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**SUPPLY, INSTALLATION, TESTING AND COMMISSIONING OF
STUDIO LIGHT FIXTURES FOR 'SCIENTIFIC E-MATERIAL
PRODUCTION FACILITY' (STUDIO ROOM)
AT HOMI BHABHA CENTRE FOR SCIENCE EDUCATION, TIFR,
MANKHURD, MUMBAI – 400088**

Date : August 05, 2024

(TENDER NO : HBC/PUR/PUBLIC TENDER 05/2024)

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SECTION 1: NOTICE INVITING TENDER

Ref : HBC/PUR/PUBLIC TENDER 05/2024/

Date : August 05, 2024

Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Studio Light Fixtures For 'Scientific E-Material Production Facility' (Studio room) at Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education - TIFR, Mankhurd, Mumbai – 400088.	Estimated Cost = Rs. 11,43,420 (Incl. GST)
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD): Rs. 22,868/- (Rupees Twenty-Two Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty-Eight only) by way of Demand Draft in favour of "HBCSE" payable at Mumbai. Alternatively, this amount can be remitted by bank transfer. The details are as follows: HBCSE-TIFR Non Plan A/C, Account No.:1038019943 Bank Address: Central Bank of India Jigna Apartment, Sion-Trombay Road, Mankhurd, Mumbai – 400 088 IFSC Code: CBIN 0282523.	

Tender documents can be downloaded from HBCSE website: www.hbcse.tifr.res.in/tenders or <https://eprocure.gov.in/epublish/app>

All interested bidders are requested to attend the Pre-Bid Meeting at 11:00 AM on August 13, 2024 at Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education, V. N. Purav Marg, Near Anushakti Nagar Bus Depot, Mumbai – 400 088.

Tender should reach us before or on **August 26, 2024 by 2.30 PM (BID DUE DATE)**

Tender (Technical bid only) will be opened on **August 26, 2024 at 15.30 PM.**

Tender (Financial bid only) will be opened on – **The date and time of opening of financial bids will be conveyed to the Technically suitable bidders through Telephone and mail.**

Contract Period: **Thirty (30) Days** after the date of issue of Work Order/ LOI/ PO or date of completion of Handing Over taking over process whichever is latest.

Bids under **TWO Bid System** (Technical + Financial Bid) are invited on behalf of Centre Director, HBCSE Mumbai for award of contract for **Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Studio Light Fixtures For 'Scientific E-Material Production Facility' (Studio room)**. The details of the tender including the scope of work, technical specification, drawings (if applicable) etc. is given in this tender document. All the prospective bidders are requested to go through the tender document before submitting their bids.

Quotation sent by hand delivery/courier are to be deposited in the Tender Box kept at the Main Gate after obtaining stamp, date and signature of the Security Officer.

To assess the nature of job, bidder must visit the HBCSE site before bidding. Bidder may seek prior appointment for site visit. The contact person is Shri. Banda. Srikanth (Tel No. 25072121/25072300, Email: banda@hbcse.tifr.res.in).

Tenders to be sent to:

Head, Administrative Operations

Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education

V. N. Purav Marg, Near Anushakti Nagar Bus Depot, Mumbai – 400 088.

Bids sent by Fax/email shall be rejected straightway. The Centre reserves the right to accept/ reject the proposal either in part or in full without assigning any reasons.

Head Administrative Operations

For and on behalf of Centre Director, HBCSE

SECTION 2: PRE-QUALIFICATION/ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Bidders are required to comply with the following eligibility criteria.

- a. Registration /empanelment /worked in past with Government organizations like CPWD, MES, Railways, State PWDs etc. /Semi Government organizations, PSUs etc. / reputed private organizations in appropriate class and having experience in execution of similar nature of works.
 - b. The contractor should have **zonal office in Mumbai/ Navi Mumbai/ Thane and nearby areas.**
 - c. Annual turnover as per ITCC or profit & loss statement for the last 3 years. Average annual turnover for the last 3 financial years should be at least Rs **11,43,420** /- not having incurred any loss in more than 2 years during last 5 years ending 31March,2024.
 - d. Experience of having successfully completed the following works (during last **Five** years ending 31 March,2024):
 - i. **One** similar order not less than Rs.**9,14,736**/-; Or
 - ii. **Two** similar works completed costing not less than Rs.**6,86,052**/- each; Or
 - iii. **Three** similar works completed costing not less than Rs.**4,57,368**/- each
- **Similar works** shall mean SITC of Studio lighting and Electronics systems etc. of BOQ mentioned magnitude of quantities of work. The quality & satisfactory performance of the submitted work will be verified by HBCSE technical team if required by inspecting the said work.
 - **Notes:**
 1. The above (Pre-qualification criteria) should be supported by relevant documentary evidence like copies of work orders and completion certificates issued by clients indicating the detailed scope of work covering the above aspects, value of work, completion/commissioning dates etc., in support of meeting all the qualification criteria given as above.
 2. Relaxation may be provided from the above-mentioned pre-qualification criteria (point 'c' & 'd') for the firms registered under MSME / NSIC.
 3. The certificates submitted as evidence of works executed for private organization should be accompanied with TDS certificates. These certificates in addition to the certificates issued by the organization shall form the basis for considering experience of work executed for private organization.
 4. The offers of the Bidders not meeting the pre-qualifying requirements and not producing supportive documents are likely to be rejected.
 5. HBCSE reserves the right to verify the documents/ information submitted or inspect the installation done. The Bidder shall provide necessary facilities for this purpose.
 6. Even though the Bidders meet the above qualifying criteria, they are subject to be disqualified if they have made misleading or false representations in the forms, statements and attachments submitted in proof of qualification requirements; and/or record of poor performance such as abandoning the works, not properly completing the contract, inordinate delays in completion, in case of blacklisting by any PSU/Govt. body, or financial failures etc.
 7. The Contractor must confirm in writing that the spares supplied & installed by them shall be as per specification of goods and in case of any variation, the contract shall be liable to cancel immediately.

SECTION 3: INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

A) General Instructions:

1. The Prospective bidder shall carefully examine and understand the specifications/conditions of the tender document/RFP and seek clarifications in writing if required, to ensure that they have understood all specifications/conditions of tender. These clarifications should be sought before submission of bids. If no such clarifications are sought in writing, it will be taken that the Bidder has read, understood and accepted all the terms, conditions and specifications in the tender document.
2. The Bidder is required to submit a copy of this tender document, with all pages signed by the authorized person, to confirm that Bidder has read and understood the conditions of this tender document and that the proposal is submitted in full understanding and agreement of the requirements of HBCSE.
3. The Bidder shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of the Bid, and HBCSE will in no case be responsible for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the bidding process.
4. HBCSE reserves its rights to amend any of the terms and conditions of the tender document. All such changes can be made up to one week before the last date of submission of bid. The notice of such amendment will be published on HBCSE website only. No separate advertisement will be issued in the newspapers for such changes/Corrigenda. All the prospective bidders are therefore requested to regularly visit HBCSE website for any such updates.
5. The complete bid will be as per the specified formats only. The bids should be without alteration or erasures, except those to accord with instructions issued by the HBCSE or as necessary to correct errors made by the bidder, in which case such corrections shall be initialed by the person or persons signing the bid.
6. The bidder shall submit only one option, which is best suitable to meet HBCSE requirements. The bids submitted with more options shall be liable to be rejected.
7. The Bid prepared by the Bidder, as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the Bid exchanged by the Bidder and HBCSE, shall be in English only.
8. Wherever a specific form is prescribed in the Bid document, the Bidder shall use the form to provide relevant information. If the form does not provide space for any required information, space at the end of the form or additional sheets shall be used to convey the said information. For all other cases, the Bidder shall design a form to hold the required information.
9. The Bidder shall explicitly indicate the non-compliance or deviation of the Solution offered in the Proposal to all the terms, clauses, conditions and specifications stipulated in this document. If non-compliance or deviation for any term, clause, condition or specification is not explicitly indicated, it will be construed as compliance and if successful in the bid, the bidder is obligated to comply with all the requirements (excluding those non-compliances explicitly accepted by HBCSE in writing).
10. Successful bidder shall perform all the obligations specified in accordance with the terms and conditions laid down in the tender document. All details provided by the Bidder should be specific to the requirements specified in this tender document. Detailed clarification may be provided by Bidder, if so desired by HBCSE. The Bidder shall specify the responsibilities of HBCSE, if any, separately for the successful implementation of the project.
11. Bidder/Contractor should accept the instructions, guidelines, & clauses reinforced by HBCSE and conveyed to the vendor from time to time at any point of contract period.
12. **Bidder shall ensure that all documents are submitted with the Technical bid. The bid should contain the following documents:**
 - i. Copy of PAN (Permanent Account Number) card.
 - ii. List of similar works in hand & works carried out by them for last 5 years indicating A) Agency for whom executed, B) Value of work, C) Completion time as stipulated and actual, or present position of the work
 - iii. Copy of Valid electrical contractor Licenses.
 - iv. Experience testimonials along with work orders and completion certificates.

v. Certificate of Registration for GST, Audited Balance sheets signed by chartered accountant & Income Tax of up to date filed return.

vi. DD for EMD or in case of bank transfer the receipt for the same must be enclosed.

