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TenderDocumentforProcurementof 33 KV 874 A EarthingTransformers.

NITNo.CE(P)/WBSETCL/ET/24-25/27 dated19.03.2025.

SectionI-IV
Notice Inviting Tender (NIT)
Instruction to Bidders
(ITB)GeneralPurchaseConditions(GPC
)
TechnicalSpecifications

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SectionI-NOTICEINVITINGe-TENDER

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ABRIDGEDNOTICEINVITINGe-TENDER

NITNo:CE(P)/WBSETCL/ET/24-25/27dated19.03.2025.

WBSETCLinvitese-tenderforprocurementof**28 nosof33 KV 874 AEarthing Transformers.**
Interestedbiddersmayobtainbiddingdocumentsbyregisteringthemselvestothee-tendering portal (https://wbtenders.gov.in) and thereby downloading the biddingdocumentsfrom**19.03.202511:00A.M.andshallbesubmitted(online)upto04.00P.M.on 21.04.2025.**
DetailedNITmayalsobeseen&downloadedfromWBSETCLwebsite(www.wbsetcl.in).

[***Any Bidder from a country which shares a land border with India will be eligible to bid only if the Bidder is registered with the Competent Authority as per order no. F.No.6/18/2019-PPD (Order Public Procurement no.1) dated 23/07/2020 and F.No.6/18/2019-PPD (Order Public Procurement no.2) dated 23/07/2020, issued by Public Procurement Division, Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Government of India (DoE Order).Registration should be valid at the time of submission of bids and at the time of Notification of Award. However, the aforesaid condition for registration of Bidders from countries (even if sharing land border with India) shall not be applicable to Bidders from such countries to which Government of India has extended lines of credit or in which Government of India is engaged in development projects***]

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DETAILEDNOTICEINVITINGe-TENDER

For

ProcurementofEarthingTransformers

[DomesticCompetitiveBidding]

NITNo:CE(P)/WBSETCL/ET/24-25/27dated19.03.2025.

(SubmissionofBidthroughonline)

1.0 WBSETCL invites single stage two folders bids from eligible and qualified bidders [Any Bidder from a country which shares a land border with India will be eligible to bid only if the Bidder is registered with the Competent Authority as per order no F.No.6/18/2019-PPD (Order Public Procurement no.1) dated 23/07/2020 and F.No 6/18/2019-PPD (Order Public Procurement no.2) dated 23/07/2020, issued by Public Procurement Division, Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Government of India (DoE Order). Registration should be valid at the time of submission of bids and at the time of placement of Letter of Award. However, the aforesaid condition for registration of Bidders from countries (even if sharing land border with India) shall not be applicable to Bidders from such countries to which Government of India has extended lines of credit or in which Government of India is engaged in development projects.] through e-tender for procurement of following Equipment / Materials:

Item Sl. No.	Description of Equipment / Materials	Unit of Measure	Quantity
1.	33 KV, 874 A, Earthing Transformer complete with all other accessories as per Technical Specification.	Nos.	28

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2.0 Detailed Specifications, scope of supply and terms and conditions of supply are given in the bidding documents, which are available at the online e-tendering portal https://wbtenders.gov.inas per the following schedule:

