

NATIONAL HIGHWAYS AUTHORITY OF INDIA

Regional Office - Kolkata

Dated: 15 Feb 2022

Opening & evaluation of Technical e-Bids for the work of Short Term Improvement and Routine Maintenance of Palsit - Dankuni (Km 584.929 to Km 651.576) Section of NH - 19 (Old NH - 2) in the state of West Bengal for the period of four months

[Contract Package no. O&M/NH-2/2021-22/Palsit-Dankuni]

NIT No 15/2021-22/NH-2/O&M/Pal/Dan dated 15 Jan 2022

Introduction:-

The existing O&M Contract for the above stretch was going to be expired soon. Also, Appointed date for 6-laning work of NH-19 from Palsit Dankuni section was not declared. As the subject stretch is tolled road, therefore, O&M related works should not be dispensed off.

In view of the above and due to time constraint, RO-Kolkata decided to float fresh tender for O&M works of Palsit – Dankuni section of NH-19 (old NH-2) for a period of 04 months. Bid Due date was fixed on 14 Feb 2022. NIT was published on the Government e-procurement System i.e. <https://etenders.gov.in> as well as on NHAI website i.e. www.nhai.org along with bid document on 15 Jan 2022.

Simultaneously, in accordance with revised Delegation of Power to RO vide Sr no 10.5 of Policy Circular no 18.24/2017 dated 21 Aug 2017, an estimate amounting to Rs 4,82,38,820/- (Rupees Four Crore Eighty Two Lakh Thirty Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty only) for Short Term Improvement and Routine Maintenance of Palsit - Dankuni (Km 584.929 to Km 651.576) Section of NH - 19 (Old NH - 2) in the state of West Bengal for the period of four months was approved by CGM (Tech) & RO-Kolkata vide e-office Computer no 128176 dated 21 Feb 2022.

Opening of Technical Bid:-

For Uploading, opening & evaluation of Technical & Financial e-Bids, a committee was constituted by Chief General Manager (Tech) / RO-Kolkata vide letter no. NHAI/RO-KOL/001/2021/08/33/128 dated 25 Jan 2022 consisting of the following members.

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| 1. Shri D K Choudhary, Project Director, PIU-Kolkata | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Shri A sarkar, DGM (F&A), RO-Kolkata | - | Member |
| 3. Shri S Shambhu, Manager (Tech), RO-Kolkata | - | Member |
| 4. Shri S K Nawajesh Ali, Dy Manager (Tech), PIU-Kolkata | - | Member |

The last date of submission of e-bids was scheduled on 14 Feb 2022 at Regional Office – Kolkata. Accordingly, the Technical e-bids were opened on 15 Feb 2022 at 15.00 Hrs in the office of the CGM (T) / RO-Kolkata by the Committee members.

No Authorised representative was present at the time of opening of Technical e-bids.

After opening of e-bids through Government e-procurement System i.e. <https://etenders.gov.in>, the Committee observed that, total 2 (two) nos of bids of the following firms were uploaded in e-portal:

- M/s KalyanToll Infrastructure Ltd, Indore
- M/s Biswajyoti Bhattacharyya, Murshidabad

Documents uploaded by M/s KalyanToll Infrastructure Ltd, Indore & M/s Biswajyoti Bhattacharyya, Murshidabad in the e-portal regarding “Bid Security Declaration”, “Bid Document fees” etc were verified and tabulated in the **Technical bid opening Statement** which is attached herewith as **Annexure-A**. Amount deposited as bid document fees were verified from NHAI, RO-Kolkata’s bank statement.

Evaluation of Technical Bid:-

After detailed evaluation of the bids, the followings are observed by the Committee bidder wise:

M/s KalyanToll Infrastructure Ltd, Indore:-

- (a) M/s KalyanToll Infrastructure Ltd, Indore has submitted Annual Turnover in respect of last three F.Y. commencing from 2018-19 alongwith Chartered Accountant certificate. The average annual financial turnover for construction works of M/s Kalyan Toll Infrastructure Ltd, Indore comes to Rs 63,517.04 Lakh which is achieved the required average annual financial turnover of Rs 144.72 Lakh as mentioned in NIT.
- (b) M/s KalyanToll Infrastructure Ltd, Indore has provided experience certificate (PCOD) of one single similar nature work namely, *“Rehabilitation and Upgradation of NH-66 (old NH-17) from km 161/600 to km 205.400 (Kashedi-Parshuram Ghat section) to four lanes in the state of Maharashtra under NHDP-IV on Hybrid Annuity Mode”* whose Bid Project Cost was Rs 579.50 Crore issued by Independent Engineer, M/s Bloom Companies LLC, USA in Association with Credible management & Consultant Pvt Ltd.

