolution or change of constitution or insolvency of the said tenderer(s) but shall in all respect and for all purposes be binding and operative until payment of all money due or liabilities under the said tender are fulfilled.
- 5. WE (Bank Name and Address) further agree that the guarantee herein contained shall remain in full force and effect during the period that would be taken for the finalization of the said tender and that it shall continue to be enforceable till the said tender is finally decided and order placed on the successful tenderer(s) and

/or till all the dues of the company under/or by virtue of the said tender have been fully paid and its claims satisfied or discharged or till a duly authorized officer of the company certifies that the terms and conditions of the said tender have been fully and properly carried out by the said tender(s) or till date: whichever is earlier and accordingly discharges the guarantee.
6. That the Owner/Company will have full liberty without reference to us and without affecting this guarantee to postpone for any time or from time to time, the exercise of any of the power of the owner under the tender.
7. We (Bank Name and Address), lastly undertake not to revoke this guarantee during its currency except with the previous consent of the company in writing. We further undertake to keep this Guarantee renewed from time to time on the request of the Tenderer(s).
8. Notwithstanding anything contained herein before, our liability shall not exceed Rs./USD towards earnest money in lieu of cash and shall remain in force till (date). Unless a demand or claim under this Guarantee is made on us within three months from the date of expiry i.e., we shall be discharged from all the liabilities under this guarantee.
Date: (Bank Name and Address) Signature of duly Authorized person On behalf of the Bank

With seal & signature code

FORM OF BANK GUARANTEE IN LIEU OF SECURITY DEPOSIT

1.	This deed of guarantee		day of	-
(Nan	ne and Address of the Bank			•
a L u F	he Bank hereinafter called issigns wherever the con- IMITED., a government of Inder the Companies Act Hyderabad – 500 058, stat which terms shall mean an	text so admits) in the India Enterprise inc India Enterprise inc India India, her Ite of A.P. India, her	favour of M/s. MISHRA corporated and registere registered office at P.G ein after referred to as	DHATU NIGAM as a company D. Kanchanbagh, the "purchaser"
2.	In consideration of M/s. exempt	called the said ag deposit for the due for the said Rupees	include its successors as the terms and condition dated	called the said assigns and legal ins of Purchase / for for foney / Security intractor(s) of the uction of a bank only), we erred to as "The Contractor(s) do exceeding Rs or suffered or ach by the said
3.	We	ndertake to pay to Fe hout any demur, med is due by way of Purchaser by reaso (s) failure to perform to conclusive as regates. However, our	Purchaser the amounts or rely on a demand from I loss or damage caused n of breach by the said on the said agreement. A ards the amount due an liability under this Guare	due and payable Purchaser stating to or would be agreement or by any such demand d payable by the arantee shall be
4.	We undertake to pay Puror or disputes by the contral any court of tribunal related and unequivocal. The padischarge of our liability claim against us for making	ctor(s) / supplier(s) in ting thereto, our list syment so made by for payment thereur	n any suit or proceeding ability under this presen us under this Guarant	s pending before it being absolute ee shall be valid
5.	Weherein contained shall re taken for the performan	main in full force an	d affect during the perio	od that would be

enforceable till all the dues of Purchase under or by virtue of the said Agreement have been fully paid and its claims satisfied or discharges or till Purchaser certifies that the terms and conditions of the said Agreement have been fully and properly carried out by the said contractor(s) and accordingly discharges this guarantee. Provided that if Purchaser together with the Contractor seeks an extension of terms of the Guarantee, such extension shall be granted by the Bank and the guarantee shall be in full force till the expiry of such extended period.

6.	We (Bank) further agree with Purchaser	that
	Purchaser shall have the fullest liberty without our consent and without affectin	g in
	any manner our obligations hereunder to vary any of the terms and conditions of	the
	said agreement or to extend time of performance by the said contractor(s) from t	time
	to time or to postpone for any time or from time to time any of the povential to the povent	vers
	exercisable by purchaser against the said Contractor(s) and to forebear or enforce	any
	of the terms and conditions relating to the said agreement and we shall not	t be
	relieved from our liability by reason of any such variation of extension being gran	nted
	to the said contractor(s) or for any forbearance, act or omission on the par	t of
	Purchaser or any indulgence by Purchaser to the said contractor(s) or by any s	such
	matter or thing whatsoever which under the law relating to sureties would but for	this
	provisions, have effect of so relieving us.	

- 7. It shall not be necessary for Purchaser to proceed against the contractor before proceeding against the Bank and the guarantee herein contained shall be enforceable against the Bank notwithstanding any security which Purchaser may have obtained or obtains from the contractor.
- 8. This guarantee shall not be discharged due to the change in the constitution of the Bank or the contractor(s).
- 9. We (Bank) lastly undertake not to revoke this guarantee during its currency except with the previous consent of Purchase in writing.

