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THE TRAVANCORE COCHIN CHEMICALS LIMITED
(A Government Company)
Udyogamandal P.O, Kochi – 683 501, Kerala.

TENDER REFERENCE NO: TCCL/WC/2214/2024

TENDER TITLE: REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR 22 MW RENEWABLE ENERGY POWER PLANT TO BE IMPLEMENTED IN GROUP CAPTIVE SPV MODEL.

The Travancore Cochin Chemicals Ltd., Udyogamandal, Kerala – 683 501 (hereinafter called the company) invites online “Request for Proposal” (E-TENDER) from reputed Power Plant developers to setup a 22 MW renewable energy power plant to be implemented in group captive SPV model, through the Kerala Govt. e-tender portal <http://etenders.kerala.gov.in>.

TENDER TERMS AND CONDITIONS / INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

This tender is an e-tender and is being published online for Request for proposal for a 22 MW renewable energy power plant to be implemented in group captive SPV model. The tender is invited in 2 cover system from the registered and eligible firms through e-procurement portal of Government of Kerala (<https://www.etenders.kerala.gov.in>). Prospective bidders willing to participate in this tender shall necessarily register themselves with above mentioned e-procurement portal.

1. The tender timeline is available in the critical date section of this tender published in www.etenders.kerala.gov.in.
2. **Online Bidder registration process:** Bidders should have a Class II or above Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) to be procured from any Registration Authorities (RA) under the Certifying Agency of India. Details of RAs will be available on www.cca.gov.in. Once, the DSC is obtained, bidders have to register on www.etenders.kerala.gov.in website for participating in this tender. Website registration is a one-time process without any registration fees. However, bidders have to procure DSC at their own cost. Bidders may contact e-Procurement support desk of Kerala State IT Mission over telephone at 0471-2577088, 2577188, 2577388 or 0484– 2336006, 2332262 - through email: etendershelp@kerala.gov.in for assistance in this regard.
3. **Online Tender Process:** The tender process shall consist of the following stages:
 - i) **Downloading of tender document:** Tender document will be available for free download on www.etenders.kerala.gov.in. However, tender document fees shall be payable at the time of bid submission as stipulated in this tender document.
 - ii) **Publishing of Corrigendum:** All corrigenda, if any, shall be published on www.etenders.kerala.gov.in and shall not be available elsewhere.
 - iii) **Bid submission:** Bidders have to submit their bids along with supporting documents as required in this tender document on www.etenders.kerala.gov.in. No manual submission of bid is allowed and manual bids shall not be accepted under any circumstances.

iv) **Opening of Technical Bid and Bidder short-listing:** The technical bids will be opened, evaluated and shortlisted as per the eligibility and technical qualifications. All documents in support of technical qualifications shall be submitted (online). Failure to submit the documents online will attract disqualification. Bids shortlisted by this process will be taken up for opening the financial bid.

v) **Opening of Financial Bids:** Qualified bids of approved bidder's shall only be considered for opening and evaluation of the financial bid on the date and time mentioned in critical date's section.

4. Company shall not be responsible for any delays reasons whatsoever in receiving as well as submitting offers, including connectivity issues. Company shall not be responsible for any delays in submitting EMD/Tender cost wherever applicable.
5. Tender opening will be done online at the time and dates specified in the tender "Critical Dates View" of "Work Item Details".
6. The bidders are requested to go through the instruction to the bidders in the website <http://etenders.kerala.gov.in>. The bidders who submit their bids for this tender after digitally signing using their Digital Signature Certificate (DSC), accept that they have clearly understood and agreed the terms and conditions in the website including the terms and conditions of this tender.

7. TWO COVER SYSTEM:

Bidders are required to submit offer namely "Fee/Technical and unpriced commercial & "Priced Cover".

8. COVER I ("Fee/PreQual/Technical and unpriced commercial cover").

Bidders are requested to upload the scanned copies of the following details "online".

- Unpriced bid in letterhead with all technical details mentioned. It should contain all relevant data regarding the tenderer. (Do not mention anything regarding rate).
- Documents to prove Prequalification Criteria mentioned.
- Filled in Annexure I (Except Price Bid).

9. COVER II (Price Bid)

Bidder should quote their lowest rate for delivery of power at our site, TCCL ex bus connected to 110 kV Grid of M/s KSEBL in TCCL Substation, Udyogamandal, Kochi, Kerala in the BOQ only.

