Notice Inviting Tender

HAJ

(Statutory body constituted under the Act of Parliament No. 35 of 2002) Ministry of Minority Affairs, Government of India

Haj House, 7-A, M. R. A. Marg (PaltonRoad), Mumbai – 400 001

E-TENDER NOTICE

Tender No. HCOI02/27/2024-HCOI		Dated: 12.08.2025
Mec	invited through GeM portal for Consulta hanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Audit o nbai-400 001	
1	Date of Publishing	15.00 hrs. on 12.08.2025
2	Pre-Bid Meeting	15.00 hrs. on 18.08.2025
3	Bid submission end date (Online)	18.00 hrs. on 04.09.2025
4	Date of Technical Bid Opening (Online)	As decided by the Competent Authority
5	Date of Financial Bid Opening of Technically Qualified Bidders (Online)	As decided by the Competent Authority

Chief Executive Of Haj Committee of India Mumbai

HAJ COMMITTEE OF INDIA

(Statutory body constituted under the Act of Parliament No.35 of 2002)

The Haj Committee of India, Statutory Body Constituted under the Act of Parliament No.35 of 2002) presently under the administrative control of the Ministry of Minority Affairs (MoMA) invites etender from eligible Consultants and Consultancy Firms to conduct Structural Audit and Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Audit and to provide Consultancy Services for Procurement, Supply, Installation and Maintenance of various Civil, Electric and Allied works in Haj House Building, 7-A, M.R.A. Marg, Mambai-4000 01.

- 2.0 After selection, the Consultant shall visit Haj House Building and inspect the site and conduct Structural Audit and Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Audit and provide Consultancy Services for Procurement, Supply, Installation and Maintenance of various Civil Electric and Allied works in Haj House Building, based on the observations made during the visit/s, along with the estimated cost of all items required to be procured. The Consultant shall also recommend on the requirement of Comprehensive Annual Maintenance Contract for different equipment and training of local staff for the purpose. After finalization of the list of various equipment's and items, the Consultant shall prepare detailed technical specifications of all equipment, shall prepare and submit tender document to Haj Committee of India, carry out evaluation of technical and financial bids and submit recommendations for placement of purchase order with draft Purchase Orders. The Consultant shall also be responsible for co-ordination between Haj Committee of India and suppliers to ensure smooth and timely delivery of required equipments and items including recommendation for issuing Dispatch Clearance Certificate (DCC) to suppliers on submission or receipt of required documents, equipments or items; for monitoring of installation and commissioning of the supplied equipments, items etc.; training by the supplier to local staff and monitoring during comprehensive AMC period, if any. The Consultant should have proven experience of providing Consultancy services of Architecture, Structural Audit, Civil, Electrical, Mechanical Engineering as stipulated under eligibility conditions.
- 3.0 Interested Indian Consultants may submit their bids as per the tender document along with requisite Bid Security / EMD. The tender document can also be downloaded from website of Haj Committee of India https://www.hajeommittee.gov.in or GeM Portal https://gem.gov.in
- 4.0 Two Bid System (Technical and Financial), as detailed in the tender document shall be followed. In this system, the bidder shall submit bid online only at GeM Portal Website: https://gem.gov.in Manual bids shall neither be entertained nor accepted. Technical bids shall be opened at 15.00 hrs on the appointed date decided by the Competent Authority. After scrutiny of Technical bids, Haj Committee of India shall shortlist the eligible bidders for opening of the financial bids.
- Pre Bid Meeting for queries and clarifications on the tender document will be held as per bid document of GeM portal at Committee Room, 1"Floor, Haj House, 7-A, M.R.A. Marg (Palton Road), Mumbai 4000 01. Queries, IF ANY, could also be conveyed on <u>GeM</u> Portal prior to pre-bid conference.

6.0 Haj Committee of India reserves the right to accept or reject any / all bid without assigning any reason whatsoever.

7.0 Further information regarding extension of date of opening, amendments, etc. shall be hosted on official website of Haj Committee of India https://www.hajcommittee.gov/fit and GeM Portal

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Chief Executive Officer, Haj Committee of India, Bait-ul-Hujjaj (Haj House),

7-A, M.R.A. Marg (Palton Road), Mumbai-400 001

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HAJ COMMITTEE OF INDIA

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1.0 Background:

The Foundation Stone of the Haj House Building was laid by the ex-President of India Late Shri Fakhruddin Ali Ahmad, on 2nd June, 1976. The actual construction work of the building comprising 18 floors started on 17th March, 1983 and completed in the month of December, 1985 in a record time of within 2 years. Mr. I.M. Kadri, the eminent Architect designed the edifice of the Haj House Building whereas M/s. Billimoria Construction Co. Ltd, was entrusted with the work of construction of the Haj House Building following formalities. The building was, however, actually occupied in the month of September, 1996 after removal of the Canteen Structure, which was causing hindrance and impediments for obtaining NOCs from MCGM. The NOC from Fire Brigade and OC (Occupation Certificate) from Building Proposal Department of MCGM have since been obtained.

Presently, there is a Function Hall available on the Ground Floor and 2nd Floor of Haj House Building, which is being used for various social functions. Haj Committee of India has been utilizing the said Hall for conduct of several Training Programmes including Training of Trainers & Khadim-ul-Hujjaj, Conduct of Qurrah, Haj Review Meetings etc. During Haj Season, the said Hall is utilized as Camp Office of Mumbai Embarkation Point.

2.0 **Objective:**

The present tender is for inviting bids for Consultancy Services to conduct Structural Audit and Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Audit and to provide Consultancy Services for Procurement, Supply, Installation and Maintenance of various Civil, Electric and Allied works in consonance with the GFR and to facilitate Vendor management for procurement, supply, installation and maintenance of various Equipment and execution of works in Haj House Building, 7-A, M.R.A. Marg, Mumbai-400001.

After selection the Consultant shall visit Haj House Building and will inspect the site and conduct Structural Audit and Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Audit and provide Consultancy Services for Procurement, Supply, Installation and Maintenance of various Civil, Electric and Allied works based on the observations made during the visit/s, along with the estimated cost of all items. The Consultant shall also prepare estimates and recommend suggestions on the requirement of Comprehensive Annual Maintenance Contract for different equipment and training of local staff of Haj Committee of India, Mumbai. After finalization of the recommendations by Haj Committee of India, Consultant shall prepare with detail technical specifications, a tender document for approval by Haj Committee of India.

Thereafter bids shall be invited on behalf of Haj Committee of India. The Haj Committee shall evaluate the proposals and submit recommendations for placement of purchase orders. The Consultant shall also be responsible for co-ordination between Haj Committee of India and selected suppliers to ensure smooth delivery of equipments, items and articles as per specifications for use in the Haj House Building, for monitoring of installation and commissioning of the supplied equipment, training by the supplier to local staff in Haj Committee of India, and monitoring during comprehensive AMC period, if any. The Consultant must have a proven experience in Architecture, Structural Audit, Civil, Electrical, Mechanical and allied Construction works and consultancy services for supply of requisite equipments/articles/materials as stipulated in eligibility requirements.

Part-II-Scope of Work for the Consultant

3.0 Terms of Reference:

The Consultant will have to provide services for conduct of Structural Audit and Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Audit and to provide Consultancy Services for Procurement, Supply. Installation and Maintenance of various Civil, Electric and Allied works in consonance with the GFR and to facilitate Vendor management for procurement, supply, installation and maintenance of various Equipments and execution of works in Haj House Building, 7-A, M.R.A. Marg, Mumbai-400 001.

3.1 Equipment Planning:

- i. Inspect the Haj House of Haj Committee of India's and asses requirements and evolve suitable strategy providing various options of procurement for Haj Committee of India.
- ii. Undertake visits to the site and make assessment regarding availability of necessary infrastructure such as space, power supply etc. and availability of suitable manpower also.
- iii. Enlist the requirements (both major & minor).
- iv. Submit estimated expenditure in detail for all Material/Equipments in scope.
- v. Provide technical assistance and planning requirements like space planning, equipment movement and installation considerations in design, internal design conditions, Services, connections and Interior requirements to Haj Committee of India for the required Materials/Equipments.
- vi. Suggest Haj Committee of India on the requirements of Comprehensive Maintenance Contract (CMC) or Annual Maintenance Contract (AMC) for the Haj House Building.

3.2 <u>Procurement of various Material/Equipments</u>:

- i. Work out the procurement schedule in line with Project Schedule and requirements to enable Haj Committee of India understand the timelines by which the orders need to be finally placed.
- ii. Assist in Pre-qualification of vendors.
- iii. Provide detailed and explicit specifications of all the materials and equipments as per the best practices in the industry in a form suitable for competitive tendering which shall be approved by Haj Committee of India.
- iv. Preparing tender Document for the approval of Haj Committee of India.
- v. Submitting Estimates for each tender containing Benchmark figures.
- vi. Assisting Haj Committee of India in pre-bid conferences and technical negotiations, if required, to provide appropriate information to prospective tenderer(s);
- vii. Holding short enquiry/tender openings, if requested, assisting in reviewing Short enquiry/tenders for conformity with the Project requirements.
- viii. Provide and update Technical comparative(s) during negotiation process and submit recommendations clearly highlighting the pros and cons and the reasons for selection of any specific vendor, equipment or technology including the total cost for each offer.

- ix. Supplementing and interpreting the submittals of Vendors and to assist Haj Committee of India in negotiations with Contractor(s);
- x. Preparing addenda in consultation with Haj Committee of India for Short enquiry/tender packages to advise Contractor(s) of information that was not originally included in the Technical Specifications, as necessary to enable them to prepare and submit Short enquiry/tenders and enter into Contracts.
- xi. Preparation and submission of draft Purchase Order (PO)/ Letter of Intent (LOI) to Haj Committee of India containing in elaboration all the critical parameters of the order.

3.3 Equipment Installation:

- i. The Consultant will examine the documents submitted by various suppliers for seeking Dispatch Clearance Certificate (DCC). Draft DCC would then be submitted to Haj Committee of India for issuance to the bidder;
- ii. Oversee the installation of the tendered equipment to culminate in certification that equipment has been commissioned satisfactorily;
- iii. Provide and ensure conformance to the specification mentioned in tender documents while the equipment/article is brought and installed/utilized at site;
- iv. Issue certificate of final testing & commissioning of the select equipment mentioned above;
- v. Ensure receipt of all documents, manuals, software, licenses from the vendors as stipulated in the tender scopes and hand-over the same to the authorities designated by Haj Committee of India;
- vi. Establish procedures for checking compliance with design and specification, monitor standard of workmanship, construction method and right procedural sequence in accordance with the procedure laid-down and adequacy of materials;
- vii. Ensure that the construction and installation are as per the design and intent
- viii. Provide experienced personnel to oversee installation & commissioning of the particular Equipment and to ensure that these personnel are available until satisfactory completion of the performance guarantee tests as per agreed parameters/Quality Assurance Plan;
- ix. Scrutinize various claims submitted by suppliers and submit recommendations to Haj Committee of India.
- x. Submit recommendation to Haj Committee of India regarding grant of Extension of Time (EOT) to suppliers.

3.4 **Maintenance of the Equipment:**

The Consultant shall submit recommendations on the requirement of Comprehensive Maintenance Contract (CMC) or Annual Maintenance Contract (AMC) and the equipment which should be covered under CMC. Haj Committee of India's decision shall be final in this regard. The Consultant shall be responsible for the overall coordination between the equipment supplier and HCOI during warranty and CMC period. The Consultant would forward the bills to Haj Committee of India after ensuring that the suppliers are fulfilling all obligations stated in the Contract.

4.0 **Deliverables:**

4.1 Detailed Project Report: The Consultant shall visit the site. Based on the findings during the visit, the Consultant will suggest amendments in the proposed list of requirements. While

suggesting the amendments, the Consultant shall take into account the infrastructure availability, equipment, maintainability etc. However, the decision of Haj Committee of India shall be final. The Consultant shall be prepared to undertake the visit within 10 days from the date of signing of the Agreement and shall submit Detailed Project Report within 30 days from the date of his return from the above said visit. The report should also include a detailed bar chart showing completion time for all major activities of the procurement process. This bar chart on approval shall form part of this Contract.

4.2 **Tendering:**

The Consultant will assist Haj Committee of India in calling tender(s) for procurement of the required material finalized by Haj Committee of India. Consultant shall prepare tender document, get it vetted by Haj Committee of India, assist Haj Committee of India in evaluation of Technical and Financial bids and award of work to successful supplier(s). The Consultant will have to submit draft tender document (for approval of Haj Committee of India) within 30 days from the date of approval of the Detailed Project Report by Haj Committee of India. The specifications of the draft tender document should be generic in nature and Haj Committee of India.

4.3 Reports:

The Consultant will submit fortnightly progress report to designated official(s) nominated by Haj Committee of India. The designated officer so nominated will also act as the counterpart to provide the necessary support to the Consultant. Haj Committee of India will have the right to depute its representative to ascertain the progress of work at site.

4.4 Supervision during Maintenance period:

The Consultant shall co-ordinate between Haj Committee of India during the Comprehensive Maintenance Contract period as stipulated under para-3.4 of the tender document.

Part-III-Instructions to Bidders

5.0 Eligibility Requirements:

- i. The bidder shall be a Company or Firm in existence for the last 5 (Five) years [as on 31 March, 2025] and have ample experience in Architecture, Structural Audit, Civil, Electrical and allied works since inception. The Company or Firm will provide proof of incorporation.
- ii. The bidder shall have to furnish the details about Annual Turnover which should be at an average Three (3) years of at least Rs.40,00,000/- (Rupees Forty Lakhs) for the Turn over mentioned in this clause shall not include business other than above. The bidder should not have incurred any loss in the past three years [2021-22, 2022-23 and 2023-24). Annual financial statements to be attached for the past 3 years.
- iii. The bidder must have provided Consultancy Services to such projects in the past and possess requisite know-how about similar projects.
- iv. The bidder shall supply documentary evidence/verifiable reference (name, address, telephone number, website address and email ID) of the parties (s) enabling assessment of the performance with a certification from them or other evidence of the quality of work executed.
- v. The bidder should not have been black listed by any Government entity in India.

6.0 Contents of the bid

The Consultant is expected to examine all instructions, terms & conditions and Statement of deliverables etc. in tender document. Failure to furnish all information required or submission of a Bid not substantially responsive to the requirements of the tender in every respect will be at the Consultant's risk and may result in the rejection of the Bid.

7.0 Pre Bid Conference for queries on the tender Document

Pre Bid Meeting for queries and clarifications on the tender document will be held as per bid document of GeM portal at Committee Room, 1"Floor, Haj House, 7-A, M.R.A. Marg (Palton Road), Mumbai 4000 01. All prospective bidders/authorized representative of the bidders who have downloaded the tender document may attend the pre bid meeting to get their queries and clarification replied, if any. The bidder should depute senior level representative (s) with authorization letter who should be well conversant with the subject and bid requirements. Queries, IF ANY, could also be conveyed on <u>GeM</u> Portal prior to pre-bid conference.

8.0 Amendment of tender document:

At any time prior to the last date for submission of bids, Haj Committee of India, may, for any reason, whether at its own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by a prospective Consultant, modify the tender Document by an amendment. Also in order to provide prospective bidders reasonable time to take the amendment into account for preparing their bids, Haj Committee of India may, at its discretion, extend the last date for the receipt of Bids and/or make other changes in the requirements set out in the tender document. The bid shall remain valid for 90 days from the date of bid opening. However, in exceptional circumstances, Haj Committee of India may request the consent of the bidder for an extension to the period of bid validity.

9.0 Bid Security:

All the bids must be accompanied by a bid security of Rs.1,75,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Seventy Five Thousand only) in the form of a Demand Draft (DD)/Bank Guarantee (BG) drawn on any nationalized, scheduled bank payable at Mumbai, in favour of "Haj Committee of India, Mumbai" payable at Mumbai, valid upto 45 days beyond the validity of the offer i.e. 45 days from the last date for bid submission. Proforma of Bank Guarantee for Bid Security is enclosed as Annexure-V. The bid security of unsuccessful bidders shall be returned after opening of Financial Bids. Bid security shall be forfeited if a bidder withdraws from the tendering process after opening of technical bids. Bid Security of successful bidder shall be returned after submission of Performance Guarantee as per clause-10.0. Physical copy of bid security is to be submitted to the Office of the Chief Executive Officer, Haj Committee of India, Bait-ul-Hujjaj (Haj House), 7-A, MR.A. Marg (Palton Road, Mumbai 400 001, failing which the bid shall not be considered.

10.0 Performance Guarantee:

The successful bidder will be required to submit performance guarantee in the form of Fixed Deposit Receipt (FDR) /Bank Guarantee Annexure-II of an amount equivalent to 5% of the Consultancy Fee quoted by the Consultant, calculated on the basis of the estimated cost of all the Bids within 10 days of issue of acceptance letter. The performance guarantee shall be valid up to a period of 1-year from the date of submission and shall be extended suitably depending upon the completion of all Civil, Electrical, Mechanical and allied works including all installations and removal of debris from the site/location. In any case it shall not be retained beyond 3 months from the date of completion of CMC period after which it will be released. The Performance Guarantee shall be forfeited in case the successful bidder fails to provide the consultancy services to the satisfaction of Haj Committee of India. If the Consultancy Report and/or draft tender document are not submitted or the Consultant is not able to procure the intended equipment in the stipulated delivery period, Haj Committee of India reserves the right to cancel the contract. In that case the Performance Guarantee shall be forfeited. If the PG is submitted in the form of Bank FDR, then no interest shall be payable to the bidder. The interest earned, if any, shall be deducted and FDR returned to the bidder after all contractual obligations.

11.0 Cost of Bid:

The Consultant shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of the bid, including cost of presentation for the purposes of clarification of the bid, if so desired by the Haj Committee of India. Haj Committee of India will in no case be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the Tendering process.

12.0 **Procedure for Submission of bid:**

- 12.1 The two bid system (Technical and Financial) shall be followed for this tender. In this system the bidder shall submit offers online only at GeM Portal. Manual bids shall not be accepted under any circumstances.
- The bids shall be valid for a minimum of 180 days from the last date of submission of bids. A bid for a shorter period shall stand rejected.
- 12.3 The technical bids shall be opened on the scheduled date at 1500 hrs. After scrutiny of technical bids, the Competent Authority shall shortlist the eligible bidders and informs them of the date and time of opening of the Financial Bids,
- 12.4 The Ministry reserves the right to reduce or increase the quantum of equipment proposed to be procured;
- 12.5 All documents submitted shall be numbered and self-attested with the seal of the bidder,
- 12.6 The Consultancy Fee quoted in terms of percentage of cost of the project shall be firm and no discount, free services/offers quoted shall be considered. Statutory taxes such as Service tax, ete, would be paid extra as per actuals,
- 12.7 This tender is not transferable:

- 12.8 In case the date of opening of tender is declared as holiday for unexpected reasons, the tender shall be opened at the same time on the next working day.
- 12.9 Haj Committee of India reserves the right to reject one or all of the bids without assigning any reason.
- 12.10 The online bids (complete in all respects) must be uploaded online in two covers (Technical and Financial Bids) as explained below:

12.10.1 "Technical Bid": The following documents are to be uploaded online in .pdf format

Sr. No.	Document	File Type
ij	Proof of existence of Company/ Firm in existence for the last 5 (Five) years (as on 31 March, 2025)]	pdf
ii	Power of Attorney/General Power of Attorney or Authorization Certificate to the person singing the Bid Document on behalf of the bidder	pdf
iii	List of all Key officials with their credentials and complete contact details to be deputed on the project as per eligibility requirement	pdf
iv	Turnover Certificate for FY 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24 duly certified by CA/CS	
V	Balance Sheets of last three years i.e. 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24 duly certified by CA/CS	
vi	PAN Card and GST Registration Certificate/Details	
vii	Details of past experience as defined under Eligibility Requirements	
viii	Duly filled and signed Statement of Applicant (Annexure-III)	
ix	Duly filled and signed Bid-Form (Annexure-IV)	pdf
Х	Self-attested certificate to the effect that bidder is neither blacklisted by any Government Department nor any criminal case is registered against the Bidder/Company or its Owners or Partners anywhere in India	.pdf
xi	offer Any other information, documentary evidence in support of suitability of the offer	pdf

- 12.10.2 **"Financial Bid"** Consultancy Fee to be quoted in terms of percentage of total cost of all Services, Civil, Electrical, Mechanical Works and Installations etc. in the prescribed Performa at Annexure-1 with bidder's signature.
- 12.11 Bidders are advised to follow instructions mentioned in the 'Instruction to bidders for online tender specified at Annexure-VI before proceeding for e-submission through GeM Portal https://gem.gov.in.

- 12.12 Bidders not submitting any of the required documents online will be summarily rejected;
- 12.13 Both technical and financial bid are to be submitted concurrently duly signed on the GeM Portal;
- 12.14 Prospective bidders are accordingly advised to go through instructions provided at GeM Portal.
- 12.15 The original hard copy of Bid Security / EMD of Rs.1,75,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Seventy Five Thousand only) in the form of a Bank Guarantee in the prescribed format or Demand Draft/Pay Order / ePBG in favour of "Haj Committee of India, Mumbai" are required to be submitted in sealed envelope "superscribed as Bid Security / EMD for Consultancy Services for Structural Audit and Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Audit of Haj House Building, Mumbai latest by 14:30 hrs on the next day of the last date of submission of bids to the Office of the Chief Executive Officer, Haj Committee of India, Haj House Building, located at 7-A, M.R.A. Marg (Palton Road), Mumbai-400 001, failing which the bid shall not be considered.
- 13.0 Authorized Signatory: The Consultant as used in the tender shall mean the one who has signed the tender document forms. The Consultant should be duly Authorized Representative of the bidder, for which a certificate of authority is to be submitted. All certificates and documents (including any clarifications sought and any subsequent correspondences) received hereby, shall, as far as possible, be furnished and signed by the Authorized Representative. The power or authorization, or any other document consisting of adequate proof of the ability of the signatory to bind the Consultant/Consultancy Firm shall be annexed to the bid. Haj Committee of India may reject outright any bid not supported by adequate proof of the signatory's authority. The Consultant should indicate their contact details in the offer.

14.0 Opening and Evaluation of bids:

- 14.1 Online bids (complete in all respect) received along with Bid Security/EMD within stipulated time will be opened as decided by the Competent Authority in presence of bidders or representatives, if available, in Committee Room, 1"Floor, Haj House, 7-A, MR.A. Marg (Palton Road), Mumbai-400 001
- 14.2 A duly constituted committee will evaluate eligibility criteria of bidders.
- 14.3 Financial bid of only those bidders, whose bids are declared technically eligible by the committee, will be evaluated.
- 14.4 It shall be noted that required documents submitted online along with the technical bid will be perused/examined and in case of any deficiency, the technical bid will be rejected and financial bid will not be opened;
- 14.5 After scrutiny of technical bids, Haj Committee of India shall shortlist the technically qualified bidders and open Financial Bids on scheduled date.
- 14.6 The representatives of the bidders willing to attend tender opening process will have to submit a letter of authorization to this effect,

- 14.7 No bidders will be allowed to withdraw after e-submission of bids/opening of the tender; otherwise the Bid Security /EMD submitted by the firm shall be forfeited;
- 14.8 Bids, complying with all the requirements mentioned under Clause 5 and Clasue-11.4 of the tender document shall be treated as substantially responsive bids. Financial bids of all those bidders shall be opened who are found to be substantially responsive and work shall be awarded to the L-1 Consultant.
- 14.9 Consultant should quote their fee in prescribed proforma only. Quotes in other format shall be rejected by Haj Committee of India.

15.0 Partial Offers

Bids offering consultancy for partial requirements would be summarily rejected.

16.0 Misrepresentation of facts:

If at any stage of Tendering process or during the currency of the Contact, any suppression/falsification of such information is brought to the knowledge, Haj Committee of India shall have the right to reject the bids or terminate the contract, as the case may be without any compensation to the bidder.

17.0 **Confidentiality:**

The Consultant recognizes that as a result of the receipt of this tender and participation in this tender process, the team will have access to and/or utilize information which is confidentially and proprietary.

For the purposes of the remainder of this document, the term "Confidential Information" shall include all types and varieties of data, information, facts or opinions, whether in written, verbal or electronically encoded forms, which are created, developed, received or utilized as a result of its involvement with this tender.

The Consultant agrees to hold all such Confidential Information in the highest trust and will not divulge, disclose, distribute, release, confirm or otherwise disseminate any such Confidential Information other than that which is required in the presentation of its bid, without the express written permission of the Haj Committee of India.

In the event that the Consultant has any questions regarding the application of this confidentiality/non-disclosure agreement, the Consultant agrees to consult with the Haj Committee of India in writing prior to divulging, disclosing, distributing, releasing, confirming or otherwise disseminating any such Confidential Information and to abide by the directions given.

The Consultant agrees to return all such Confidential Information to Haj Committee of India upon the completion of its involvement in the tendering process.

Part-IV-Payment Terms

18.0 Payment: Consultancy Fee would be paid to the Consultant as per the following milestones:

Sr.	Milestone	Payment	Remark
1.	On acceptance of Structural Audit Report and Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing Audit Reports by Haj Committee of India and submission of draft tender document.	30% of C. Fee	C. Fee Estimated cost of the entire project as per MEP+P/100 P is the Consultancy Fee in percentage terms as approved by Haj Committee of India in response to this tender
2.	On submission of proof of commencement of work	30% of C. Fee	C. Fee Tendered Cost of respective item of work P/100 P is the Consultancy Fee in percentage terms as approved by Haj Committee of India in response to this tender. Cumulative payment at this stage would be 60% of the C. Fee calculated on the basis of actual tendered cost of the project. Payment made earlier on the basis of the estimated cost would be adjusted.
3.	On completion of Structural Audit and Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing (MEP) Audit.	40% of C. Fee	C. Fee-Tendered Cost of respective item of works P/100 P is the Consultancy Fee in percentage terms as approved by Haj Committee of India in response to this tender. Cumulative payment at this stage would be 100 % of the C. Fee calculated on the basis of actual tendered cost of the project.

Note: No advance or pro-rata payment at any stage of the project shall be paid to the Consultant.

- 18.1 TDS as applicable shall be deducted from the invoices and Haj Committee of India shall issue the necessary certificates to this effect. In case Consultant submits the exemption certificate, then TDS shall not be deducted.
- 18.2 All statutory taxes like service tax, etc. shall be paid extra as per actual. Statutory variation in taxes & duties and/ or imposition of any new tax/ duty after the effective date of contract shall be to Haj Committee of India's account. However, Consultant has to inform along with notification of changes in duties and taxes, if any, well in advance to the Haj Committee of India.

18.3 The Consultant shall be deemed to have inspected the Site and its surroundings and to have satisfied itself about all technical, commercial, social and general conditions of and all circumstances affecting the Site and the Works, the form and nature of the Site, the extent and nature of the work and materials necessary for the carrying out and completion of the Works, the means of communication with and transportation and access to the Site, the accommodation it may require and in general all risks and contingencies influencing or affecting the Works. The Consultant shall not, except as expressly provided in this Contract, be entitled to any extension of the Completion Schedule or to any adjustment of the Contract Price on grounds of misinterpretation or misunderstanding of any such matter.

18.4 The agreed rates are inclusive of all incidental/miscellaneous expenses incurred in order to discharge the contractual obligations.

Part-V-Other Conditions

19.0 Liquidated Damages (LD) for Delays

The time allowed for carrying out the work as per the work order shall be strictly observed by the Consultant and shall be reckoned from the date on which acceptance of offer to commence work is given to the Consultant.

The work shall throughout the stipulated period of the contract be proceeded with all due diligence. Consultant shall pay as LD an amount equal to 0.5% (one half percent) of the total value of Consultancy Fee if it fails to undertake visit finalized by the HCO/Ministry; to submit Consultancy report within stipulated time period; to submit Draft tender document within stipulated time period; to invite bids on behalf of Haj Committee of India; and any other task(s) conveyed, in writing, by Haj Committee of India in respect of the procurement process. The entire amount of compensation to be paid under the provisions of this clause shall not exceed 5 percent of the total Consultancy fee.

20.0 Force Majeure

For the purposes of this Agreement, "Force Majeure" means an event which is beyond the reasonable control of a Party, and which makes a Party's performance of its obligations hereunder impossible or so impractical as reasonably to be considered impossible in the circumstances, and includes, but is not limited to, war, riots, civil disorder, earthquake, fire, explosion, storm, flood or other adverse weather conditions, strikes, lockouts or other industrial action (except where such strikes, lockouts or other industrial action are within the power of the Party invoking Force Majeure to prevent), confiscation or any other action by government agencies.

Force Majeure shall not include (i) any event which is caused by the negligence or intentional action of a Party or such Party's Sub consultants or agents or employees, nor (ii) any event which a diligent Party could reasonably have been expected to both (A) take into account at the time of the conclusion of this Agreement and (B) avoid or overcome in the carrying out of its obligations hereunder.

Force Majeure shall not include insufficiency of funds or failure to make any payment required hereunder.

21.0 Arbitration:

If any dispute or difference arises between the parties hereto as to the construction, interpretation, effect and implication of any provision of this agreement including the rights or liabilities or any claim or demand of any party against other or in regard to any other matter under these presents but excluding any matters, decisions or determination of which is expresaly provided for in this agreement, which cannot be settled amicably between the parties within 30 days (or such longer period as may be mutually agreed upon) from the dare one party informs the other in writing that such dispute or disagreement exists, shall be settled by arbitration in accordance with the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 as at present in force. The award made in pursuance thereof shall be binding on the parties. The arbitrator thay from time to time with the consent of both the parties extend the time for making and publishing the award. Subject to aforesaid Arbitration and Conciliation Act 1996, and the rules made there under any modification thereof for the time being in force shall be deemed to apply to the arbitration proceeding under this clause.

The place of Arbitration shall be at Mumbai. The language to be used in proceedings shall be in English. Each party shall bear and pay its own cost of the proceedings unless the Arthitmor otherwise decides in the Award. The provisions of this Clause shall not be frustrated, abrogated or become inoperative, notwithstanding the Agreement expires of cases to exist or is terminated or revoked or declared unlawful."

22.0 Ownership:

Haj Committer of India shall acquire the sole and exclusive right to the use of any or all, documents, presentations, analysis, know-how achieved by the Consultant during the Contract,

Any and all parts like drawing, documents, presentations etc. furnished by the Haj Committee of India and processed by the Consultant or his Sub-Contractor shall at all times prior to, during and subsequent to manufacturing/execution, be and remain sole property of the Haj Committee of India.

23.0 Consultant's Code of Conduct:

The Consultant:

- Shall ensure compliance to all government norms local & international on Statutory Compliances such as. Environmental Protection, Minimum Wages, Child Labour, Anti Bribery, Corruption, Health & Safety etc.
- Shall follow all environmental, Health & Safety and other operational policies of the Company while executing the work under this agreement/contract at the Company's site.
- Shall not take any recourse to any unethical behavior (implicit or explicit) with any employee of the Hay Committee of India for the purpose of obtaining any order or information that may result in a favorable financial impact.
- Shall not offer or accept bribe or use other means of obtaining undue or improper advantage. No Consultant, or its representatives or employees, shall offer to any employee of Haj Committee of India a kickback, favour, gratuity, or any sort of value to obtain favourable treatment or for advancement of business.

- Shall not take any advantage of any family/social/political confection in obtaining favour with regard to any order. Merit shall be the sole attribute for association with Haj Committee of India.
- Shall not offer any gift or entertainment for the purpose of obtaining any order or any undue favour (also refer to the Gift Policy of Haj Committee of India which is uploaded on the company's website)
- Shall forthwith report any unethical activity or discrimination if practiced by any Haj Committee of India employee other suppliers as per Haj Committee of India's Whistleblower Policy (uploaded on the Official Website)
- Shall desist from any unfair trade practices with other competitors which are also associated with Haj Committee of India.
- Shall protect/ not in-fringe with any Haj Committee of India intellectual property/information/ technology which comes to its knowledge during the course of relationship/business dealings with Haj Committee of India.

24.0 Codes and Language to be used:

All technical services to be rendered under the Contract shall be executed in the manner set out in this Contract and in accordance with the best trade/ engineering practices judged by the International standards. Wherever the codes are not mentioned, best and latest International Standards shall be followed with the approval of Haj Committee of India. Any deviation from specified standards shall need the approval in writing of Haj Committee of India, and in such matters, Haj Committee of India shall be the sole authority. The English language shall be the language to be used in all correspondence, instructions, drawings, specifications, catalogues, brochures, pamphlets, documents and any other data to be given.

25.0 Deployment of Manpower:

Consultant shall deploy the required qualified manpower to carry-out the job as per organization chart provided and approved by Haj Committee of India.

Selection of manpower: The CVs of the personnel shall be submitted to the Haj Committee of India before their deployment at site and the Haj Committee of India shall review the same.

The detailed responsibilities of site staff and key personnel of Consultant are elaborated in the scope of work.

Haj Committee of India shall be entitled by notice to object to any representative or person employed by and/or any Sub-Consultant/Consultant in the execution of the project shall, in the opinion of Haj Committee of India resort to misconduct himself or herself or be incompetent or negligent, and Consultant shall remove such person from the works and appoint a suitable replacement or ensure that the relevant Consultant, sub Consultant does so.

26.0 Correspondence with Haj Committee of India:

Any contractual notice, report, certificate or other communication to be given to the Haj Committee of India shall be served by sending the same by electronic mail/facsimile transmission (with a confirmation copy by couriers or by hand delivery only in case of major issues relating to the order, viz. Notices of Tests, arbitration, making a claim, termination etc.) to, or by leaving the same at, the addresses as may be specified for that purpose in writing to the Consultant and upon obtaining proper receipt of the same.

27.0 Termination and Suspension:

27.1 Termination of Consultant: If the Consultant:

- a) shall have voluntarily commenced winding-up, bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, stay, moratorium or similar debtor-relief proceedings, or shall have become insolvent or is unable to pay its debts as they become due, or admits in writing its inability to pay its debts or makes an assignment for the benefit of its creditors;
- b) has insolvency, receivership, reorganization or bankruptcy proceedings brought against him and the petition commencing such proceedings is not controverted and the proceedings dismissed or effectively stayed within 30 (thirty) days of such commencement;
- c) has abandoned the Contract,
- d) despite previous warnings in writing from the Haj Committee of India, has wrongfully refused or has materially failed or neglected at any time to execute the Contract or is failing to proceed with the Contract with due diligence or is neglecting to carry out its other obligations under the Contract in each case so as to affect materially and adversely the execution of the Contract;
- e) offers or gives or agrees to give to any person in the Haj Committee of India's service or to any other person on his behalf, any gift or consideration of any kind as an inducement or reward for doing or for bearing to do so or for having done or forborne to do any act in relation to obtaining or execution of this or any other Contract for the Haj Committee of India;
- f) shall enter into a contract with the Haj Committee of India's employee in connection with which commission has been paid or agreed to be paid by him or to his knowledge, unless the particulars of any such commission and the terms of payment thereof have previously been disclosed, in writing, to the Haj Committee of India;
- g) has failed to deliver the said Works of any or all jobs as per the Scope within the Completion Schedule; the Haj Committee of India may, by notice to the Consultant and without prejudice to any other remedy under the Contract, terminate the Contract but without thereby releasing the Consultant from any of his obligations or liabilities which have accrued on the date of termination of the Contract and without affecting the rights and powers conferred by the Contract on the Haj Committee of India. Upon such termination the Haj Committee of India may itself complete the Service or may employ any other Consultant to complete the job at the risk and cost of the Consultant.

27.2 Opportunity to Remedy

Haj Committee of India's right to terminate the Contract following the occurrence of the events or circumstances, as described above, shall be subject to the Haj Committee of India having first given the Consultant 30 (thirty) days prior notice of its intention to terminate the Contract, during which period the Consultant shall has failed to remedy or to take all reasonable steps to commence the remedy of the default.

27.3 Payment after Termination due to Consultant's Default

Haj Committee of India shall not be liable to make any payments to the Consultant until the costs of execution and all other expenses incurred by the Haj Committee of India in completing the Services, and thereby the Facility, have been ascertained (herein called the "Cost of Completion"). If the Cost of Completion when added to the total amount already paid to the Consultant as on the date of termination exceeds the total amount which would have been payable to the Consultant for the execution of the complete services, the Consultant shall upon demand, pay to the Haj Committee of India the amount of such excess. Any such excess shall be deemed a debt due by the Consultant to the Haj Committee of India and shall be recoverable accordingly.

