GOVERNMENT COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY, CHAK BHALWAL, JAMMU.

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Subject: Prebid Queries for Tender "Design, Development & Maintenance of GCET Jammu Website cum CMS"

Ref: e-NIT No. 04 of 2021-22 Dated: 07.01.2022

The clarifications on certain areas for successful implementation of the project sought by different Bidders are replied as under:-

Clarification No:1

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1.	Annexure - A	3	The design should offer integration with services like ERP, LMS, etc	We understand that the department shall provide the API of the existing applications. Please confirm?	At present ERP and LMS are not ready. The provision should be there in the website for integration in future.
2.	Annexure - A	3	Setting up & Hosting of Website on secured cloud based server (for minimum of 10 years subscription) and any other location as will be specified by GCET Jammu.	Who shall bear the cost for cloud server subscription?	The bidder shall bear the cost.
3.	Annexure - A	3	The domain name of the website should be ac.in and it should be registered for 10 years subscription.	Who shall bear the cost of .ac.in subscription for 10 years?	The bidder shall bear the cost.
4.	Annexure - A	4	GCET Jammu Public Android App for fetching daily updates, events and student notices/result, etc.	 Is the mobile app going to be the replica of the website? Is it just mobile responsive or we need to develop a mobile application? 	It is just mobile responsive.
5.	General	General	General	Do you anticipate having user login for existing students and faculty or will this be a public facing website only?	The website should have user login for existing students and faculty.
6.	General	General	General	• Total no of user	Total No. of users = 1500 Approx. Users required for training = 25 approx. (administrative staff & faculty)

7.	2.4 Safety & Security	6	The selected bidder will engage any cert-in firm to make security audit of websites and provide safe to host certificate.	Who shall bear the cost of security audit?	The bidder shall bear the cost.
8.	2.1 Technolo gy & Functionalities Required	4	The Website shall facilitate online payments/payment gateways (through Direct Debit or Debit and Credit Cards of multiple Banks) through the Portal. Provide interface	We assume that client will provide the APIs for payment / SMS gateways. Please confirm.	No the bidder has to make an API and provide.
9.	(vi) General Terms and conditions:	10	The time for completion of the work shall be 60 days from the date of issue of the job order in favor of successful bidder.	8 weeks seems to be a really tight deadline, considering cert in udit and the consequent changes needed to be incorporated. We would request you to please extend the project duration to at least 4 months.	The Time for completion of work will be maximum 90 days from the date of issue of the job order in favor of successful bidder.
10.	(vi) General Terms and conditions:	11	Payment Terms: 90% payment of order value will be made on delivery/completion, hosting of portal and successful approval by concerned Committee. Balance 10% payment shall be released after closure of maintenance contract.	We request you to modify the payment terms as below Resource Mobilization Payment of PBG: 10% of the total project cost	The payment terms are final and cannot be changed.
11.	General	General	General	We request you to extend the submission date by 7 / 10 working days	At present the last date of submission cannot be extended.

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1	Page-1	Non-refundable amount of Rs. 2000/-(Rupees Two Thousand only) in the shape of e-challan – Request to exempt the fee for MSME registered vendors.	As per MSME policy circular dt: 23th March 2012, MSEs registered under UAM scheme will be provided tender documents free of cost. Bidders are required to submit valid UAM certificate and their claim for free tender cost will be considered for the service/category for which they are registered as per UAM certificate. Decision of Bid Evaluation Committee will be final in the matter.
2	Page-2	EM/Bid security - THE BIDDERS SHALL SUBMIT BID SECURITY (EMD) Rs. 12000/- TWELVE THOUSAND ONLY IN THE SHAPE OF DD/FDR IN FAVOUR OF PRINCIPAL, GCET, JAMMU Request to exempt the fee for MSME registered vendors.	As per Rule 170 of GFR "Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) as defined in MSE Procurement Policy issued by Department of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME)" are exempt from submission of EMD (Bid Security). Bidders claiming exemption of EMD under this rule (170 of GFR) are however required to submit a signed Bid securing declaration accepting that if they withdraw or modify their Bids during the period of validity, or if they are awarded the contract and they fail to sign the contract, or fail to submit a performance security before the deadline defined in the request for bids document, they will be suspended for the time specified in the Tender documents from being eligible to submit Bids for tenders.

Sd/ Principal GCET Jammu