HIGH COURT OF MADHYA PRADESH: JABALPUR

// CLARIFICATION //

No. Reg(IT)(SA)/2024/101 Jabalpur, Dated:17.01.2024

Sub:- The matter regarding to publish the clarifications / reply of pre-bid meeting dated: 08th January, 2024 regarding the Supply, Installation, Commissioning and Maintenance of Laptop Computers at High Court and District Judiciary in the State of Madhya Pradesh with reference to tender no. Reg(IT)(SA)/2023/1561, dated: 22-12-2023.

Ref:- Pre-Bid Meeting dated: 08th January, 2024.

Reply / clarification to the pre-bid queries

On the basis of query submitted by the bidders, the detailed reply / clarifications is prepared and the same is enumerated as per details given below for all prospective bidders:-

Quer y No.	RFP Reference (Section No. /Page No.)	Content of RFP Requiring Clarifications M/s VSN Internal	Query of the bidders / Remarks of the bidders tional Pvt. Ltd.	Reply / clarification s to the query /Remarks by the High Court.
1	4.8 TIME SCHEDULE TO COMPLETE THE CONTRACT :- (Page no.28) Clause no.	The successful bidder shall complete the assignment within 30 days from the date of issue of Letter of Acceptance / Letter of Intent.	these are the commercial Laptops which OEM provides on Back to Back order basis only. OEM usually takes minimum	45 to 60 days.

	4.8.1		Hence, we would like to request you to kindly amend the clause to "The successful bidder shall complete the assignment within 60 days from the date of issue of Letter of Acceptance / Letter of Intent."	
2	Section – VII "SPECIFICA TION –A" LAPTOP COMPUTER (Page no.43), Point no.6	Random Access Memory 8 GB DDR4 RAM 3200 MHz or above expandable up to 32 GB RAM	As per the clause we would like to request you to kindly amend the clause to "Random Access Memory: 8 GB DDR4 RAM 3200 MHz or above expandable up to 64 GB RAM." This will provide you better expandability. Justification: All 13th Gen. Laptops are capable to support 64 GB RAM by asking to 32 GB RAM Expandability you might find low quality local products being offered. Whereas by making it 64 GB expandable, you will not be increasing your price but will get better products.	DDR4 RAM 3200 MHz or above expandable up to 32 GB RAM.
3	Section – VII "SPECIFICA TION –A" LAPTOP COMPUTER (Page no.43), Point no.8	Weight Less than 2 kg	As the requirement of laptop is for Hon'ble Judges we would suggest to amend the clause to " Weight: Less than 1.6 kg".	No change

4	Section – VII "SPECIFICA TION –A" LAPTOP COMPUTER (Page no.43), Point no.10	I/O (Input / Output) Ports Minimum three USB ports (2x USB 3.2 or higher) , Audio/Mic Combo,1 HDMI 2.1, at least 1 USB type C with power delivery etc.	We would request to generalize the specifications. THE RFP specifically says HDMI 2.1 which is restrictive for all OEMS as they do not publish the version of HDMI also the HDMI Connectivity on the display side is HDMI 1- 1.4. Now in case of specific HDMI 2.1 there might be backward compatibility issue, specially in the Linux. Hence we request to amend the clause to "I/O (Input / Output) Ports Minimum three USB ports (2x USB 3.2 or higher) , Audio/Mic Combo,1 HDMI, at least 1 USB type C with power delivery etc." This will provide better competitive Bids.	Output) Ports Minimum three USB ports (2x USB 3.2 or higher) , Audio/Mic Combo,1 HDMI , at least 1 USB
5	Section – VII "SPECIFICA TION –A" LAPTOP COMPUTER (Page no.43), Point no.17	Latest Energy Star certification / BEE versions. EPEAT registered	As per the clause we would like to request you to kindly amend the clause to " Latest Energy Star certification / BEE versions. EPEAT India registered. Justification: You have not specifically ask for EPEAT certificate for India or global. We would request you to ask for EPEAT India Registered to make	Quote as per tender document. The vendor can quote higher side certificates.