In witness whereof these presents are executed at on the date, month and year first herein above written.

FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE BANK WITHIN NAMED

GST CLAUSE FOR TENDER

Note to Suppliers regarding Invoice and related payment conditions:

- 1. The GST invoice to be submitted by supplier shall be in accordance with provisions of Sec 31 of CGST Act, 2017 and shall contain all particulars specified in rule 46 of CGST Rules including HSN/SAC codes.
- 2. Wherever E-invoice is applicable as per provisions of GST Act and notifications issued from time to time, bills will be processed only on submission of E-invoice (in addition to all other relevant documents). If E-invoice is not applicable, supplier is requested to submit the declaration on letter head signed by Authorized signatory in the attached format at Annexure-A.
- 3. Further to above, if the aggregate turnover of the supplier exceeds threshold limits as notified by Government of India at any future date, then E-invoice shall be applicable and the bidder has to comply with required provisions of GST Law.
- 4. Supplier need to give declaration whether he is filing GSTR-1 and GSTR-3B on monthly basis or quarterly basis. If supplier is filing /opted for GSTR-1 and GSTR-3B on Quarterly basis, supplier is requested to submit the declaration on letter head signed by Authorized signatory in the attached format at Annexure-B.
- 5. If the supplier is filing returns on monthly basis, payment will be made only after filing of GSTR-1 and GSTR-3B of the respective month including availability of invoice in GSTR-2B(It is to be noted that the Invoice will appear in GSTR-2B of corresponding month if the supplier files GSTR-1 within due dates mentioned in the Act).
- 6. If supplier is filing / opted for GSTR-1 and GSTR-3B on Quarterly basis, only the base amounts will be paid initially and release of GST amounts will be made only after quarterly filing of GSTR-1, GSTR-3B of corresponding months including availability of invoice in GSTR-2B (It is to be noted that the Invoice will appear in GSTR-2B of corresponding month if the supplier files GSTR-1 within due dates mentioned in the Act). After filing of GSTR-1 and GSTR-3B Supplier has to intimate the same to Purchase Department along with copies of GSTR-1 and GSTR-3B for onward intimation to Finance Department.
- 7. In case MIDHANI is unable to avail GST credit within time limit specified under the GST Act due to delay in filing and /or intimation regarding filing of GST returns by supplier or due to any other fault of supplier, corresponding GST amounts will not be paid to supplier.

TO BE PRINTED ON LETTER HEAD

To whomsoever, it may concern.

We M/s having Registration Number hereby under (as per Section 2(6) of Central Goods and Service financial year does not exceed the prescribed to declaration) for generation a Unique Invoice Registric per the provisions of Central Goods and Services 1 ("GST Law").	ertake that our Aggregate Turnover es Tax Act, 2017) for the previous hreshold (as on the date of this ation Number (IRN) and QR code as
Further, we also undertake that if the exceeds the current thresh Government of India at any future date, then we credit note in compliance with the required provision	hold or revised threshold notified by shall issue invoice, Debit Note and
I/Weacting on behalf of (Company r (designation) and keep it indemnified aga which it suffers (or) incurs due to beach on our part of	inst any losses, damages (or) costs
LEGAL NAME :	
TRADE NAME :	
TAX PAYER TYPE :Regular	
Thanking you.	
Yours Truly, For M/s	
Authorized SignatoryName: Designation: Stamp:	

TO BE PRINTED ON LETTER HEAD

To whomsoever, it may concern.

We M/s having PAN an	d GSTIN
Registration Number hereby confirm that our Aggregate	Turnover
(as perSection 2(6) of Central Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017)was not m	ore than
prescribed limit for Quarterly filing and we are anticipating that turnover	for the
Current Financial year also will be within the prescribed limit. Hence, we o	pt to file
GSTR-1 and GSTR-3B returns on a Quarterly basis for the Financial year	ar 2020-
2021(January 2021 onwards). We are hereby agreeing to file GSTR-1 and GS	TR-3B on
or before due dates as per provisions of GST Act and Rules thereunder. In	case we
revise option / required to file GSTR-1 and GSTR-3B on monthly basis, sam	e will be
intimated immediately and complied with.	
	c /
Further, we also undertake that if the aggregate turnover of the current threshold or revised threshold	-
by Government of India at any future date, then we shall file returns complia	
the provisions of GST Act or rules made thereunder.	
I/Weacting on behalf of (Company name) in the of (designation) and keep it indemnified against any losses, damages	
which it suffers (or) incurs due to beach on our part of this declaration.	OI) COSES
` ,	
Our GST details as per GST Registration certificate are as below:	
LEGAL NAME :	
TRADE NAME :	
Thanking you.	
Yours Truly,	
For M/s	
(Authorized Signatory)	
Name:	
Designation:	
Stamp:	

DECLARATION TO BE GIVEN BY VENDORS WITH BID (MANDATORY) IN CASE THE VALUE OF PROCUREMENT IS MORE THAN 5 LAKHS

Tender	Ref	No:
ICHACI	101	110.