B) Earnest Money Deposit (EMD): An earnest money for **Rs. 22,868/- i.e. 2%** of the total estimated cost has to be deposited in the form of Demand Draft, Fixed Deposit Receipt, Banker's cheque or through online transfer through bank (Bank details to be provided on demand) in favour of '**Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education' Mumbai**' and send along with the Technical Bid (Part 'A'). After online transfer of earnest money, the vendor should intimate us by email or proof of online transfer of EMD should be part of tender. The firms registered under MSMEs can be exempted from submission of EMD as per rule 170 of GFR 2017, provided they must submit a '**Bid Securing Declaration**' in prescribed form as per '**Annexure X**'

EMD shall be interest free and it will be refunded to the unsuccessful bidders within 15 days after acceptance of Work Order by the awarded bidder without any interest. EMD will be forfeited if the bidder withdraws or amend impairs or derogates from the tender in any respect. **Kindly submit your bank details along with the tender like Cancelled Cheque/NEFT/Bank A/C details for ease in repayment of EMD.**

C) Performance Guarantee: The tenderer, whose tender is accepted, will be required to furnish a performance Guarantee of 5% of the WO value (of '**Bill of quantities**') within **7 (seven) working days** from the date of intimation. This Guarantee shall be in the form Demand Draft / Pay Order / Banker's cheque issued by a Scheduled Bank in favour of '**Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education**'.

The performance guarantee shall be returned to the contractor, without any interest, after recording of the completion certificate for the work by the competent authority and submission of final bill by the contractor as per the joint measurement within 60 days.

The Engineer-in-charge shall make a claim under the Performance guarantee for amounts to which the Centre Director, HBCSE entitled under the contract (notwithstanding and / or without prejudice to any other provisions in the contract agreement) in the event of: Failure by the contractor to pay Centre Director, HBCSE any amount due, either as agreed by the contractor or determined under any of the Clauses / Conditions of the agreement, within 30 days of the service of notice to this effect by Engineer-in-charge. In the event of the contract being determined under provisions of any of the relevant clauses of the agreement, the performance guarantee shall stand forfeited in full and shall be absolutely at the disposal of the Centre Director, HBCSE. For Successful tenderer the EMD shall be returned to the contractor, without any interest, after receiving of Performance Guarantee and for unsuccessful tenderers EMD will be refunded after placing the order on successful tenderer.

D) Security Deposit: The tenderer, whose tender is accepted, will also be required to furnish by way of Security Deposit for fulfillment of his contract, an amount equal to **2.5%** of the value of the work. The successful tenderer shall permit HBCSE at the time of making any payment to him for work done under the contract to deduct a sum at the rate of **2.5%** of the gross amount of each running bill. The Security Deposit shall be released after the successful completion of Defect Liability Period reckoned from the date of completion as certified by Engineer.

E) Defect Liability period: One (1) Year from the satisfactory completion of entire tendered work.

F) In case Bidder finds discrepancies or omissions from the specifications or other documents or has any doubt as to their meaning, he/she shall at once request in writing to the Head, Administrative Operations (HBCSE) who will issue interpretation and clarifications as he/she may consider necessary in writing as an addendum. Copies of such addenda, if issued, shall be signed by the Bidder and shall form a part of his bid. Verbal clarifications given shall not be binding on HBCSE.

G) HBCSE does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any bid/all bids or a portion hereof. HBCSE is competent to reject any or all offers without assigning any reason whatsoever or to split the contract or to eliminate the portion of contract during the progress of work due to unsatisfactory work. HBCSE will not entertain any claim from the contractor as a result of such action on the part of the owner.

H) Acceptance of Tender: The competent authority, on behalf of Centre Director, HBCSE, Mumbai, does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any other tender, and reserves to himself the authority to reject any or all the tenders received, without assignment of any reason. All tenders, in which any of the prescribed condition is not fulfilled or any condition, including that of conditional rebates is put forth by the tenderer, shall be summarily rejected. The Competent Authority, on behalf of HBCSE, Mumbai reserves to himself the right of accepting the whole or any part of the tender and the tenderer shall be bound to perform the same at the rates quoted. The officer inviting tenders shall have the right of rejecting all or any of the tenders and will not be bound to accept the lowest tender or any other tender.

I) Validity of Tender: The tender for the work shall remain open for acceptance for a period of 180 days from the last date of submission of tenders. If any tenderer withdraws his/her tender before the said period, or before issue of

Letter of Intent, whichever is earlier, or makes any modifications in the terms and conditions of the tender which are not acceptable to the Department, then HBCSE, TIFR, Mumbai shall, without prejudice to any other right or remedy, the tenderer shall not be allowed to participate in the retendering process of the work.

J) Levy / Taxes payable by contractor:

- a. GST @18% on materials and services in respect of this contract shall be payable by the contractor.
- b. The contractor shall deposit royalty and obtain necessary permit as required for supply of the sand, Aggregate, Stone etc. from local authorities. No matters in this regard will be entertained by HBCSE.

K) Deduction of Income Tax: Income Tax will be deducted as per Section 194-C of Income Tax Act 1961 and a certificate for the amount recovered will be issued by the HBCSE Centre.

L) Site visit by the bidder before tendering: Bidders are advised to inspect and examine the site and its surroundings during working hours and satisfy themselves before submitting their tenders as to the nature of the ground and sub-soil (so far as is practicable), the form and nature of the site, the means of access to the site, the accommodation they may require and in general shall themselves obtain all necessary information as to risks, contingencies and other circumstances which may influence or affect their tender. The Bidder shall be deemed to have full knowledge of the site whether he/she inspects it or not and no extra charges consequent on any misunderstanding or otherwise shall be allowed.

M) Signing of Tender and receipts for payments: In the event of the tender being submitted by a firm, it must be signed separately by each partner thereof or in the event of the absence of any partner, it must be signed on his behalf by a person holding a power-of-attorney authorizing him to do so, such power of attorney to be produced with the tender, and it must disclose that the firm is duly registered under the Indian Partnership Act-1952. Receipts for payments made on account of work, when executed by a firm, must also be signed by all the partners, except where contractors are described in their tender as a firm, in which case the receipts must be signed in the name of the firm by one of the partners, or by some other person having due authority to give effectual receipts for the firm.

N) Tenderer's responsibilities: The tenderer shall be responsible for arranging and maintaining at his/her own cost all materials, tools & plants, facilities for workers and all other services required for executing the work unless otherwise specifically provided for in the contract documents. Submission of a tender by a tenderer implies that he/she has read this notice & all other contract documents and has made himself aware of the scope & specifications of the work to be done and local conditions and factors having a bearing on the execution of the work. Water and electricity shall be provided for the work by HBCSE-TIFR free of charge.

O) Notification of amendments to the tender document: If the technical specification requires any modification, suitable amendment to this tender document will be issued and the same will form part of the tender document. Prospective bidders are advised to regularly visit the HBCSE web site or the CPP portal. Corrigendum/amendments etc., if any, will be notified only on the HBCSE web site/ CPP portal and no separate advertisement will be made for this.

P) Signing of contract: The Notice Inviting Tender shall form a part of the contract document. The successful tenderer/contractor, on acceptance of his/her tender by the Accepting Authority, shall, within 15 days from the stipulated date of start of the work, sign the contract consisting of: The Notice Inviting Tender, all the documents including all conditions, specifications and drawings, if any, forms the tender as issued at the time of invitation of tender and acceptance thereof together with any correspondence leading thereto.

Q) Canvassing: either directly or indirectly, in connection with the tenders is strictly prohibited and the tenders submitted by the contractors who resort to canvassing will be liable to rejection and may be barred from the future participation in HBCSE- TIFR works.

R) Contract Period: Thirty Days (30) days after the date of issue of Work Order.

S) The terms 'Municipal Corporation', 'Electricity Boards' etc. indicated in this tender shall also represent the 'Local statutory authority'/' State Govt.'/' Union Territory' etc., for works at different station.

T) The Bidder should have an Office in Mumbai/ MMRDA region for quick work at short notice. The name of Office In-charge of Mumbai Office along with address, mobile number and email address with address proof should be submitted.

SECTION 4: GENERAL RULES AND DIRECTIONS

- 1. NIT & its contents:** All works proposed for execution by contractor will be notified in a form of invitation to tender on HBCSE Website/CPMP Portal. This form will state the work to be carried out, as well as the date for submitting and opening tenders and the time allowed for carrying out the work, also the amount of earnest money to be deposited, and the amount of the security deposit and Performance guarantee to be deposited by the successful tenderer and the percentage, if any, to be deducted from the bills. Copies of the specifications, designs and drawings, schedule of quantities of the various descriptions of work and any other documents required in connection with the work signed for the purpose of identifications by the officer inviting tender shall also be open for inspection by the contractor at the office of officer inviting tender during office hours.
- 2. Signing of Tender and receipts for payments:** In the event of the tender being submitted by a firm, it must be signed separately by each partner thereof or in the event of the absence of any partner, it must be signed on his behalf by a person holding a power-of-attorney authorising him to do so, such power of attorney to be produced with the tender, and it must disclose that the firm is duly registered under the Indian Partnership Act 1952. Receipts for payments made on account of work, when executed by a firm, must also be signed by all the partners, except where contractors are described in their tender as a firm, in which case the receipts must be signed in the name of the firm by one of the partners, or by some other person having due authority to give effectual receipts for the firm.
- 3. Filling-up of tender:** Any person who submits a tender shall fill up the usual printed form, stating at what rate he is willing to undertake each item of the work. Tenders, which propose any alteration in the work specified in the said form of invitation to tender, or in the time allowed for carrying out the work, or which contain any other condition of any sort, including conditional rebates, will be summarily rejected. No single tender shall include more than one work, but contractors who wish to tender for two or more works shall submit separate tender for each. Tenders shall have the name and number of the works to which they refer, written on the envelopes. It will be obligatory on the part of the tenderer to sign all the pages of tender documents affixing his/her stamp. All rates shall be quoted on the proper form of the tender alone. All corrections shall be attested by the dated initials of the tenderer. Use of correcting fluid, anywhere in tender document is not permitted. Such tender is liable for rejection. If it is found that the tender is not submitted in proper manner or contains too much corrections and/or absurd rates or amount, it would be open for the Government to take suitable disciplinary action against the Contractor. Bids prepared by the tenderer shall contain all requisite information along with self-attested supporting documents as per details in Technical Bid-Part I

The Tender is consisting of two parts: **PART I- TECHNICAL BID & PART II- FINANCIAL BID**

The bigger envelope must be super scribed **Tender for 'Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Studio Light Fixtures For 'Scientific E-Material Production Facility'(Studio room) at HBCSE'**.

