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NHAI/RO-HYD/11023/NH-161/Pkg-II & III/IE(O&M)/2023-24/1489

दिनांक.29.09.2023

(--- LETTER OF AWARD ---)

(Original/Duplicate)

To

M/s MSV International Inc. in association with

M/s Armenge Engineering Pvt. Ltd

Unit No-514,515&516,

5th Floor Sun city Success Tower,

Sector-65, Gurgaon Haryana - 122005

विषय: भा.रा.रा.प्रा. क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, हैदराबाद – प.का.इ. - संगारेड्डी - Appointment of Independent Engineer Services during Operation & Maintenance (O&M) stage for (i). Four laning of NH-161 from Ramsanpalle (Design Km 39.980 / Existing Km 44.757) to Mangloor (Design Km 86.788 / Existing Km 91.350) (Design Length = 46.808 Km) in the State of Telangana under Bharatmala Pariyojana on Hybrid Annuity Mode - (Package-II) (ii). Four laning of NH-161 from Mangloor (Design Km.86.788/Existing Km.91.350) to Telangana / Maharashtra Boarder (Design Km 135.751/ Existing km 140.873) in the state of Telangana under Bharatmala Pariyojana (Package-III) - Letter of Award (LOA) - Communicated - reg.

- संदर्भ:**
- 1) NIT No. NHAI/RO-HYD/11023/NH-161/Pkg-II & III/IE(O&M)/2022Dt:05.12.2022
 - 2) NHAI HQ Lr No: NHAI/GM(T)/DGM(T)/Yad-War/AE(O&M)/09-2022/653 dated 03.05.2023
 - 3) RO-HYD Lr No: NHAI/RO-HYD/11023/NH-161/Pkg-II&III/IE(O&M)/2023-24/349 dtd 04.05.2023
 - 4) RO-HYD Lr No: NHAI/RO-HYD/11023/NH-161/Pkg-II&III/IE(O&M)/2023-24/481 dtd 08.06.2023
 - 5) H1 Firm's Lr No: MSV/BD/2023/37947 dated 20.05.2023
 - 6) RO-HYD Lr No: NHAI/RO-HYD/11023/NH-161/Pkg-II&III/IE(O&M)/2023-24/675 dtd 12.06.2023
 - 7) H1 Firm's Lr No: MSV/BD/2023/38288 dated 27.06.2023
 - 8) RO-HYD Lr No: NHAI/RO-HYD/11023/NH-161/Pkg-II&III/IE(O&M)/2023-24/943 dtd 10.07.2023
 - 9) Minutes of Meeting of the Expert Committee dated 03.08.2023
 - 10) RO-HYD Lr No: NHAI/RO-HYD/11023/NH-161/Pkg-II&III/IE(O&M)/2023-24/1133 dtd 09.08.2023
 - 11) H1 Firm's Lr No: MSV/BD/2023/38872 dated 22.08.2023
 - 12) H1 Firm's Lr No: MSV/BD/2023/38895 dated 24.08.2023
 - 13) RO-HYD Lr No: NHAI/RO-HYD/11023/NH-161/Pkg-II&III/IE(O&M)/2023-24/1286 dtd 29.08.2023
 - 14) Minutes of Meeting of the Expert Committee dated 31.08.2023
 - 15) RO-HYD Lr No: NHAI/RO-HYD/11023/NH-161/Pkg-II&III/IE(O&M)/2023-24/1399 dtd 14.09.2023
 - 16) H1 Firm's Lr No: MSV/BD/2023/39252 dated 25.09.2023
 - 17) RO-HYD Lr No: NHAI/RO-HYD/11023/NH-161/Pkg-II&III/IE(O&M)/2023-24/1478 dtd 27.09.2023
 - 18) NHAI Policy Circular No: 10.1.36/2023 dated 26.09.2023

Gentleman,

This has reference to the subject cited consultancy work and proposal submitted on 18.01.2023 by you in response to RFP for the assignment of subject work, the Competent Authority of NHAI, HQ has accepted your proposal for award of work.

2. Based on Interview of the Key Professionals by the Expert Committee and their recommendations and in accordance with the RFP/NHAI works manual, consequently reduction in remuneration @25% against replaced Key Professional of Highway Maintenance cum Resident Engineer-1 & Road Safety Expert and 10% reduction in remuneration against replaced Key Professional of Highway Maintenance cum Resident Engineer-2 & ATMS/Toll Expert have been made.

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3. Accordingly, your financial proposal for revised contract price for an amount of ₹ 5,39,86,200/- (Rupees Five Crore Thirty Nine Lakh Eighty Six Thousand and Two Hundred only) (excl.GST) has been accepted by this office.

4. Further, It is requested to furnish Performance Security/ Bank Guarantee within a period of 15 days of issue of this Letter of Award (LOA), for an amount of equivalent to 3% of the Contract price i.e., ₹ 16,19,586/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakh Nineteen Thousand Five hundred and Eighty Six only) which will be valid for a period of 38 months i.e., up to 2 months beyond the expiry of Contract period of 36 months as per clause 10.1 of Section-2 of RFP. The BG shall be submitted in the format specified in Appendix-I.

5. Upon submission of the required Performance Security and confirmation from beneficiary Bank, you are required to sign the Contract Agreement with NHAI. Thereafter, the services shall commence immediately as per the Contract provisions.

6. As per Clause 3.4 (vii) (b) & (f) of Section-2 of RFP, in case CV of a person is turned out to be fake/incorrect/inflated during the assignment, Key Professional shall be debarred from NHAI upto 2 years and the consultancy firms shall have to refund the salary and perks drawn in respect of the person apart from other consequences.