BiddingdocumentNo	:	CE(P)/WBSETCL/ET/24-25/27 dated19.03.2025.
Date of uploading of N.I.T. & other Documents(online)(PublishingDate)	:	19.03.2025 from 10.00 A.M.
Documentsdownloadstartdate(Online)	:	19.03.2025 from 10.00 A.M.
RequestforPre-Bidclarificationstobesent to the address given in clause 12.0	:	Up to 25.03.2025 by 11.00 A.M. P.M.
Pre-bidmeeting	:	**28.03.2025 at 11.00 A.M.**
Bidsubmissionstartdate(Online)	:	14.04.2025 from 02:00 P.M.
Last Date of offline (hard copy in sealed envelope) submission of original copies for the 1. Bid Security (As per Annexure-3b), -in case of online EMD BG submission, submit the UTR Refrence number. 2. Original Power of Attorney OR a valid General Power of Attorney in favour of Signatory of the Bid ***3.*** Affidavit regarding Eligibility (**duly notarized**) and GST Registration Certificate and the Land Border sharing declaration.	:	22.04.2023 up to 4:00 P.M.
BidSubmissionclosing(Online)	:	Up to 21.04.2023 by 4:00 P.M.
Opening of bid (Online) [Techno-commercialbid]	:	23.04.2025 from 4:00 P.M.
OpeningofPricebid(Online)	:	The bidders shall be informed of the date & time of the opening of the price bid at a later stage after techno-commercial evaluation
CostoftheTenderDocument(inclusiveof GST)	:	**NIL**

In the event of e-filling, intending bidder may download the tender documents from the website https://etender.wb.nic.indirectly with the help of Digital Signature Certificate.

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3.0 Uploading of bidding documents shall not automatically construe that the bidder fulfils the Qualifying Requirements which shall be determined during bid evaluation based on data/documentssubmittedbythebidder.Norequestforsendingthebiddocumentsbypost or by Courier Service shall be entertained. Bid documents are not transferrable.

4.0 The purpose of the pre-bid meeting will be to clarify the scope of supply, and any issues regarding the bidding documents and the Technical Specifications, if raised at that stage by the bidders. The WBSETCL shall not be under any obligation to entertain /respond to suggestions made or to incorporate modifications sought for by the prospective bidders during the pre-bid meeting or thereafter.

5.0 **The bidder must offer full tendered quantity of the relevant Equipment / Materials, against the item/ items, the bidder intends to quote, within the specified delivery period. Bid submitted by the bidders for quantity less than the tendered quantity specified above shall be liable for rejection**.

6.0 All bids shall remain valid up to a minimum period of one hundred and twenty (120) days from the next day of price bid opening date.

All bids must be supported by **bid security** for an amount of **Rs. 3,83,460/- (Rupees Three Lakh Eighty Three Thousand Four Hundred Sixty only). EMD is to be submitted as per following guidelines:**

a. A bidder desirous of taking part in a tender invited by Offices of WBSETCL shall login to the e-Procurement portal of Government of West Bengal https://wbtenders.gov.in using his login Id and password.

b. The bidder shall select the tender to bid and initiate payment of EMD. Following payment options are available for paying EMD amount through online mode:

i. Net-banking through Payment Gateway.

ii. **Submission of EMD through BG:** For submission of EMD in the form of BG, bidders will have to opt for EMD Exemption in e-tender portal and upload scanned copy of BG along with requisite testimonials for proportional EMD in the EMD exemption document upload section.

EMD in the form of Bank Guarantee shall remain valid for a period of **180 days from the date of opening of Bids with a claim period of another 30 days** thereafter. Bidders must submit the Bid security physically within the stipulated date as above at the office of the Chief Engineer (Procurement), 10^{th} Floor, B-Block, Bidyut Bhawan and also to be documented along with the bid and submitted online. Non-submission of the acceptable bid security, in a sealed cover or submission of bid security of inadequate value shall be rejected by the WBSETCL and in such cases bids shall be considered as non-responsive.

For preparation of BG the Bank details of WBSETCL is given below:

NAME OF THE BANK	SBI
ADDRESS OF THE BANK	Industrial Finance Branch Kolkata, 4^{th}& 5^{th} Floor, Jeevan Deep Building,1, Middleton

	Street, Kolkata, West Bengal-700071
ACCOUNT NO	**41456850307**
IFS CODE	SBIN0001936

c. EMD amount can be paid either in online mode or submitted through Bank Guarantee (BG) in full. **Partial payment through online mode and remaining submission through BG is not allowed.**

d. General Instructions for Online Payment:

i. The bidder will have to mandatorily pay through Net-banking facility once Net- banking mode is opted for payment.