With reference to the above mentioned RFP/Tender, we hear by confirm that we
have read the Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India) Order No. P-
45021/2/2017-PP (BE-II) revision dated 19-07-2024 and the updates and the
percentage of local (Indian) content in the offered items/service is
and the place/places of value addition done is/are

Signature with seal

Note: In cases of procurement for value in excess of 10 Crores the Class-I /Class-II local supplier shall be required to provide a certificate from statutory auditor or cost auditor (In case of companies)or from a practicing cost accountant or practicing charted accountant (In respect of suppliers other than companies) giving the percentage of local content.

No. P-45021/2/2017-PP (BE-II)-Part(4)Vol.II Government of India Ministry of Commerce and Industry Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (Public Procurement Section)

Vanijya Bhawan, New Delhi Dated: 19 July,2024

<u>To</u>

All Central Ministries/Departments/CPSUs/All concerned

ORDER

Subject: Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017–Revision; regarding.

Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, in partial modification [Paras 2, 3, 5, 10 & 13] of Order No.P-45021/2/2017-B.E.-II dated 15.6.2017 as amended by Order No.P-45021/2/2017-B.E.-II dated 28.05.2018, Order No.P-45021/2/2017-B.E.-II dated 29.05.2019, Order No.P-45021/2/2017-B.E.-II dated 04.06.2020 and Order No.P-45021/2/2017-B.E.-II dated 16.09.2020 hereby issues the revised 'Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017" dated 19.07.2024 effective with immediate effect.

Whereas it is the policy of the Government of India to encourage 'Make in India' and promote manufacturing and production of goods and services in India with a view to enhancing income and employment, and

Whereas procurement by the Government is substantial in amount and can contribute towards this policy objective, and

Whereas local content can be increased through partnerships, cooperation with local companies, establishing production units in India or Joint Ventures (JV) with Indian suppliers, increasing the participation of local employees in services and training them,

Now therefore the following Order is issued:

- 1. This Order is issued pursuant to Rule 153 (iii) of the General Financial Rules 2017.
- Definitions: For the purposes of this Order:

'Local content' means the amount of value added in India which shall, unless otherwise prescribed by the Nodal Ministry, be the total value of the item procured (excluding net domestic indirect taxes) minus the value of imported content in the item (including all customs duties) as a proportion of the total value, in percent.

Explanatory notes for calculation of local content given above

- a Imported items sourced locally from resellers/distributors shall be excluded from calculation of local content.
- b. The license fees/royalties paid/ technical charges paid out of India shall be excluded from local content calculation.

c. Procurement/Supply of repackaged/refurbished/rebranded imported products as understood commonly shall be treated as reselling of imported products and shall be excluded from calculation of local content. The definition of repackaged/refurbished/rebranded imported products is as follows;

'Refurbishing' means repair or reconditioning of an imported product does not amount to manufacture because no new goods come into existence.

'Repackaging' means repacking of imported goods from bulk pack to smaller packs would not ordinarily amount to manufacture of a new item.

'Rebranding' means relabeling or renaming or change in symbol or logo/makes or corporate image of a company/organization/ firm for an imported product would amount to rebranding.

- d. To ensure that imported items sourced locally from resellers/distributors are excluded from calculation of local content, procuring entities to obtain from bidders, the cost of such locally-sourced imported items (Inclusive of taxes) along with break-up on license/royalties paid/technical expertise cost etc. sourced from outside India. For items sold by bidder as reseller, OEM certificate for country of origin to be submitted.
- e. For contracts involving supply of multiple items, weighted average of all items to be taken while calculating the local content.

'Class-I local supplier' means a supplier or service provider, whose goods, services or works offered for procurement, meets the minimum local content as prescribed for 'Class-I local supplier' under this Order.

'Class-II local supplier' means a supplier or service provider, whose goods, services or works offered for procurement, meets the minimum local content as prescribed for 'Class-II local supplier' but less than that prescribed for 'Class-I local supplier' under this Order.

'Non - Local supplier' means a supplier or service provider, whose goods, services or works offered for procurement, has local content less than that prescribed for 'Class-II local supplier' under this Order.