The two envelopes inside the bigger envelope & must be super scribed as:

- i. Outer Envelope: Name of the Work, Tenderer's name & address with signature & seal**
- ii. Envelope No-1:** The said envelope is for technical bid & shall be super scribed as **'Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Studio Light Fixtures For 'Scientific E-Material Production Facility'(Studio room) at HBCSE - Technical Bid'**.
- iii. Envelope No-2:** The said envelope is for Financial bid & shall be super scribed as **Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Studio Light Fixtures For 'Scientific E-Material Production Facility'(Studio room) at HBCSE - Financial Bid'**

The tender must be placed in a properly sealed bigger envelope addressed to the **'Head Administrative Operations, Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education, V. N. Purav Marg, Mankhurd, Mumbai – 400088'** and the said bigger envelope shall contain two sealed envelopes containing Technical & Financial bids.

- 4. Opening of tenders:** The officer inviting tender or his/her duly authorised assistant will open the Technical bids first. In selecting technically suitable parties, the decision of HBCSE Scrutiny Committee will be final and binding to all the contractors. Financial bids of only those tenderers who qualify in the technical bid will be opened. Intimation will be sent to through email/telephone/letter those tenderers who qualify in the technical bid. No correspondence in this regard will be entertained. Further the Financial bids may be opened in the presence of any intending tenderers who may be present at the time, and will enter the amount of the several tenders in a Comparative Statement in a suitable form.

The firms whose bids meet all the technical & financial conditions will be deemed eligible for being awarded a

contract. A Committee will shortlist the eligible bidders and determines the L1 bid. Any Financial bid which is considered highly unreasonable will be discarded and such bids will be considered deficient and rejected as ineligible. **Declaration by tenderer:** The tenderers shall sign a declaration under the Official Secret Act-1923 for maintaining secrecy of the tender documents, drawings or other records connected with the work given to them. The unsuccessful tenderers shall return all the drawings given to them.

5. **Guidelines for quoting the rates:** All rates shall be quoted on the prescribed tender form. The amount for each item should be worked out and requisite totals given. Special care should be taken to write the rates in figures as well as in words, and the amount in figures only, in such a way that interpolation is not possible. The total amount should be written both in figures and in word. In case of figures, the words “Rs.” should be written before the figures of rupees and word “P” after the decimal figures, e.g. “Rs. 2.15 P”. and in case of words, the word, “Rupees” should precede and the word “Paise” should be written at the end. Unless the rate is in whole rupees followed by the word 'only' it should invariably be upto two decimal places. While quoting the rate in schedule of quantities, the word 'only' should be written closely following the amount and it should not be written in the next line.
6. **Quoted rates to include all taxes (except GST):** Sales tax, VAT, Purchase tax or any other tax on materials in respect of this contract, including state Sales tax and Turnover tax on transfer of property as per Works Contract Act etc. if any, shall be payable by the contractor and Government will not entertain any claim whatsoever in respect of the same. As per the directives of the Sales Tax Authorities, the tax due at the rates notified by the State Government from time to time, shall be deducted from the bills payable to the Contractors, for which TDS certificate shall be issued by the Department.
7. **Filling-up of Financial Bid:** Unless otherwise called for, any tender containing percentage below / above the estimated cost put to tender is liable to be rejected. All rates shall be quoted on the tender form by the tenderers in figures and words shall be accurately filled in, so that there is no discrepancy in the rates written in figures and in words. The amount for each item should be worked out and requisite totals given. However,
 - i) The rate(s) must be quoted in decimal coinage. Amounts must be quoted in full rupees by ignoring fifty paise and considering more than fifty paise as rupee one.
 - ii) If the amount of an item is not worked out by the tenderer, or it does not correspond with the rate written either in figures or in words, then the rates quoted by the tenderer in words shall be taken as correct.
 - iii) Where the rate quoted by the tenderer in figures and in words tally but the amount is not worked out correctly, the rate quoted by the tenderer will, unless otherwise proved, be taken as correct and not the amount.
 - iv) In event no rate has been quoted for any item(s), leaving space both in figure(s), word(s), and amount blank, it will be presumed that the contractor has included the cost of this / these item(s) in other items and rate for such item(s) will be considered as **zero** and work will be required to be executed accordingly.
8. **Action in case of un realistic rates:** In the case of any tender where unit rate of any item (s) appear unrealistic, such tender will be considered as unbalanced and in case the tenderer is unable to provide satisfactory explanation, such a tender is liable to be disqualified and rejected.
9. **Witnessing of a tender:** The tender for the work shall not be witnessed by a contractor or contractors, who himself/herself / themselves has / have tendered or who may and has / have tendered for the same work. Failure to observe this condition would render, tenders of the contractors tendering, as well as witnessing the tender, liable to summary rejection.
10. **List of works in hand:** The contractor shall submit list of works which are in hand / in progress in the form as per Annexure VI.

SECTION 5: CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

A. DEFINITIONS:

1. The **'Contract/ Agreement'** means the documents forming the tender and acceptance thereof and the formal agreement executed between the Competent authority on behalf of the Centre Director, HBCSE and the Contractor together with the documents referred to therein including these conditions, the specifications, designs, drawings and instructions issued from time to time by the Engineer-in-charge and all these documents taken together, shall be deemed to form one contract and shall be complementary to one another.
2. In the contract the following expression shall, unless the context otherwise requires, have the meanings as-
 - i) The expression **'Works'** or **'Work'** shall, unless there be something either in the subject or context repugnant to such work, be construed and taken to mean the works by or by virtue of the contract contracted to be executed whether temporary or permanent and whether original, altered, substituted or additional.
 - ii) The **'Site'** shall mean the land or other places on, into or through which work is to be executed under the contract or any adjacent land, path or street through which work is to be executed under the contract or any adjacent land, path or street which may be allotted or used for the purpose of carrying out the contract.
 - iii) The **'Contractor/ Bidder/ Vendor'** shall mean the individual, firm or company, whether incorporated or not, undertaking the works and shall include the legal personnel representative of such individual or the persons composing such firm or company or the successors of such firm or company and the permitted assignees of such individual, firm or company.
 - iv) The **'Engineer-in-Charge'** means the Engineer / Officer, who shall supervise and be in charge of the work
 - v) **'Centre/ Institute/ Department/ Owner'** shall mean the HBCSE-TIFR.
 - vi) **'Temporary Work'** means all temporary works of every kind required in or about the execution, completion and maintenance of the works.
 - vii) **'Accepting authority'** shall mean the Head, Administrative Operations, HBCSE-TIFR.
 - viii) **Exempted Risk** are risks due to riots (other than those on account of contractor's employees), war (whether declared or not) invasion, act of foreign enemies, hostilities, civil war, rebellion revolution, insurrection, military or usurped power, any acts of Government, damages from aircraft, acts of God, such as earthquake, lightening and unprecedented floods, and other causes over which the contractor has no control and accepted as such by the Accepting Authority or causes solely due to use or occupation by Government of the part of the works in respect of which a certificate of completion has been issued or a cause solely due to Government's faulty design of works.
 - ix) **Market Rate** shall be the rate as decided by the Engineer-in-Charge on the basis of the cost of materials and labour at the site where the work is to be executed plus the percentage to cover, all overheads and profits.
 - x) **Tendered value** means the value of the entire work as stipulated in the letter of award.
 - xi) **Site Cleaning/ Debris Removal/ Disposal** means cleaning of complete site with no dust left over and disposal of complete debris/ waste/ non usable material out of the campus premises as per the guidelines of the Municipal authorities and their approvals.

B. Works to be Carried out: The work to be carried out under the Contract shall, except as otherwise provided in these conditions, include all labour, materials, tools, plants, equipment and transport which may be required in preparation of and for and in the full and entire execution and completion of the works. The descriptions given in the Schedule of Quantities shall, unless otherwise stated, be held to include wastage on materials, carriage and cartage, carrying and return of empties, hoisting, setting, fitting and fixing in position and all other labours necessary in and for the full and entire execution and completion of the work as aforesaid in accordance with good practice and recognised principles.

C. Sufficiency of Tender: The Contractor shall be deemed to have satisfied himself/herself before tendering as to the correctness and sufficiency of his/her tender for the works and of the rates and prices quoted in the Schedule of Quantities, which rates and prices shall, except as otherwise provided, cover all his obligations under the Contract and all matters and things necessary for the proper completion and maintenance of the works.

- a. If there are varying or conflicting provisions made in any one document forming part of the contract, the Accepting Authority shall be the deciding authority with regard to the intention of the document and his decision shall be final and binding on the contractor.
- b. Any error in description, quantity or rate in Schedule of Quantities or any omission therefrom shall not vitiate the contract or release the Contractor from the execution of the whole or any part of the works comprised therein according to drawings and specifications or from any of his obligations under the contract. the works.

D. Signing of Contract: The successful tenderer / contractor, on acceptance of his/her tender by the Accepting Authority, shall, within 15 days from the stipulated date of start of the work, sign the contract consisting of complete tender document including conditions, bill of quantities, drawings, if any, and acceptance thereof together with any correspondence leading thereto No payment for the work done will be made unless contract is signed by the contractor.

SECTION 6: GENERAL CLAUSES OF CONTRACT

- 1. Determination of contract:** Subject to other provisions contained in this clause, the Engineer-in-Charge may, without prejudice to his/her any other right or remedy against the contractor in respect of any delay, inferior workmanship, any claim for damages and /or any other provisions of this contract or otherwise, and whether the date for completion has or has not elapsed, by notice in writing absolutely determine the contract in any of the following cases:
 - i. If the contractor having been given by the Engineer-in-Charge a notice in writing to rectify, reconstruct or replace any defective work or that the work is being performed in an inefficient or otherwise improper or unworkman-like manner shall omit to comply with the requirements of such notice for a period of 7 days thereafter.
 - ii. If the contractor has, without reasonable cause, suspended the progress of the work or has failed to proceed with the work with due diligence so that in the opinion of the Engineer-in-Charge (which shall be final and binding) he/she will be unable to secure completion of the work by the date for completion and continue to do so after a notice in writing of 7 days from the Engineer-in-Charge.
 - iii. If the contractor fails to complete the work within the stipulated date or items of work with individual date of completion, if any stipulated, on or before such date(s) of completion and does not complete them within the period specified in a notice given in writing in that behalf by the Engineer-in-Charge.
 - iv. If the contractor persistently neglects to carry out his/her obligations under the contract and / or commits default in complying with any of the terms and conditions of the contract and does not remedy it or take effective steps to remedy it within 7 days after a notice in writing is given to him/her in that behalf by the Engineer-in-Charge.
 - v. If the contractor shall offer or give or agree to give to any person in HBCSE- TIFR or to any other person on his behalf any gift or consideration of any kind as an inducement or reward for doing or forbearing to do or for having done or forborne to do any act in relation to the obtaining or execution of this or any other contract for HBCSE-TIFR.
 - vi. If the contractor shall obtain a contract elsewhere as a result of wrong tendering or other non-bonafide methods of competitive tendering.
 - vii. If the contractor assigns, transfers, sublets (engagement of labour on a piece-work basis or of labour with materials not to be incorporated in the work, shall not be deemed to be subletting) or otherwise parts with or attempts to assign, transfer, sublet or otherwise parts with the entire works or any portion thereof without the prior written approval of the Engineer-in-Charge. When the contractor has made himself/herself liable for action under any of the cases aforesaid, the Engineer-in-Charge on behalf of the Centre Director, HBCSE shall have powers:
 - a. To determine the contract as aforesaid (of which termination notice in writing to the contractor under the hand of the Engineer-in-Charge shall be conclusive evidence) upon such determination, the Security Deposit already recovered and Performance Guarantee under the contract, shall be liable to be forfeited, and shall be absolutely at the disposal of HBCSE-TIFR.
 - b. After giving notice to the contractor to measure up the work of the contractor and to take such whole, or the balance or part thereof, as shall be unexecuted out of his/her hands and to give it to another contractor to complete the work. The contractor, whose contract is determined as above, shall not be allowed to participate in the tendering process for the balance work.
 - viii. In the event of above courses being adopted by the Engineer-in-Charge, the contractor shall have no claim to compensation for any loss sustained by him by reason of his having purchased or procured any materials or entered into any engagements or made any advances on account or with a view to the execution of the work or the performance of the contract. And in case action is taken under any of the provisions aforesaid, the contractor shall not be entitled to recover or be paid any sum for any work thereof or actually performed under this contract unless and until the Engineer-in-Charge has certified in writing the performance of such work and the value payable in respect thereof and he/she shall only be entitled to be paid the value so certified.
- 2. Contractor liable to pay compensation even if contract is not determined:** In any case in which any of the powers conferred upon the Engineer-in-Charge under the contract, shall have become exercisable and the same are not exercised, the non-exercise thereof shall not constitute a waiver of any of the conditions hereof and such powers shall notwithstanding be exercisable in the event of any future case of default by the contractor and the liability of the contractor for compensation shall remain unaffected. In the event of the Engineer-in-Charge putting in force all or any of the powers vested in him under the preceding clause he may, if he so desires after giving a notice in writing to the contractor, take possession of (or at the sole discretion of the Engineer-in-Charge which shall be final and binding on the contractor), use as on hire (the amount of the hire money being also in the final determination of the

Engineer-in-Charge) all or any tools, plant, materials and stores, in or upon the works, or the site thereof, belonging to the contractor, or procured by the contractor and intended to be used for the execution of the work / or any part thereof, paying or allowing for the same in account at the contract rates, or, in the case of these not being applicable, at current market rates to be certified by the Engineer-in-Charge, whose certificate thereof shall be final and binding on the contractor, his/her representative of the works, foreman or other authorised agent to remove such tools, plant, materials, or stores from the premises (within a time to be specified in such notice); in the event of the contractor failing to comply with any such requisition, the Engineer-in-Charge may remove them at the contractor's expense or sell them by auction or private sale on account of the contractor and at his risk in all respects and the certificate of the Engineer-in-Charge as to the expenses of any such removal and the amount of the proceeds and expenses of any such sale shall be final and conclusive against the contractor.

- 3. Time Extension for delay:** The time allowed for execution of the works as stipulated in the contract or the extended time in accordance with these conditions shall be the essence of the Contract. The execution of the works shall commence from such time period as mentioned in contract. If the Contractor commits default in commencing the execution of the work as aforesaid, HBCSE-TIFR shall without prejudice to any other right or remedy available in law, be at liberty to forfeit the performance guarantee absolutely. As soon as possible after the Contract is signed, the Contractor shall submit a Time and Progress Chart for each mile stone and get it approved by the Department. The Chart shall be prepared in direct relation to the time stated in the Contract documents for completion of items of the works. It shall indicate the forecast of the dates of commencement and completion of various trades of sections of the work and maybe amended as necessary by agreement between the Engineer-in-Charge and the Contractor within the limitations of time imposed in the Contract documents, and further to ensure good progress during the execution of the work, the contractor shall in all cases in which the time allowed for any work, exceeds one month (save for special jobs for which a separate programme has been agreed upon) to complete the work as per the mile stones given.

If the work(s) be delayed by:

- a. Force majeure, or
- b. Abnormally bad weather, or
- c. Serious loss or damage by fire, or
- d. Civil commotion, local commotion of workmen, strike or lockout, affecting any of the trades employed on the work, or
- e. Delay on the part of other contractors or tradesmen engaged by Engineer-in-Charge in executing work not forming part of the Contract, or
- f. Non-availability of stores, which are the responsibility of HBCSE-TIFR to supplier.
- g. Non-availability or break down of tools and plant to be supplied or supplied by HBCSE- TIFR or
- h. Any other cause which, in the absolute discretion of the Engineer-in-Charge is beyond the Contractor's control, then upon the happening of any such event causing delay, the Contractor shall immediately give notice thereof in writing to the Engineer-in-Charge but shall nevertheless use constantly his best endeavors to prevent or make good the delay and shall do all that may be reasonably required to the satisfaction of the Engineer-in-Charge to proceed with the works.

- a) **Payments: The payment will be released within 10-15 working days after the submission of the Running Account/ Final bills post corrections if any received from Engineer-In-Charge.**

- 4. Completion Certificate:** Within ten days of the completion of the work, the contractor shall give notice of such completion to the Engineer-in- Charge and within fifteen days of the receipt of such notice, the Engineer-in-Charge shall inspect the work, and if there is no defect in the work, shall furnish the contractor with a certificate of completion, otherwise a provisional certificate of physical completion indicating defects (a) to be rectified by the contractor and / or (b) for which payment will be made at reduced rates, shall be issued. But no final certificate of completion shall be issued, nor shall the work be considered to be complete until the contractor shall have removed from the premises on which the work shall be executed, all scaffolding, surplus materials, rubbish and all huts and sanitary arrangements, required for his/their work people on the site in connection with the execution of the works as shall have been erected or constructed by the contractor(s) and cleaned off the dirt from all wood work, doors, windows, walls, floors or other parts the building, in, upon, or about which the work is to be executed or of which he may have had possession for the purpose of the execution thereof, and not until the work shall have been measured by the Engineer-in-Charge.

- 5. Contractor to keep site clean:** When the works are carried out, the splashes and droppings from white washing, color washing, painting etc. on wall, floors, doors, windows etc. shall be removed and the surface cleaned simultaneously with the completion of these items of work in the individual rooms, quarters or premises etc. where

the work is done without waiting for the actual completion of all the other items of work in contract. In case the contractor fails to comply with the requirements of this clause, the Engineer-in-Charge shall have the right to get this work done at the cost of the contractor either departmentally or through any other agency. Before taking such action, the Engineer-in-Charge shall give **10 days'** notice in writing to the contractor.

