

Minutes of meeting of the Evaluation Committee held on 20.01.2025 to evaluate the Technical Bids for the work "Short Term Maintenance work from km 641.00 to km 670.00 [excluding stretches under (i) Lataguri ROB from km 651.680 to km 653.550 and (ii) Moynaguri ROB from km 660.685 to km 662.200] of NH-31 (New NH-717) under NH Division-IX in the district of Jalpaiguri, West Bengal during the year 2024-25 (Job No. NH-717/WB/2024-25/STMC-07)". [eTender ID : 2024_MoRTH_835916_1].

- Ref. : i). Bid Package No. e-NIB No. 21 of 2024-25 of Superintending Engineer, NH Circle No.III
ii). Sanctioned Amount - Rs.381.40 Lakh
iii). Estimated cost put to tender - Rs.351.60 Lakh including 18% GST

1. The Superintending Engineer, N.H. Circle No. III apprised the members of the Evaluation Committee that Administrative Approval for the above mentioned work was accorded by the Ministry vide letter No. NH-12014/124/2024-RO-KOL dated 13.11.2024. In pursuance of the approval, online bid was invited by the Superintending Engineer, N. H. Circle No.III, P. W. (Roads) Directorate on behalf of the Chief Engineer, NH Wing through CPPP e-tendering portal under single stage two cover system on 21.11.2024 vide eNIB No.21 of SE, NH Circle-III and opened online bids of the following 6(six) bidders from the web portal: <https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app> as per schedule date and time i.e. on 24.12.2024 after physically receiving of original hard copy of the Bid Security and other documents within stipulated date and time.

- i) The Combined Engineers Co-operative Labour Contract & Construction Society Ltd
- ii) Delka Co-operative Labour Contract and Construction Society Limited
- iii) Elegance Co-operative Labour Contract and Construction Society Limited
- iv) Bengal Engineers Co-operative Society Ltd.
- v) Jewel Co-operative Labour Contract and Construction Society Limited
- vi) Dhrubatara Co-operative Labour Contract and Construction Society Limited

SE, NH Circle-III apprised the members of Evaluation Committee that the above bidders mentioned at para-1 have submitted the hard copy of cost of bidding document and Bid Security in Original except the bidder namely 'Dhrubatara Co-operative Labour Contract and Construction Society Limited' has not been submitted original Bid Security & Cost of Tender Document amounting to Rs.10,000/- physically and online as stated in Cl. 12.2 of ITB of the RFP. Accordingly, the Bid of 'Dhrubatara Co-operative Labour Contract and Construction Society Limited' is hereby rejected and treated as non-responsive bid. SE, NH Circle-III also informed the Committee that authenticity of the financial instruments submitted by the bidder towards bid security has been confirmed by the respective issuing bank.

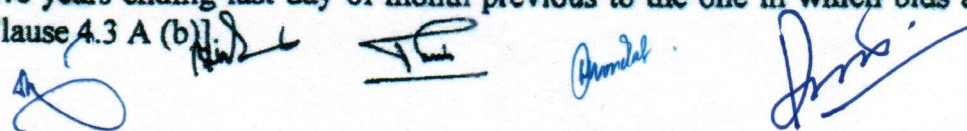
2. The technical bids received from the bidder were scrutinized by the Evaluation Committee in light of terms and condition as per Ministry's norms OR (DPP) and the following shortfalls have been found as mentioned below against the respective bidder.

2.1. The Combined Engineers Co-operative Labour Contract & Construction Society Ltd:

- Validity of Bid Security has found three days less (i.e. 177 days) in respect of Clause 16 of ITB of the RFP.

2.2 Delka Co-operative Labour Contract and Construction Society Limited:

- Bidder has not furnished the experience in successfully completing or substantially completing (not less than 90% of contract value) at least one contract of highway i.e. NH/SH work, which in the following manner: (i) Single work of minimum 50% of estimated cost of work or (ii) Two works each of minimum 35% of estimated cost of work or (iii) Three works each of minimum 25% of estimated cost of work during last five years ending last day of month previous to the one in which bids are invited. [Ref. Clause 4.3 A (b)]



2.3 Elegance Co-operative Labour Contract and Construction Society Limited:

- Bidder has not furnished the experience in successfully completing or substantially completing (not less than 90% of contract value) at least one contract of highway i.e. NH/SH work, which in the following manner: (i) Single work of minimum 50% of estimated cost of work or (ii) Two works each of minimum 35% of estimated cost of work or (iii) Three works each of minimum 25% of estimated cost of work during last five years ending last day of month previous to the one in which bids are invited. [Ref. Clause 4.3 A (b)]

2.4 Jewel Co-operative Labour Contract and Construction Society Limited:

- Bidder has not furnished the experience in successfully completing or substantially completing (not less than 90% of contract value) at least one contract of highway i.e. NH/SH work, which in the following manner: (i) Single work of minimum 50% of estimated cost of work or (ii) Two works each of minimum 35% of estimated cost of work or (iii) Three works each of minimum 25% of estimated cost of work during last five years ending last day of month previous to the one in which bids are invited. [Ref. Clause 4.3 A (b)]
- Bidder has not achieved a minimum av. annual financial turnover of civil engineering works equal to the estimated amount put in NIT during last three years ending 31st March of the previous financial year. [Ref. Clause 4.3 A (a)]

3. Upon discussion, Evaluation Committee found that 3 days shortfall (i.e. 177 days) in validity of Bid Security of the bidder namely 'The Combined Engineers Co-operative Labour Contract & Construction Society Ltd' in respect of Clause no.16 of ITB of the RFP is a minor mistake in pursuance of the Ministry's circular No. RW/NH-37010/4/2010/PIC-EAP(Printing) dated 16.01.20217 regarding the 'Guidelines for Evaluation of bids' and the bid of 'The Combined Engineers Co-operative Labour Contract & Construction Society Ltd.' is to be treated as Responsive Bid.

4. Based on the detailed evaluation, the Evaluation Committee recommends following 2(two) Bidders as "Responsive & Technically Qualified" :

- i) The Combined Engineers Co-operative Labour Contract & Construction Society Ltd.
- ii) Bengal Engineers Co-operative Society Ltd.

5. In view of the above, the Evaluation Committee recommends opening of Financial Bids of the above 2(two) "Responsive & Technically Qualified" bidder after online publication of results of technical evaluation.

6. The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

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