

JPC/HR&A/MoS/24-25/471/COR 2
Joint Plant Committee
ISPAT NIKETAN, 52/IA Ballygunge Circular Road
Kolkata-700019

7.11.2024

Corrigendum 2: Tender for “Study on Developing Sectoral Plan for Efficient Logistics (SPEL)”

With reference to Tender No. JPC/HR&A/MoS/24-25/471 issued by Joint Plant Committee (JPC) dated 19.10.2024 and pursuant to the discussions in the pre-bid meeting that was held on 5.11.2024, all prospective bidders are hereby informed that the following changes have been made in the tender and bids may be submitted accordingly.

1. **Page 1 / page 2: Last date of submission of tender** - No change. As per Bid Document.
2. **Para 7.1 : Payment Schedule** - No change. As per Bid Document.
3. **Para 7.3.1 : Timelines and Penalty for delays** - It has been decided to revise the timelines of submission as follows:


S.No.	Item of Submission	Timeline
1.	Approach paper and Methodology	25 days from the date of award of contract
2.	Draft Report	60 days from the date of communication of acceptance of “Approach Paper and Methodology”
3.	Acceptance of Final Report	35 days from the date of communication of acceptance of “Draft Report”

4. **Para 7.3.2 : Timelines and Penalty for delays** - No change. As per Bid Document.
5. **Para 11: Award of contract** - No change. As per Bid Document.
6. **Para 13: General Terms & Conditions** - The above referred Para has been updated by the following deletion (point 1 below) and inclusion (points 2-4)
 - a. Sub Para 13 (viii) b in Page 6 of the Tender has been deleted.
 - b. Limitation of liability : The aggregate liability of the Bidder whether in contract, tort, statue or otherwise shall be limited to the amount of the fees that the Bidder has received in connection with the Engagement. The above liability limit will not apply to any losses, damages or costs arising from the fraud, dishonesty, or gross negligence of the Firm or in respect of liabilities which cannot lawfully be limited or excluded. Neither party shall be liable to the other for any indirect, special, or consequential loss (including but not limited to loss of profit – whether direct or indirect - loss of production), loss of contracts, loss of use, loss of business, and loss of business opportunity.

- c. Mutual indemnities - The Client/Purchaser shall indemnify and hold harmless the Bidder for any losses incurred or damages suffered due to:
 - i. Third party claims
 - ii. Any fraud, misrepresentation, or omission of facts by the Client/ Purchaser or its personnel
- d. Retention rights - The Bidder shall be permitted to retain copies of such Confidential Information as it is required to retain for legal or professional regulatory purposes. The Bidder confidentiality obligations shall continue throughout the time, such Confidential Information is retained notwithstanding the termination of the Agreement.
7. **Para 15: Termination** - No change. As per Bid Document.
8. **Point 6 of Part A of Annexure II** - Interviewers are personnel who are assigned the task of collection of information/subjective responses through questionnaire/ interviews.
9. **Terms of Reference, Annexure I** - No change. The following may be noted:
 - a. JPC provides certain information without any cost while some other publications are priced. The selected agency will have to purchase these publications from JPC. Please visit the website of JPC for type/price of publications.
 - b. An authorization letter will be provided to selected agency which will also provide details on purpose and objectives of the study. Actual sharing will depend on data sharing policy of each Ministry.
10. **Terms of Reference, Annexure I : Network Optimization** – Terms of Reference will be as per bid document. No change.
11. **Part B of Annexure II : Project Experience** - No change. As per Bid document.

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All other terms and conditions of the tender No. JPC/HR&A/MoS/24-25/471 dated 19.10.2024 remain valid and effective.


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