

Recommendation of TEC on E-tender No. IWAI/Karimganj Terminal//Pontoon-Gangway/2024 for “Design, Construction, Supply, Transportation, Testing and Commissioning of steel Pontoon & Gangway for providing Floating Terminal facilities at Karimganj Inland Water Transport Terminal in IBP Route (3,4& 7-8)” in the state of Assam – TEC report on Financial Evaluation

E-tender for works listed under “**Schedule: A**” & “**Schedule: B**” as detailed below was invited by RO Guwahati vide e -tender No. IWAI/Karimganj Terminal//Pontoon-Gangway/2024 on 01.10.2024 with last date for bid submission as 28.10.2024 till 15:00 hrs. Bidder had option to participate for one or both the schedules with clarification that the bid shall be evaluated separately for each schedule. Total Cost of the above works (Schedule A+ Schedule B) is Rs 4.074 Crores.

- **Schedule -A: Design, Construction, Supply, Transportation, Testing and Commissioning of Crane Pontoon for providing Floating Terminal facilities at Karimganj Inland Water Transport Terminal in IBP Route (3,4 & 7,8) in the state of Assam on EPC mode. Estimated Cost excluding GST: Rs. 3.215 Cr**
 - **Schedule - B: Design, Construction, Supply, Transportation, Testing and Commissioning of Gangway for walkway and Renovation of Gangway Support Platform with yoke system at Karimganj Inland Water Transport Terminal in IBP Route (3,4 & 7,8) in the state of Assam on EPC mode, Estimated Cost excluding GST, Rs.0.86 Cr.**
- 2) Prebid meeting was conducted by RO Guwahati (on VC mode) on 15.10.2024 at 15.00 Hrs. On request of bidders, the time of bid submission was extended till 4.11.2024 at 15.00 hrs. (Corrigendum -1) & further to 11.11.2024 with bid opening date on 12.11.2024(Corrigendum -2).
- 3) On opening of tender on schedule date Six (6) bids for “**Schedule A**” & two (2) bids for “**Schedule B**” were received. LSC submitted its report on 09.12.2024.
- 4) TEC(HQ) vide its recommendation dated 04.02.2025(copy enclosed) asked LSC to seek shortfall documents from the bidders namely –”M/s. Maa Tara Marine & Shipyard Pvt. Ltd.” and “M/s. Merolyn Engineering Works” for both the Schedule.

RO Guwahati submitted the same on 10.02.2025.

- 5) On examination LSC Report, TEC vide its final recommendation dated 03.03.2025(Copy Enclosed) found M/s Jyoti Constro-Commercials, Dispur (KAMRUP

METRO) Assam and **M/s Merolyn Engineering Works Pvt. Ltd, West Bengal** technically **Qualified in technical Evaluation for Schedule: A** & asked LSC to open their financial bids & to submit its recommendation thereof.

For Schedule B, As **M/s Merolyn Engineering Works Pvt. Ltd** was only qualified in technical bid turning the bid as single bid, recommended to re-tender for the same. The TEC recommendation as approved by CA, IWAI (vide note # 50 dated 10.03.2025 of e-file 368432) was communicated to RO Guwahati for needful.

6) Accordingly, LSC opened the financial bids of 2 nos. qualified bidders for **Schedule: A** on 13.03.2025. **M/s Merolyn Engineering Works Pvt. Ltd, West Bengal** with a quote of Rs. 2,88,86,000 Cr (excl. GST) emerged as L-1 & recommended for acceptance. RO Guwahati forwarded the same vide Note #59 to 62 dated 13.03.2025 vide e-file 368432.

7) As the bid validity was expired on 11.03.2025 (as per tender clause, the bids shall remain valid for 120 days after last date of bid submission i.e 11.11.2024), **M/s Merolyn Engineering Works Pvt. Ltd** (L1 bidder) , on request of RO Guwahati (vide their office letter dt. 13.03.2025), submitted its willingness vide letter dtd 13.03.2025 to extending the bid validity by another 60 days till 10.05.2025 (Copy Enclosed).

8) **Observation of TEC:**

As per comparative statement, the quoted price by (i) **M/s Jyoti Constro-Commercials** is **Rs. 3,02,21,000.00 (Rupees Three Crore two lakh twenty one thousand only) (6.0% below the estimated cost, L-2)** & (ii) **M/s Merolyn Engineering Works Pvt. Ltd.** is **Rs. 2,88,86,000.00 (Rupees Two Crore eighty eight lakh eighty six thousand only) (10.15% below the estimated cost, L-1)**

- **M/s Merolyn Engineering Works Pvt. Ltd.** with a quote price of 2.8886 Cr (excl. GST) emerged as successful L-1 bidder in financial bid evaluation. Further it has submitted the consent for extension of bid validity till 10.5.2025.
- The recommendation of LSC found in order and holds good

10) **Recommendation of TEC:** The TEC recommends that **M/s Merolyn Engineering Works Pvt. Ltd**, 4/6, Foreshore Road, Howrah-711103, West Bengal qualifies in financial bid evaluation as L-I bidder & eligible for award of work for “**Schedule: A- Design, Construction, Supply, Transportation, Testing and Commissioning of Crane Pontoon**”




for providing Floating Terminal facilities at Karimganj Inland Water Transport Terminal in IBP Route (3,4 & 7,8) in the state of Assam on EPC mode” for a price quote of Rs. 2,88,86000/- Cr (excl. GST) and of Rs. 3,40,85,480/- (Including GST)

The LoA to L-I bidder be issued after due approval of TEC recommendation by Competent Authority, IWAI. Further, RO Guwahati be informed for uploading on CPP portal & necessary action being tender invited from their end.



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