

Bid Document

Bid Details	
Bid End Date/Time	27-06-2022 12:00:00
Bid Opening Date/Time	27-06-2022 12:30:00
Bid Offer Validity (From End Date)	80 (Days)
Ministry/State Name	Ministry Of Education
Department Name	Department Of Higher Education
Organisation Name	Sikkim University
Office Name	Sikkim
Total Quantity	307
Item Category	ELECTRONIC MAIL AND MESSAGING SOFTWARE (Q3) (PAC Only)
Minimum Average Annual Turnover of the bidder (For 3 Years)	3 Lakh (s)
OEM Average Turnover (Last 3 Years)	24 Lakh (s)
Years of Past Experience Required for same/similar service	3 Year (s)
MSE Exemption for Years Of Experience and Turnover	Yes
Startup Exemption for Years Of Experience and Turnover	Yes
Document required from seller	Experience Criteria,Past Performance,Bidder Turnover,OEM Authorization Certificate,OEM Annual Turnover,Additional Doc 1 (Requested in ATC) *In case any bidder is seeking exemption from Experience / Turnover Criteria, the supporting documents to prove his eligibility for exemption must be uploaded for evaluation by the buyer
Past Performance	20 %
Bid to RA enabled	No
Time allowed for Technical Clarifications during technical evaluation	2 Days
Evaluation Method	Total value wise evaluation

EMD Detail

Required	No
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ePBG Detail

Advisory Bank	AXIS BANK LTD
ePBG Percentage(%)	3.00
Duration of ePBG required (Months).	14

(a). EMD & Performance security should be in favour of Beneficiary, wherever it is applicable.

Beneficiary:

Registrar
Sikkim, Department of Higher Education, Sikkim University, Ministry of Education
(Sh. K. V. S. Kameswara Rao)

Splitting

Bid splitting not applied.

MII Purchase Preference

MII Purchase Preference	No
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Details of the Competent Authority for MII

Name of Competent Authority	Professor Avinash Khare
Designation of Competent Authority	Vice-Chancellor
Office / Department / Division of Competent Authority	Sikkim University
CA Approval Number	
Competent Authority Approval Date	26-04-2022
Brief Description of the Approval Granted by Competent Authority	Google workspace has been recommended for upgradation of the existing Google suite services.

Competent Authority Approval for not opting Make In India Preference : [View Document](#)

MSE Purchase Preference

MSE Purchase Preference	Yes
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Details of the Competent Authority approval for PAC

Competent Authority Approval document for PAC : [View Document](#)

Name of Competent Authority	Professor Avinash Khare
Designation of Competent Authority	Vice-Chancellor
Office / Department / Division of Competent Authority	Sikkim University
CA Approval Number	
Competent Authority Approval Date	2022-04-26 00:00:00

Brief Description of the Approval Granted by Competent Authority

Google Workspace is recommended for upgradation of the existing Google suite.

