Minutes of the Pre-Bid Meeting of GeM Bid published for maintenance of Sewage Treatment Plant (STP) at IMU-Chennai Campus and Semmencherry Campus

Ref. GeM/2025/B/5887831 dated 05.02.2025

- 1. As proposed and approved, the GeM Bid vide above reference was published on 05.02.2025 with last date of submission of bid as 24.02.2025 at 1000hrs and pre-bid meeting on 11.02.2025 at 1200hrs. The pre-bid meeting link was shared to the probable bidders registered through Google Form which was uploaded in IMUs webpage.
- 2. Accordingly, the Pre-Bid meeting was held on 11.02.2025 at 1200hrs through online mode.
- 3. The following queries were raised by the bidders with respect to the bid published and the Committee Members replied to the queries: -
 - Q: What is the period of contract?
 - A: The contract is initially for a period of two years and further extendable for a period of two years one year at a time based on the satisfactory performance of the successful bidder. Accordingly, the GeM bid is published for contract period 4 years and number of month service required during the contract period is 48 Months for Qty-02 Nos STP.
 - Q: Whether the estimated bid value of Rs. 56 Lakhs is for 4 years or 2 years?
 - A: The estimated bid value of Rs. 56 Lakhs is for a period of 2 years.
 - Q: What are the wages to be paid to the manpower deployed at STP?
 - A: All statutory wages as per Labour Act is required to be paid to the manpower deployed at STP.

- Q: What is the working hours/days of Carpenter and Plumber to be deployed?
- A: The Carpenter and Plumber are required to be deployed on all weekdays from Monday to Saturday between 08:00AM to 0530 PM. In case of urgency and in escapable requirement, they should also be available to report at IMU on Sundays and holidays.
- Q: Whether the rate to be quoted is inclusive of taxes?
- A: Yes, the rate to be quoted in GeM shall be inclusive of taxes.
- Q: Whether Turnover, Past Experience and EMD are exempted for MSE bidders?
- A: Yes, exempted as per the MSE policy in vogue.
- 4. Further, M/s KAPL has raised a query and also forwarded through e-mail regarding exemption of Solvency Certificate for Start-ups. It was replied through e-mail that no exemption is applicable for production of Solvency Certificate for Start-ups/MSME.

5. As there were no further queries from the bidders, the meeting came to an end at 1230hrs.

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