

Minutes of meeting of the Evaluation Committee held on 19.02.2025 for Evaluation of Financial bids for the work "Re-sectioning from km 0.00 to km 0.500, strengthening from km 0.00 to km 8.20 and km 15.00 to km 15.50 and widening and strengthening from km 8.20 to km 15.00 of NH-327 (Old NH-31C) in the district of Darjeeling under NH Division No.IX, P.W. (Roads) Directorate, West Bengal (Job No. 327/WB/2024-25/554)". [eTender ID : 2024_MoRTH_838155_1]

Sanctioned Cost: Rs.49.96 cr. and Cost put to tender: Rs.46.24 cr. including 18% GST
Bid Package No.: e-RFP No.23 of 2024-25 of Superintending Engineer, NH Circle-III

1. The meeting for evaluation of Technical bids for the above mentioned work was held on 12.02.2025. The following bidders were found to be responsive and technically qualified as per minutes of the meeting dated 12.02.2025.

- (i) D. K. Project Private Limited
- (ii) Himalayan Road Construction Pvt. Ltd.
- (iii) M/s. Shyamalmoy Paul & Co.
- (iv) Mackintosh Burn Limited
- (v) Topline Infra Projects Private Limited
- (vi) Dipankar Mallik
- (vii) Stone Concern Infrastructure Development Private Limited

2. Therefore, as per provision laid down under clause 2.19 of RFP, Technical Bid Evaluation Summary comprising of the list of Technically Responsive bidders and the names of Technically non-responsive bidders along with reasons for their non-responsiveness if any were uploaded on the CPPP web portal on 12.02.2025 with the intimation that the Financial Bid of the responsive bidder is scheduled to be opened (online) on 19.02.2025 at 17.00 hrs.

3. Through the Bid Evaluation Summary, pursuant to Note:4 of Clause 2.2.2.1 of the RFP, the Technically Responsive and Qualified Bidder was requested to furnish their updated Bid Capacity as on 15.02.2025 positively by 17.00 hrs. on 19.02.2025.

4. The Superintending Engineer, NH Circle-III informed the members of the Evaluation Committee that no representation was received regarding the results of evaluation vide MoM dated 12.02.2025 and the Responsive and Qualified Bidders have furnished information in respect of his updated Bid Capacity before opening of financial bid i.e. on 19.02.2025 at 17:00 hrs.

5. The Evaluation Committee also made informed that the Bid Capacity of the Responsive and Qualified Bidder was reconciled based on the information and found that the qualified bidder meets the minimum required criteria in respect of available Bid capacity. The details of updated Bid Capacity is furnished hereunder:

Sl. No.	Name of the Bidder	Bid Capacity as on Bid Due date 22.01.2025	Updated Bid Capacity as on 19.02.2025
1.	D. K. Project Private Limited	307.14 crore	No Change
2.	Himalayan Road Construction Pvt. Ltd.	100.10 crore	No Change
3.	M/S. Shyamalmoy Paul & Co.	70.10 crore	No Change
4.	Mackintosh Burn Limited	306.29 crore	319.58 crore

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5.	Topline Infra Projects Private Limited	141.44 crore	49.03 crore
6.	Dipankar Mallik	203.52 crore	No Change
7.	Stone Concern Infrastructure Development Private Limited	119.80 crore	115.39 crore

6. Thus, after observing the fulfillment of the criteria in respect of available Bid Capacity of the Responsive and Technically Qualified Bidder reconciliation and as per the recommendation of the Evaluation Committee through its minutes of meeting dated 12.02.2025, the Financial bids of the above Responsive Bidder was opened (online) through e-procurement web portal: <https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app> on 19.02.2025 after 17:00 hrs.

The details of the Financial Bids are as under:-

Sl. No.	Name of Bidder	Quoted Amount as per Financial Bid	Remarks
1.	D. K. Project Private Limited	Rs.37,42,00,000/-	L-7
2.	Himalayan Road Construction Pvt. Ltd.	Rs.33,11,96,225/-	L-4
3.	M/S. Shyamalmoy Paul & Co.	Rs.31,42,41,419/-	L-2
4.	Mackintosh Burn Limited	Rs.37,37,05,078/-	L-6
5.	Topline Infra Projects Private Limited	Rs.31,44,26,445/-	L-3
6.	Dipankar Mallik	Rs.36,43,18,524/-	L-5
7.	Stone Concern Infrastructure Development Private Limited	Rs.30,66,00,000/-	L-1

A copy of 'BOQ Summary' generated from e-procurement web portal and Letter Comprising Financial Bid of the lowest bidder is annexed.