1. If the bidder is a Micro or Small Enterprise as per latest definitions under MSME rules, the bidder shall be exempted from the requirement of "Bidder Turnover" criteria and "Experience Criteria". If the bidder is OEM of the offered products, it would also be exempted from the "OEM Average Turnover" criteria. In case any bidder is seeking exemption from Turnover / Experience Criteria, the supporting documents to prove his eligibility for exemption must be uploaded for evaluation by the buyer.
2. If the bidder is a Startup, the bidder shall be exempted from the requirement of "Bidder Turnover" criteria and "Experience Criteria". If the bidder is OEM of the offered products, it would also be exempted from the "OEM Average Turnover" criteria. In case any bidder is seeking exemption from Turnover / Experience Criteria, the supporting documents to prove his eligibility for exemption must be uploaded for evaluation by the buyer.
3. The minimum average annual financial turnover of the bidder during the last three years, ending on 31st March of the previous financial year, should be as indicated above in the bid document. Documentary evidence in the form of certified Audited Balance Sheets of relevant periods or a certificate from the Chartered Accountant / Cost Accountant indicating the turnover details for the relevant period shall be uploaded with the bid. In case the date of constitution / incorporation of the bidder is less than 3-year-old, the average turnover in respect of the completed financial years after the date of constitution shall be taken into account for this criteria.
4. Experience Criteria: In respect of the filter applied for experience criteria, the Bidder or its OEM {themselves or through reseller(s)} should have regularly, manufactured and supplied same or similar Category Products to any Central / State Govt Organization / PSU / Public Listed Company for number of Financial years as indicated above in the bid document before the bid opening date. Copies of relevant contracts to be submitted along with bid in support of having supplied some quantity during each of the Financial year. In case of bunch bids, the category of primary product having highest value should meet this criterion.
5. OEM Turn Over Criteria: The minimum average annual financial turnover of the OEM of the offered product during the last three years, ending on 31st March of the previous financial year, should be as indicated in the bid document. Documentary evidence in the form of certified Audited Balance Sheets of relevant periods or a certificate from the Chartered Accountant / Cost Accountant indicating the turnover details for the relevant period shall be uploaded with the bid. In case the date of constitution / incorporation of the OEM is less than 3 year old, the average turnover in respect of the completed financial years after the date of constitution shall be taken into account for this criteria.
6. Purchase preference to Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs): Purchase preference will be given to MSEs as defined in Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) Order, 2012 dated 23.03.2012 issued by Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises and its subsequent Orders/Notifications issued by concerned Ministry. If the bidder wants to avail the Purchase preference, the bidder must be the manufacturer of the offered product in case of bid for supply of goods. Traders are excluded from the purview of Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises. In respect of bid for Services, the bidder must be the Service provider of the offered Service. Relevant documentary evidence in this regard shall be uploaded along with the bid in respect of the offered product or service. If L-1 is not an MSE and MSE Seller (s) has/have quoted price within L-1+ 15% (Selected by Buyer) of margin of purchase preference /price band defined in relevant policy, such Seller shall be given opportunity to match L-1 price and contract will be awarded for 25%(selected by Buyer) percentage of total QUANTITY.
7. Past Performance: The Bidder or its OEM {themselves or through re-seller(s)} should have supplied same or similar Category Products for 20% of bid quantity, in at least one of the last three Financial years before the bid opening date to any Central / State Govt Organization / PSU / Public Listed Company. Copies of relevant contracts (proving supply of cumulative order quantity in any one financial year) to be submitted along with bid in support of quantity supplied in the relevant Financial year. In case of bunch bids, the category related to primary product having highest bid value should meet this criterion.

ELECTRONIC MAIL AND MESSAGING SOFTWARE (307 pieces) (Under PAC)

Make	googleworkspace
Model	googleworkspaceforeducationteachingandlearningupgrade

Brand Type	Registered Brand
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Technical Specifications

[* As per GeM Category Specification](#)

Specification	Specification Name	Bid Requirement (Allowed Values)
BASIC INFORMATION OF ELECTRONIC MAIL AND MESSAGING SOFTWARE	Type of Software	Email Software, Messaging, Audio & Video Software, Email, Messaging, Audio & Video Software
	Type of Licenses	Subscription
	Number of users	Above 1000
	Deployment options	On-Premises (Client Server), Cloud, Hybrid, Virtual
FEATURES AND FUNCTIONALITY PARAMETERS(GOLD EN)	Instant messaging	Yes
	File transfer	Yes
	Video calls and conferencing	Yes
	Remote desktop sharing	Yes
	Storage tearing	Yes
	Capability of user to restore deleted mails from trash by himself	Yes
	Free Upgradation to Higher Version within support period	YES
	Installation and Demonstration	Yes
	No of days Training Provided at Site	0, upto to 5, 6 to 10, 11 to 20, 21 to 30
	Number of Years upto which Support is available from OEM	5

Consignees/Reporting Officer and Quantity

S.No.	Consignee/Reporting Officer	Address	Quantity	Delivery Days
1	Gyan Tshering Lepcha	737102,Sikkim University, 6th Mile Samdur, P.O. Tadong	307	30

Buyer Added Bid Specific Terms and Conditions

1. Generic

OPTION CLAUSE: The Purchaser reserves the right to increase or decrease the quantity to be ordered up

to 25 percent of bid quantity at the time of placement of contract. The purchaser also reserves the right to increase the ordered quantity by up to 25% of the contracted quantity during the currency of the contract at the contracted rates. Bidders are bound to accept the orders accordingly.

2. **Generic**

Bidder financial standing: The bidder should not be under liquidation, court receivership or similar proceedings, should not be bankrupt. Bidder to upload undertaking to this effect with bid.

3. **Generic**

Bidders shall quote only those products in the bid which are not obsolete in the market and has at least 5 years residual market life i.e. the offered product shall not be declared end-of-life by the OEM before this period.

4. **Generic**

Data Sheet of the product(s) offered in the bid, are to be uploaded along with the bid documents. Buyers can match and verify the Data Sheet with the product specifications offered. In case of any unexplained mismatch of technical parameters, the bid is liable for rejection.

5. **Generic**

Experience Criteria: The Bidder or its OEM {themselves or through reseller(s)} should have regularly, manufactured and supplied same or similar Category Products to any Central / State Govt Organization / PSU / Public Listed Company for 3 years before the bid opening date. Copies of relevant contracts to be submitted along with bid in support of having supplied some quantity during each of the year. In case of bunch bids, the primary product having highest value should meet this criterion.