'L1' means the lowest tender or lowest bid or the lowest quotation received in a tender, bidding process or other procurement solicitation as adjudged in the evaluation process as per the tender or other procurement solicitation.

'Margin of purchase preference' means the maximum extent to which the price quoted by a "Class-I local supplier" may be above the L1 for the purpose of purchase preference.

'Nodal Ministry' means the Ministry or Department identified pursuant to this order in respect of a particular item of goods or services or works.

'Procuring entity' means a Ministry or department or attached or subordinate office of, or autonomous body controlled by, the Government of India and includes Government companies as defined in the Companies Act.

'Works' means all works as per Rule 130 of GFR- 2017, and will also include 'turnkey works'.

2A. Special treatment for items covered under PLI Scheme

The manufacturers manufacturing an item under PLI scheme shall be treated as deemed Class II local supplier for that item unless they have minimum local content equal to or higher than that notified for Class-I local supplier for that item, provided the manufacturer has received incentive from the concerned PLI Ministry for the item. The above shall be applicable for the specific time period only, as notified by concerned PLI Ministry.

3. Eligibility of 'Class-I local supplier'/ 'Class-II local supplier'/ 'Non-local suppliers' for different types of procurement

- (a) In procurement of all goods, services or works in respect of which the Nodal Ministry / Department has communicated that there is sufficient local capacity and local competition, only 'Class-I local supplier', as defined under the Order, shall be eligible to bid irrespective of purchase value.
- (b) Only 'Class-I local supplier' and 'Class-II local supplier', as defined under the Order, shall be eligible to bid in procurement undertaken by procuring entities, except when Global tender enquiry has been issued. In global tender enquiries, 'Non-local suppliers' shall also be eligible to bid along with 'Class-I local suppliers' and 'Class-II local suppliers'. In procurement of all goods, services or works, not covered by sub-para 3(a) above, and with estimated value of purchases less than Rs. 200 Crore, in accordance with Rule 161(iv) of GFR, 2017, Global tender enquiry shall not be issued except with the approval of competent authority as designated by Department of Expenditure.
- (c) For the purpose of this Order, works includes Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) contracts and services include System Integrator (SI) contracts.

3.1 Mandatory sourcing of items, with sufficient local capacity and competition, from Class-I local suppliers in SI/EPC/Turnkey Contracts/Service Tenders

- a. The items, notified as having sufficient local capacity and competition, shall mandatory be sourced from Class-I local suppliers in SI/EPC/Turnkey Contracts/ Services tenders. This provision will be applicable only for those items which have been notified by the Nodal Ministry as Class I i.e. having sufficient local capacity and competition, with specific HSN codes."
- b. Notwithstanding above, if in any project, it is considered that it is not practically feasible to source such items from Class I local suppliers, it may take relaxation from such stipulation with the approval of Secretary of the administrative Ministry/ Department concerned or with the approval of the Competent Authority specified by the Administrative Ministry/Department, on case-specific basis.

3A. Purchase Preference

- (a) Subject to the provisions of this Order and to any specific instructions issued by the Nodal Ministry or in pursuance of this Order, purchase preference shall be given to 'Class-I local supplier' in procurement undertaken by procuring entities in the manner specified here under.
- (b) In the procurement of goods or works, which are covered by para 3(b)

above and which are divisible in nature, the 'Class-I local supplier' shall get purchase preference over 'Class-II local supplier' as well as 'Non-local supplier', as per following procedure:

i. Among all qualified bids, the lowest bid will be termed as L1. If L1 is 'Class-I

local supplier, the contract for full quantity will be awarded to L1.

ii. If L1 bid is not a 'Class-I local supplier', 50% of the order quantity shall be awarded to L1. Thereafter, the lowest bidder among the 'Class-I local supplier' will be invited to match the L1 price for the remaining 50% quantity subject to the Class-I local supplier's quoted price falling within the margin of purchase preference, and contract for that quantity shall be awarded to such 'Class-I local supplier' subject to matching the L1 price. In case such lowest eligible 'Class-I local supplier' fails to match the L1 price or accepts less than the offered quantity, the next higher 'Class-I local supplier' within the margin of purchase preference shall be invited to match the L1 price for remaining quantity and so on, and contract shall be awarded accordingly. In case some quantity is still left uncovered on Class-I local suppliers, then such balance quantity may also be ordered on the L1 bidder.

(c) In the procurement of goods or works, which are covered by para 3(b) above and which are not divisible in nature, and in procurement of services where the bid is evaluated on price alone, the 'Class-I local supplier' shall get purchase preference over 'Class-II local supplier' as well as 'Non-local supplier', as per

following procedure:

i. Among all qualified bids, the lowest bid will be termed as L1. If L1 is Class -I local

supplier', the contract will be awarded to L1.

ii. If L1 is not 'Class-I local supplier', the lowest bidder among the 'Class-I local supplier', will be invited to match the L1 price subject to Class-I local supplier's quoted price falling within the margin of purchase preference, and the contract shall be awarded to such 'Class-I local supplier' subject to matching the L1 price.