- 6. Payment of Final Bill:** The final bill shall be submitted by the contractor in the same manner as specified in interim bills within two months of physical completion of the work or within one month of the date of the final certificate of completion furnished by the Engineer-in-Charge whichever is earlier. No further claims shall be made by the contractor after submission of the final bill and these shall be deemed to have been waived and extinguished. Payments of those items of the bill in respect of which there is no dispute and of items in dispute, for quantities and rates as approved by Engineer-in-Charge, will, as far as possible be made within the period specified herein-under, the period being reckoned from the date of receipt of the bill by the Engineer-in-Charge or his authorized representative, complete with account of materials issued by the Department and dismantled materials. Penalty for any default will be deducted from the RA bills and Final bill as well.
- 7. Deviations / Variations : Extent And Pricing:** The Engineer-in-Charge shall have power (i) to make alteration in, omissions from, additions to, or substitutions for the original specifications, drawings, designs and instructions that may appear to him to be necessary or advisable during the progress of the work, and (ii) to omit a part of the works in case of non-availability of a portion of the site or for any other reasons and the contractor shall be bound to carry out the works in accordance with any instructions given to him in writing signed by the Engineer-in-Charge and such alterations, omissions, additions or substitutions shall form part of the contract as if originally provided therein and any altered, additional or substituted work which the contractor may be directed to do in the manner specified above as part of the works, shall be carried out by the contractor on the same conditions in all respects including price on which he agreed to do the main work except as hereafter provided.
- a. Extra Items and Pricing:** In the case of extra item(s) which cannot be determined under the schedule of quantities, the contractor may within fifteen days of receipt of order or occurrence of the item(s), claim rates, supported by proper analysis, for the work and the engineer-in-charge shall within one month of the receipt of the claims supported by analysis, after giving consideration to the analysis of the rates submitted by the contractor, determine the rates on the basis of the market rates and the contractor shall be paid in accordance with the rates so determined. In the case of substituted items, the rate for the agreement items (to be substituted) and substituted item shall also be determined in the manner as mentioned in the **following** para:
- b. Substituted Items and Pricing:**
- i.** If the market rate for the substituted item so determined is more than the market rate of the agreement item (to be substituted) the rate payable to the contractor for the substituted item shall be the rate for the agreement item (to be substituted) so increased to the extent of the difference between the market rates of substituted item and the agreement item (to be substituted).
- ii.** If the market rate for the substituted item so determined is less than the market rate of the agreement item (to be substituted) the rate payable to the contractor for the substituted item shall be the rate for the agreement item (to be substituted) so decreased to the extent of the difference between the market rates of substituted item and the agreement item (to be substituted).
- 8. Foreclosure of contract due to abandonment or reduction in scope of work:** If at any time after acceptance of the tender, HBCSE-TIFR shall decide to abandon or reduce the scope of the works for any reason whatsoever and hence not require the whole or any part of the works to be carried out, the Engineer-in-charge or competent authority shall give notice in writing to that effect to the contractor and the contractor shall act accordingly in the matter. The contractor shall have no claim to any payment of compensation or otherwise whatsoever, on account of any profit or advantage which he/she might have derived from the execution of the works in full but which he did not derive in consequence of the foreclosure of the whole or part of the works.
- The contractor shall be paid at contract rates full amount for works executed at site and in addition, a reasonable amount as certified by the Engineer-in-charge for the items hereunder mentioned which could not be utilized on the work to the full extent in view of the foreclosure.
- a.** Any expenditure incurred on preliminary site work, e.g. temporary access roads, temporary labour huts, staff quarters and site office, storage accommodation and water storage tanks.
- b.** HBCSE-TIFR shall have the option to take over contractor's materials or any part thereof either brought to site or of which the contractor is legally bound to accept delivery from suppliers (for incorporation in or incidental to the work) provided however, HBCSE-TIFR shall be bound to take over the materials or such portions thereof as the contractor does not desire to retain. For materials taken over or to be taken over by HBCSE-TIFR, cost of such materials as detailed by Engineer-in-charge shall be paid. The cost shall, however, take into account purchase price, cost of transportation and deterioration or damage which may have been caused to materials whilst in the

custody of the contractor.

- c. If any materials supplied by HBCSE-TIFR are rendered surplus, the same except normal wastage shall be returned by the contractor to HBCSE-TIFR at rates not exceeding those at which these were originally issued less allowance for any deterioration or damage which may have been caused whilst the materials were in the custody of the contractor. In addition, cost of transporting such materials from site to HBCSE-TIFR stores, if so required by HBCSE-TIFR, shall be paid.
- d. Reasonable compensation for transfer of T & P from site to contractor's permanent stores or to his other works, whichever is less. If T & P are not transported to either of the said places, no cost of transportation shall be payable.
- e. Reasonable compensation for repatriation of contractor's site staff and imported labour to the extent necessary. The contractor shall, if required by the Engineer-in-charge furnish to him/her books of account, wage books, time sheets and other relevant documents and evidence as may be necessary to enable him to certify the reasonable amount payable under this condition. The reasonable amount of items on (i), (iv) and (v) above shall not be in excess of 2% of the cost of the work remaining incomplete on the date of closure, i.e. total stipulated cost of the work as per accepted tender less the cost of work actually executed under the contract and less the cost of contractor's materials at site taken over by HBCSE-TIFR as per item (ii) above. Provided always that against any payments due to the contractor on this account or otherwise, the Engineer-in-charge shall be entitled to recover or be credited with any outstanding balances due from the contractor for advance paid in respect of any tool, plants and materials and any other sums which at the date of termination were recoverable by HBCSE-TIFR from the contractor under the terms of the contract.

9. Suspension of work:

- a. The contractor shall, on receipt of the order in writing of the Engineer-in-Charge or Competent Authority, (whose decision shall be final and binding on the contractor) suspend the progress of the works or any part thereof for such time and in such manner as the Engineer-in-Charge may consider necessary so as not to cause any damage or injury to the work already done or endanger the safety thereof for any of the following reasons:
 - i. On account of any default on the part of the contractor or;
 - ii. For proper execution of the works or part thereof for reasons other than the default of the contractor; or
 - iii. For safety of the works or part thereof.

The contractor shall, during such suspension, properly protect and secure the works to the extent necessary and carry out the instructions given in that behalf by the Engineer-in-Charge.

- b. If the suspension is ordered for reasons (b) and (c) in sub-para (i) above:
 - i. The contractor shall be entitled to an extension of time equal to the period of every such suspension PLUS 25%, for completion of the item or group of items of work for which a separate period of completion is specified in the contract and of which the suspended work forms a part, and;
 - ii. If the works or part thereof is suspended on the orders of the Engineer-in-Charge for more than three months at a time, except when suspension is ordered for reason (a) in sub-para (i) above, the contractor may after receipt of such order serve a written notice on the Engineer-in-Charge requiring permission within fifteen days from receipt by the Engineer-in-Charge of the said notice, to proceed with the work or part thereof in regard to which progress has been suspended and if such permission is not granted within that time, the contractor, if he/she intends to treat the suspension, where it affects only a part of the works as an omission of such part by HBCSE-TIFR or where it affects whole of the works, as an abandonment of the works by HBCSE-TIFR, shall within ten days of expiry of such period of 15 days give notice in writing of his intention to the Engineer-in-Charge. In the event of the contractor treating the suspension as an abandonment of the contract by HBCSE-TIFR, he shall have no claim to payment of any compensation on account of any profit or advantage which he/she might have derived from the execution of the work in full but which he could not derive in consequence of the abandonment. He shall, however, be entitled to such compensation, as the Engineer-in-Charge may consider reasonable, in respect of salaries and/or wages paid by him to his employees and labour at site, remaining idle in consequence adding to the total thereof 2% to cover indirect expenses of the contractor provided the contractor submits his claim supported by details to the Engineer-in-Charge within 30 days of the expiry of the period of 3 months.

10. Action in case of work not done as per specifications:

All works under or in course of execution or executed in pursuance of the contract, shall at all times be open and accessible to the inspection and supervision of the Engineer-in-charge, his authorised subordinates in charge of the work and all the superior officers of the Department or any organization engaged by the Department for Quality Assurance and the contractor shall, at all times, during the usual working hours and at all other times at which reasonable notice of the visit of such officers has been given to the contractor, either himself be present to

receive orders and instructions or have a responsible agent duly accredited in writing, present for that purpose. Orders given to the Contractor's agent shall be considered to have the same force as if they had been given to the contractor himself.

Contractor to supply tools & equipment's etc.: The contractor shall provide at his own cost all materials (except such special materials, if any, as may in accordance with the contract be supplied from the Engineer-in-Charge's stores), machinery, tools & equipment's. in addition to this, appliances, implements, other accessories, ladders, cordage, tackle and temporary works required for the proper execution of the work, whether original, altered or substituted and whether included in the specification or other documents forming part of the contract or referred to in these conditions or not, or which may be necessary for the purpose of satisfying or complying with the requirements of the Engineer-in-Charge as to any matters to which under these conditions he is entitled to be satisfied, or which he is entitled to require together with carriage therefore to and from the work.

- 11. Recovery of compensation paid to workmen:** In every case in which by virtue of the provisions of section 12 sub-section (1) of the Workmen's Compensation Act. 1923, HBCSE- TIFR is obliged to pay compensation to a workman employed by the contractor, in execution of the works, HBCSE-TIFR will recover from the contractor the amount of the compensation so paid; and, without prejudice to the rights of HBCSE-TIFR under Section 12, sub-section (2) of the said Act, HBCSE shall be at liberty to recover such amount or any part thereof by deducting it from the security deposit or from any sum due by HBCSE to the contractor whether under this contract or otherwise. HBCSE shall not be bound to contest any claim made against it under section 12, sub-section (1) of the said Act, except on the written request of the contractor and upon his giving to HBCSE full security for all costs for which HBCSE might become liable in consequence of contesting such claim.
- 12. Fall Clause:** At any point of time if it is observed that the vendor is providing similar services BOQ mentioned work to other any organizations in similar Regions / Zones with similar terms and conditions and status of work at a lower rate than offered to HBCSE, then the vendor shall have to compensate HBCSE by paying the difference amount and downward revise the rate of respective services with immediate effect.
- 13. Termination of contract in case of death:** Without prejudice to any of the rights or remedies under this contract, if the contractor dies, the Engineer-in-Charge on behalf of the Centre Director, HBCSE shall have the option of terminating the contract without compensation to the contractor.
- 14. Labour laws to be complied by the contractor:** The contractor shall obtain a valid license under the Contract Labour (R & A) Act, 1970 and the Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Central Rules, 1971, before the commencement of the work, and continue to have a valid license until the completion of the work. The contractor shall also abide by the provision of the Child Labour Prohibition & Regulation) Act-1998. The contractor shall also comply with the provisions of the building and other Workers (Regulation of Employment & Conditions of Service) Act, 1996 and the building and other Workers Welfare Cess Act, 1996. Any failure to fulfill these requirements shall attract the penal provisions of this contract arising out of the resultant non execution of the work.
- 15. Minimum wages act to be complied with:** The contractor shall comply with all the provisions of the Minimum Wages Act, 1948, Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Act, 1970 and rules framed thereunder and other labour laws affecting contract labour that may be brought into force from time to time.
- 16. Settlement of Disputes & Arbitration:** Any dispute arising from this contract will be referred to two arbitrators one to be appointed by you and one by us. The two arbitrators, in the event of their disagreement will appoint an Umpire. The decision of the Umpire shall be final and binding. The arbitration will proceed as per Indian Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended up to date. Mumbai city will be the jurisdiction for the settlement of all court/ arbitration and related matters.
- 17. Confidential Information:** The drawings, specifications, proto-type, samples and such other information furnished to the contractor relating to the supply / work, sub-systems / equipment etc. are to be treated as confidential which shall be held by the contractor in confidence and shall not be divulged to any third party without the prior written consent of the Department. The contractor, therefore, binds himself, his successors, heirs, executors, administrators, employees and the permitted assignees or such other persons or agents directly or indirectly concerned with the work / supply to the confidential nature of the drawings, specifications, proto-type samples etc. It is a further condition of the contract that the contractor shall not, without prior written permission from the Department, transmit, transfer, exchange, and gift or communicate any such confidential information, and also the component, sub assembly, products, by-products

