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INVITATION OF QUOTATIONS FOR PROVIDING DEDICATED 1:1 INTERNET LINE ON FIBRE UNDER SHOPPING PROCEDURE

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Dear Sirs,

Sub: Invitation of Quotation for providing dedicated 1:1 Internet Line on Fibre at SPMU Office at 1st & 3rd floors, Vidyut Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna.

1. You are invited to submit your most competitive quotation for the following services:

Sl. No.	Item	Requirement	Completion Period/Start of Service	Place of Installation & Configuration
1	Type of Line	1:1 dedicated ILL	Within 15 days from the date of receipt of Notification of	SPMU Office, 1st & 3rd floors, Annex-II, Vidyut
2	Redundancy	Redundant lines at premise on ring		
3.	Bandwidth Required	200 Mbps		
4.	Static (Public IP)	40 (all whitelisted IPs)	Award	Bhawan, Bailey Road,
5.	SLA Required	99 %		Patna
6.	Hardware (Router etc)	Provided and maintained by vendor		

Note: * Where ISI certification marked goods are available in market, procurement should generally be limited to goods with those or equivalent marking only.

2. Government of Bihar has received a Credit from the World Bank/IDA in various currencies towards the cost of "Bihar Transformative Development Project" and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this credit to eligible payments under the contract for which this invitation for quotations is issued.

3. Important Dates and Times/Bid Document

3.1 Last Date & Time for

3.2

Submission of Bids : Till 03.00 PM on 20.05.2022 Date of opening of Bid : At 03.30 PM on 20.05.2022

Note: Bidders may attend bid opening.

4. Eligibility Criteria

- 4.1 GST registration number along with photocopy of certificate of registration.
- 4.2 Signed and stamped photocopies of at least two Work orders during the last five years for providing the internet services along with completion certificate/s.

5. **Bid Price**

- a) The requirement of bandwidth may increase/decrease, if required.
- b) The price shall be quoted for all the items strictly as described above and for full work including installation and commissioning. Place of installation will be provided By Bihar Rural Livelihoods Promotion Society.
- c) Interlineations, corrections, erasures and/or over writings shall be valid only if initialed by the persons or persons signing the bid.
- d) Applicable GST must be clearly stated. All duties, taxes, freight, insurance, delivery charges and other levies payable by the contractor under the contract shall be included in the quoted price.
- d) The rates quoted by the bidder shall be fixed for the duration of the contract and shall not be subject to adjustment on any account.
- f) The Prices should be quoted in Indian Rupees only.
- g) Discount offered, if any, and conditions thereof must be clearly stated in the bid itself.
- h) Statutory deductions will be made at source, if applicable.

6. Bid Security

An amount of Rs. 10,000.00 (Rupees Ten thousand only) has to be deposited as bid security in the form of Demand Draft or Bank Guarantee in favor of Bihar Rural Livelihoods Promotion Society, Patna. The Bank Guarantee should be valid for 6 months from the date of opening of bid. The Bank Guarantee should be issued from any schedule bank. Bid/s received without bid security shall be treated as non-responsive.

7. Customs Duty & Excise Duty

- 7.1 The BRLPS will not issue any Customs Duty Exemption Certificate or Excise Duty Exemption Certificate for any of the items mentioned in Clause 1 above.
- **8.** All the Installation, commissioning and configuration has to be done by vendor and billing start date should be after successful installation and its verification by IT team of BRLPS.

9. Warranty:

9.1 Bidder has to provide maintenance/guarantee/warranty of the service/items to be provided/used in providing the service.

10. Submission of Bids:

- 10.1 A bidder shall submit quotations in **sealed envelope using their own stationery.** A bidder **shall not submit more than one quotation.**
- 10.2 **The bidder must mention full detail specifications of the service/items quoted**. [Mere copying of the specifications mentioned by the purchaser or mentioning words like "complying"/" compliable" is not sufficient.] The bidder shall furnish, along with the offer, technical brochure supporting specifications of the offered item.
- 10.3 Envelope containing bids must bear, on the cover itself, name and full address of the bidder. Bid number and date & time of bid opening shall also be super-scribed on the cover.
- 10.4 For bids submitted by post or courier, it is bidder's responsibility that bids reach the purchaser's office before the scheduled time of closure of submission of bids.

11. Validity Period of Quotation

Quotation shall remain valid for a period not less than 90 days after the deadline date specified for submission.