- iii. In case such lowest eligible 'Class-I local supplier' fails to match the L1 price, the 'Class-I local supplier' with the next higher bid within the margin of purchase preference shall be invited to match the L1 price and so on and contract shall be awarded accordingly. In case none of the 'Class-I local supplier' within the margin of purchase preference matches the L1 price, the contract may be awarded to the L1 bidder.
- (d) "Class-II local supplier" will not get purchase preference in any procurement, undertaken by procuring entities.
- **3B.** Applicability in tenders where contract is to be awarded to multiple bidders- In tenders where contract is awarded to multiple bidders subject to matching of L1 rates or otherwise, the 'Class-I local supplier' shall get purchase preference over 'Class-II local supplier' as well as 'Non-local supplier', as per following procedure:
 - a. In case there is sufficient local capacity and competition for the item to be procured, as notified by the nodal Ministry, only Class I local suppliers shall be eligible to bid. As such, the multiple suppliers, who would be awarded the contract, should be all and only 'Class I Local suppliers'.
 - b. In other cases, 'Class II local suppliers' and 'Non local suppliers' may also participate in the bidding process along with 'Class I Local suppliers' as per provisions of this Order.
 - c. If 'Class I Local suppliers' qualify for award of contract for at least

50% of the tendered quantity in any tender, the contract may be awarded to all the qualified bidders as per award criteria stipulated in the bid documents. However, in case 'Class I Local suppliers' do not qualify for award of contract for at least 50% of the tendered quantity, purchase preference should be given to the 'Class I local supplier' over 'Class II local suppliers'/ 'Non local suppliers' provided that their quoted rate falls within 20% margin of purchase preference of the highest quoted bidder considered for award of contract so as to ensure that the 'Class I Local suppliers' taken in totality are considered for award of contract for at least 50% of the tendered quantity.

- d. First purchase preference has to be given to the lowest quoting 'Class-I local supplier', whose quoted rates fall within 20% margin of purchase preference, subject to its meeting the prescribed criteria for award of contract as also the constraint of maximum quantity that can be sourced from any single supplier. If the lowest quoting 'Class-I local supplier', does not qualify for purchase preference because of aforesaid constraints or does not accept the offered quantity, an opportunity may be given to next higher 'Class-I local supplier', falling within 20% margin of purchase preference, and so on.
- e. To avoid any ambiguity during bid evaluation process, the procuring entities may stipulate its own tender specific criteria for award of contract amongst different bidders including the procedure for purchase preference to 'Class-I local supplier' within the broad policy guidelines stipulated in sub- paras above.
- 4. Exemption of small purchases: Notwithstanding anything contained in paragraph 3, procurement where the estimated value to be procured is less than Rs. 5 lakhs shall be exempt from this Order. However, it shall be ensured by procuring entities that procurement is not split for the purpose of avoiding the provisions of this Order.

4A. Exemption in sourcing of spares and consumables of closed systems:

Procurement of spare parts, consumables for closed systems and Maintenance/ Service contracts with Original Equipment Manufacturer/Original Equipment Supplier/Original Part Manufacturer shall be exempted from this Order.

- 5. **Minimum local content**: The 'local content' requirement to categorize a supplier as 'Class-I local supplier' is minimum 50%. For 'Class-II local supplier', the 'local content' requirement is minimum 20%. Nodal Ministry/ Department may prescribe only a higher percentage of minimum local content requirement to categorize a supplier as 'Class-I local supplier'/ 'Class-II local supplier'. For the items, for which Nodal Ministry/ Department has not prescribed higher minimum local content notification under the Order, it shall be 50% and 20% for 'Class-I local supplier'/ 'Class-II local supplier' respectively.
- 6. **Margin of Purchase Preference**: The margin of purchase preference shall be 20%.
- 7. Requirement for specification in advance: The minimum local content, the margin of purchase preference and the procedure for preference to Make in India shall be specified in the notice inviting tenders or other form of procurement solicitation and shall not be varied during a particular procurement transaction.
- 8. Government E-marketplace: In respect of procurement through the Government E-marketplace (GeM) shall, as far as possible, specifically mark the items which meet the minimum local content while registering the item for

display, and shall, wherever feasible, make provision for automated comparison with purchase preference and without purchase preference and for obtaining consent of the local supplier in those cases where purchase preference is to be exercised.

