

**SUB: PROPOSAL FOR AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR MICRO IRRIGATION SYSTEM FOR OPEN LAWNS AT GAIL, CHHAINSA.****1.0 BACKGROUND:**

1.1 Pursuant to the approval of the Competent Authority, price bid of following single techno-commercially acceptable bidder was opened on 19.02.2024 on NIC portal:-

1. M/s. Whitecap Infraengineers, Noida

1.2 The relaxation to startup bidders is not applicable in this tender.

1.3 Purchase preference as per the PP-LC policy is not applicable in this tender.

1.4 Purchase preference to MSE bidders is not applicable for the tender as it is works tender.

1.5 All the techno-commercially accepted bidders have submitted Udyam certificate for EMD relaxation.

1.6 It is confirmed that none of the techno-commercially qualified bidders are under holiday/banning list of GAIL.

2.0 MAIN BODY:

2.1 As per tender, Evaluation and Award will be based on overall lowest evaluated price (L-1) basis net of ITC. The rates shall be quoted by bidder in percentage basis.

2.2 As per the Comparative statement downloaded from NIC portal and vetted by the finance, the percentage variation of the overall prices of bidders with respect to estimate is as below:-

Name of Bidder	Estimate in INR ... excl. GST	Bidder Quoted Amount in INR ...excl. GST	(%) Variation from Estimate	Bidderwise Status
M/s. Whitecap Infraengineers, Noida	4,68,674.60	3,60,852.80	(-)23%	L1

As per above comparison, it is evident that M/s Whitecap Infraengineers, Noida is the L1 bidder for the SOR items on overall basis.

2.3 Salient features of the offer of L1 bidder M/s Whitecap Infraengineers, Noida are as follows:-

2.3.1 M/s. Whitecap Infraengineers, Noida has quoted overall price i.e. Rs. 4,25,806.30/- including GST@18% for the new contract, which is 23% lower than the estimate of Rs. 5,53,036.00/- including GST@18%.

2.3.2 MSE Status: M/s Whitecap Infraengineers, Noida submitted Udyam certificate No. UDYAM-UP-28-0001986 (Duly Notarized & CA certified) and no purchase preference applicable in the tender.

Signature



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- 2.3.3 Contract Period : 75 days reckoned from the date of issue of notification of award.
- 2.3.4 AHR items: Nil
- 2.3.5 CPS : Not Applicable as estimate is less than 5 lacs excluding GST.
- 2.3.6 Payment terms: Payment shall be released through VIM Portal within 15 days of bill submission after submission of invoices and other documents in prescribed format and checking and certifying of same by EIC.

2.4 **Representation:-** Not Applicable

2.5 **Insufficient competition:** There are only one (01) acceptable bid is available against instant tender and case comes under insufficient competition. Hence, comments were sought in terms of clause no. 4.16 of C&P procedure and Indenting department vide mail dated 19.02.2024 as under:-

Quote:

The quoted price is well below our estimate and is justified. The job has to be completed before peak summer as there is heavy water demand in summer for irrigation. The offer may be accepted keeping in view specialized nature and need to execute it before mid summer season.

Unquote

Hence, the overall quoted prices for all items of the tender have been considered reasonable for award of contract.

3.0 RECOMMENDATION:

In view of the above, it is proposed to place the contract on M/s Whitecap Infraengineers, Noida for Laying Micro Irrigation system including all materials, labour, fittings, fixtures complete and testing the same for an approx. area of 8000 sq. m. in open lawns at GAIL Chainsa at a total estimated contract value of Rs. 4,25,806.30 including GST@18% and Rs. 3,60,852.80 excl. GST. ✓

Inline with clause no. 4.12.4 of C&P procedure, the following is declared by each TC member:-

"I declare that I have no conflict of interest with any of the bidder in this tender".

4.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATION:

The total financial implication is (Rs. 4,25,806.30 including GST@18% and Rs. 3,60,852.80 excl. GST.

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5.0 COMPETENT AUTHORITY:

As per clause no. 6.1.2 i(b) of DoP, the Competent Authority for placement of order is MGR [now SM].

Instant proposal will not result into any transaction by GAIL with Related Party of i) GAIL or ii) GAIL's Subsidiary.

6.0 ACTION AFTER APPROVAL:

- a) The contract shall be awarded as recommended at para 3.0.
- b) Sole bidder had submitted Udyam Certificate, hence no EMD is available for return.

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