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1	Name of work		COMPREHENSIVE MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS TO AC PLANTS FOR CERTAIN TECH BLDGS AT AF STN THANJAVUR	
2	Estimated Cost		Rs.21.90 Lakhs (at par market)	
3	Period of completion		8 Months	
4	Cost of tender documents		Rs 500/- in the shape of DD/Bankers cheque from any schedule Bank in favour of <b>GE (AF) Thanjavur</b> and payable at Thanjavur (Note: In case of retendering, the contractor who had quoted in the previous call its not required to submit the cost of tender.)	
5	Website / portal address		www.defproc.gov.in	
6	Type of Contract		Item Rate Type based on IAFW-1779A(Revised 1955) and IAFW-2249 (General Conditions of contracts) along with Schedule 'A' (BOQ) to be quoted by the contractor electronically	
	CRITICAL DATES			
	Date of publishing tender documents		r 16 Oct 2023	
7	Bid submission start date		e 30 Oct 2023	
	Last date of bid submission		on <mark>06 Nov 2023</mark>	
	Date of bid opening		08 Nov 2023	
8	ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA			
	(A)	For MES Enlisted Contractors  For Contractors not enlisted	All contractors enlisted with MES in <b>Class - 'E'</b> and above and category <b>c(i)</b> subject to satisfactory remarks wrt performance in respect of works in hand as reflected in Work Load Return (WLR) or any other report circulated by competent engineer authority.  a) The firms not enlisted with MES shall meet the enlistment criteria of <b>'E'</b> class MES contractors and category <b>c (i)</b> i.e with regard to having satisfactorily completed requisite value works, with Central/State	
		with MES	Government/Central/ State PSUs/ AWHO/ AFNHB/ CGEWHO /DGMAP, Annual turnover, solvency, working capital, no recovery outstanding in any Govt Dept, police verification/ passport etc as per enlistment criteria given in Para 1.4 and 1.5 of Section 1, Part I of MES Manual on Contracts 2020 as available in all MES formations as well as MES website( <a href="https://www.mes.gov.in">www.mes.gov.in</a> ) b) Not carrying adverse remarks in Work Load Report (WLR) or any other similar report circulated by any competent authority, it already working in MES.	
			c) Not suspended/debarred/blacklisted (either permanently or temporarily) front participating in any bid or for business dealings by any Central/State Government Department or any (Central/state Government PSU or any Autonomous Body under Central/StateGovernmentoranyLocalBodyasonthebidsubmissionenddate. d) Details of works completed and under progress in MES be submitted in the following format:-    Sri   CA No. & Value   Date of   Date of   Extended   No. Name of of CA   Commencement   Completion   Date of   Completion	
	9	Tender Issuing and Accepting Officer	eligible for participation in this tender unless until the firm is enlisted with the MES."  CWE (AF) Trivandrum  Rs 43,800/-in favour of GE(AF) Thanjavur in the form of Deposit at call	
	10	Earnest Money	receipt, FDR not acceptable.	

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## **NOTES:**

- After opening of Cover 1, if the number of MES enlisted contractors of eligible class as well as unenlisted contractors, if any, fulfilling the other eligibility criteria given in NIT are less than 7 (Seven), applications in respect of contractors one class or two classes (in case of remote and difficult areas to be decided as per list circulated by CE command / ADG) below the eligible class shall also be considered subject to fulfillment of other eligibility criteria given in the NIT. Therefore, MES contractors one class below (two class below in case of remote and difficult areas) may also bid for this tender . Such contractors of one/two classes below the eligible class shall not be considered in case their present residual work in hand is more than **five times** their present tendering limit. However in case such contractors fulfill the criteria of upgradation to the stipulated eligible class based on past experience of completed works (individual work experience and / or average annual turnover, as applicable) and financial soundness (solvency/ financial soundness and working capital), the ceiling of present residual work will not apply and they will be considered for issue of tender. Such bidder shall upload in their Cover-1 bid details of residual works in hand showing name of work, name of Accepting Officer, Contract amounts, dates of commencement and completion (stipulated) and progress as on bid submission date. Such contractors, if claim to fulfill the criteria of upgradation shall also upload the requisite information / documents in support of upgradation. These details shall be verified by the Tender Issuing Authority from concerned formations in case bids of such contractors are considered for evaluation.
- 2. In case after opening of Cover 1, the number of MES enlisted contractors of eligible class as well as un-enlisted contractors, if any, fulfilling the other eligibility criteria given in NIT, are 7 (Seven) or more, applications of only those one class below the eligible class bidders shall be considered, who have previously completed similar works satisfactorily and are meeting the criteria of upgradation in respect of past experience of completed work (individual work experience and / or average annual turnover as applicable) and financial soundness (solvency/financial soundness and working capital) as per details given in Manual on Contracts. Therefore, such contractors shall upload the requisite information/documents in the Cover-1
- 3. Un-enlisted contractor shall be considered provided he meets the criteria. Foreign firms shall not be eligible for this tender. However, Indian Firms having foreign national/ Indian nationals staying abroad / Indian national having taken foreign citizenship, as director(s) shall be considered subject to security clearance from the concerned authorities.
- 4. Contractors enlisted with MES will upload following documents in Cover 1 for checking eligibility:-
  - (a) Application for tender on Firm's letterhead.
- (b) Enlistment letter issued by the Registering Authority duly renewed for the cycle period in vogue.
- (c) Scanned copy of DD/Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender and EMD instrument in case SSD bond is not signed at the time of registration.
  - (d) Any other document required as described in this Appendix.
- 5. Contractors not enlisted with MES will be required to upload following documents in Cover 1 for checking eligibility:-
  - (a) Application for tender on Firm's letterhead.
- (b) Scanned copy of DD/Bankers cheque towards cost of tender and Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) instrument.
- (c) Copy of Police Verification Report/Police Clearance Certificate/Character Certificate from the Police Authority of the area where the registered office of the firm is located/notarized copy of valid passport of Proprietor/each Partner/each Director.
- (d) All documents required for enlistment in MES for the class mentioned in Para 8(b) above as per Para 1.5 of Section 1 of MES Manual on Contracts 2020.
  - (e) Details of works being executed in MES, if any.
  - (f) Any other documents required as described in this Appendix.
- 6. Tenders not accompanied by scanned copies of requisite DD/Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender and earnest money (as applicable) in Cover 1 shall not be considered for validation of 'T' bid and their Financial Bids will not be opened.
- 7. Contractors should ensure that their original physical DDs and Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) instruments (as applicable) reach the office of Accepting Officer within 5 (Five)days of bid submission end date.
- (a) In case of tenders from an enlisted contractor of MES, where scanned copies of required DD/Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender have been uploaded in Cover 1 but physical copies are not received within the stipulated period, their financial bids (Cover 2) will be opened. However, non-submission of physical copies of cost of tender shall be considered as willful negligence of the tenderer with ulterior motives and such tenderer shall be banned from bidding for a period of six months commencing from the date of opening of Financial Bid (Cover 2).

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- (b) In case of tenders from un-enlisted contactor, where scanned copies of requisite DD/Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender have been uploaded in Cover 1 but physical copies are not received within the stipulated period, their financial bids (Cover 2) will not be opened. Name of such contractors along with complete address shall be circulated for not opening of their bids for a period of six months commencing from the date of opening of Financial bid (Cover 2).
- (c) In case of tenders from enlisted and un-enlisted contractors, where scanned copies of instruments for Earnest Money Deposit (as applicable) have been uploaded in Cover 1 but the same are not received in physical form within stipulated period, such tenders shall not qualify for opening of financial bid (Cover 2).
- 8. Contractor will not be allowed to execute the work by subletting or through power of attorney to a third party/another firm on his behalf. However, a contractor can execute the work through power of attorney to son/daughter/spouse of Proprietor/Partner/Director and Firm's own employees, director, project manger provided they are not having a separate enlisted firm in MES in their name as Proprietor/Partner/Director.
- 9. After opening of Cover 1 and during its technical evaluation, in case any deficiency is noticed in the documents required to be uploaded by the tenderers as per NIT, a communication in the form of e-mail/SMS/Speed Post etc shall be sent to the contractor to rectify the deficiency within a period of seven days from date of communication failing which their financial bid (Cover 2) shall not be opened and contractor shall not have any claim on the same.
- 10. Invitation for e-tender does not constitute any guarantee for validation of Technical bid and subsequent opening of financial bid of any applicant/bidder merely by virtue of enclosing DD. Accepting Officer reserves the right to reject the Technical bid and not to open the financial bid of any applicant/bidder. Technical bid validation shall be decided by the Accepting Officer based on eligibility of the firm as per criteria given in the Appendix. Tenderer/bidder will be informed regarding non-validation of bid Technical bid assigning reasons therefore through tender evaluation report which shall be uploaded on the website. Such tenderer, if desires, may appeal to the next higher Engineer Authority (NHEA) viz CWE (AF) Trivandrum on email id <a href="mailto:aftrivan3-mes@nic.in">aftrivan3-mes@nic.in</a> with copy to the Accepting Officer on email before the scheduled date of opening of Cover 2. NHEA shall decide the matter within a period of seven working days form the date of receipt of appeal. The decision of the NHEA shall be final and binding. The tenderer/bidder shall not be entitled for any compensation whatsoever for rejection of his bid.
- 11. In case an un-enlisted contractor is already executing work in MES, he shall not be considered eligible for the subject tender if the total value of such works is more than twice the tendering limit of the MES Class of contractor for which it is eligible. For this purpose, details of the work being executed by such a contractor shall be uploaded in Cover-1 of the bid and shall be checked/verified by the Accepting Officer.
- 12. In case the BOQ is revised through the corrigendum and the bidder has failed to quote on revised BOQ (ie he has quoted on pre revised BOQ), such bid shall be treated as willful negligence by the bidder and his quotation shall be considered non-bonafide. In such cases the lowest tender shall be determined from amongst the valid/bonafide bids only. Accepting Officer may decide whether to re-tender or consider the lowest bonafide tender for acceptance.
- 13. Revoking the offer or revising the rates upward or offering voluntary reduction by the lowest tenderer after opening of Cover 2 shall be considered as a willful default. For this default a penalty of an amount equal to Earnest Money shall be levied. In case of an un-enlisted tenderer. Earnest Money deposited by him shall be forfeited. In case of MES enlisted tenderer having deposited the Standing, Security Bond, an amount equal to the earnest money stipulated in the NIT, shall be notified to the tenderer for depositing through MRO and consideration of such tenderer in tender evaluation for future works shall remain suspended till the aforementioned amount is deposited in the Government Treasury. No other disciplinary/administrative action shall be taken against such tenderers. In such a situation, the next lowest offer shall not be considered for acceptance. Instead, retendering shall be resorted to in a transparent and fair manner and the defaulting tenderer and his related firm if any, shall not be eligible for this tender in second call or subsequent calls.
- 14. Tender to related firms shall not be issued simultaneously. Firms shall be termed as related if Proprietor/one or more Partners/Directors are common. Decision of Accepting Officer on issue/deny the tender to any one of the related firms shall be final and binding.

Signature of Contractor

(SS Husain) Lt Col DCWE (Contracts) For Accepting Officer

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