9. Verification of local content:

- a. The 'Class-I local supplier'/ 'Class-II local supplier' at the time of tender, bidding or solicitation shall be required to indicate percentage of local content and provide self-certification that the item offered meets the local content requirement for 'Class-I local supplier'/ 'Class-II local supplier', as the case may be. They shall also give details of the location(s) at which the local value addition is made.
- b. In cases of procurement for a value in excess of Rs. 10 crores, the 'Class-I local supplier'/ 'Class-II local supplier' shall be required to provide a certificate from the statutory auditor or cost auditor of the company (in the case of companies) or from a practicing cost accountant or practicing chartered accountant (in respect of suppliers other than companies) giving the percentage of local content.
- c. The bidder shall give self-certification for local content in the quoted item (goods/works/services) at the time of tendering. However, at the time of execution of the project, for all contracts above INR 10 Crore, the contractor/ supplier shall be required to give local content certification duly certified by cost/ chartered accountant in practice. For cases where it is not possible to provide certification by Cost/Chartered Accountant at the time of execution of project, the supplier shall be permitted to provide the certificate for local content from Cost/ Chartered Accountant after completion of the contract, within time limit acceptable to the procuring entity. In case the contractor/ supplier does not meet the stipulated local content requirement and the category of the supplier changes from Class-I to Class-II/ Non-local or from Class-II to Non-local, a penalty upto 10% of the contract value may be imposed. However, contract once awarded shall not be terminated on this account.
- d. Decisions on complaints relating to implementation of this Order shall be taken by the competent authority which is empowered to look into procurement-related complaints relating to the procuring entity.
- e. Nodal Ministries may constitute committees with internal and external experts for independent verification of self-declarations and auditor's/ accountant's certificates on random basis and in the case of complaints.
- f. Nodal Ministries and procuring entities may prescribe fees for such complaints.
- g. False declarations will be in breach of the Code of Integrity under Rule 175(1)(i)(h) of the General Financial Rules for which a bidder or its successors can be debarred for up to two years as per Rule 151 (iii) of the General Financial Rules along with such other actions as may be permissible under law.
- h. A supplier who has been debarred by any procuring entity for violation of this Order shall not be eligible for preference under this Order for procurement by any other procuring entity for the duration of the debarment. The debarment for such other procuring entities shall take effect prospectively from the date on which it comes to the notice of other procurement entities, in the manner prescribed under paragraph 9

i below.

- i. The Department of Expenditure shall issue suitable instructions for the effective and smooth operation of this process, so that:
 - The fact and duration of debarment for violation of this Order by any procuring entity are promptly brought to the notice of the Member-Convenor of the Standing Committee and the Department of Expenditure through the concerned Ministry /Department or in some other manner;
 - ii. On a periodical basis such cases are consolidated and a centralized list or decentralized lists of such suppliers with the period of debarment is maintained and displayed on website(s);
 - iii. In respect of procuring entities other than the one which has carried out the debarment, the debarment takes effect prospectively from the date of uploading on the website(s) in the such a manner that ongoing procurement are not disrupted.

10. Specifications in Tenders and other procurement solicitations:

- a. Every procuring entity shall ensure that the eligibility conditions in respect of previous experience fixed in any tender or solicitation do not require proof of supply in other countries or proof of exports.
- b. Procuring entities shall endeavour to see that eligibility conditions, including on matters like turnover, production capability and financial strength do not result in unreasonable exclusion of 'Class-I local supplier' 'Class-II local supplier' who would otherwise be eligible, beyond what is essential for ensuring quality or creditworthiness of the supplier.
- c. Procuring entities shall, within 2 months of the issue of this Order review all existing eligibility norms and conditions with reference to subparagraphs 'a' and 'b' above.

d. Reciprocity Clause

- i. When a Nodal Ministry/Department identifies that Indian suppliers of an item are not allowed to participate and/ or compete in procurement by any foreign government, due to restrictive tender conditions which have direct or indirect effect of barring Indian companies such as registration in the procuring country, execution of projects of specific value in the procuring country etc., it shall provide such details to all its procuring entities including CMDs/CEOs of PSEs/PSUs, State Governments and other procurement agencies under their administrative control and GeM for appropriate reciprocal action.
- ii. Entities of countries which have been identified by the nodal Ministry/Department as not allowing Indian companies to participate in their Government procurement for any item related to that nodal Ministry shall not be allowed to participate in Government procurement in India for all items related to that nodal Ministry/ Department, except for the list of items published by the Ministry/ Department permitting their participation.
- iii. The stipulation in (ii) above shall be part of all tenders invited by the Central Government procuring entities stated in (i) above. All purchases on GeM shall also necessarily have the above provisions for items identified by nodal Ministry/ Department.
- iv. State Governments should be encouraged to incorporate similar provisions in their respective tenders.
- v. The term 'entity' of a country shall have the same meaning as under the FDI Policy of DPIIT as amended from time to time.
- e. Specifying foreign certifications/ unreasonable technical specifications/

brands/ models in the bid document is restrictive and discriminatory practice against local suppliers. If foreign certification is required to be stipulated because of non-availability of Indian Standards and/or for any other reason, the same shall be done only after written approval of Secretary of the Department concerned or any other Authority having been designated such power by the Secretary of the Department concerned.

