Minutes of Meeting of Evaluation Committee held on 17.05.2022 at NHAI HQ for Financial Evaluation of bids of Consultancy Services for Authority's Engineer for supervision of Construction of new 4-Lane Bridge (2x12.5 mtr wide twin 2-lane structures) over River Ganga at Downstream of Farakka-Barrage including approaches connecting Farakka-Raiganj section of NH-34 from km 290.940 (design chainage 0.000 km) to km 296.805 (design chainage 5.468 km) in the State of West Bengal on EPC Mode (Tender ID No.- 2021_NHAI_94204_1) **-Evaluation of Financial Bids - Reg.**

Date: 17.05.2022 **Venue: NHAI-HQ, New Delhi**

1. Present

A. Committee Members

i	Shri Sanjeev Kumar Sharma, GM (T) West Bengal	:	Convener
ii	Shri S.Q. Ahmad, GM (F)	:	Member
iii	Shri Arun Jagga, GM (T)	:	Member
iv	Shri Aditya Sharma, Dy. Manager (Tech)- West Bengal	:	Member

B. **Financial Consultant: - M/s Raj Har Gopal & Co.**

i. Sh. Gopal Krishna Gupta

2. The Committee was apprised that as per provision of clause 10 of Section-1 of RFP with the approval of Competent Authority, the financial bids of following 02 Applicant firms were opened on 29.04.2022 at 11:30 am in the presence of bidders who choose to be present:

Sr. No	Name of Firm
1	M/s TPF Engineering Pvt. Ltd.
2	M/s SA Infrastructure Consultants Pvt Ltd. in Associates with Upham International Corporation

3. The Technical division vide letter no. NHAI/WB/Tech/2021/NH-34/Farakka Barrage/AE /E-114031 dated 28.04.2022 **(Annexure-1)** informed to the bidders about the opening of financial bids on 29.04.2022 at 1130 Hrs. at NHAI HQ, G-5 & 6, Sector - 10, Dwarka, New Delhi - 110 075,through e-tendering portal. Further, the bidders were requested to furnish updated details with respect to awarded & ongoing projects as per format given vide Clause 15(c) (iv) Appendix-B(11) of section-1 of RFP regarding technical capacity as on the date of financial opening.

4. The Bidder submitted the updated Technical capacity vide letters dated 28.04.2022 **(Annexure-2)** the same was forwarded to the Financial Consultant who vide his report dated 29.04.2022 **(Annexure-3)** found both the bidders eligible and recommended to open the bid. Accordingly, the bids of the above mentioned Technically responsive two bidders was opened on 29.04.2022 in presence of the representative of Firms who chose to attend (Attendance Sheet at **Annexure-4).** Before opening of financial proposals, the technical score of 02 responsive firms was announced in the presence of their representatives and thereafter their online financial proposals were opened.

5. The financial proposals of top 02 responsive firms as submitted by them are enclosed at **(Annexure-5)** The financial proposal submitted by 02 bidders was handed over to the Financial Consultant i.e. M/s Raj Har Gopal & Co for examination.

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6. Meanwhile, M/s. HEXA Co. (JV) with M/s. L.N. Malviya Infra projects Pvt. Ltd. association with Nokang Infra Pvt. Ltd. vide letter dated 29.04.2022 **(Annexure-6)** has submitted a representation to NHAI regarding the bidding process. It must be mentioned that the said firm was considered non-responsive by the Evaluation Committee in both stages of its Technical Evaluation. The matter was apprised to the Competent Authority vide E-office no. 114031 and accordingly the reply to the representation of the bidder was issued by the Technical Division vide letter dated 17.05.2022 **(Annexure-7).**

7. Financial Consultant vide letter dated 29.04.2022 (**Annexure-8)** has submitted the report which provides the evaluation as under:

7.1 The Financial Bids received from Bidders are examined as per RFP clause 5.7 of Section 2 of RFP, the price quoted by 02 bidders in their financial proposal is as under:

S.No.	Name of Bidders	Price Quoted (in Rs.)
1	M/s TPF Engineering Pvt. Ltd.	Rs. 6,59,14,782.00
2	M/s SA Infrastructure Consultants Pvt Ltd. in Associates with Upham International Corporation	Rs. 7,34,40,340.00

7.2 The financial proposal submitted by the above 02 consultancy firms was in the format (Appendix-C1) of RFP. The arithmetic calculations of financial bid submitted by 02 bidders were checked.

8. As per Clause 5.7 of Section -2 of RFP, the lowest financial proposal (Fm) shall be given a financial score (Sf) of 100 points. Accordingly, based on the formula (Sf=100xFm/F) provisioned in the RFP, the financial score of the bidders are as per the following:

S. No	Name of Firm	Financial Proposal in Rs. excluding local taxes (F)	Financial Score out of 100 (Sf=100xFm/F)
1	M/s TPF Engineering Pvt. Ltd.	Rs. 6,59,14,782.00=fm	100
2	M/s SA Infrastructure Consultants Pvt Ltd. in Associates with Upham International Corporation	Rs. 7,34,40,340.00	89.75

As per Clause 5.8 of Section -2 of RFP, Proposals shall finally be ranked according to their combined technical (St) and financial (Sf) scores as follows:

S=St x Tw + Sf x Fw

Where S is the combined score, and Tw and Fw are weights assigned to technical proposal and financial proposal. As per Clause 10(ix) of Data-Sheet of RFP, the weightage for technical proposal is 80% and weightage for financial proposal is 20%.

9. Based on the technical scores (St) & financial scores (Sf) and the formula above, the finalized the combined score of all bidders as per the following:

S. No	Name of Firm	Technical Score (St)	Weightage of Technical tw @ 80% (st x Tw)	Financial Score (Sf)	Weightage of Financial 20% (sf x Fw)	Combined Score S=St x Tw + Sf x Fw	Rank
1	2	3	(4=80%x3)	5	(6=20%x5)	(7=4+6)	8
1	M/s TPF Engineering Pvt. Ltd.	93.36	74.69	100	20	94.69	H-1
2	M/s SA Infrastructure Consultants Pvt Ltd. in Associates with Upham International Corporation	90.36	72.29	89.75	17.95	90.24	H-2

10. The Committee noted that the financial proposal of M/s TPF Engineering Pvt. Ltd. is amounting to **Rs. 6,59,14,782.00/-** (Rs. Six Crore Fifty nine Lakhs Fourteen Thousand Seven hundered Eighty Two only) excluding GST, which is H1 bidder.

11. In view of above, Evaluation Committee deliberated the combined scores of bidders and recommended for declaring M/s TPF Engineering Pvt. Ltd. as selected (H1) bidder for its proposal amounting to **Rs. 6,59,14,782.00/- (Rs. Six Crore Fifty nine Lakhs Fourteen Thousand Seven hundered Eighty Two only)** excluding GST subject to the approval of Competent Authority.

The meeting concluded with vote of thanks to the Chair.

(Aditya Sharma)
Dy. Manager (Tech) WB

(Sanjay Verma)
GM (Fin)

(Arun Jagga)
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