

Minutes of the 2nd Meeting of the Evaluation Committee held on 27.06.2024 for Evaluation of Technical bids for the work of "Performance Based Maintenance Contract (PBMC) work from Chainage 182.00 km to 225.428 km of NH-31C (New NH-317) under NH Division-X in the district of Alipurduar, West Bengal (Job No. 317/WB/2023-24/531)". [Tender ID: 2024_MoRTH_792811_1]

Sanctioned Cost: Rs. 73.5281 Cr. and Cost put to tender: Rs. 64.41 Cr. including 18% GST
Bid Package No. : e-RFP No.19 of 2023-24 of Superintending Engineer, NH Circle-III

1. SE, N.H. Circle No.III informed that Administrative Approval with Technical and Financial Sanction was accorded by the Ministry vide letter file no. NH-12014/140/2023-RO-KOL dated 31.01.2024 for the above mentioned PBMC work.
2. In light of approval of the work, on-line bid was invited by the Superintending Engineer, N.H. Circle No.III, P.W. (Roads) Directorate on behalf of Chief Engineer, NH Wing through the e-tendering portal <https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app> for the subject work under e-RFP No.19 of 2023-24 of Superintending Engineer, NH Circle-III dated 30.01.2024 under single stage two cover system. After receiving of the Bid Security and other original bid documents physically within Bid due date and time, Technical Bid was opened from the web portal: <https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app> on 23.04.2024 after 11:00 hrs in the office of the SE, NH Circle - III and it was found that following 5(five) bidders have participated in the bid:
 - (i) M/S. SOURABH KUMAR ROY
 - (ii) HIMALAYAN ROAD CONSTRUCTION PVT. LTD.
 - (iii) RAM CHANDRA PAUL
 - (iv) DIPANKAR MALLIK
 - (v) DOOARS CONSTRUCTION COMPANY
3. The 1st Meeting for evaluation of Technical bids for the above work was held on 10.06.2024 and the following bidders were found responsive and technically qualified:
 - (i) RAM CHANDRA PAUL
 - (ii) DIPANKAR MALLIK
 - (iii) DOOARS CONSTRUCTION COMPANY
4. The Superintending Engineer, NH Circle-III informed the members of the Evaluation Committee that a representation has been received against the responsive bidder namely "Dooars Construction Company" through e-mail on dt- 26/06/2024 regarding suppression of facts in respect of the list of ongoing works submitted by the bidder "Dooars Construction Company" online through e-procurement portal.
5. The Superintending Engineer, NH Circle-III also apprised the members of the Evaluation Committee that in response to the direction for submission of updated bid capacity with respect to the Job No. 017/WB/2023-24/530 the bidder "Dooars Construction Company" has submitted a letter on 27.06.2024 through email therein it is mentioned as *"we are also like to apologies that during the submission of our tender under subject, we inadvertently made a mistake to consider some ongoing works which is now we rectified and submitting herewith in updated bid capacity calculations"*. After examining the updated bid capacity documents submitted by the bidder against the Job No. 017/WB/2023-24/530, it is observed that all ongoing works as mentioned in the representation against the 'Dooars Construction Company' are considered in "Work in hand" by the bidder.

6. Evaluation Committee observed that the bidder has made misleading or false representations in respect of the Technical Bid as submitted through e-Procurement portal.
7. After deliberating all the facts, Evaluation Committee concluded that the bidder 'Dooars Construction Company' is to be treated disqualified in pursuance of Clause 4.11(i). Accordingly, Technical bid of the bidder for the project has been treated as *Non-Responsive*. Evaluation Committee also decided to issue 'show cause notice' to the bidder for such misleading or false representation and seek reply as to why further action would not be taken against the bidder as per the RFP allowing a time period of seven days for reply after issuance of the show cause letter.
8. Based on the above, Evaluation Committee found that the following 02 (Two) Bidders are "Responsive & Technically Qualified" for the above work as stated below :-
- i) RAM CHANDRA PAUL
 - ii) DIPANKAR MALLIK
9. In view of the above, the Evaluation Committee recommends opening of Financial Bid of the above "Responsive & Technically Qualified" bidders at the earliest after online publication of results of technical evaluation. However the technically qualified bidder may be requested to submit the updated value of Bid Capacity, before opening of financial bids as per clause 4.2 (Note-4) of the RFP.
10. The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.



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