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No.: NDMC/Education/Uniform/Tender/01/2018/211

Dated: 23.03.2018

Dear Prospective Bidders,

Subject: Clarifications to the queries raised by the prospective bidder on the tender document relating to Tender No. NDMC/Education/ Uniform/ Tender/001/2018 dated 26.02.2018 regarding Request for Proposal (RFP) For Supply of Stitched School Uniforms For Primary Schools covered under the jurisdiction of North Delhi Municipal Corporation.

1. Some of the prospective bidder has sought clarifications on the tender document relating to above mentioned tender. The replies to clarifications sought are attached herewith.
2. The prospective bidders are advised to take into account the above mentioned clarifications while preparing their bids.


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Sr. No.	Query raised by the prospective bidder	Clarification to the query raised by the prospective bidder
1.	<p>In the Experience Clause No. 12.6 it is specifically mentioned "School Uniform" which is not appropriate as it restricts other bidders from participating in this tender and give their best competitive prices. This experience clause is to be amended to "orders".</p>	<p>Clause No. 12.6 – The Applicant/Bidder shall have the following experience of having successfully completed manufacturing and supply of school uniform fabric ("works") during the last seven (7) years ending previous day of last date of submission of this RFP.</p>
2.	<p>Clause No. 7.1 (k) – Sample submission As per this tender term & condition, the applicant / bidder must submit the samples exactly as per shade and design required by North DMC along with test report. It is not mentioned the quantity of samples to be submitted.</p>	<p>The clause remains unchanged. <u>Clause No. 7.1 (k) – Sample submission</u> "The Applicant/Bidder must submit a sample, for each type of uniform, exactly as per tender specification as mentioned in Chapter 3 to this Section, duly tested from any Laboratory of the Textile Committee, Ministry of Textiles, Govt. of India or any other laboratory duly accredited by the National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) or by A2LA (American Association for Laboratory Accreditation, USA) or RvA (Raad Voor Accreditatie), Dutch Accreditation Council, Netherlands. Each sample shall contain the stamp and sign of the laboratory and shall accompany a signed and sealed test report with respect to the sample and the samples along with the Test Report shall be submitted to North DMC along with the Technical Bid." It is clearly mentioned in the aforementioned clause that the applicant/ bidder must submit a sample for each type of uniform, exactly as per tender specification. Therefore, the bidder has to prepare samples for all sizes of each type of uniform.</p>
3.	<p>Clause No. 12.6 (i) – Experience As per this tender term & condition, the applicant / bidder shall have the experience of having successfully completed manufacturing and supply of school uniform fabric during last seven years. It is not clarified that the experience of supply to whom? Government or Private? The experience of supply should be central /State Government Departments, Municipal Corporations, chain of reputed schools, education bodies etc.</p> <p>The supply of school uniform fabric to dealers or retailers should not be considered because these recorded are manipulated in general.</p>	<p>The clause remains unchanged. <u>Clause No. 12.6 (i) – Experience</u> The Applicant/Bidder shall have the following experience of having successfully completed manufacturing and supply of school uniform fabric ("works") during the last seven (7) years ending previous day of last date of submission of this RFP. Department is concerned about the experience in respect of school uniform fabric ("works") either from Govt. or Private sector. The clause remains unchanged.</p>
4.	<p>Clause No. 4 of chapter 2, Terms and conditions – Delivery Period According to the above clause, the produce should be supplied within the duration of 120 calendar days from the date of issue of purchase order. Since the products are to be supplied in huge volume and the supply is expected to execute during the peak season for the school uniform, you are requested to allow the delivery period of 150 /180 days</p>	<p>Clause No. 4 of chapter 2, Terms and conditions – Delivery Period "The Products shall be required to be provided within the duration of 120 calendar days from the date of the issue of the Purchase Order by the North DMC. However, the time period as prescribed in the Purchase Order shall govern the actual supply of the Products." The clause remains unchanged.</p>

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5.	<p>for the production of fabric, garmenting and supply.</p> <p>We also would like to know that any bidder who has been declared as NPA by banks or Any company, which is under liquidation or insolvency are allowed to participate in the tender?</p>	<p>Department will go exactly by the terms & conditions mentioned in the tender document.</p> <p>The clause remains unchanged.</p>
6.	<p>As per the 11.1 (i) of chapter 5 of contract from towards Liquidated Damages, it is mentioned that liquidated damages shall be levied @ 0.5% of the total cost of the remaining quantities which is very surprising. Please note that in the entire tender floated by various Government/semi government department, the standard Liquidated Damages is being imposing @ 0.5% per week and not per day. Kindly go through the various L.D. guidelines which are being implemented by Ordnance Factories (Ministry of Defence) and other Govt. departments. For your ready reference, we are enclosing herewith some pages (highlighted lines) from the tender documents of Ordnance Factories, Navy from which you will find that the LD is being charged @ 0.5% per week.</p>	<p>The clause remains unchanged.</p>
7.	<p>One of the tender requirement is to submit samples (stitched uniforms) by 02.04.2018. In this respect we would request you to consider that the time allowed is insufficient to prepare the samples. Hence we request you to consider the following: Extension of tender day by 30 days & Allow us to submit samples conforming to specifications but in different shades.</p>	<p>Suggestion is not accepted and hence the clause remains unchanged.</p>

Handwritten signature and date: 22.2.18

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