SECTION 7: SPECIAL CLAUSES OF CONTRACT

The following Special clauses of contract shall be read in conjunction with General clauses of contract. The same shall be considered as an extension and not limitation of the obligations of the contractor. In case of any discrepancy between Special clauses of contract and the General clauses of contract, these Special clauses shall take precedence over the General clauses of the Contract.

- 1. Sequence of work:** The contractor shall execute the work as per the sequence given by the Engineer-in- Charge from time to time so that all other items of the work to be executed by other agencies are completed progressively along with the main work.
- 2. Co-operation and Co-ordination with other contractors:** The contractor will carry out the entire work in a planned manner by co-ordinating his work with other contractors, who will be simultaneously carrying out work in the same area and also co-ordinate in connection with the position of various fixtures, inserts, embedment and other allied work connected with the completion of the building / subject work. In case of any dispute between the contractors engaged on the same work, decision of Engineer-in-Charge shall be final and binding.
- 3. Operations and storage areas:** All operations of the contractor shall be confined to areas authorised by the Engineer-in-Charge and storage of materials shall be over the areas specially indicated by the Engineer-in-Charge. The contractor shall be obliged to keep the premises in hygienic conditions by proper drainages of the area provided with suitable approaches throughout the period of contract. He/she shall rectify all damages caused to the Government property within the areas thus allotted. He/she shall be responsible to clear all rank, vegetation at site at his own cost. **The contractor should provide Storage box for the working personal at his own cost with lock and key arrangement. The box can be placed at approved location by Engineer-In-Charge.**
- 4. Tendered rates to cover overheads and profit:** The rates quoted shall also cover the cost of necessary protection including labour, materials and equipment to ensure safety and protection against risk or accident, compensation for injury to life and damage to property if any, caused by the contractor's operations connected with this work. The rates shall be firm and shall not be subject to change due to variations during the entire period of execution of the work in cost of materials, labour and conditions, or any other conditions. No separate claim on this account will be entertained by the Department.

Unless otherwise stated in schedule of quantities, rates for item quoted by the tenderer should be for the complete work including supply and fixing with all materials and should be for all heights and depths, lifts and leads, lengths and widths involved in the work.

The contractor when called for by the Department should furnish detailed rate analysis in support of the rates quoted by him against each item of the tender. The Department reserves the right to utilize the analysis thus supplied in settling the rate of any deviations or claims arising in this contract.

- 5. Claims against the contractor:** Whenever any claim against the contractor for the payment of a sum or money arises out of or under the contract, Department shall be entitled to recover such sum by appropriating in part or whole, the security deposit of the contractor and to sell any Government promissory notes etc. forming the whole or part of such security. In the event of the security deposit having been taken from the contractor, the balance or the total sum recoverable, as the case may be, shall be deducted from any sum then due or which at any time thereafter may become due from the contractor, under this or any other contract with the Department. Should this sum be not sufficient to cover the full amount recoverable, the contractor shall pay the Department, on demand the balance remaining due.

Department shall have the right to cause an audit and technical examination of the work and the final bill of the contractor including all supporting vouchers, abstracts etc. to be made after payment of the final bill and if as a result of the due audit and technical examination any sum is found to have been over paid in respect of any work done by the contractor under the contract or any work claimed by him to have been done under the contract and found not have been executed, the contractor shall be liable to refund the amount of the over payment and it shall be lawful for the Department to recover the same from him in the manner prescribed above or in any other manner legally permissible and if it is found that the contractor was paid less than what was due to him under the contract in respect of any work executed by him under it, amount of such under payment shall be duly paid by the Department to the contractor.

- 6. Proper drawings and instructions:** The Engineer-in-Charge shall have full powers and authority to supply to the contractor from time to time during progress of the work such further drawings and instructions as shall be necessary for the purpose of proper and adequate execution and maintenance of the work and the contractor shall carry out the work and be bound by the same.

7. Medical Fitness of staff/ labour: Staff/ Labour to be engaged in work should have medical fitness certificate if required by the department. The contractor will also follow the guideline issued by Govt. of India/State Government during any pandemic and will follow the safety norms and be responsible for the safety of labours to be engaged in the work. No claim for any causality in this regard will be entertained.

8. Security regulations: The contractors have to follow strictly the regulations of the Department at the work site regarding entry of personnel, material etc. and any other regulation that might be enforced from time to time. All materials and articles brought by the contractor to the work site shall have to be declared at the security gate. Similarly, no materials shall be taken out from the Departmental premises without proper gate pass, which will be issued by the Engineer-in-Charge to the contractor on written request. It is to be noted that loading of contractor's materials in vehicles and trucks shall be done in the presence of Departmental personnel.

For working on Sundays, Holidays and late hours, even though permission will be accorded by the Engineer-in-Charge, the contractor will have to make application to the Security Department also and keep them informed well in advance. The contractor, his agents, representatives, workmen etc. and his materials, carts, trucks or other means of transport etc. will be allowed to enter through and leave from such point of entry/exit at such times, the authorities in-charge of the area, at their sole discretion, may permit. The contractor, his agents and representatives are required to be in possession of the individual identity / muster cards or passes. The muster cards or passes are examined by the security staff at the time entry / exit inside the departmental area.

The contractor, his agents, representatives, workmen shall strictly observe the orders pertaining to prevailing fire precautions. In addition to the above, other security regulations as may be imposed by the Security authorities / Engineer-in- Charge shall be complied with / observed by the contractor and his workmen, in addition to the above. Any breach of above security regulations and rules in force from time to time will be viewed seriously. No claim whatsoever will be entertained by the Department on account of the observation of the Security regulations.

9. To take the materials out of the campus for disposal/ replacement it is the responsibility of the contractor to take prior approval and request for a valid **GATE PASS** for any such material.

10. The Service Provider is responsible for the payment of Minimum Wages (under Central Act) to the personnel deployed by it. The Service Provider is also responsible for compliance of the provisions of all the statutes applicable in its case.

11. No waste material shall be left over during the repair works under each item on any day.

12. HBCSE will not provide any space at site for worker hutments.

SCOPE OF WORK (BILL OF QUANTITY)

Item No.	Description of item	Unit	Qty	Rate	Amount
				(Rs.)	(Rs.)
1.0	<p>Supply, installation, testing and commissioning of 150W Led Lens Panel Light - Day - 5600K.</p> <p>Specifications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Dimensions in mm: (L x W x H) not more than 386 x 145 x 335 ● Lens material: PMMA ● Weight in kgs with Yoke & 28 mm spigot is not more than 3.9. ● IP Rating: IP 20. ● The 4 side corners to be made out of plastic mould & well designed such that light stands on the floor at its own without any support. ● Accessory slot for Gel frame and Honey comb screen should be available. ● Power supply: 110-240V AC, 50/60Hz ● Control Protocol: DMX512 & Manual. ● With an Active-forced cooling with fan. ● Fan noise in DB should be 0 DB 1.5Mtr&Beyond ● Ambient working Temp. Range should be 25° - 45° ● Led source: SMD 3030 ● High TLCI & CRI > 95 ● Beam angle: 30°. ● Color Temp: 5600K ● Fully Manual Compliant in DMX Mode. ● Heat control with the help of 2 separate temperature sensors. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● DMX in & Out Through: 5 Pin XLR connectors ● Warranty: 03 Years of manufacturing warranty from the date of installation. <p>Make: Shenoy/ Kino Flo/Morden stage or approved equivalent.</p>	No.s	5.00		
2.0	<p>Supply, installation, testing and commissioning of 250W Led soft panel light - Day - 5600K.</p> <p>Specifications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Dimensions in mm: (L x W x H) not more than 615 x 145 x 335 ● Diffuser material: PMMA ● Weight in kgs with Yoke & 28 mm spigot is not more than 5.47 ● IP Rating: IP 20. ● The 4 side corners to be made out of plastic mould & well designed such that light stands on the floor at its own without any support. ● Accessory slot for Gel frame and Honey comb screen should be available. ● Power supply: 110-240V AC, 50/60Hz ● Control Protocol: DMX512& Manual. ● With an Active-forced cooling with fan. ● Fan noise in DB should be 0 DB 1.5Mtr&Beyond ● Ambient working Temp. Range should be 25° - 45° ● Led source: SMD 3030 ● High TLCI & CRI > 95 ● Beam angle: 120°. ● Color Temp: 5600K ● Fully Manual Compliant in DMX Mode. ● Heat control with the help of 2 separate temperature 				