In previous tendering work, M/s Kalyan had participated in the tendering work and submitted the said experience certificate which was verified from the concerned department M/s Bloom Companies, LLC in Nov 2021.
- (c) M/s KalyanToll Infrastructure Ltd, Indore has uploaded details of proposed Personnel as per format in compliance of Clause (4.4) (B) (b) (ii) of ITB alongwith copies of educational certificates of the proposed personnel and signed CV of the Project Manager.
- (d) M/s KalyanToll Infrastructure Ltd, Indore has provided details of key equipments as per format alongwith documentary evidence in support of his owning/leasing of the equipments as per Clause 4.2(d) & 1.5 of Section-III to ITB.
- (e) M/s KalyanToll Infrastructure Ltd, Indore has uploaded other Qualification information as per Bid Documents.

M/s Biswajyoti Bhattacharyya, Murshidabad:-

- (a) M/s Biswajyoti Bhattacharyya, Murshidabad has submitted Annual Turnover in respect of last three F.Y. commencing from 2018-19 alongwith Chartered Accountant certificate. The average annual financial turnover for construction works of M/s Biswajyoti Bhattacharyya, Murshidabad comes to Rs 4519.52 Lakh which is achieved the required average annual financial turnover of Rs 144.72 Lakh as mentioned in NIT.
- (b) M/s Biswajyoti Bhattacharyya, Murshidabad has provided experience certificate of one single similar nature work namely, *“Short term improvement and routine maintenance of NH-2 from km 584.929 to km 649.072 of Palsit - Dankuni section in the state of West Bengal [Contract Package no O&M/NH-2/2019-20]”* whose Contract price was Rs 8.38 Crore issued by The Project Director, PIU-Durgapur, NHAI.

In recent tendering work of O&M of Belghoria Expressway, the said experience certificate was forwarded to PIU-Durgapur for necessary verification & confirmation of issuance of the same. In reply, PD-Durgapur vide letter no 13017/1/2021/PIU(DUP)/HT-DE/1973 dated 30 Nov 2021 was confirmed the issuance of the said certificate.

- (c) M/s Biswajyoti Bhattacharyya, Murshidabad has uploaded details of proposed Personnel as per format in compliance of Clause (4.4) (B) (b) (ii) of ITB alongwith copies of educational certificates of the proposed personnel and signed CV of the Project Manager.
- (d) M/s Biswajyoti Bhattacharyya, Murshidabad has provided details of key equipments as per format alongwith documentary evidence in support of his owning/leasing of the equipments as per Clause 4.2(d) & 1.5 of Section-III to ITB.
- (e) M/s Biswajyoti Bhattacharyya, Murshidabad has uploaded other Qualification information as per Bid Documents.

The Technical Bids of both the participated bidders have been evaluated as per eligibility criteria as defined in the bid documents by the Committee Members. Detailed Evaluation of Technical Bids is enclosed as **Annexure-B**.

Both the participated bidders had participated in the recent bidding procedure conducted at RO-Kolkata. Also, both the participated bidders are executing O&M works under RO-Kolkata.

Therefore, the committee unanimously decided that, it is not necessary to issue Circular to all NHAI regarding blacklisted / debarred / declared non- performer in respect of both the participated bidders.

Conclusion / Recommendation:-

The Committee has checked the Technical Documents uploaded by both the participated bidders and found to be generally in order as per eligibility criteria as defined in the bid documents. Thus, the Committee unanimously recommends to accept the bids of both the participated firms and declared as Technically Responsive.

Further, The Committee has decided to open the Financial e-bids of both the participated bidders at the earliest, subject to approval of Competent Authority.

The meeting concluded with vote of thanks to the Chair.

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Submitted for approval of Competent Authority: