

The Proceeding of the Meeting for Financial Evaluation of bids for the work "Widening & upgradation of road from 2-lane with PS to 4-lane with PS for rectification of blackspot id no. Pb-(03)-186 at location km. 154.310 (Rureke Kalan) on nh-703 in the State of Punjab {Job no. (Rureke Kalan) on NH-703/Punjab/ 2024-25/RSE/33 excluding GST & including utility shifting

Sanctioned Cost: Rs.6.49 Cr

(Amount put to tender: Rs. 438.11 Lacs excluding GST & including utility shifting)

Proceeding of the Financial Evaluation Committee (constituted by Finance Department Government of Punjab, Chandigarh vide circular dated 17.06.2022 & 28.04.2025) to finalize the evaluation of the Financial Bids as received from the intended bidders as per the standard bidding documents of the Ministry.

The following members were present:-

I	Er. Anil Kumar Sharma, Superintending Engineer, National Highway Circle, Chandigarh.	Chairman
II	Er. Arshdeep Singh, Superintending Engineer, Construction Circle, Chandigarh	Member
III	Smt. Babita Rani, Joint Controller, Finance & Accounts, PWD B&R, Punjab, Patiala on Finance wing	Member
IV	Er. Navdeep Singla, Executive Engineer, National Highway Division, PWD B&R Branch, Sangrur at Patiala.	Member

2. At the outset, Superintending Engineer, National Highway Circle, PWD (B&R) Chandigarh welcomed the participants. The Executive Engineer, National Highway Division, PWD B&R Branch, Sangrur at Patiala apprised that the Meeting of the Technical Evaluation Committee was held on 09.09.2025; wherein all the two bidders namely (1) M/s Varinder Kumar Contractor, Barnala and (2) M/s SKA Project Private Limited Mansa were found responsive. It was decided by the Technical Evaluation Committee to open the Financial Bids of the technically responsive bidders on 10.09.2025 at 02.00 PM.

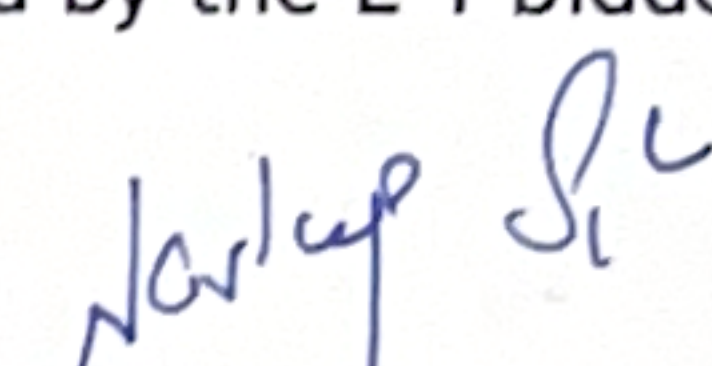
3. Executive Engineer further apprised that the Financial Bids of technically responsive bidders (1) M/s Varinder Kumar Contractor Barnala and (2) M/s SKA Project Private Limited Mansa were opened through online portal <http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app> in the office of Executive Engineer on dated 10.09.2025. Further no queries were received from any bidder/contractor. The rates quoted by Technically Responsive Bidders in their Financial Bid have been downloaded from the website and accordingly, the financial position in respect of bidder is as follow:

Sr. No.	Bidder Name	Amount	Bid Rank
1	Varinder Kumar Contractor, Barnala	Rs. 4,16,67,180.97	L1
2	SKA Infra Project Private Limited Mansa	Rs. 4,17,39,655.35	L2

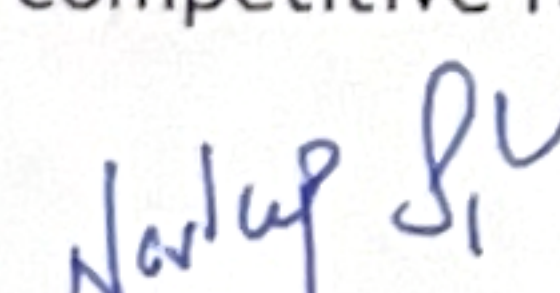
4. Executive Engineer explained the financial position of this project as under:

A)	RFP Cost	Rs. 4,38,10,680/- excluding GST & inc. utility shifting
B)	Lowest Bid Cost	Rs. 4,16,67,181/- excluding GST & inc. utility shifting
C)	Cost Below the amount put to tender	4.89 % below

Executive Engineer also brought to the notice of the committee members that the work of similar nature of black spot rectification namely "Widening and upgradation of road from 2-lane with PS to 4-lane with PS for rectification of black spot (ID:PB-03-189 of series 2017-19) at location Km 159.550 (Pakho Kalan) on NH-703 in the State of Punjab Job Number: NH-703/PUNJAB/2024-25/RSE/22" in the near proximity of the instant work had also been processed for bid evaluation in the month September 2025. The amount put to tender in that work was Rs. 5.42 Cr. and the financial bid/ rates quoted by the L-1 bidder was with a rebate of 26.28%.


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NHD, Pb. PWD B&R Branch,
Sangrur at Patiala.

In view of the above submissions and after deliberate discussion, the committee members are of the considered view that the rates quoted by the L-1 bidder in the instant bid are not competitive in nature considering the financial bid quoted by the same contractor in proximity of the instant work and the rates quoted by the L-1 contractor are not in line with the ongoing trends of the rates quoted by the contractors in the department. Accordingly, the committee members recommended to recall the instant tender so as to have more competitive rates thereby leading to the financial saving to the Government Exchequer.


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