ii. Only a single value can be entered as EMD amount in e-tender portal for each tender. However, in case tender has fixed EMD on line item (multiple items) basis, then, for the cases when actual EMD value calculated as per NIT by the bidder is less than the one mentioned in e-tender portal, bidders shall mandatorily opt for Exemption for payment of actual EMD amount and upload the requisite testimonials for proportional EMD and its proportional amount is to be paid in the form of BG.

iii. The bank account used for payment of EMD by the bidders shall be maintained operative until the completion of tendering process. All refunds will be made mandatorily to the Bank A/c from which the payment of EMD has been initiated.

e. Refund/Settlement of EMD Amount:

i. For unsuccessful bidders, EMD amount submitted against the tender shall be refunded automatically, through an automated process, by NIC portal on receipt of updated status of any bid.

ii. For successful bid(s), EMD will be refunded from WBSETCL authority after completion of tendering process and following due procedures.

iii. The bank account used for payment of EMD by the bidders shall be maintained operative until the completion of tendering process. All refunds will be made mandatorily to the Bank A/c from which the payment of EMD has been initiated.

iv. For any queries related to payments and refunds, bidders will have to communicate with ICICI Customer Support, viz, 9836547326/ 8017094744 since payment gateway facility used by E-tender portal is maintained by ICICI.

NB: It is stated herein that presently, Nodal Bank nominated by the Govt. of West Bengal is ICICI Bank Ltd. in the NIC Portal. However, the Bank may change based upon change of nomination by the Govt. of West Bengal from time to time.

7.0 QualifyingRequirementsfor bidders:

7.1. Followingshallbethequalificationrequirements:

Technical

(i) The bidder must be the original manufacturer of the same or higher rated voltage class Zig-zag Earthing Transformer.

(ii) The bidder must have delivered same or higher rated voltage class Zig-zag Earthing Transformer in any Indian Power Utilities.

(iii) The same or higher rated class Zig-zag Earthing Transformer must be successfully commissioned in any Indian Power Utilities within last 10(ten) years as on date of NIT.

(iv) The tendered/offered transformer should be Type Tested as per relevant latest IS/IEC from Govt. recognized/NABL accredited Test Laboratory. Complete Type Test Report shall have to be submitted along with the offered bid. The bidder who has no Type Test Report, shall have to submit one undertaking along with their offer declaring that before offering inspection call they will perform the above Type Test free of cost without affecting the delivery schedule of the tender.

Financial

i. Liquid Assets as per the last audited accounts available should be **Rs. 95,86,500.00 [Rupees Ninety Five Lakh Eighty Six Thousand Thousand Five Hundred Only].** Bidder shall have Liquid Asset (L.A) and/ or evidence of access to or availability of credit facility of equivalent amount.

ii. Minimum Average Annual Turnover (MAAT) for best three (03) years out of the last five (05) financial years excluding non-recurring item should be **Rs. 5,75,19,000.00** [**Rupees Five Crore Seventy Five Lakh Nineteen Thousand Only]**

iii. Net Worth at the end of last financial year shall be positive.

7.2. **[Non-statutory documents]:-**The bidder shall upload, as part of his techno-commercialbid,documentsestablishingthebidder'squalificationstoexecutetheOrderto the satisfaction of the WBSETCL. All documents required to establish bidder's financial and technical qualification must be submitted as part of techno-commercial bid. In particular, the following documents need to be uploaded by the bidder:

a. Documentary evidence regarding category of the manufacturer (Micro/ Small/ Medium/ Large) like Registration Certificate issued by SSI/ NSIC/ Directorate of Industries etc.

b. Ifthebidderisanauthorizeddealer/supplier/solesellingagent/Indiansubsidiaryof a foreign manufacturer, or the original manufacturer supplies the Equipment / Materialsthroughadealer,supplier,solesellingagentinIndiaorIndiansubsidiary, anauthorisationletterfromsuchoriginalmanufacturerneedstobefurnishedbythe bidder. [**Not applicable in the instant tender**].