	<p>sensors.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● DMX in & Out Through: 5 Pin XLR connectors ● Warranty: 03 Years of manufacturing warranty from the date of installation. <p>Make: Shenoy/ Kino Flo/Morden stage or approved equivalent.</p>	No.s	7.00		
3.0	<p>Supply, installation, testing and commissioning of 500W Led soft panel Light - Day - 5600K. Specifications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Dimensions in mm: (L x W x H) not more than 1070 x 145 x 335 ● Lens material: PMMA ● Weight in kgs with Yoke & 28 mm spigot is not more than 10.6 ●IP Rating: IP 20. ● The 4 side corners to be made out of plastic mould & well designed such that light stands on the floor at its own without any support. ● Accessory slot for Gel frame and Honey comb screen should be available. ● Power supply: 110-240V AC, 50/60Hz ● Control Protocol: DMX512 & Manual. ● With an Active-forced cooling with fan. ● Fan noise in DB should be 0 DB 1.5Mtr&Beyond ● Ambient working Temp. Range should be 25° - 45° ● Led source: SMD 3030. ● High TLCI & CRI > 95 ● Beam angle: 120°. ● Color Temp: 5600K ● Fully Manual Compliant in DMX Mode. ● Heat control with the help of 2 separate temperature sensors. ● DMX in & out through: 5 Pin XLR connectors. ● Warranty: 03 Years of manufacturing warranty from the date of installation. <p>Make: Shenoy/ Kino Flo/Morden stage or approved equivalent.</p>	Nos	03.00		
4.0	<p>Supply, installation, testing and Commissioning of Die cast Aluminium C- Clamp with safety chain duly epoxy polyester powder coated in black matt texture finish and safe working load of 100kg with below specifications.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lock - MS threaded Galvanized lock key, • Plastic Glass filled nylon moulded M6 key. • Safety - MS Galvanized chain with pin. • Finish - Pretreated and black epoxy polyester powder coated. • Self-weight - 0.81Kg 	Nos	15.00		
5.0	<p>Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Safety bond with lock clip 1.5 Mtr Long made with twisted pair of GI wire rope, 2mm or 3mm Thickness with sleeve to be fixed around the grid to avoid fall of the material in case if the Barrel clamp is not locked properly. SWL 150Kgs.</p>	Nos	15.00		
				Net Total	
				GST 18%	
				Grand Total	

Amount (in words) – Rupees _____
 _____ **only.**

NOTE: Any other material makes to be used will require a prior approval of Engineer-In-Charge. In case the material

delivered on site, gets rejected in terms of non-approved make and quality, no any payment will be made for the same.

ANNEXURE I

APPLICATION FORM
(On Company's Letterhead)

Date: _____

To,
The Centre Director,
Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education, TIFR, V. N. Purav Road Mankhurd, Mumbai – 400088.

Sir,

1. Being duly authorized to represent and act on behalf of
(hereinafter referred to as “the Applicant”) and having reviewed and fully understood all the pre-qualification information provided, the undersigned hereby applies to be pre-qualified by yourselves as a tenderer for award of work(s) for **‘Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Studio Lights For ‘Scientific E-Material Production Facility’(Studio room) at HBCSE-TIFR’** as per specification attached.

2. Attached to this letter are copies or original documents defining:

- (a) the applicant’s legal status
- (b) the principal place of business
- (c) the place of incorporation (for applicants who are corporations) or the place of registration and thenationality of the owners (for applicants who are partnerships or individually owned firms)
- (d) Annexure no. II to IX

3. Your department and its authorized representatives are hereby authorized to conduct any inquiries or investigations to verify the statements, documents and information submitted in connection with this application, and to seek clarification from our bankers and clients regarding any financial and technical aspects. This letter of application will also serve as authorization to any individual or authorized representative or any institution referred to in the supporting information, to provide such information deemed necessary and requested by you to verify statements and information provided in this application, or with regard to the resources, experience, and competence of the Applicant.

4. Your department and its authorized representatives may contact the following persons for further information on general, personnel, technical and financial enquiries.

Details	Contact 1	Contact 2
Name		
Contact No.		
E-mail		

5. This application is made with the full understanding that:

- (a) Bids submitted by applicants will be subject to verification of all information submitted at the time of bidding
- (b) I have checked all terms & Conditions and all the clauses included in this contract document, I accept to abide and follow to conditions. I also understand that failing to satisfy the above the contract may lead to the cancellation of this contract and forfeiture of the Performance Guarantee with Security Deposit.
- (c) Your department reserves the right to:
 - i. Amend the scope and value of the contract / bid under this project; in such event, bids will only be called from pre-qualified bidders who meet the revised requirements; and
 - ii. Reject or accept any application, cancel the pre-qualification process, and reject all applications without assigning reasons or incurring any liability thereof; and
- (d) Your department shall not be liable for any such actions and shall be under no obligation to inform the applicant.

6. The undersigned declares that statements made and the information provided in the duly completed application are true and correct in every detail.

Signed and sealed, Name

For and on behalf of

ANNEXURE - II

CONTRACTOR DETAILS

(If any details are not relevant the bidder can write N.A. in front)

Sr.No	Description	Details
1.	Name of tendering company/ firm	
2.	Name of directors	
3.	Full particulars of office	
A	Address	
B	Telephone no.	
C	E-mail address	
4.	Bank details	
A	Bank name & address:	
B	Account type:	
C	Account no:	
D	IFSC code:	
E	Email address:	
5.	Registration details :	
A	PAN NO. (attach copy of proof)	
B	GST REGISTRATION NO.(attach copy of proof)	
C	E.P.F. REGISTRATION NO.(attach copy of proof)	
D	E.S.I. REGISTRATION NO. –(attach copy of proof)	
6.	The Bidder should have the Registered /Branch Office in Mumbai/ Navi Mumbai/ Thane/ other nearby areas. (attach copy of proof)	
7.	The Bidder should be a company registered under the Companies Act, 2013 (attach copy of proof)	
8.	Bidder should provide copy of the License under Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Act. (attach copy of proof)	
9.	The Bidder should possess valid ISO - 9001 certification. Copy of certificate has to be attached with the Technical Bid. (attach copy of proof)	

Signature and seal of Authorized Signatory of bidder

ANNEXURE – III

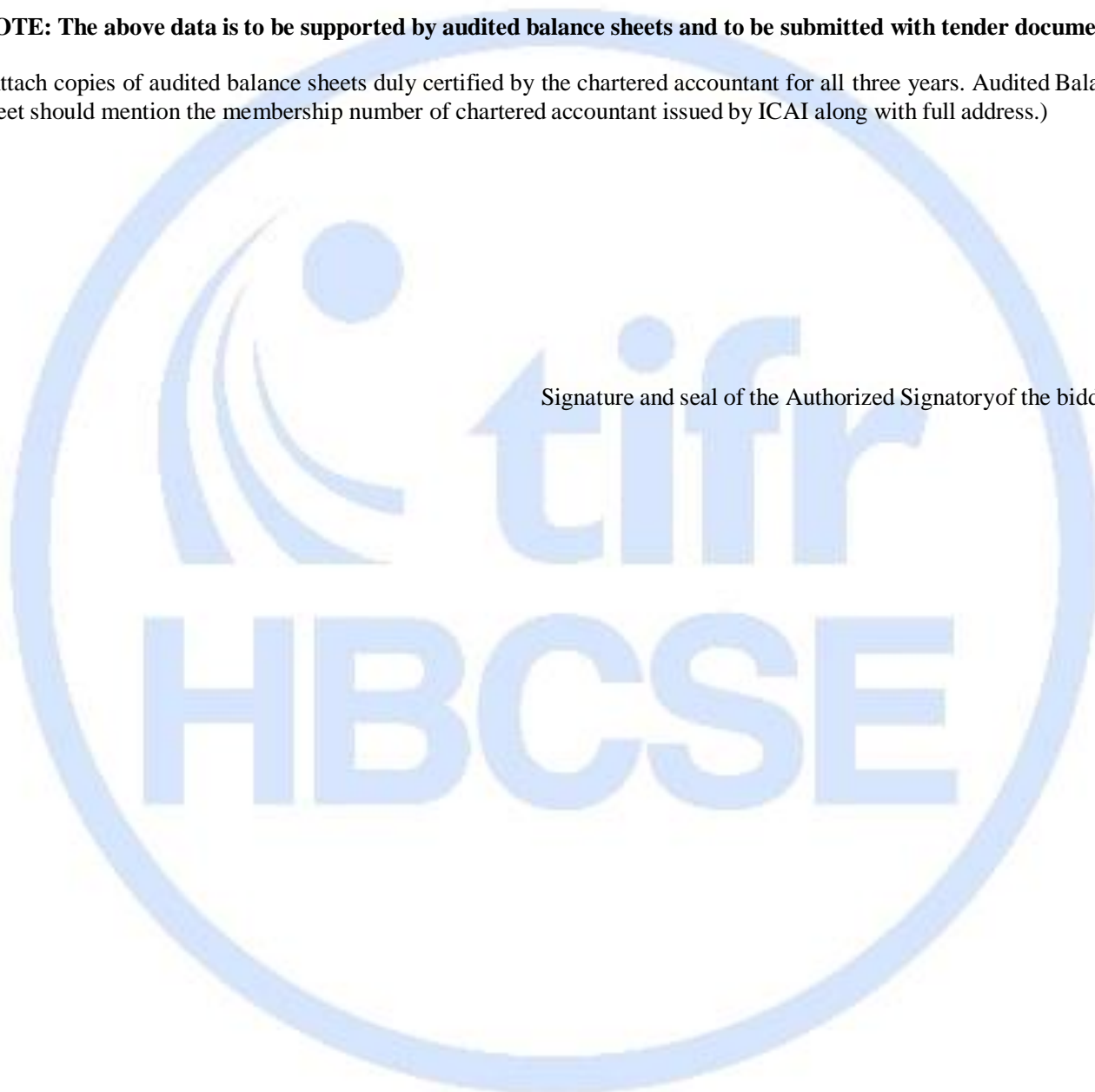
FINANCIAL CAPABILITIES

Financial Year	Annual Turn Over in Indian Rupees (or equivalent to Indian Rupees) as per Audited Balance Sheet
2021-2022	Rs.
2022-2023	Rs.
2023-2024	Rs.

