



Request for Selection of Solar Power Developers for Setting up 4.125 MW Grid-Connected Solar PV Projects in IIT Kharagpur Campus under RESCO Mode through Tariff-based Competitive Bidding

RfS No. SECI/C&P/IPP/11/0023/24-25 dated 29.11.2024

Tender Search Code on ISN-ETS: SECI-2024-TN000051

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- I. Though adequate care has been taken while preparing the RfS document, the bidder(s) shall satisfy themselves that the document is complete in all respect. Intimation regarding any discrepancy shall be given by the Prospective Bidders to the office of SECI immediately. If no intimation is received from any bidder within **20 (Twenty) days from the date of issuance of RfS documents**, it shall be considered that the document is complete in all respect and has been received/ acknowledged by the bidder(s).
- II. Solar Energy Corporation of India Ltd (SECI) reserves the right to modify, amend or supplement this document.
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- IV. In case of any discrepancy in the documents uploaded on the websites of SECI, ISN-ETS and CPPP, the documents uploaded on the ISN-ETS website will prevail.

Place: New Delhi

Date: 29.11.2024

BID INFORMATION SHEET

The brief details of the RfS are as under:

(A)	NAME OF WORK/ BRIEF SCOPE OF WORK/ JOB	Selection of Solar Power Developers for Setting up 4.125 MW Grid-Connected Solar PV Projects in IIT Kharagpur Campus under RESCO mode through Tariff-Based Competitive Bidding.					
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(H)	PERFORMANCE BANK GUARANTEE	APPLICABLE	<input type="text" value="Yes"/>
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(I)	DATE, TIME & VENUE OF PRE-BID MEETING	To be scheduled as per NIT on ISN-ETS portal and/or information provided on SECI website.	
(J)	OFFLINE & ONLINE BID-SUBMISSION DEADLINE	As per NIT on ISN-ETS portal	
(K)	TECHNO-COMMERCIAL BID OPENING	As per NIT on ISN-ETS portal	
(L)	e-REVERSE AUCTION (e-RA)	Not Applicable	
(M)	CONTACT DETAILS OF ISN-ETS PORTAL	M/s Electronic Tender.com (India) Pvt. Ltd. Contact Person: ISN-ETS Support Team Customer Support: +91-124-4229071,4229072 (From 10:00 Hrs to 18:00 Hrs on all working Days i.e. Monday to Friday except Govt. Holidays) Email: support@isn-ets.com	
(N)	NAME, DESIGNATION, ADDRESS AND OTHER DETAILS (FOR SUBMISSION OF RESPONSE TO RfS)	Sh. Atulya Kumar Naik Executive Director (Contracts & Procurement) Solar Energy Corporation of India Limited 6 th Floor, Plate-B, NBCC Office Block Tower-2, East Kidwai Nagar, New Delhi - 110023 Contact No.: 011 24666200 Email: contracts@seci.co.in	
(O)	DETAILS OF PERSONS TO BE CONTACTED IN CASE OF ANY ASSISTANCE REQUIRED	1) Sh. Pratik Prasun Sr. Manager (C&P) Ph: 011-24666237 pratikpr@seci.co.in 2) Sh. Abhisekh Srivastav Manager (C&P) Ph: 011-24666260 abhisekhsri@seci.co.in 3) Sh. Swapnil Gandhi Senior Engineer (C&P) Ph: 011-24666359 swapnil.gandhi@seci.co.in	

- Bids must be submitted strictly in accordance with Section-2 and 3 of the RfS, depending upon Type of Tender as mentioned at Clause no. (D) of Bid Information

Sheet.

- Bidders are required to quote strictly as per terms and conditions of the RfS documents and not to stipulate any deviations/ exceptions.
- Any bidder, who meets the Qualifying Requirement and wishes to quote against this RfS, may download the complete RfS document along with its amendment(s) and clarifications if any, from ISN-ETS Portal (<https://www.bharat-electronictender.com>) and/or SECI website (www.seci.co.in) and submit their Bid complete in all respect as per terms & conditions of RfS Document on or before the due date of bid submission.
- Clarification(s)/ Corrigendum(s) if any shall also be available on the above referred websites.

Bidders are requested to remain updated for any notices/ amendments/ clarifications etc. to the RfS document through the websites <https://www.bharat-electronictender.com> and www.seci.co.in. No separate notifications will be issued for such notices/ amendments/ clarifications etc. in the print media or individually. Intimation regarding notification on the above shall be updated on www.seci.co.in and the details only will be available from <https://www.bharat-electronictender.com>