The Bidder shall complete the Price bid as per format given for download along with this tender. The blank price bid should be downloaded and saved on bidder's computer without changing file-name otherwise price bid will not get uploaded. The bidder should fill in the details in the same file and upload the same back to the website

Please do not quote /mention rates anywhere else in the tender other than price bid

Pre bid Meeting

A prebid meeting will be conducted if found necessary by TCC LTD and will be held in the on-line/off-line mode. The views and suggestions by the parties expressed during the Pre-bid meeting

would be analyzed by TCCL and if found relevant, would be incorporated as 'Amendments' in the form of corrigendum. The parties who are interested in participating in the ONLINE pre bid meeting shall intimate us within a period of one week from the date of publishing the tender, vide an email to purchase@tcckerala.com.

10. PREQUALIFICATION / BIDDER EIGIBILITY CRITERIA

As per the Annexure I

11. BID EVALUATION CRITERIA

As per the Annexure I

12. TENDER COST.

While submitting the bid on-line, bidders would be required to remit **Rs.1,000/- on-line** towards tender cost. Offer without requisite tender cost as above shall be rejected. (This will be exempted for MSE Industries holding valid NSIC certificate. Necessary documents for the same shall be uploaded by the bidder).

13. EMD (EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT).

While submitting the bid on-line, bidders would be required to remit **Rs. 5,00,000/-(Rupees Five Lakhs Only) on-line** towards EMD. Offer without requisite EMD as above shall be rejected.

14. Online Payment modes: The tender document fees and EMD can be paid in the following manner through e-Payment facility provided by the e-Procurement system: **State Bank of India Multi Option Payment System (SBI MOPS Gateway)**: Bidders are required to avail Internet Banking Facility in any of below banks for making tender remittances in eProcurement System.

A) Internet Banking Options (Retail)			
1	Allahabad Bank	32	Kotak Mahindra Bank
2	Axis Bank	33	Lakshmi Vilas Bank
3	Andhra Bank	34	Mehsana Urban Co-op Bank
4	Bandan Bank	35	NKGSB Co-operative Bank
5	Bank of Bahrain and Kuwait	36	Oriental Bank of Commerce
6	Bank of Baroda	37	Punjab and Maharashtra Cooperative Bank
7	Bank of India	38	Punjab National Bank
8	Bank of Maharashtra	39	Punjab and Sind Bank

9	Bassein Catholic Co-operative Bank	40	RBL Bank
10	BNP Paribas	41	Saraswat Cooperative Bank
11	Canara Bank	42	ShamraoVithal Cooperative Bank
12	Catholic Syrian Bank	43	South Indian Bank
13	Central Bank of India	44	Standard Chartered Bank
14	City Union Bank	45	State Bank of India
15	Corporation Bank	46	Syndicate Bank
16	Cosmos Bank	47	Tamilnad Mercantile Bank
17	DCB Bank	48	Tamilnadu Cooperative Bank
18	Dena Bank	49	The Kalyan Janata Sahakari Bank
19	Deutsche Bank	50	TJSB Bank (Erstwhile Thane Janata Sahakari Bank)
20	Dhanalaxmi Bank	51	UCO Bank
21	Federal Bank	52	Union Bank of India
22	HDFC Bank	53	United Bank of India
23	ICICI Bank	54	Vijaya Bank
24	IDBI Bank	55	YES Bank
25	Indian Bank		
26	Indian Overseas Bank		
27	IndusInd Bank		
28	Jammu & Kashmir Bank		
29	Janata Sahakari Bank		
30	Karnataka Bank		
31	Karur Vysya Bank		
B) Internet Banking Options (Corporate)			
1	Bank of Baroda	21	Laxmi Vilas Bank
2	Bank of India	22	Oriental Bank of Commerce
3	Bank of Maharashtra	23	Punjab & Maharashtra Coop Bank

4	BNP Paribas	24	Punjab & Sind Bank
5	Canara Bank	25	Punjab National Bank
6	Catholic Syrian Bank	26	RBL Bank
7	City Union Bank	27	Shamrao Vitthal Co-operative Bank
8	Corporation Bank	28	South Indian Bank
9	Cosmos Bank	29	State Bank of India
10	Deutsche Bank	30	Syndicate Bank
11	Development Credit Bank	31	UCO Bank
12	Dhanalaxmi Bank	32	Union Bank of India
13	Federal Bank	33	UPPCL
14	HDFC Bank	34	Vijaya Bank
15	ICICI Bank	35	Axis Bank
16	Indian Overseas Bank		
17	Janta Sahakari Bank		
18	Jammu & Kashmir Bank		
19	Karur Vysya Bank		
20	Kotak Bank		