- f. "All administrative Ministries/Departments whose procurement exceeds Rs. 1000 Crore per annum shall notify/update their procurement projections every year, including those of the PSEs/PSUs, for the next 5 years on their respective website."
- 10A. Action for non-compliance of the Provisions of the Order: In case restrictive or discriminatory conditions against domestic suppliers are included in bid documents, an inquiry shall be conducted by the Administrative Department undertaking the procurement (including procurement by any entity under its administrative control) to fix responsibility for the same. Thereafter, appropriate action, administrative or otherwise, shall be taken against erring officials of procurement entities under relevant provisions. Intimation on all such actions shall be sent to the Standing Committee.
- 11. **Assessment of supply base by Nodal Ministries**: The Nodal Ministry shall keep in view the domestic manufacturing / supply base and assess the available capacity and the extent of local competition while identifying items and prescribing the higher minimum local content or the manner of its calculation, with a view to avoiding cost increase from the operation of this Order.
- 12. **Increase in minimum local content**: The Nodal Ministry may annually review the local content requirements with a view to increasing them, subject to availability of sufficient local competition with adequate quality.
- 13. Manufacture under license/ technology collaboration agreements with phased indigenization: While notifying the minimum local content, Nodal Ministries may make special provisions for exempting suppliers from meeting the stipulated local content if the product is being manufactured in India under a license from a foreign manufacturer who holds intellectual property rights and where there is a technology collaboration agreement / transfer of technology agreement for indigenous manufacture of a product developed abroad with clear phasing of increase in local content.
 - 13A. In procurement of all goods, services or works in respect of which there is substantial quantity of public procurement and for which the nodal ministry has not notified that there is sufficient local capacity and local competition, the concerned nodal ministry shall notify an upper threshold value of procurement beyond which foreign companies shall enter into a joint venture with an Indian company to participate in the tender. Procuring entities, while procuring such items beyond the notified threshold value, shall prescribe in their respective tenders that foreign companies may enter into a joint venture with an Indian company to participate in the tender. The procuring Ministries/Departments shall also make special provisions for exempting such joint ventures from meeting the stipulated minimum local content requirement, which shall be increased in a phased manner.
 - 14. Powers to grant exemption and to reduce minimum local content: The administrative Department undertaking the procurement (including Page 8 of 10

procurement by any entity under its administrative control), with the approval of their Minister-in-charge, may by written order, for reasons to be recorded in writing,

a. reduce the minimum local content below the prescribed level; or

b. reduce the margin of purchase preference below 20%; or

c. exempt any particular item or supplying entities from the operation of this Order or any part of the Order.

The Administrative Department, while seeking exemption under this para, shall certify that such an item(s) has not been notified by Nodal Ministry/ Department concerned under para 3 (a) of the Order.

A copy of every such order shall be provided to the Standing Committee and concerned Nodal Ministry / Department. The Nodal Ministry / Department concerned will continue to have the power to vary its notification on Minimum Local Content.

15. **Directions to Government companies**: In respect of Government companies and other procuring entities not governed by the General Financial Rules, the administrative Ministry or Department shall issue policy directions requiring compliance with this Order.

16. Standing Committee: A standing committee is hereby constituted with the following

membership:

Secretary, Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade - Chairman

Secretary, Commerce—Member

Secretary, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology—Member Joint Secretary (Public Procurement), Department of Expenditure—Member Joint Secretary (DPIIT)—Member-Convenor

The Secretary of the Department concerned with a particular item shall be a member in respect of issues relating to such item. The Chairman of the Committee may co-opt technical experts as relevant to any issue or class of issues under its consideration.