12. Evaluation of Quotations

- 11.1 The Purchaser will evaluate and compare the quotation as a whole determined to be substantially responsive i.e., which
 - (a) Are properly signed;
 - (b) Conform to the terms and conditions, technical specifications and Eligibility criteria along with requisite Bid Security.
- Evaluation of bid shall be made for whole service. For this purpose, all sub-items and accessories, if any, of an item will be taken together and considered as one item.
- 11.3 GST in connection with sale of goods/services shall not be taken into account in evaluation. It is mandatory to mention the GST amount in the attached price schedule.

12. Award of contract

- 12.1 The Purchaser will award the contract to the bidder
 - (i) whose quotation has been determined to be substantially responsive; and
 - (ii) who, in the assessment / judgment and sole discretion of the BRLPS, has technical capability to execute the contract; and
 - (iii) who has quoted the lowest evaluated price for the whole work.
 - (iv) In case L1 agency fails to commence the work on time or otherwise, the work may be awarded to L2 agency.
- 12.2 Notwithstanding the above, the Purchaser reserves the right to accept or reject any quotation, to reject quotations for some or all items and to cancel the bidding process at any time prior to the award of contract.
- Prior to expiration of the quotation-validity-period, the award of contract/contracts by the Purchaser will be notified to the bidder, whose offer has been accepted. The terms of the accepted offer/offers shall be incorporated in the contract agreement.
- 12.5 Initially the contract will be awarded for ONE YEAR which may be extended for further period subject to need of BRLPS, satisfactory service and mutual consent/negotiation of the parties.
- 13. Service Provider has to provide name and mobile number of one nodal staff to resolve all the issues related with this work. In addition to that, service provider has to provide online portal for monitoring.
- **14.** Service provider has to do all Integration work with LAN.

15. Performance Security

Successful bidder has to submit a Demand Draft/Bank Guarantee for Rs. 55,000.00 as performance security issued from a schedule bank which will be returned after completion of contract. The bank guarantee should be valid for 15 months from the date of notification of award. The format of Bank Guarantee will be shared with the successful bidder.

16. Completion Period:

The services must be made operational within the date specified in the bidding document. Delay in start of service may attract punitive deduction @ 0.5% week up to a maximum of 5% which may be deducted from ONE TIME CHARGES. On further delay, contract may be terminated.

15. Dispute Resolution

The Purchaser and the Service Provider shall make every effort to resolve amicably by direct informal negotiation of any disagreement or dispute arising between them under or in connection with the Contract. If, the parties have failed to resolve their dispute or difference by such mutual consultation, then either the Purchaser or the Service Provider may give notice to the other party of its intention to commence arbitration. Arbitration proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the laws of India. The arbitration shall be held in Patna and the language will be ENGLISH.

16. Payment:

Payment shall be made within 21 days (excluding Sundays and Holidays) after satisfactory installation with configuration and upon submission of bill in duplicate along with installation certificate duly signed by IT section of BRLPS as per the following payment chart:

- (1) One Time Charges will be paid after successful installation and configuration;
- (2) Annual Recurring Charges will be paid on quarterly basis.
- (3) Proportionate amount will be deducted on account of outage as per SLA from running bills. SLA deduction will be calculated on monthly basis.
- (4) Billing start date should be after successful installation and its verification by IT team of BRLPS.

We look forward to receiving your quotation and thank you for your interest in this project.

(Dr. Santosh) Procurement Specialist

Encl.: Format of Quotation

FORMAT OF QUOTATION

Description of Goods/Work: PROVIDING DEDICATED 1:1 INTERNET LINE ON FIBRE AT SPMU OFFICE AT VIDYUT BHWAN, PATNA Price for each unit (Rs.) Total Price (Rs.) Transportation, Unit rate including excise, insurance, Quan customs duty & Ouoted tity local Description of the Specifications of the excluding sales incidental Unit rate Item and Equipment/Works equipment offered Unit **GST** [a+b+c](in figures) (in words) No. tax costs, etc. (1) (2) (3) (4) (a) (b) (c) (5) (6) (7) One Time Charges Annual Recurring charges for 1st & 3rd floors **Total Price** Note: In case of discrepancy between unit price and Total bid price (in figures) Rs..... total price, the unit price shall prevail (in words) Rupees.... We agree to supply, install and configure the performance of the above service in accordance with the technical specifications for a contract price quoted against each item within the period specified in the Invitation for Quotations. We undertake to provide the services to the fullest satisfaction of BRLPS. Signature of Bidder. Name Business Address: Place: Date: