

NOTICE INVITING QUOTATION

DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY
UNIVERSITY OF DELHI

Open Tender Notice No. Ref. No. DUNC/Botany/AJ/Network/2020/NGS

Dated: October 20, 2020

Department of Botany, University of Delhi is in the process of purchasing the following item(s) as per details given below.

Details of the items	Generation Of Reference Genome Sequence, Tissue Specific Transcriptome Sequencing And SNP Based Linkage Map Construction Along With Complete Bioinformatic Analysis
Tender Fees	Nil
Earnest money to be deposited	Rupees 200000 (Two Lakhs)

Tender Documents may be downloaded from Central Public Procurement Portal <http://eprocure.gov.in>. Aspiring Bidders who have not enrolled/registered in e-procurement should enroll/register before participating through the website <http://eprocure.gov.in>. The portal enrolment is free of cost. Bidders are advised to go through instructions provided at “Instructions for online Bid Submission”

Tenderers can access tender documents on the website (For searching in the NIC site, kindly go to Tender Search option and type either the “tender notice no.” or “Department of Botany”). Select the appropriate tender, fill them with all relevant information and submit the completed tender document online on the website, <http://eprocure.gov.in> as per the schedule given in the next page.

No manual bids will be accepted. All quotations (both Technical and Financial should be submitted in the E-procurement portal).

SCHEDULE

Name of Organization	Department of Botany, University of Delhi
Tender Type (Open/Limited/EOI/Auction/Single)	Open
Tender Category (Services/Goods/works)	Services
Type/Form of Contract (Work/Supply/Auction /Service/Buy/Empanelment/ Sell)	Work and Supply
Product Category (Civil Works/Electrical/Works/ Fleet Management/ Computer Systems)	Services for NGS sequencing
Source of Fund (Institute/Project)	DBT Project
Is Multi Currency Allowed	No, only INR quotes are allowed
Date of Issue/Publishing	October 21, 2020
Document Download Start Date	October 21, 2020
Document Download End Date	November 18, 2020
Date for Pre-Bid Conference	October 28, 2020
Venue of Pre-Bid Conference	Online (share your email address)
Last Date and Time for Uploading of Bids	November 18, 2020 5.00 PM
Date and Time of Opening of Technical Bids	November 19, 2020 5.00 AM
No. of Covers (1/2/3/4)	2
Bid Validity days (180/120/90/60/30)	180 days from date of opening
Address for Communication	Prof. Arun Jagannath, Department of Botany, University of Delhi, Delhi - 110007.
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Chairman Purchase Committee

Instructions for Online Bid Submission

As per the directives of Department of Expenditure, this tender document has been published on the Central Public Procurement Portal (URL:<http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app>). The bidders are required to submit soft copies of their bids electronically on the CPP Portal, using valid Digital Signature Certificates. The instructions given below are meant to assist the bidders in registering on the CPP Portal, prepare their bids in accordance with the requirements and submitting their bids online on the CPP Portal.

More information useful for submitting online bids on the CPP Portal may be obtained at:

<http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app>

REGISTRATION

1. Bidders are required to enroll on the e-Procurement module of the Central Public Procurement Portal (URL:<http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app>) by clicking on the link "Click here to Enroll". Enrolment on the CPP Portal is free of charge.
2. As part of the enrolment process, the bidders will be required to choose a unique username and assign a password for their accounts.
3. Bidders are advised to register their valid email address and mobile numbers as part of the registration process. These would be used for any communication from the CPP Portal.
4. Upon enrolment, the bidders will be required to register their valid Digital Signature Certificate (Class II or Class III Certificates with signing key usage) issued by any Certifying Authority recognized by CCA India (e.g. Sify / TCS / nCode / eMudhra etc.), with their profile.
5. Only one valid DSC should be registered by a bidder. Please note that the bidders are responsible to ensure that they do not lend their DSCs to others which may lead to misuse.
6. Bidder then logs in to the site through the secured log-in by entering their userID / password and the password of the DSC / eToken.

SEARCHING FOR TENDER DOCUMENTS

1. There are various search options built in the CPP Portal, to facilitate bidders to search active tenders by several parameters. These parameters could include Tender ID, organization name, location, date, value, etc. There is also an option of advanced search for tenders, wherein the bidders may combine a number of search parameters such as organization name, form of contract, location, date, other keywords etc. to search for a tender published on the CPP Port.
2. Once the bidders have selected the tenders they are interested in, they may download the required documents / tender schedules. These tenders can be moved to the respective 'My Tenders' folder. This would enable the CPP Portal to intimate the bidders through SMS / e-mail in case there is any corrigendum issued to the tender document.
3. The bidder should make a note of the unique Tender ID assigned to each tender, in case they want to obtain any clarification / help from the Helpdesk.

PREPARATION OF BIDS

1. Bidder should take into account any corrigendum published on the tender document before submitting their bids.
2. Please go through the tender advertisement and the tender document carefully to understand 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.
3. 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 formats. Bid documents may be scanned with 100 dpi with black and white option.
4. 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.
5. Bidders can use "My Space" area available to them to upload such documents. These documents may be directly submitted from the "My Space" area while submitting a bid and need not be uploaded again and again. This will lead to a reduction in the time required for bid submission process.

SUBMISSION OF BIDS

1. Bidder should log into the site well in advance for bid submission so that he/she can upload the bid on time i.e. on or before the bid submission time. Bidder will be responsible for any delay due to other issues.
2. The bidder has to digitally sign and upload the required bid documents one by one as indicated in the tender document.
3. A standard format has been provided with the tender document (Annexure-V) to be filled by all the bidders. Bidders are requested to note that they should necessarily submit their financial bids in the format provided and no other format is acceptable.
4. 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.
5. All the documents being submitted by the bidders would be encrypted using PKI encryption techniques to ensure the secrecy of the data. The data entered cannot be viewed by unauthorized persons until the time of bid opening. The confidentiality of the bids is maintained using the secured Socket Layer 128-bit encryption technology. Data storage encryption of sensitive fields is done.
6. The uploaded tender documents become readable only after the tender opening by the authorized bid openers.
7. Upon the successful and timely submission of bids, the portal will give a successful bid submission message & a bid summary will be displayed with the bid no. and the date & time of submission of the bid with all other relevant details.
8. Kindly add scanned PDF of all relevant documents in a single PDF file of compliance sheet.

ASSISTANCE TO BIDDERS

1. Any queries relating to the tender document and the terms and conditions contained therein should be addressed to the Tender Inviting Authority for a tender or the relevant contact person indicated in the tender.
2. Any queries relating to the process of online bid submission or queries relating to CPP Portal in general may be directed to the 24x7 CPP Portal Helpdesk. The contact number for the helpdesk is 1800 233 7315.

General Instructions to the Bidders

1. The tenders will be received online through portal <http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app> . In the Technical Bids, the bidders are required to upload all the documents in .pdf format.
2. Possession of a Valid Class II/III Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) in the form of smart card/e-token in the company's name is a prerequisite for registration and participating in the bid submission activities through <https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app>. Digital Signature Certificates can be obtained from the authorized certifying agencies, details of which are available in the web site <https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app> under the link "Information about DSC".
3. Tenderers are advised to follow the instructions provided in the 'Instructions to the Tenderer for the e-submission of the bids online through the Central Public Procurement Portal for e Procurement at <https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app>.