- 17. Functions of the Standing Committee: The Standting Committee shall meet as often as necessary, but not less than once in six months. The Committee
 - a. shall oversee the implementation of this order and issues arising therefrom, and make recommendations to Nodal Ministries and procuring entities.

b. shall annually assess and periodically monitor compliance with this Order

- c. shall identify Nodal Ministries and the allocation of items among them for issue of notifications on minimum local content
- d. may require furnishing of details or returns regarding compliance with this Order and related matters
- e. may, during the annual review or otherwise, assess issues, if any, where it is felt that the manner of implementation of the order results in any restrictive practices, cartelization or increase in public expenditure and suggest remedial measures
- f. may examine cases covered by paragraph 13 above relating to manufacture under license/ technology transfer agreements with a view to satisfying itself that adequate mechanisms exist for enforcement of such agreements and for attaining the underlying objective of progressive indigenization

- g. may consider any other issue relating to this Order which may arise.
- 18. **Removal of difficulties**: Ministries /Departments and the Boards of Directors of Government companies may issue such clarifications and instructions as may be necessary for the removal of any difficulties arising in the implementation of this Order.
- 19. **Ministries having existing policies**: Where any Ministry or Department has its own policy for preference to local content approved by the Cabinet after 1st January 2015, such policies will prevail over the provisions of this Order. All other existing orders on preference to local content shall be reviewed by the Nodal Ministries and revised as needed to conform to this Order, within two months of the issue of this Order.
- 20. **Transitional provision**: This Order shall not apply to any tender or procurement for which notice inviting tender or other form of procurement solicitation has been issued before the issue of this Order.

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Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India) Clause:

Purchase preference will be granted as per Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order-2017 as amended, issued by DPIIT/Ministry of Commerce and Industry.

This tender notice/RFP complies with Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 by Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion, Ministry of Commerce and Industry Government of India issued vide letter No. P-45021/2/2017-B.E-II dated: 15th June'2017 and as amended. (For latest updates refer to www.dpiit.gov.in).

The following is add-on information. However it is mandatory to refer website www.dpiit.gov.in for latest update prior to responding for this tender.

Brief of recent amendment issued vide letter No: P-45021/2/2017-PP (BE-II) dated: 16th Sept'2020 is given below.

(a) Types of Suppliers:

Class – I Local Supplier : Local content = 50% Minimum

Class – II Local Supplier: Local content = 20% Minimum and less than 50%

Non-Local Supplier : Local content = Less than 20%

- (b) Margin of purchase preference = 20%
- (c) Preference (s):
 - "Class-I Local Supplier" is only eligible to bid irrespective of bid value for which Nodal ministry has declared there is sufficient local capacity available for the tendered stores/service.
 - "Class-I Local" Supplier and "Class-II Local Supplier" as defined under the order shall be eligible to bid for procurements except when Global tender enquiry has been issued. In Global tender enquiries, non local suppliers shall also be eligible to bid along with 'Class-I Local Supplier' and "Class-II Local Suppliers'.
 - Works includes Engineering, procurement and construction (EPC) contracts and services include system integrator (SI) contracts
- (d) L1-Declaration Methodology for divisible goods or works:
 - Among all qualified bids, Lowest bid is termed as L1
 - If L1 = Class-I Local Supplier, full quantity will be awarded to L1;
 - If L1 bid is not Class-I local supplier, 50% of the order quantity shall be awarded to L1 and balance 50% quantity will be awarded to the lowest bidder among the "Class-I Local Suppliers" to match the L1 price and subject to his quoted price falling within 20% of L1 price; If fails to match, the same will be offered to next higher bidder among Class-I Local Suppliers and so on. In case some quantity left uncovered on class-I local suppliers, such balance quantity shall be awarded to L1.
- (e) L1-Declaration Methodology for non-divisible goods or works:
 - Among all qualified bids, Lowest bid is termed as L1
 - If L1 = Class-I Local Supplier, order will be awarded to L1
 - If L1 = Not a Class-I Local Supplier then order will be awarded to the lowest bidder among the "Class-I Local Suppliers" to match the L1 price subject to his quoted price falling within 20% of L1 price.
 - If fails to match, the same will be offered to next higher bidder among Class-I Local Suppliers and so on.
 - In case none of the Class-I Local Suppliers matches the L1 Price, then order shall be awarded to L1.
- (f) Verification of Local Content:
 - The Class-I Local Supplier / Class-II Local Supplier need to provide percentage of local content, location(s) of value addition and self-certification to this effect along with their technical bidding document.

- For procurement value more than Rs. 10 Crores, the Class -I Local Supplier / Class-II Local Supplier need to provide percentage of local content, location(s) of value addition and certification to this effect obtained from Statutory Auditor / Cost Auditor (for companies) or from Practicing Cost Accountant or Practicing Charted Accountant (for other than companies) along with their technical bidding document.
- In case any Bidder provides false certification with respect to local contents etc, bidder or their successor(s) can be debarred up to two years as per provisions of GFR along with such other actions as may be permissible under law.

Note: For complete details, please refer Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India) Order 2017 P-45021/2/217-PP (BE-II) revision dated: 16th Sept'2020 (Enclosed)