7. As per stipulation of Cl. 1.2.11 of RFP, the Bidders are supposed to submit a Self-certification regarding Class-I Local supplier as well as certificate from the statutory auditor or cost auditor of the company (in case of companies) or from a practicing cost accountant or a practicing chartered account (in respect of suppliers other than companies) in respect of local content criterion, for the purpose of selection of bidders in accordance with clause 3.3.1 of RFP. All the bidder submitted all certificates; thus, has been treated as Class-I Local supplier as per provision of RFP.

8. After careful examination of the financial bids of the above mentioned bidder, the Evaluation Committee observed that the lowest quoted bid price of Rs. 30,66,00,000/- (Rupees Thirty Crore Sixty Six Lakh) only including 18% GST offered by "Stone Concern Infrastructure Development Pvt. Ltd.", 648/A, Block - O, New Alipore, Kolkata - 700053, West Bengal is 33.69% Less (Approx.) than the Estimated Cost put to tender and is the lowest among seven responsive bidders and thus the agency "Stone Concern Infrastructure Development Pvt. Ltd." becomes L-1 bidder.

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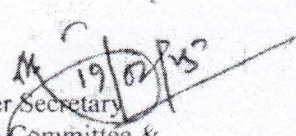
9. The Evaluation Committee deliberated the issue and is of the view that the offered rate is substantially on lower side as compared to the estimated cost of the project. Thus the bidder has to submit the Additional Performance Security as per clause no. 2.21.1 of the RFP. In this regard, it has been apprised by the Bid Inviting Authority that the L-1 bidder had previously awarded 6-7 nos. work under P. W. (Roads) Dte., GoWB during the period of last five years and it has been found that the bidder "Stone Concern Infrastructure Development Pvt. Ltd." has successfully completed or satisfactorily progressed of all the works under PWD, where, there is no record of damages/penalties to have been imposed on the contractor. The track record of the bidder is enclosed in Annexure-A.

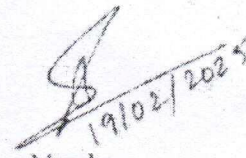
10. In view of the above, Committee recommends the lowest bidder "Stone Concern Infrastructure Development Pvt. Ltd." with quoted bid price of Rs. 30,66,00,000/- (Rupees Thirty Crore Sixty Six Lakh) only including 18% GST to award of the work. However, since the offered rate for the work is 33.69% Less (Appx.) than the Estimated Cost put to tender which is substantially low, therefore for ensuring guaranteed completion of the extant work Additional Performance Security as per clause 2.21.1 of the RFP, calculated

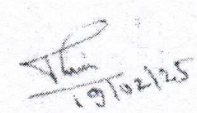
- @ 20% of the difference in the (i) Estimated Project Cost (as mentioned in the RFP) - 20% of Estimated Project Cost and (ii) the Bid Price offered by the L-1 Bidder
[i.e. 20% of (80% of Rs.46,23,91,000.00 - Rs.30,66,00,000/-) = Rs. 1,26,62,560/-] and
- shall be limited to 3% of the Bid price offered by the L-1 bidder
[i.e. 3% of Rs.30,66,00,000/- = Rs. 91,98,000/-]

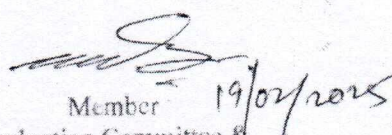
i.e., Additional Performance Security amounting to Rs. 91,98,000/- may be obtained from the L1 bidder, with the prior approval of the Secretary, Ministry of Road Transport & Highways, Government of India before award of the work as per Ministry's Circular No. NH-37015/01/2022-H, dated 18.05.2022 and 31.08.2022.

11. The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.


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