7. List of finally approved Key Professional is furnished below.

Sl No	Name of the Key Personnel	Position	Revised Remuneration	Remarks
1	Mr. Sayeed Ahmed Shaikh	Team Leader cum Highway Engineer	₹ 1,80,000/Month	No Change
2	Mr. Brajesh Kumar Jhariya	Highway Maintenance cum Resident Engineer-1	₹ 1,14,750/Month	25% reduction in remuneration
3	Mr. Mohammad Rahman Khan	Highway Maintenance cum Resident Engineer-2	₹ 1,37,700/Month	10% reduction in remuneration
4	Mr. Anuj Kumar	Road Safety Expert	₹ 1,01,250/Month	25% reduction in remuneration
5	Mr. A. Radha Krishna Reddy	Bridge/ Structural Engineer	₹ 1,35,000/Month	No Change
6	Mr. Anand Jain	ATMS/Toll Expert	₹ 1,21,500/Month	10% reduction in remuneration

8. Further, you are requested to Sign and return the duplicate copy of this LOA as acknowledgement.

(अनुलग्न: ऊपरोक्त अनुसार)

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उप महाप्रबंधक (तक.)

कृते क्षेत्रीय अधिकारी - हैदराबाद

Copy To:

1. The GM (Tech) - NHAI HQs, for favour of information, please.
2. PD, PIU-Sangareddy for information.

5.10 Interviews of Key personnel of consultants

(1) The Expert Teams (2-3 to begin with) comprising of 3 eminent retired/serving officers in each team will be set up by each Member to take the interview through VC of the key personnel of H-1 consultant before issue of LOA of consultancy assignments under their jurisdiction. The proceedings of VC shall lie on Data Lake as a record. If any key personnel is found not suitable, such person will not be allowed to participate for 3 months in NHAI's projects. The Consulting Firm will be given one opportunity to replace unsuitable person with a person of equal or better CV, and no reduction in remuneration shall apply to such replacements. If Consultant fails to produce alternate CV within 7 days or alternate CV/ Person is also not found suitable by the expert team, then the consultancy firm shall be given further opportunity to replace the unsuitable person with reduction in remuneration of that position @ 10% for such replacement till suitable key person is made available and he is found suitable by expert team.

Those key personnel who have been declared not suitable/not recommended in the previous interviews (before issue of this circular) may be allowed to reappear before interview expert committee if they have completed stipulated time of 3 months as mentioned above.

The key personnel proposed by the consultancy firm and found suitable by expert team of NHAI through interaction shall remain eligible for the same position for 3 years from the date of interaction in case they left the project for any justified reason and are subsequently proposed for other projects.

6. Replacement of Personnel

- 6.1. Prior to the expiration period of validity of proposal, the NHAI shall notify the successful firm (first ranking firm) in writing by registered letter or facsimile and issue LOA. In case two or more firms offer same lowest financial bid, the firm achieving the highest Technical score shall be considered for LOA.
- 6.2. The proposal shall include methodology (work plan), staffing and bar charts, which shall indicate activities, staff, periods in the field and in the home office, staff months, logistics and reporting. Special attention shall be paid to optimize the required outputs from the firm within the available budget and to define clearly the inputs required from the NHAI to ensure satisfactory implementation of the assignment.
- 6.3. It is the responsibility of the Consultant, before submitting the financial proposal, to contact the local tax authorities to determine the local tax amount to be paid by the Consultant under the Contract. Having selected a firm, among other things, on the basis of an evaluation of proposed key professional staff, the Contract will be finalized.
- 6.4. All replacements shall be governed by Clause 4.5 (Renewal and/or Replacements of Personnel) of General Condition of the Contract.

**PROCEDURE REGARDING REPLACEMENT OF PROFESSIONAL/
STAFF BY THE CONSULTANT**

(Ref. Para 6.13.9)

1. The new proposed personnel as a replacement has to be evaluated as per the criteria fixed at the time of evaluation of original proposal and marks/rating found and then:
 - (a) If the original personnel (included in the original proposal based on which the contract was awarded) is to be replaced at the instruction of NHAI and the new proposed personnel is having less qualification/experience i.e. marks/rating (but fulfilling the minimum requirement as per TOR), his remuneration would be reduced by 15% over and above the stipulated conditions in the contract because of less qualified personnel.
 - (b) If the original personnel (included in Contract Agreement) is to be replaced by the Consulting firm and the new proposed personnel is having less qualification/experience (marks/rating), then his remuneration would be decreased proportionally in comparison to the marks of the original personnel. This will also take into account the contract condition and if the proposed reduction is less than that stipulated in contract condition, it would be as per the contract provision.
 - (c) It will need to be ensured that the new proposed personnel should score at least 75% of the marks of the originally approved key personnel.
 - (d) In order to prevent the tendency of personnel to shift from one job to another in NHAI works, the following undertakings may be obtained from the personnel/consulting firm:-
 - (i) From personnel: That the personnel was not earlier working with any of the consultants of NHAI/contracting firm (firm to be supervised now) for continuing works and has not left the job without completing his assignments. He will be available for the entire duration of the current project (named.....) and in case he leaves this assignment in the middle of the completion of the work, NHAI would be at liberty to debar him from further assignment in NHAI works for an appropriate period to be decided by NHAI. A sample format for undertaking is enclosed at Annexure -I.
 - (ii) From Consulting firm: That to the best of their knowledge, the proposed personnel was not working with any of the consultants engaged/contacting firm (firm to be supervised now) in any continuing works of NHAI and if it is found at a later date about this, he would be removed from this assignment and NHAI would