		product more relevanto Indian EPEATenvironment and will also insure compliance to India's local environmenta conditions of Heat Dust, and Moisture.	
6	Section – VII "SPECIFICA TION –A" LAPTOP COMPUTER (Page no.43), Additional Certifications to be added	Certifications: BIS Certified, UL, FCC RoHS, CE, MIL-STE 810H (Min. 16 basic tests passed) of better, ISO 9001 2008 or better.	Yes, the BIS certification is added.
7	Section – VII "SPECIFICA TION –A" LAPTOP COMPUTER (Page no.43), Additional Point to be added	Support: OEM mus have online system hardware diagnostics facility and facility to download updates or software, device drivers, and firmware on its website. Specifications and warranty of the offered Desktop should be available through serial number search tracking on the website of the OEM.	No change
8	Section – VII "SPECIFICA TION –A" LAPTOP COMPUTER (Page no.43), Additional Certifications to be added	OS Certification: The quoted mode should be a Microsof certified hardware and Ubuntu certified hardware and the same to be verified from Ubuntu Linux Website. Justification You have request for	No change

			dual booting of laptops on both Windows as well as Ubunto. If you do request for product to be certified on Microsoft as well as Ubunto there might be issues regarding product not complying/working on upgraded OS of Ubunto and Microsoft in near future and long run. Also when the product is certified on both the Os's then it is the responsibility of the OEM to ensure compatibility and continuity on the upgraded OS Versions.	
9	Section – VII "SPECIFICA TION –A" LAPTOP COMPUTER (Page no.43), point no. 5	Webcam FHD camera with temporal noise reduction and integrated dual array digital microphones	We would request to generalize the specifications to HD camera from FHD Camera as FHD camera will	Yes changed to HD or better.
10	Section – VII "SPECIFICA TION –A" LAPTOP COMPUTER (Page no.43), point no. 3	Display The screen to be non-touch with 14" Diagonal FHD (1920x1080) Antiglare Display with Metallic Hinges.	As per the clause, we would request you to ask for Metallic body along with metallic Hinges to insure ruggedness of the product. Kindly amend the clause to "The screen to be nontouch with 14" Diagonal FHD (1920x1080) Antiglare Display with Metallic	No change. The vendor can quote higher side.

			body and Metallic Hinges."	
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1		Wi-Fi 6 (2x2), 802.11AX and Bluetooth 5.2 combo or better	Request you to please	to 5.1 or above. The
2		Webcam : FHD camera with temporal noise reduction and integrated dual array digital microphones	Camera privacy shutter is important security feature - This shutter prevents unintentional capture of images: i.e., accidental or through spyware/malware that may try to use your camera without your knowledge. Request you to please add camera shutter.	Privacy shutter may be provided but it is not mandatory for pre- qualification.
3		Battery: Up to 6 Hrs. (maximum at optimum performance)		No change
4		Weight less than 2 KG	The asked weight is very high field usage/mobility Weight of 1.5 Kg or less is ideal weight for laptop	No change
	M/s Tecl	hnosys Integrated S	Solutions Private Limite	d
1	Section – II 2. INSTRUCTI ONS TO BIDDERS Page No. 8	2.5 EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT (EMD):- 2.5.1 The proposal should be submitted along with only online	intensive and to ensure the uninterrupted cash flow, We request you to kindly amend the clause as:	No change

		application fee of	(EMD):-	
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		General, High	•	
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		OF EVENTS:-	based in Jabalpur is	
	Section – II	3 Last date and	very difficult on the	
	2.	time of		
2	INSTRUCTI	submission of	we request you to	No change
~	ONS TO	hardcopy of	kindly allow us to submit the hardcopy	No change
	BIDDERS	proposal	till 1st Feb 2024, as	
	Page No. 14	(mandatory).	the due date of	
		30th Jan 2024	submission of the bid	
		before 05:00 P.M.	is 29th Jan 2024	
			before 06:00 P.M.	

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3	Section – II 6.7 WARRANTY SERVICE LEVEL REQUIREM ENTS – SLA:- Page No. 39	6.7.2 Mean Time To Resolve / solve the problem (MTTR):- 6.7.3.1 The Successful Bidder needs to maintain the Service Levels as follows: (a) 99% of the times for the MTTR of High Severity Events (b) 95% of the times for the MTTR of Low Severity Events	Resolve / solve the problem (MTTR):- 6.7.3.1 The Successful Bidder needs to maintain the Service Levels as follows: (a) 99% 96% of the times for the MTTR of High Severity Events (b) 95% 92% of the times for the MTTR of Low Severity Events	Yes changed to 96% and 92% respectively.
4	Section – VII 7. TECHNICAL SPECIFICAT IONS:- Page No. 43		The Technical Specification of Laptop Computer asked in the Tender Document are proprietary, that is, only a single OEM of Laptop Computer is technically complied to bid, which is against the spirit of free and competitive bidding. Therefore we request you to kindly dilute the specification so that the other OEMs /Bidders can also participate.	The vendor can quote higher or better specifications
5	Section – II 2.15 ELIGIBILITY/ PRE- QUALIFICAT ION CRITERIA:- Page No. 13	2.15.2 (ii) Experience in Supply, Installation, commissioning, Maintenance of Laptop Computers,	Kindly clarify the Experience of the bidder asked, under which you have asked the vendor has to quote experience of minimum 05 years, in this regard, the	Quote as per tender document. The minimum 05 Years of experience is required. In

Servers, Desktop Computers. Printers, UPS systems during last 5 years (The vendor has quote of experience minimum 05 in years, this regard, the work /purchase orders of copies five years is required from the bidder) ending last day of month previous to the month of publication of this tender (31st March, 2023), should be either of the following:-(a) Three similar completed work costing not less than the amount equal to 40% of the estimated cost. OR (b) Two similar completed work costing not less than the amount equal to 50% of the estimated cost. OR (c) One similar completed work costing not less

work/purchase orders copies of five years is required, kindly elaborate if the department is asking the WO/PO within 5 years or the WO/POs copies of the same for the respective years.

lers support of this the documents i.e. copies of work orders / purchase orders duly for attested to be enclosed with the bid document.

The vendor has to quote experience of minimum 05 years, in this regard, the work /purchase orders copies of last five years are required from the bidder, ending last day of month previous the month of publication of this tender (30th November, 2023). The rest of the terms of the tender will remain same.

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		Servers,		
		Computers,		
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		printers, UPS		
		systems and		
		other related IT		
		Equipments.		
		2.15.2 (ii)	Sir, As the Similar	Quote as per
		Experience in	works definition given	tender
		Supply,	in the tender is very	document.
		Installation,	specific, which	The
		commissioning,	involves the	minimum 05
		Maintenance of	accessories with main	Years of
		Laptop	component of Laptop	experience is
		Computers,	Computers. Sir, it is	required. In
		Servers, Desktop	not possible for each	support of
		Computers,	bidder to have Supply,	this the
	Section – II	Printers, UPS	installation and	documents
	2.15	systems during		
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	CRITERIA:-	minimum 05	Equipments. in a	be enclosed
	Page No. 13	years, in this		with the bid
		regard, the work	Hence we kindly	document.
		/purchase orders	request you to amend	
		copies of five	the clause as:	The vendor
		years is required		has to quote
		from the bidder)	2.15.2 (ii) Experience	experience of
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March, 2023), Computers, Printers, orders should be UPS systems during copies of last of last 5 years five years are either the (The following:vendor has to quote required from (a) Three similar experience the bidder, of completed work minimum 05 years, in ending last costing not less this regard, the work day of month previous than the /purchase orders amount equal to copies of five years is the month of of 40% the required from publication of bidder) estimated cost. this tender (30th OR ending last day of month previous to the (b) Two similar November, 2023). The completed work month of publication of (31st | rest of the costing not less this tender than the March, 2023), should terms of the amount equal to either tender will of the be 50% of the following:remain estimated cost. (a) Three similar same. OR completed work (c) One similar costing not less than the amount equal to completed work costing not less 40% of the estimated than the cost. amount equal to OR 80% of the (b) Two similar estimated cost. completed work Similar works costing not less than the amount equal to means: Supply, installation and 50% of the estimated System cost. Integration of OR Laptop (c) One similar Computers, completed work Servers, costing not less than Computers, the amount equal to 80% of the estimated printers, UPS systems and cost. other related IT Similar works means: Equipments. Supply. installation and System Integration of Laptop Computers, along with Servers/

			Computers/printers/	
			UPS systems/and	
			other related IT	
			Equipments.	
		M/s Tekno Solut	tions Pvt. Ltd.	
1	Page No.43 Sno.1	Processor:- Intel Core i5 13th generation Processor 1335U/1345U (12 MB L3 Smart Cache, 10 cores, 12 threads, upto 4.40 GHz turbo) or better with Integrated	are ok like core, thread, Ghz, cache etc. This will allow maximum OEM to	No change
2	Page No.43 Sno.5	Webcam FHD camera with temporal noise reduction and integrated dual array digital microphones	suggest them to mention FHD IR Camera. Also add Al based noise reduction	better with temporal noise reduction and integrated dual array digital microphones.
3	Page No.43 Sno.6	Random Access Memory - 8 GB DDR4 RAM 3200 MHz or above expandable up to 32 GB RAM.	Suggest them for 16GB RAM. Although we do not have issue on 8GB. It is for better performance. For Better performance of Laptop	Yes changed to 16 GB DDR4 RAM 3200 MHz or above expandable up to 32 GB RAM.

4	Page No.43 Sno.7	Battery :Up to 6 Hrs. (maximum at optimum performance)	Suggest them to mention battery capacity – 3 Cell 50 Whr battery with 8.5 hours backup. For Maximum Back Up.	No change
5	Page No.43 Sno.10	I/O (Input / Output) Ports Minimum three USB ports (2x USB 3.2 or higher) , Audio/Mic Combo,1 HDMI 2.1, at least 1 USB type C with power delivery etc.	Minimum 4 USB ports (3x USB 3.2 or higher) Audio/Mic Combo,1 HDMI 2.0, at least 1 USB type C with power, display and data transfer upto 40GBPS. This will allow maximum OEM to Participate	I/O (Input / Output) Ports Minimum three USB ports (2x USB 3.2 or higher) , Audio/Mic Combo,1 HDMI , at least 1 USB type C with power delivery etc.
6	Page No.43 Sno.17	Latest Energy Star certification / BEE versions. EPEAT registered		The vendor can quote higher or better certifications.
		M/s Dell Tec	hnologies	
1			Processor:- Intel Core i5 13th generation Processor 1335U/1345U (12 MB L3 Smart Cache, 10 cores, 12 threads, upto 4.40 GHz turbo) or better with Integrated Graphics	-
2			Operating System:- Windows 11 Professional (64 bit) Operating System & Ubuntu Linux OS 20.04 (Dual Bootable) or better	-

3			Display The screen to be non-touch with 14" Diagonal FHD (1920x1080) Antiglare Display with Metallic Hinges.	-
4			Keyboard Yes, Spill resistant.	-
5			Webcam - FHD camera with temporal noise reduction and integrated dual array digital microphones	Already above mentioned.
6	Me DI MI ex	andom Access emory - 8 GB DR4 RAM 3200 Hz or above cpandable up to 2 GB RAM.	Random Access Memory - 8 GB DDR4 RAM 3200 MHz or above expandable up to 64 GB RAM. Request for neutral specifications	above
7			Battery - Up to 6 Hrs. (maximum at optimum performance)	-
8		eight - Less an 2 kg	Weight - Less than 1.6 kg	The vendor can quote better.
9			WLAN - 802.11 b/g/n/ac and integrated module with Bluetooth	-
10	Mi US Hiç Au	O (Input / utput) Ports inimum three SB ports (2x SB 3.2 or gher) , udio/Mic ombo,1 HDMI	I/O (Input / Output) Ports Minimum three USB ports (2x USB 3.2 or higher) , Audio/Mic Combo,1 HDMI 1.4, at least 1 USB type C with power delivery etc.	I/O (Input / Output) Ports Minimum three USB ports (2x USB 3.2 or higher) ,