SECTION 1. INTRODUCTION & INVITATION FOR BIDS

1 Background & Introduction

- 1.1 Solar Energy Corporation of India Limited (hereinafter called “SECI”) is a Government of India Enterprise under the administrative control of the Ministry of New & Renewable Energy (MNRE). One of the main objectives of the Company is to assist the Ministry and function as the implementing and facilitating arm of the National Solar Mission (NSM) for development, promotion and commercialization of solar energy technologies in the country.
- 1.2 One of the targets enshrined by the Government under the “Panchamrit” announced by Hon’ble Prime Minister at the COP 26 summit in Glasgow, is meeting 50% of total energy requirements from renewable energy by 2030. As part of these initiatives, SECI has been approached by various Ministries and Government organizations to carry out the bidding and selection of Project developers through a competitive bidding process, to set up Projects under RESCO mode.
- 1.3 In line with the above, SECI, on behalf of Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur (IITKH), West Bengal, invites proposals for setting up 4.125 MW Grid Connected Solar PV (SPV) Projects on Build Own Operate (B-O-O) basis/RESCO Mode.
- 1.4 SECI shall be the bidding agency for selection of Solar Project Developers for setting up of SPV projects on rooftops, ground available and elevated structure in IIT Kharagpur Campus.
- 1.5 The Bidders will be free to avail fiscal incentives like Accelerated Depreciation, Concessional Customs and Excise Duties, Tax Holidays etc. as available for such Project. The same will not have any bearing on comparison of bids for selection. As equal opportunity is being provided to all Bidders at the time of tendering itself, it is up to the Bidders to avail various tax and other benefits. No claim shall arise on SECI for any liability if Bidders are not able to avail fiscal incentives and this will not have any bearing on the applicable tariff. SECI does not however, give a representation on the availability of fiscal incentive and submission of bid by the Bidder shall be independent of such availability or non-availability as the case may be of the fiscal incentives.
- 1.6 No separate Central Financial assistance is envisaged for implementation of the Project selected under this RfS.

2 Invitation for Bids

- 2.1 A Single Stage, Two-Envelope Bidding Procedure will be adopted and will proceed as detailed in the RfS Documents. Bidding will be conducted through the competitive bidding procedures as per the provisions of this RfS. The respective rights of SECI and the Bidder/SPD shall be governed by the RfS Documents/Agreement signed between IIT Kharagpur and the SPD for the Project.

2.2 Interested bidders have to necessarily register themselves on the portal <https://www.bharat-electronictender.com> (“ETS portal”) through M/s Electronic Tender.com (India) Pvt. Limited to participate in the bidding under this invitation for bids. It shall be the sole responsibility of the interested bidders to get themselves registered at the aforesaid portal for which they are required to contact M/s Electronic Tender.com (India) Pvt. Limited, New Delhi to complete the registration formalities. Contact details of ISN-ETS is mentioned on the Bid Information Sheet. All required documents and formalities for registering on ISN-ETS are mentioned in the subsequent RfS documents.

They may obtain further information regarding this RfS from the registered office of SECI at the address given on the Bid Information Sheet from 10:00 hours to 17:00 hours on all working days.

For proper uploading of the bids on the ETS portal, it shall be the sole responsibility of the bidders to apprise themselves adequately regarding all the relevant procedures and provisions as detailed in the portal as well as by contacting M/s Electronic Tender.com (India) Pvt. Limited (ETI) directly, as and when required, for which contact details are also mentioned on the Bid Information Sheet. SECI in no case shall be responsible for any issues related to timely or properly uploading/ submission of the bid in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Bidding Documents.

2.3 For the implementation of above-mentioned work, Bidders should submit their Techno-Commercial & Price Bid proposals complete in all aspect through ISN-ETS Portal (<https://www.bharat-electronictender.com>) on or before last date and time of Bid Submission as indicated in the Bid Information Sheet. Bid documents will be sent directly to the invited Bidders through ISN-ETS bidding portal/email by SECI. Any amendment(s)/corrigendum/clarifications with respect to this Limited Tender shall be shared with Bidder through ISN-ETS bidding portal only.

2.4 Bidder shall submit its proposal along with non-refundable Bid Processing Fees and Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) (if applicable) complete in all respect as per the Bid Information Sheet. Techno-Commercial bids will be opened as per the Bid Information Sheet in online presence of authorized representatives of bidders who wish to be present online. Bid proposals received without the Bid Processing Fees and/or Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) (as applicable) will be rejected. **In the event of any date indicated being declared a holiday, the next working day shall become operative for the respective purpose mentioned herein.**

RfS documents which include Eligibility Criteria, Technical Specifications, various Conditions of Contract, and Formats etc. can be downloaded from the ISN-ETS Portal or from SECI’s website. It is mandatory to download official copy of the RfS Document from Electronic Tender System (ISN-ETS) Portal to participate in the Tender. Any amendment(s)/corrigendum(s)/clarification(s) with respect to this RfS shall be uploaded on ISN-ETS website. The Bidder should regularly check for any Amendment(s)/Corrigendum(s)/Clarification(s) on the above mentioned ISN-ETS

website. The same may also be uploaded on SECI website also. However, in case of any discrepancy, the information available on ISN-ETS website shall prevail.

2.5 SECI reserves the right to cancel/withdraw/defer this invitation for bids without assigning any reason and shall bear no liability whatsoever consequent upon such a decision.

2.6 **INTERPRETATIONS**

- Words comprising the singular shall include the plural & vice versa.
- An applicable law shall be construed as reference to such applicable law including its amendments or re-enactments from time to time.
- A time of day shall save as otherwise provided in any agreement or document be construed as a reference to Indian Standard Time.
- Different parts of this contract are to be taken as mutually explanatory and supplementary to each other and if there is any differentiation between or among the parts of this contract, they shall be interpreted in a harmonious manner so as to give effect to each part.
- The table of contents and any headings or sub headings in the contract has been inserted for case of reference only & shall not affect the interpretation of this agreement.