NOTE: The above data is to be supported by audited balance sheets and to be submitted with tender documents.

(Attach copies of audited balance sheets duly certified by the chartered accountant for all three years. Audited Balance sheet should mention the membership number of chartered accountant issued by ICAI along with full address.)

Signature and seal of the Authorized Signatory of the bidder



ANNEXURE –IV

EXPERIENCE OF COMPLETION OF PROJECTS OF SIMILAR NATURE & COMPLEXITY

(During last **Five** years ending last day of month previous to the one in which applications are invited)

Sl. No.	Name of work / project and location	Owner or sponsoring organization	Cost of Work in Lakhs	Date of commencement as per contract	Date of completion	Name and address/ telephone number of officer to whom reference may be made	Remarks

NOTE: Please attach supporting documents (completion certificates along with order copies) for the above information.

Signature and seal of the Authorized Signatory of the bidder

ANNEXURE - V

LITIGATION DETAILS (COURT CASES/ARBITRATION)

Year	Name of the work	Name of the Client, with Address	Title of the court Case/Arbitration	Detail of the Court/ Arbitrator	Status Pending/ Decided	Disputed Amount (Current Value, the equivalent) in case of Court Cases/arbitration	Actual Awarded Amount (Rs) in decided Court Cases/arbitration

Signature and seal of Authorized Signatory of bidder

ANNEXURE - VI

LIST OF WORKS IN HAND

Name of work	Name & address of the establishment under whom the work is being executed	Value of the work in Lakhs	Completion time as per the contract	Position of the works in progress	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6

Signature and seal of Authorized Signatory of bidder

ANNEXURE –VII

CERTIFICATE FOR SITE INSPECTION
(To be submitted on Company's Letter Head)

Certified that we.....(Name of bidder) from M/s.....(name of Bidder firm) have visited the site on dated and assessed the nature and amount of work involved before submitting our offer. We will be able to complete the works within the stipulated time and also certified that we will be able to supply the material/executing the work as per specification to suit the site conditions.

Signature of bidder with Seal &Date



ANNEXURE-VIII

FORM OF AGREEMENT

(To be submitted after issue of WO on Rs.100 Stamp paper)

This Agreement is made on the _____ day of _____ 2024 between Tata Institute Of Fundamental Research (HBCSE-TIFR), Mumbai for the entering into work(s) for **‘Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Studio Light For ‘Scientific E-Material Production Facility’(Studio room) at Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education (HBCSE), V. N. Purav Marg, Mankhurd, Mumbai - 400088, Maharashtra, India’** as per the document (hereinafter called "The Employer") who enters into this Agreement of the one part and M/s____(herein after called "The Contractor") of the other part..

Whereas the Employer is desirous that certain works should be executed by the Contractor, viz. _____ ("the Works") and has accepted a Bid by the Contractor for the execution and completion of the works and the remedying of any defects therein.

Now this Agreement witnessed as follows:

1. In this Agreement words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are respectively assigned to them in the Conditions of Contract hereinafter referred to.
2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this Agreement, viz:
 - (a) The Letter of Award;
 - (b) The said Bid;
 - (c) The General and Special Conditions of Contract;
 - (d) Prequalification document
 - (e) Instructions to Bidders and Specific Conditions of Contract;
 - (f) The Specification;
 - (g) Scope of Work
 - (h) The Price Bid
 - (i) Annexures
 - (j) Any other relevant documents referred to in this Agreement or in the aforementioned documents
3. In consideration of the payments to be made by the Employer to the Contractor as hereinafter mentioned, the Contractor hereby covenants with the Employer to execute and complete the Works and remedy any defects therein in conformity in all respects with the provisions of this work.
4. The Employer hereby covenants to pay the Contractor in consideration of the execution and completion of the Works and the remedying of defects therein the Contract Price or only such other sums as may become payable under the provisions of the Contract at the times and in the manner prescribed by the Contract.

In Witness whereof the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed the day and year first before written.
Signed, Sealed, and Delivered by the Said.

Binding Signature for and on behalf of HBCSE-TIFR-Mumbai

Binding Signature of Contractor _____

In the presence of
Witness (1):

(Name & Signature)

Witness (2):

(Name & Signature)

ANNEXURE -IX

PROFORMA FOR PERFORMANCE BANK GURANTEE

(On a stamp paper of appropriate value from any Nationalized Bank or Scheduled Bank)
(To be submitted after issue of WO)

1. In consideration of the TATA INSTITUTE OF FUNDAMENTAL RESEARCH (hereinafter called "The HBCSE-TIFR") having agreed under the terms and conditions of Work Order No.
Dated..... made between HBCSE-TIFR and M/s(hereinafter called "the said Contractor{s}") for the work
(hereinafter called "the said Work Order") having agreed to production of an irrevocable bank Guarantee for Rs..... (Rupees only), as a security / guarantee from the contractor(s) for compliance of his obligations in accordance with the terms and conditions in the said Work Order, we..... (Indicate the name of the Bank) (hereinafter referred to as "the Bank") hereby undertake to pay to the HBCSE -TIFR an amount not exceeding Rs. (Rupees only) on demand by the HBCSE-TIFR.
2. We..... (indicate the name of Bank) do hereby undertake to pay the amounts due and payable under this guarantee without any demur, merely on a demand from the HBCSE-TIFR stating that the amount claimed is required to meet the recoveries due or likely to be due from the said Contractor(s). Any such demand made on the bank shall be conclusive as regards the amount due and payable by the Bank under this guarantee. However, our liability under this guarantee shall be restricted to an amount not exceeding Rs..... (Rupees only).
3. We, the said bank, further undertake to pay to the HBCSE-TIFR 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 thereunder and the Contractor(s) shall have no claim against us for making such payment.
4. We..... (indicate the name of Bank) further agree that the guarantee herein contained shall remain in full force and effect during the period that would be taken for the performance of the said Work Order and that it shall continue to be enforceable till all the dues of the HBCSE-TIFR under or by virtue of the Work order have been fully paid and its claims satisfied or discharged or Purchase Officer on behalf of the HBCSE-TIFR certifies that the terms and conditions of the said Work Order have been fully and properly carried out by the said Contractor(s) and accordingly discharges this guarantee.
5. We (indicate the name of Bank) further agree with the HBCSE-TIFR that the HBCSE-TIFR shall have the fullest liberty without our consent and without affecting in any manner our obligations hereunder to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said Work Order or to extend time of performance by the said Contractor(s) from time to time or to postpone for any time or from time to time any of the powers exercisable by the HBCSE-TIFR against the said Contractor(s) and to forbear or enforce any of the terms and conditions relating to the said Work Order and we shall not be relieved from our liability by reason of any such variation, or extension being granted to the said Contractor(s) or for any forbearance, act of omission on the part of the HBCSE-TIFR or any indulgence by the HBCSE-TIFR to the said Contractor(s) or by any such matter or thing whatsoever which under the law relating to sureties would, but for this provision, have effect of so relieving us.
6. This guarantee will not be discharged due to the change in the constitution of the Bank or the Contractor(s).
7. We, (indicate the name of Bank) lastly undertake not to revoke this guarantee except with the previous consent of the HBCSE-TIFR in writing.
8. This guarantee shall be valid up to....., unless extended on demand by HBCSE-TIFR. Notwithstanding anything mentioned above, our liability against this guarantee is restricted to Rs. (Rupees only) and unless a claim in writing is lodged with us within six months of the date of expiry or the extended date of expiry of this guarantee, all our liability under this guarantee shall stand discharged.

Signed and sealed

Dated the day of2024 for (indicate the name of Bank)

* * (Note: The Letter of Intent shall form part of the Agreement)

ANNEXURE -X

BID SECURITY DECLARATION (EMD)

(To be submitted on Company's Letterhead)

Date:

To,
Centre Director,
Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education – TIFR,
V. N. Purav Marg,
Mankhurd, Mumbai - 400088.

Tender No. _____

I/we have gone through the tendering conditions pertaining to the Tender and General Conditions of Contract, Special Conditions of Contract and Additional Conditions of Contract, if any.

We, the undersigned, declare that:

I / We understand that, as per terms and conditions of tender, bids must be supported by a Bid Security Declaration In lieu of Earnest Money Deposit.

I / We hereby accept that I / We may be disqualified from bidding for any contract with you for a period of (03) Three years from the date of disqualification as may be notified by you if,

- I. I am /We are in a breach of any of the obligations under the bid conditions, or
- II. I/We have withdrawn or unilaterally modified/amended/revise, my/our Bid during the bid validity period specified in the form of Bid or extended period, if any.
- III. On acceptance of our bid by HBCSE, I/we failed to deposit the prescribed Performance Bank Guarantee or fails to execute the agreement or fails to commence the execution of the work in accordance with the terms and conditions and within the specified time.

Signature of bidder with Seal &Date

Name & designation of the authorized person signing the Bid-Securing Declaration Form:

Duly authorized to sign the bid for and on behalf of: _____ (complete name of Bidder firm)

Dated on _____ day of _____ month, _____ year.

(Note: In case of a Joint Venture, the Bid Security Declaration must be in the name of all partners to the Joint Venture that submits the bid).