If there is no such excess the Consultant shall be paid the value of the Services executed after adjusting the total of all payments received by the Consultant as on the date of termination

27.4 Termination without Consultant's Default

Haj Committee of India reserves the right to terminate the Contract at any time, without assigning any reason, by giving a notice of 1 (one) month The Consultant shall stop the performance of the Contract from the date of termination and shall hand over all the drawings, documents and goods manufactured till date, including related rights, sanctions and approvals, to Haj Committee of India. Haj Committee of India shall pay to the Consultant the cost incurred by the Consultant till the date of termination, duly supported with documents, as compensation after adjusting payments already made till the termination. No consequential damages shall be payable by the Haj Committee of India to the Consultant in the event of such termination.

27.5 Suspension:

- a) Haj Committee of India may suspend the work in whole or in part at any time by giving Consultant notice in writing to such effect stating the nature, the date and the anticipated duration of such suspension. On receiving the notice of suspension, the Consultant shall stop all such work, which the Haj Committee of India has directed to be suspended with immediate effect. The Consultant shall continue to perform other work in terms of the Contract, which the Haj Committee of India has not suspended. The Consultant shall resume the suspended work as expeditiously as possible after receipt of withdrawal of suspension notice.
- b) During suspension, the Consultant shall not be entitled for any claim whatsoever arising out of any loss or damage or idle labour caused by such suspension.

27.6 Rights of Haj Committee of India after Termination:

The Haj Committee of India shall, on such termination of the Contract, have powers to:

- a) take possession of the Site and any material, Drawings, schemes, implements, stores etc. thereon; and/or
- b) carry out the incomplete Work by any means at the risk and cost of the Consultant.
- c) Any excess expenditure incurred or to be incurred by the Haj Committee of India in completing the Work or part of the Work or the loss or damages suffered by the Haj Committee of India as aforesaid after allowing necessary credits, shall be recovered from any fee due to the Consultant on any account and if such money is not sufficient, the Consultant shall be called upon in writing to pay the same within 30 days.

d) The Haj Committee of India shall not be liable to make any further payments to the Consultant until the costs of execution and all other expenses incurred by the Haj Committee of India in completing the Works have been ascertained (herein called the "Cost of Completion"). If the Cost of Completion when added to the total amounts already paid to the Consultant on the date of termination exceeds the total amount, which would have been payable to the Consultant for the execution of the Works, the Consultant shall upon demand, pay to the Haj Committee of India the excess amount. Any such excess shall be deemed as a debt due by the Consultant to the Haj Committee of India and shall be recoverable accordingly. If there is no such excess the Consultant shall be entitled to payable difference (if any) between the value of the Works ascertained and the total payments received by the Consultant as on the date of termination.

Financial Bid Form

Subject: E-Tender for Consultancy Services for Structural Audit, Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Audit of Haj House Building, Mumbai

The undersigned Company/Firm, having read and examined in detail all terms and conditions of the tender document in respect of e-tender for Consultancy Support Services for Structural Audit, Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Audit of Haj House Building, Mumbai do hereby express their interest to undertake the works as specified in the tender document at the following Consultancy fee

Sr. No.	Item Description	the tendered cost	erms of percentage of of Structural Audit, al & Plumbing (MEP) Building, Mumbai.
		(in figures)	In words
1	Consultancy Services for Structural Audit, Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Audit of Haj House Building, Mumbai		

Note:

- a) All statutory taxes like service tax, GST etc. shall be paid extra as per actuals.
- b) In case of any discrepancy in price quoted in figures and words, the price quoted in words will be treated as final.
- c) Bidder quoting lowest percentage shall be the L-1 bidder.

Signature Name Designation Company Seal Date

Form of Performance Guarantee / Bank Guarantee Bond

In consideration of Chief Executive Officer Haj Committee of India (HCoI) having offered to accept the terms and conditions of the proposed agreement between
1. We
2. We
3. We, the said Bank, further undertake to pay to the HCoI any money so demanded notwithstanding any dispute or disputes raised by the contractor(s) in any suit or proceeding pending before any Court or Tribunal relating thereto, our liability under this present being absolute and unequivocal. The payment so made by us under this bond shall be a valid discharge of our liability for payment there under, and the contractor(s) shall have no claim against us for making such payment.
4. We
5. We
6. This Guarantee will not be discharged due to the change in the constitution of the Bank or the contractor(s).
7. We lastly undertake not to revoke this Guarantee except with (indicate the name of the Bank) the previous consent of the HCoI in writing.
8. This Guarantee shall be valid up to
Dated the day of For
(Indicate the name of the Bank)

Statement of the Applicant

Subject: E-tender for Consultancy Services for Structural Audit, Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Audit of Haj House Building, Mumbai,

1	Name of the bidder	
2	Address of Head Office	
	Telephone	
	Fax No.	
	E-mail Address:	
3	Address of office in India	
4	Address for communication (if different)	
5	Legal Status	¥
6	Place & date of incorporation /establishment/registration	
7	Total Number of permanent Employees	
8	Whether any part of the work is proposed to be sub contracted, if so, whether relevant details have been given in the offer	

Place:	
	(Name & Signature of Authorized Representative
Date:	

Bid Form

The Chief Executive Officer,

Haj Committee of India, 7-A M.R.A. Marg (Palion Road), Mumbai-400 001.

Subject: E-tender for Consultancy Services for Structural Audit, Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Andit of Hai House Building, Mumbai.

The undersigned Company/Firm, having read and examined in all details of the tender document for Consultancy Services for Structural Audit, Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Audit of Haj House Building, Mumbai.

Correspondence details:

1	Name of the bidder	
2	Address of Head Office	
3	Name of the contact person to whom all references shall be made regarding this tender	
4	Designation of the person to whom all references shall be made regarding this tender	
5	Address of the person to whom all references shall be made regarding this tender	
6	Telephone (with STD code)	
7	Mobile No. of the contact person	
8	E-mail of the contact person	

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6	Telephone (with STD code)	
7	Mobile No. of the contact person	
8	E-mail of the contact person	
Docum	ents forming part of bid	
We hav	ve enclosed the followings:	
[Detail:	s to be provided by the bidder]	
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2.		
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Date: Place: Witnes	rs:	
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Proforma of Bank Guarantee for Bid Security / EMD

Bank Guarantee No.
Ref. The Chief Executive Officer, Haj Committee of India, 7-A MRA. Marg (Palton Road) Mumbai-400 001.
Dear Sir,
Whereas the Chief Executive Officer Haj Committee of India (HCoI) having in office at 7-A M.R.A. Marg (Palton Road), Mumbai-001 called the HCoI which expression shall, unless repugnant to the comes or the meaning thereof include all its successors, administrators, executors and assignees has on behalf of the HCoI invited tender No and M/s.

-having Registered head office at (Hereinafter called the "Consultant" which expression shall, unless repugnant to the context or the meaning thereof, mean and include all is successors, administrators executors and assignees) have submitted bid Reference No Consultant having agree to furnish as a conditions precedent for participation in tender document as unconditional and irrevocable bank guarantee of Rs (Rupees only) for the due performance of
Consultant's obligations as contained in the tender Document supplied by the HCoI specially the conditions that (a) Consultant shall keep his Bid open for a period of day i.e. from to or any extension thereof, and shall not withdraw or modify it in a manner not acceptable to the HCoI (b) the Consultant will execute the contract if awarded, and shall furnish performance guarantee in the format prescribed by the HCoI within the required time. The Consultant has absolutely and unconditionally accepted these conditions. The HCoI and the Consultant have agreed that Bids submitted by the Consultant is an offer made on the condition that the bid if submitted would be kept open in its original form without variation or modification in a manner not acceptable to the HCoI for a period of
days i.e. from to or any, extension thereof and that submission of the Bid itself shall be regarded as an unconditional and absolute acceptance of the conditions, contained in the tender document. They have further agreed that the contract consisting of tender document and submission of the bid as the ACCEPTANCE shall be a separate contract distinct from the contract which will come into existence when the bid is finally accepted by the HCoI. The consideration for this separate initial contract preceding the main contract is that the HCoI is not agreeable to sell the tender documents to the Consultant and to consider the bid to be made except on the condition that the bed shall be kept open for the period indicated above and the Consultant desires to submit a bid on this condition after entering into this separate initial contract with the HCoI promises to consider the bid on this condition and Consultant agrees to keep this bid open for the required period These reciprocal promises form the CONSIDERATION for this separate initial contract between the parties.

- 3. The bank also undertakes that the HCoI at the option shall be entitled to enforce this guarantee, against the Bank as a principal debtor, in the first instance, without proceeding against the Consultant.
- 4. The bank further agree that as between the bank and the HCoI, purpose of the guarantee, any notice of the breach of the terms and conditions contained in the tender Document as referred above given to the bank by the HCoI shall be conclusive and binding on Bank, without any proof, notwithstanding any other matter or difference or dispute whatsoever. We further agree that this guarantee shall not be affected by any change in our constitution, in the constitution of the HCoI or that of the Consultant. We also undertake not to revoke, in any case, this Guarantee during its currency.
- 5. The bank agree with the HCoI that the HCoI shall have the fullest liberty without our consent and without affecting in any manner our obligations hereunder to vary any of the terms of the tender or get extension of the validity period from time to time. We shall not be relieved from our liability by reason of any such variation or extension of the validity period or for any forbearance, act of omission and commission on the part of the HCoI or any indulgence shown by the HCoI to the said Consultant or by any such matter or thing whatsoever which under the law relating to sureties, would, but for this provision, have the effect of so relieving us.
- 7. In case contract is awarded to the Bidder here in after referred to as "Contractor" the validity of this Bank Guarantee will stand automatically extended until the Consultant furnished to the HCoI a bank guarantee for requisite amount towards Performance Guarantee for satisfactory performance of the contract. In case of failure to furnish performance bank

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at	of	(month & year).
		Signature (Full name in capital Letters) Designation with bank stamp
Witness No.	1	
Signature		
(Full name a	nd address in capit	al letters)
Witness No.2	2	
		Attorney as per power of attorney
		No
		Date;

(Full name and address in capital letters)

Guarantee in the format prescribed by the HCoI by the required date the claim must be submitted to us within validity period or extended period, if any. If no such claim has been received by as within the said date extended date, rights, of the Ministry under this guarantee

Instruction for Bidders

1. Instructions for Bid Submission:

The bidders are required to submit soft copies of their bids electronically on the GeM Portal,

1.1 PREPARATION OF BIDS

- i. Bidder should take into account any corrigendum published on the tender document before submitting their bids.
- ii. Please go through the bid document and the tender document carefully to under-stand the documents required to be submitted as part of the bid. Please note the number of covers in which the bid documents have to be submitted, the number of documents including the names and content of each of the document that need to be submitted. Any deviations from these may lead to rejection of the bid.
- iii. Bidder, in advance, should get ready the bid documents to be submitted as indicated in the tender document / schedule and generally, they can be in PDF/XLS/RAR/DWF/JPG formats. Bid documents may be scanned with dpi required as per gem portal with black and white option which helps in reducing size of the scanned document.
- iv. To avoid the time and effort required in uploading the same set of standard documents which are required to be submitted as a part of every bid, a provision of uploading such standard documents (e.g. PAN card copy, annual reports, auditor certificates etc.) has been provided to the bidders. Bidders are requested not be up-loaded documents again and again. This will lead to a reduction in the time required for bid submission process.

2. SUBMISSION OF BIDS

- i. Bidder should log into the site well in advance for bid submission so that they can up-load the bid in time i.e. on or before the bid submission time. Bidder will be responsible for any delay due to other issues.
- ii. The bidder has to sign and upload the required bid documents one by one as indicated in the tender document.
- iii. Bidder should prepare the Bid Security/ EMD as per the instructions specified in the tender document. The original should be posted/couriered/given in person to the concerned official, latest by the last date of bid submission or as specified in the tender documents. The details of the DD/any other accepted instrument, physically sent, should tally with the details available in the scanned copy and the data entered during bid submission time. Other-wise the uploaded bid will be rejected.
- iv. Bidders are requested to note that they should necessarily submit their financial bids in the format provided and no other format is acceptable. Bidders are requested to submit their Financial Bid as per Annexure-II.

v The server time (which is displayed on the bidders' dashboard) will be considered as the standard time for referencing the deadlines for submission of the bids by the bidders, opening of bids etc. The bidders should follow this time during bid submission.

vi. The data entered cannot be viewed by unauthorized persons until the time of bid opening. The uploaded tender documents become readable only after the tender opening by the authorized bid openers.