During the online bid submission process, bidder shall select **SBI MOPS** option and Submit the page, to view the **Terms and Conditions** page. On further submitting the same, the e-Procurement system will re-direct the bidder to MOPS Gateway, where two options namely **SBI** and **Other Banks** will be shown. Here, Bidder may proceed as per below:

- a) **SBI Account Holders** shall click **SBI** option to with its Net Banking Facility., where bidder can enter their internet banking credentials and transfer the Tender Fee and EMD amount.
- b) **Other Bank Account Holders** may click **Other Banks** option to view the bank selection page. Here, bidders can select from any of the 54 Banks to proceed with its Net Banking Facility, for remitting tender payments.

Transaction Charges for Other Banks vide SBI Letter No. LHO/TVM/AC/2016-17/47 – 1% of transaction value subject to a minimum of Rs. 50/- and maximum of Rs. 150/-

Any transaction charges levied while using any of the above modes of online payment to be borne by the bidder. The supplier/contractor's bid will be evaluated only if payment status against bidder is showing “Success” during bid opening.

vii. SUBMISSION PROCESS:

For submission of bids, all interested bidders have to register online as explained above in this document. After registration, bidders shall submit their bid online on www.etenders.kerala.gov.in along with online payment of tender cost and EMD.

For page by page instructions on bid submission process, please visit www.etenders.kerala.gov.in and click “Bidders Manual Kit” link on the home page.

It is necessary to click on “Freeze bid” link/ icon to complete the process of bid submission otherwise the bid will not get submitted online and the same shall not be available for viewing/ opening during bid opening process.

15. SECURITY DEPOSIT

The successful tenderer shall provide a Security Deposit equal to 10% of the Annual energy bill value for the due performance of the contract. The EMD of the successful tenderer shall be adjusted against the Security Deposit. Balance amount, if any, shall be remitted by means of a Demand Draft payable at Udyogamandal /Aluva /Ernakulam or Performance Bank Guarantee may be given for the whole amount. The Security Deposit shall not bear any interest and shall be released only after successful completion of the contract.

16. ITEM SPECIFICATION:

Refer Request for proposal for procurement 22 MW renewable energy power plant to be implemented in group captive SPV model as per ANNEXURE I.

17. PAYMENT:

As mentioned in ANNEXURE I

The company does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. The company also reserves its right to accept or reject any tender without assigning any reason whatsoever.

18. PENALTY

As mentioned in Annexure I

19. FORCE MAJEURE CONDITION:

If at any time during the existence of this contract if either supplier or TCC is unable to perform in whole or in part any obligation under this contract because of war, hostility, civil commotions, sabotage, quarantine restrictions, Acts of God and Acts of Govt., fires, floods, explosions, epidemics, strikes, embargoes, then the date of execution of contract shall be rescheduled after considering TCC’s production requirements, usage, market conditions, prices etc. Non-availability of material shall not be an excuse to the supplier for not performing their obligations under the contract.

20. JURISDICTION OF COURTS

In case of an order, the contract shall be concluded at our registered office at Udyogamandal (Ernakulam district), Kerala state and hence is subject to the jurisdiction of Courts of Law at Ernakulam

district in the state of Kerala only. All issues and questions concerning the construction, validity, enforcement and interpretation of this agreement and the schedules here to shall be governed by and constructed in accordance with Indian law.

21. DEFAULT

In case the contractor fails to effect supplies as per the terms of the order in time and in consequence the company is forced to arrange the requirements from elsewhere at a higher price, loss to the company due to such purchases, has to be made good by the defaulting contractor as specified in the PPA . This is without prejudice to the company's claim for other losses that may arise due to the failure of the contractor to keep up other terms of the contract.

22. If Contractor Order is placed by TCC, it is expressly made clear that the Government of Kerala is not a party to this Purchase Order and has no liabilities, obligations or rights on this order.

Further information or particulars required in this, may be obtained from The Asst. General Manager (Materials).

**For THE TRAVANCORE-COCHIN CHEMICALS LIMITED
The Asst. General Manager (Materials)**