6. **Generic**

Installation, Commissioning, Testing, Configuration, Training (if any - which ever is applicable as per scope of supply) is to be carried out by OEM / OEM Certified resource or OEM authorised Reseller.

7. **Generic**

Malicious Code Certificate:

The seller should upload following certificate in the bid:-

(a) This is to certify that the Hardware and the Software being offered, as part of the contract, does not contain Embedded Malicious code that would activate procedures to :-

- (i) Inhibit the desires and designed function of the equipment.
- (ii) Cause physical damage to the user or equipment during the exploitation.
- (iii) Tap information resident or transient in the equipment/network.

(b) The firm will be considered to be in breach of the procurement contract, in case physical damage, loss of information or infringements related to copyright and Intellectual Property Right (IPRs) are caused due to activation of any such malicious code in embedded software.

8. **Generic**

Scope of supply includes Training: Number of employees to be trained 30 , Place for Training Online and Duration of training 7 days.

9. **Generic**

The Buyer has an existing set up / inventory of similar products. The offered / supplied product must be compatible with existing system. The bidder has to ensure Compatibility of the supplied items or shall have to include in the supply the necessary hardware / software to make them compatible at no extra cost to the buyer. The details of items with which compatibility is required are as under: The offered product should be compatible/upgrade with the existing Google Education suite services with no loss of data.

10. **Generic**

1. The Seller shall not assign the Contract in whole or part without obtaining the prior written consent of buyer.
2. The Seller shall not sub-contract the Contract in whole or part to any entity without obtaining the prior written consent of buyer.
3. The Seller shall, notwithstanding the consent and assignment/sub-contract, remain jointly and severally liable and responsible to buyer together with the assignee/ sub-contractor, for and in respect of the due performance of the Contract and the Sellers obligations there under.

11. **Generic**

Upload Manufacturer authorization: Wherever Authorised Distributors are submitting the bid, Manufacturers Authorisation Form (MAF)/Certificate with OEM details such as name, designation, address, e-mail Id and Phone No. required to be furnished along with the bid.

12. **OEM**

IMPORTED PRODUCTS: In case of imported products, OEM or Authorized Seller of OEM should have a registered office in India to provide after sales service support in India. The certificate to this effect should be submitted.

13. **Forms of EMD and PBG**

Successful Bidder can submit the Performance Security in the form of Payment online through RTGS / internet banking also (besides PBG which is allowed as per GeM GTC). On-line payment shall be in Beneficiary name Sikkim University Account No. 112010100231541 IFSC Code UTIB0000112 Bank Name Axis Bank Branch address Gangtok, Sikkim. Successful Bidder to indicate Contract number and name of Seller entity in the transaction details field at the time of on-line transfer. Bidder has to upload scanned copy / proof of the Online Payment Transfer in place of PBG within 15 days of award of contract.

14. **Financial Criteria**

NET WORTH: Net Worth of the OEM should be positive as per the last audited financial statement.

15. **Scope of Supply**

Scope of supply (Bid price to include all cost components) : Supply Installation Testing Commissioning of Goods and Training of operators and providing Statutory Clearances required (if any)

16. **Certificates**

Bidder's offer is liable to be rejected if they don't upload any of the certificates / documents sought in the Bid document, ATC and Corrigendum if any.

17. **Certificates**

The bidder is required to upload, along with the bid, all relevant certificates such as BIS licence, type test certificate, approval certificates and other certificates as prescribed in the Product Specification given in the bid document.

18. **Buyer Added Bid Specific ATC**

Buyer uploaded ATC document [Click here to view the file.](#)

19. **Turnover**

Bidder Turn Over Criteria: The minimum average annual financial turnover of the bidder during the last three years, ending on 31st March of the previous financial year, should be as indicated in the bid document. Documentary evidence in the form of certified Audited Balance Sheets of relevant periods or a certificate from the Chartered Accountant / Cost Accountant indicating the turnover details for the relevant period shall be uploaded with the bid. In case the date of constitution / incorporation of the bidder is less than 3 year old, the average turnover in respect of the completed financial years after the

date of constitution shall be taken into account for this criteria.