	2.1, at least 1 USB type C with power delivery etc.	·	Audio/Mic Combo,1 HDMI, at least 1 USB type C with power delivery etc.
11		Storage: - 512 GB PCie Nvme M.2 SSD expandable up to 1 TB	-
12		LAN Port - Gigabit LAN port 10/100/1000.	-
13		Ethernet - Native RJ45 using Ethernet Connector	-
14		Audio - Integrated Multimedia capabilities with Speaker (preferable dual speaker).	-
15		Wi-Fi 6 (2x2), 802.11AX and Bluetooth 5.2 combo or better	Already above mentioned.
16		Antivirus of reputed brand (Quick Heal, Norton, Mcafee or better) with Five years validity and support.	-
17		Latest Energy Star certification / BEE versions. EPEAT registered	-
18	Certifications: BIS Certified, UL, FCC, RoHS, CE, Energy Star Certificate, MIL- STD 810H (Min. 16 basic tests passed) or better, EPEAT India	To be added to qualify reliable and durable products	Already above mentioned.

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	Registered, ISO 9001 : 2008 or better or better. OS Certification: The quoted model should be a Microsoft certified hardware and Ubuntu certified hardware and the same to be			
	verified from Ubuntu Linux Website			
19	Support: - OEM must have online system hardware diagnostics facility and facility to download updates of software, device drivers, and firmware on its website. Specifications and warranty of the offered Desktop should be available through serial number search / tracking on the website of the OEM.	reliable and durable products.	No change	
M/s Acer India Pvt. Ltd.				
1	Processor:- Intel Core i5 13th generation Processor 1335U/1345U (12 MB L3 Smart Cache, 10 cores, 12	Change to 12th Gen 1235U. Rest specs are ok like core, thread, Ghz , cache etc	No change	

	threads, upto 4.40 GHz turbo or better with Integrated Graphics		
2	Webcam - FHE camera with temporal noise reduction and integrated dual array digital microphones	camera shutter (for Security purpose). Go with the FHD IR Camera. Also add Al	
3	Battery - Up to 6 Hrs. (maximum a optimum performance)	COUNT ON WAR	The vender can quote
4	I/O (Input / Output) Ports Minimum three USB ports (2x USB 3.2 or higher) , Audio/Mic Combo,1 HDMI 2.1, at least of USB type C with power delivery etc.	Minimum 4 USB ports (3x USB 3.2 or higher)	Already above mentioned.
5		Audio/Mic Combo,1 HDMI 2.0, at least 1 USB type C with power, display and data transfer upto 40GBPS	Already above mentioned.

6			Add EPEAT GOLD India Certification	Already above mentioned.
		M/s ITI L	imited	
1	Page No. 28 Section No. 4.8		magnitude necessitates a minimum delivery time of 90-120 days. Recognizing the challenges associated with such a large- scale operation, prominent customers such as Gujarat GIL and Kerala KITE, who frequently tender significant quantities, allow for a delivery completion period of 90 to 150 days. This information can be	The time duration to complete the contract shall be 45 to 60 days.

			more time. To prevent undue obstacles, price increases for accommodating late delivery charges and to ensure smooth operations, we propose revising the delivery schedule to a range of 90 to 120 days.	
2	Page No. 43	"SPECIFICATION -A" LAPTOP COMPUTER - SI.No.17-Latest Energy Star certification / BEE versions. EPEAT registered.	Indian alternative certification may be considered instead of Latest Energy Star certification, such as RoHS registered and BIS. Justification - Office Memorandum by 33(3)/2017-IPHW Government of India Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (IPHW Division]	Yes BIS certification is added.

Note:-

- 1. The above clarifications / addendum are for all the prospective bidders' for their tender reference and necessary action.
- 2. All future correspondence/ clarifications/ addendum/ corrigendum shall be available on the website of the High Court of Madhya Pradesh i.e. www.mphc.gov.in and Government e-procurement portal www.mptenders.gov.in.
- 3. All the pages of the bids and Annexure's are to be sealed and signed by the authorized officers of the company / vendor.
- 4. All prospective bidders are requested to submit the bid with all relevant documents in sequenced manner, without fail.

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5. The decision of the High Court of Madhya Pradesh in selection/ finalization of firm/vendor shall be final and no objection in this regard shall be entertained.

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