c. List of purchase order references for similar supplies in the past five (5) years with copies of un-priced/priced purchase orders and execution status of each order supported by duly acknowledged delivery challans or excise duty gate passes or, client's certificate. [**Applicability up to the extent of meeting Technical QR**].

d. Confirmation regarding availability of in-house inspection/ testing facilities or access through other government approved agencies for performing inspection/ testing.

e. Performance Certificates from the user for successful operation of similar equipment. [**Applicability up to the extent of meeting Technical QR**].

f. Copies of Type Test Certificate of the Equipment / Materials included in the scope of supply as per relevant IS/ IEC. [**Applicability up to the extent of meeting Technical Specification of the Tender**]

g. Audited Annual Accounts of the company for the last five (5) years (in case of companies)

or

ITReturndulyacknowledgedbythetaxdepartmentforthelastfive(5)years(incase of bidders other than companies).

[**ApplicabilityuptotheextentofmeetingFinancialQR**]

h. Copies of TAN Card, Registration Certificate (Form GST REG - 06) issued under Goods and Services TaxLaws .

i. RegisteredDeedofpartnershipFirm/ArticleofAssociation&Memorandum

7.3. **[Statutorydocuments]:-**Inadditiontoabove,thebiddershallalsoberequiredto meet the eligibility conditions and upload a scanned & digitally signed copy of Power of Attorney in favour of Signatory of the Bid as per Annexure: 4 OR a valid General Power of Attorney in favour of Signatory of the Bid, An Affidavit regarding Eligibility (duly notarized)asperAnnexure:6ofSectionV-Aofthebiddingdocuments&properlyfilled other Applicable Annexures (1-12) and Filled up Guaranteed Technical Particulars Format, if provided with the Technical Specification.

N.B.: ***The Original Power of Attorney in favour of Signatory of the Bid as per Annexure: 4 OR a valid General Power of Attorney in favour of Signatory of the Bid(duly notarized) and an Affidavit regarding Eligibility (duly notarized) as per Annexure: 6 of Section V-A of the bidding documents shall be submitted physically in a sealed envelope to the Office of The Chief Engineer, Procurement Department, WBSETCL under sealed cover on or before the scheduled date & time as specified***

above.

7.4. Notwithstanding anything stated herein, WBSETCL reserves the right to inquire and review the bidder's capability and capacity to supply the Equipment / Materials.

8.0 WBSETCL reserves the right to accept or reject any bid partly or fully or cancel the bidding process without assigning any reasons thereof and in such case no bidder shall have any claim arising out of such action.

9.0 **DeliverySchedule**

The delivery schedule given hereunder is inclusive of the period required for conducting type tests, if so required by the WBSETCL.

Sl. No.	Description of Equipment / Materials	Delivery Schedule
1	28 nos., 33 KV, 874 A, Earthing Transformer complete with all other accessories as per Technical Specification.	***15 no. Earthing Transformers to be delivered within 90 days from the date of placement of Purchase Order***. ***Next 5 no. Earthing Transformers to be delivered within next 30 days ,i.e, within 120 days from the date of placement of Purchase Order.*** ***Rest 8 no. Earthing Transformers to be delivered within next 30 days ,i.e, within 150 days from the date of placement of Purchase Order.***

10.0**Placeof delivery**

Sl	Description	Quantity	Name and address of the consignee	Place of delivery
Item 1	28 nos., 33 KV, 874 A, Earthing Transformer complete with all other accessories as per Technical Specification.	**28**	Anywhere within West Bengal which will be intimated through issuance of MICC cum DI	Anywhere within West Bengal which will be intimated through issuance of MICC cum DI

Notwithstanding the details of consignees mentioned above, the WBSETCL reserves the righttomakemodificationintheabovedetailsatthetimeofissuingDeliveryInstructions (DI).

11.0 Addressforseekinganyclarificationsonthebid documents:

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