

## Response to Pre-bid Queries

### Bid for Purchase of Broadband Seismographs on behalf of Institute of Seismological Research, Gandhinagar, Department of Science & Technology, Govt. of Gujarat. (Tender No. HWT010917455)

Sr. No.	Tender Reference		Query / Clarification / Suggestions from the Vendors	Responses to Vendors
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1	Page No. 19/Form no. T2 (TECHNICAL MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS)/Technical Specification of Digital Data Acquisition System for BBS, S. No 55.	Configuration and Analysis software: 1) Online data receiving Software should have the capability of receiving the continuous online data, viewing data with different user Selectable filter options along with Data retrieval and data processing facility. The online continuous data should be integrated with the existing setup of ISR. The license should be provided free of cost for lifetime (minimum 20 years).	a. Whether the Broadband Seismograph online data should be integrated with Apollo Server, which is existing at ISR, Gandhinagar? b. Our Broadband Seismometer output is miniseed. Whether the existing software at CRS accepts input of miniseed?	a. No. Broadband Seismograph online data should be integrated to Scream Server which is existing at ISR, Gandhinagar. B. Vendor may refer to SCREAM manual.  No change
2	Page No. 5 /The terms and conditions are as follows: & Page No. 22	The bidder has to upload the compliance letter on its letter head duly signed by the authorized signature & other supporting documents as asked for in the bid in scanned format. Failing to submit the same or non-compliance/deviation from any bid terms and conditions, eligibility criteria or technical specifications may result in rejection of the bid.  As per page# 22, Compliance letter/Authenticity of Information Provided should be on Non judicial stamp paper of Rs. 100 duly attested by the First class Magistrate / Notary Public.	There is a contradiction between the above referred statements in the bid document. Please confirm whether the bidder shall upload the compliance letter on company's letter head with duly signed by authorized signature without submitting the physical form of document.	Yes, the bidder shall upload the compliance letter on company's letter head, duly signed by the authorized signatory, along with the other documents.  The bidder has to Upload/submit the Compliance letter/Authenticity of Information Provided as specified in the tender on non judicial stamp paper of Rs. 100, duly attested by the First class Magistrate / Notary Public. However, If someone doing consortium and prime bidder from out of India then, Compliance letter/Authenticity of Information Provided on company's letter head, duly signed by the authorized signatory will be accepted.
3	General Query/Suggestion		Whether pre-inspection at OEM facility for Broadband Seismograph & DAS is applicable? If required, please provide the provision in BOQ to quote the pre-inspection charges.	Pre-inspection at OEM facility for Broadband Seismograph & DAS is not applicable

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4	Page No. 6 /The terms and conditions are as follows:/Clause 13 D	(d) Details of the Service Centers and information on the service support facilities that would be provided after the warranty period, Bidder should have a registered office or authorized Service centre or authorized representative in western region and preferably in & around the Gujarat state.	Please confirm whether Authorized Service Center within India for Broadband Seismograph & DAS is acceptable. We have our Authorized Service Center in India at Chennai (South Region) handled by M/s. Chrisvin Geomet Service Pvt Ltd. They will take care of the services in India.	A registered office or authorized Service Centre or authorized representative in India is acceptable.
5	General Query/Suggestion		The bid processing fee for participating in this tender is INR 15,000/- which is non-refundable, we feel the value of bid processing fee is high for the bidders who is quoting for only one item and usually even for the high value tenders (for single item) in India the bid processing fee / tender fee will be in the range between INR 1000 – INR 2000. Hence we kindly request you to reduce the value of tender processing for the bidders who is quoting for single item.	As per RFP document.
6	General Query/Suggestion		Further the last date for submission of tender is on 21st September 2017 which is a very short period for such a high value tender because the amount of work involved in this tender is huge like documentations that needs to be put in place for bid preparation and arranging of EMD for a value of INR 5,50,000/- etc, with this situation it would be difficult for the bidders to complete the bid proposal within the stipulated time for participating in the tender. Considering the above genuine reasons, we request you to kindly the tender submission due date at least by 2 weeks (i.e. till 5th of October 2017) which will enable the prospective bidders to participate in the tender and GIL will get competitive quotes due to participation of more bidders.	Tender submission due date is extended for 2 weeks (i.e. till 5th of October 2017).

### Additional Clarification:

- Form for Equipment and quality control employed by the manufacturer (Page 25 of 28 of bid document) is not required to be submit/upload. It has been removed from the bid document.**