

Bid Corrigendum

GEM/2025/B/6509887-C1

Following terms and conditions supersede all existing "Buyer added Bid Specific Terms and conditions" given in the bid document or any previous corrigendum. Prospective bidders are advised to bid as per following Terms and Conditions:

Buyer Added Bid Specific Additional Terms and Conditions

1. OPTION CLAUSE: The buyer can increase or decrease the contract quantity or contract duration up to 25 percent at the time of issue of the contract. However, once the contract is issued, contract quantity or contract duration can only be increased up to 25 percent. Bidders are bound to accept the revised quantity or duration
2. Buyer Added text based ATC clauses

Qualifying requirement for Drone (UAV) Patrolling for Power line crossing & Jumper Clearance Measurement of 400KV D/C and S/c Lines under various TLM offices of SR-II(**Package-II South** Tamil Nadu).

Qualification of the Bidder will be based on the meeting the minimum pass/ fail criteria specified below regarding the Bidder's technical experience and financial position as demonstrated by the Bidder's responses in the corresponding Bid Schedules. Technical experience and financial resources of any proposed subcontractor shall not be considered in determining the Bidder's compliance with the qualifying criteria. The Bid can be submitted by any individual firm meeting the Qualifying Requirement (QR). The employer may assess the capacity and capability of the bidder, to successfully execute the scope of work covered under the package within stipulated completion period. This assessment shall inter-alia include (i) document verification, (ii) details of works executed, works in hand, anticipated in future & the balance capacity available for the present scope of work; (iii) past experience and performance; (iv) customer feedback; (v) Banker's feedback; etc. POWERGRID reserves the right to waive minor deviations if they do not materially affect the capability of the Bidder to perform the contract.

1.0 **Technical Experience:**

- 1.1 The bidder shall hold necessary current and valid operating permit(s)/ certificate(s)/ license(s) issued by Directorate General of Civil Aviation to provide Drone services in India on commercial basis as on the originally scheduled date of bid opening .
- 1.2 The bidder must have successfully completed Drone patrolling using mounted Camera either for Visual inspection or for Thermovision scanning of **atleast 100 route kilometers of Transmission lines or 300nos towers of 220kV or above Transmission Lines** in last five years, as on the originally scheduled date of bid opening.
- 1.3 Bidder has to submit the completion certificate along with the bid documents. In case the bidder is a holding company, the technical experience referred to in clause 1.0 above shall be of that holding company only (i.e excluding its subsidiary /group companies). In case bidder is a subsidiary of holding company only technical experience referred to in clause 1.0 above shall be of that subsidiary company only (i.e excluding its holding company).

2.0 **Financial Position:** Bidder must meet the following minimum criteria:-

- 2.1 Minimum Average Annual Turnover *(MAAT) for best three years i.e. 36 months out of last five financial years of the bidder should be **Rs 72.83 Lakhs**.

* Note- Annual Gross Revenue from operations/Gross operating income as incorporated in the profit &

loss account excluding other operative income/other income.

Note-1: - Liquid Assets (LA) & Net worth is applicable only in cases where the estimated cost is above Rs. 5 crores. Hence **not applicable** in this case. Value of MAAT should be 1.5 times of approved estimated cost excluding taxes.

Note-2: In case bidder is a holding company, the financial position criteria referred to in clause 2.0 above shall be of that holding company only (i.e excluding its subsidiary/ group companies). In case bidder is a subsidiary of a holding company, the financial position criteria referred to in clause 2.0 above shall be of that subsidiary company only (i.e excluding its holding company). The bidder shall also furnish following documents/details with its Bid: The complete annual reports together with Audited statement of accounts of the company for last five years of its own (separate) immediately preceding the date of submission of the 'Bid'. In case of bidder's inability to furnish the information as (a) above due to no requirement to get its Financial Statement Audited, the bidder shall submit Sales/Turnover figures (excluding taxes) duly certified by a practicing Chartered Accountant/Cost Accountant with UDIN or Income Tax Return.

Note-3: RELAXATION FOR MSEs/ STARTUPS MSEs:

- i. MAAT is waived off for MSEs
- ii. START-UPS^{^^} shall also be considered qualified if they meet 80% (Eighty percent) of the requirements specified at para 2.1 of above in financial position. (^{^^}START-Ups as defined by DPIIT, applicable as on the originally scheduled date of bid opening.)

4.0 Joint Venture Bids- Not Applicable

The bidder shall furnish documentary evidence in support of the qualifying requirements stipulated above.