20. Turnover

OEM Turn Over Criteria: The minimum average annual financial turnover of the OEM of the offered product during the last three years, ending on 31st March of the previous financial year, should be as indicated in the bid document. Documentary evidence in the form of certified Audited Balance Sheets of relevant periods or a certificate from the Chartered Accountant / Cost Accountant indicating the turnover details for the relevant period shall be uploaded with the bid. In case the date of constitution / incorporation of the OEM is less than 3 year old, the average turnover in respect of the completed financial years after the date of constitution shall be taken into account for this criteria. In case of bunch bids, the OEM of CATEGORY RELATED TO primary product having highest bid value should meet this criterion.

21. Service & Support

Dedicated /toll Free Telephone No. for Service Support : BIDDER/OEM must have Dedicated/toll Free Telephone No. for Service Support.

22. Service & Support

Escalation Matrix For Service Support : Bidder/OEM must provide Escalation Matrix of Telephone Numbers for Service Support.

23. Warranty

Warranty period of the supplied products shall be 1 years from the date of final acceptance of goods or after completion of installation, commissioning & testing of goods (if included in the scope of supply), at consignee location. OEM Warranty certificates must be submitted by Successful Bidder at the time of delivery of Goods. The seller should guarantee the rectification of goods in case of any break down during the guarantee period. Seller should have well established Installation, Commissioning, Training, Troubleshooting and Maintenance Service group in INDIA for attending the after sales service. Details of Service Centres near consignee destinations are to be uploaded along with the bid.

24. Warranty

Timely Servicing / rectification of defects during warranty period: After having been notified of the defects / service requirement during warranty period, Seller has to complete the required Service / Rectification within 3 days time limit. If the Seller fails to complete service / rectification with defined time limit, a penalty of 0.5% of Unit Price of the product shall be charged as penalty for each week of delay from the seller. Seller can deposit the penalty with the Buyer directly else the Buyer shall have a right to recover all such penalty amount from the Performance Security (PBG).Cumulative Penalty cannot exceed more than 10% of the total contract value after which the Buyer shall have the right to get the service / rectification done from alternate sources at the risk and cost of the Seller besides forfeiture of PBG. Seller shall be liable to re-imburse the cost of such service / rectification to the Buyer.

25. Past Project Experience

For fulfilling the experience criteria any one of the following documents may be considered as valid proof for meeting the experience criteria:

- a. Purchase Order copy along with Invoice(s) with self-certification by the bidder that supplies against the invoices have been executed.
- b. Execution certificate by client with order value.
- c. Any other document in support of order execution like Third Party Inspection release note, etc.

26. Past Project Experience

The Bidder / OEM {themselves or through reseller(s)}, should have executed project for supply and installation / commissioning of same or similar Category Products during preceding 3 financial years (i.e. current year and three previous financial years) as on opening of bid, as per following criteria:

- (i) Single order of at least 35% of estimated bid value; or
- (ii) Two orders of at least 20% each of estimated bid value; or
- (iii) Three orders of at least 15% each of estimated bid value.

Satisfactory Performance certificate issued by respective Buyer Organization for the above Orders should be uploaded with bid. In case of bunch bids, the Category related to primary product having highest bid value should meet this criterion

Disclaimer

The additional terms and conditions have been incorporated by the Buyer after approval of the Competent Authority in Buyer Organization. Buyer organization is solely responsible for the impact of these clauses on the bidding process, its outcome, and consequences thereof including any eccentricity/restriction arising in the bidding process due to these ATCs and due to modification of technical specifications and/or terms and conditions governing the bid. Any clause incorporated by the Buyer such as demanding Tender Sample, incorporating any clause against the MSME policy and Preference to make in India Policy, mandating any Brand names or Foreign Certification, changing the default time period for Acceptance of material or payment timeline governed by OM of Department of Expenditure shall be null and void and would not be considered part of bid. Further any reference of conditions published on any external site or reference to external documents/clauses shall also be null and void. If any seller has any objection/grievance against these additional clauses or otherwise on any aspect of this bid, they can raise their representation against the same by using the Representation window provided in the bid details field in Seller dashboard after logging in as a seller within 4 days of bid publication on GeM. Buyer is duty bound to reply to all such representations and would not be allowed to open bids if he fails to reply to such representations. Also, GeM does not permit collection of Tender fee / Auction fee in case of Bids / Forward Auction as the case may be. Any stipulation by the Buyer seeking payment of Tender Fee / Auction fee through ATC clauses would be treated as null and void.

[This Bid is also governed by the General Terms and Conditions](#)

In terms of GeM GTC clause 26 regarding Restrictions on procurement from a bidder of a country which shares a land border with India, any bidder from a country which shares a land border with India will be eligible to bid in this tender only if the bidder is registered with the Competent Authority. While participating in bid, Bidder has to undertake compliance of this and any false declaration and non-compliance of this would be a ground for immediate termination of the contract and further legal action in accordance with the laws.

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