

Query and Clarification for Request for Bid for Printing and Supply of 4 fold leaflets (02 crore quantity)
for Mahila Samvad Program vide Ref no BRLPS/Proj-Com/2343/24
Dated: 29-11-2024 (Eproc 2.0 Tender no- 80736)

S. No	RFP Ref No	Query raised and suggestion given by bidder	Clarification.
1	5.1.1 Technical Evaluation Criteria SN 1	Amend or exempt the following point no. 5.1.1 Sr. No. 1 under start up India DPIIT exemption or allow Bidder to provide work orders from private clients for the same.	Same as per bid. Bihar Financial Rules and Gazette Notification issued from Government of Bihar time to time will be followed.
2	Section 1 page no 4 delivery timelines.	Bidder request to split the work at least in 4 different packages so that work can be done in time. This could be done on basis of clubbing district of Bihar in different packages, leaving the final date of delivery to 15th Feb.	No Change. Same as per Bid.
3	Section 1 page no 5 – method of selection- Work to allocated to bidder whose price is lowest (L 1)	Since inception of procurements of printing materials at JEEVIKA, there has been no case where the supply has been made timely by the L1 bidder. We request you kindly validate this at your end too. And we suggest that since JEEVIKA is part of Department of Rural Development, the department should follow the same rules for procurement i.e. Bihar Financial Rules, MSME Guidelines, where the work should be distributed between L1, L2, L3, L4 at least, if the bidders agree for the same.	No Change. Same as per Bid. Kindly refer SN 10 –Method of Selection at Page no 5 of RFB document (Bid Details)
4	Section 3 page no 3	This has been observed in few previous tenders that printers outside of Bihar don't consider the work seriously and fail to do work allotted on time, which has unnecessary delay to the work. This can be validated from the past records available at the department. Therefore we request you to allow printers based out of Bihar only for the work, which is being applied at various other departments. Attached a tender for information.	It is clarified that Bihar Financial Rules and Gazette Notification issued from Government of Bihar time to time will be followed.
5	The bidder should have Minimum Average Annual Turnover of Rs 04 (Four) Crore for the last three	Request to decrease the turnover for increasing participation in tender process.	No Change. Same as per bid.

	financial years (2023-24, 2022-23 & 2021-22)	
6	Whether E-way bill will be require or not?	Yes, E-Way bill be required for each supply.
7	बिहार सरकार के द्वारा लघु उद्योग इकाई को बढ़ावा देने हेतु निविदा को बिहार स्तर पर ही निविदा प्रकाशित करने हेतु विचार किया जाए। जिसे बिहार सरकार के अन्य विभाग द्वारा भी लागू किया गया है। बिहार स्टेट टेक्स्ट बुक पब्लिशिंग कॉ. लि. के द्वारा भी समग्र शिक्षा अभियान के निविदा में निविदाता बिहार राज्य के हो इस बात का जिक्र है। जिसका निविदा संख्या- BSTBPC/E-tender/SSA Textbooks Class-I to VIII/2025-26/3033 दिनांक-28.08.2024 है।	Not Accepted. It is clarified that Bihar Financial Rules and Gazette Notification issued from Government of Bihar time to time will be followed.
8	फोल्डर की आपूर्ति हेतु निविदा में समय दर्शाया गया है जिसमें कि निविदा के फलाफल के पश्चात् मुद्रणादेश प्राप्त होने के उपरांत तथा प्रुफ पास होने की तिथि तय होनी चाहिए।	Kindly refer point no.2 of Section 1 (Request for Bid) of the bidding document. It is clarified that draft content will be provided along with Letter of Acceptance (LOA) and bidder must submit colored proof in prescribed paper size for verification within 02 days from LOA. The verified copy will be handed over to the bidder (to whom Letter of Acceptance will be issued). It will be the responsibility of bidder to collect the verified copy after verification from BRLPS Office.
9	पूर्ण आपूर्ति की समय-सीमा प्रुफ पास होने के उपरांत कम-से-कम 2 महीने की हानी चाहिए।	Not Accepted. As per Bid condition , Printing and Supply of 02 Crore Leaflets is divided into three delivery schedule <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st delivery of 75 lakhs quantity , should be completed latest by 10-January-2025. • 2nd delivery of 75 lakhs quantity, should be completed latest by 30-January-2025. • 3rd delivery of 50 lakhs quantity, should be completed latest by 15-February-2025.
10	बिहार सरकार के नियमानुसार लघु उद्योग इकाई को परफॉर्मेंस गारंटी की राशि को 5 प्रतिशत के बदले 1 प्रतिशत जमा करने की छुट है कृपया बिहार सरकार के गजट संख्या- 748 दिनांक- 06.08.2024 का अवलोकन किया जा सकता है। यह नियम भी लागू की जानी चाहिए। बिहार स्टेट टेक्स्ट बुक पब्लिशिंग कॉ. लि. में भी	It is clarified that Bihar Financial Rules and Gazette Notification issued from Government of Bihar time to time will be followed.

	यह नियम लागू किया जाता रहा है।	
11	लॉट के हिसाब से आपूर्ति उपरांत विपत्र जमा करने के बाद 15 दिनों में भुगतान की जानी चाहिए।	Not Accepted. Same as per bid.
12	Submission of price format ?	Bidder is requested to submit their financial quote in price format available at Eproc 2.0 with this tender.