Basis of Evaluation:

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It is to mention here that, since the works are being tendered package wise (in 4 packages) as detailed below:

1. **BID NO: GEM/2025/B/6509544 (Package-I North Tamil Nadu)**
2. **BID NO: GEM/2025/B/6509887 (Package-II South Tamil Nadu)**
3. **BID NO: GEM/2025/B/6509640 (Package-III Kerala)**
4. **BID NO: [GEM/2025/B/6135415](#) (Package-IV Karnataka)**

There shall be no restriction for the agencies to participate or submit their offers for all the above Four packages. However while evaluation, in the event of one agency emerging as L1 (in any of the above 4 packages), and the same agency has also participated in any other packages as mentioned above, then to ensure the capability / capacity of the agency to take up two or three or four packages and ensure the completion of the same within the stipulated time schedule, cumulative / combined value towards Technical Requirement and MATT has to be met by the agency and as such the same shall be taken into consideration and the bids of the agency shall be evaluated & finalized accordingly.

Name of the Work may be read as Hiring of agency for Jumper Clearance Measurement of "765 KV/400KV, D/C & S/c Lines" using Drone (UAV) Patrolling under various TLM offices in SR-II (Package-II South Tamil Nadu).

Wherever "400KV D/C & S/c Lines" is present in the bid may be read as "765 KV/400KV, D/C & S/c Lin

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

Disclaimer

The additional terms and conditions have been incorporated by the Buyer after approval of the Competent Authority in Buyer Organization, whereby Buyer organization is solely responsible for the impact of these clauses on the bidding process, its outcome, and consequences thereof including any eccentricity / restriction arising in the bidding process due to these ATCs and due to modification of technical specifications and / or terms and conditions governing the bid. If any clause(s) is / are incorporated by the Buyer regarding following, the bid and resultant contracts shall be treated as null and void and such bids may be cancelled by GeM at any stage of bidding process without any notice:-

1. Definition of Class I and Class II suppliers in the bid not in line with the extant Order / Office Memorandum issued by DPIIT in this regard.
2. Seeking EMD submission from bidder(s), including via Additional Terms & Conditions, in contravention to exemption provided to such sellers under GeM GTC.
3. Publishing Custom / BOQ bids for items for which regular GeM categories are available without any Category item bunched with it.
4. Creating BoQ bid for single item.
5. Mentioning specific Brand or Make or Model or Manufacturer or Dealer name.
6. Mandating submission of documents in physical form as a pre-requisite to qualify bidders.
7. Floating / creation of work contracts as Custom Bids in Services.
8. Seeking sample with bid or approval of samples during bid evaluation process. (However, in bids for [attached categories](#), trials are allowed as per approved procurement policy of the buyer nodal Ministries)
9. Mandating foreign / international certifications even in case of existence of Indian Standards without specifying equivalent Indian Certification / standards.
10. Seeking experience from specific organization / department / institute only or from foreign / export experience.
11. Creating bid for items from irrelevant categories.
12. Incorporating any clause against the MSME policy and Preference to Make in India Policy.
13. Reference of conditions published on any external site or reference to external documents/clauses.
14. Asking for any Tender fee / Bid Participation fee / Auction fee in case of Bids / Forward Auction, as the case may be.
15. Any ATC clause in contravention with GeM GTC Clause 4 (xiii)(h) will be invalid. In case of multiple L1 bidders against a service bid, the buyer shall place the Contract by selection of a bidder amongst the L-1 bidders through a Random Algorithm executed by GeM system.
16. Buyer added ATC Clauses which are in contravention of clauses defined by buyer in system generated bid template as indicated above in the Bid Details section, EMD Detail, ePBG Detail and MII and MSE Purchase Preference sections of the bid, unless otherwise allowed by GeM GTC.
17. In a category based bid, adding additional items, through buyer added additional scope of work/ additional terms and conditions/or any other document. If buyer needs more items along with the main item, the same must be added through bunching category based items or by bunching custom catalogs or bunching a BoQ with the main category based item, the same must not be done through ATC or Scope of Work.

Further, if any seller has any objection/grievance against these additional clauses or otherwise on any aspect of this bid, they can raise their representation against the same by using the Representation window provided in the bid details field in Seller dashboard after logging in as a seller within 4 days of bid publication on GeM. Buyer is duty bound to reply to all such representations and would not be allowed to open bids if he fails to reply to such representations.

*This document shall overwrite all previous versions of Bid Specific Additional Terms and Conditions.

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

