

ANNEXURE-II: DEVIATION SHEET (COST OF WITHDRAWAL)**PROJECT:-** 2X660 MW ENNORE SEZ STPP**PACKAGE:-** DISTRIBUTION BOARDS**TENDER ENQUIRY REFERENCE:-** PE/PG/EN1/E-5947/2018 dated 18/05/2018**NAME OF VENDOR:-**

SL NO	VOULME/ SECTION	PAGE NO.	CLAUSE NO.	TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION/ TENDER DOCUMENT	COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF DEVIATION	COST OF WITHDRAWAL OF DEVIATION	REFERENCE OF PRICE SCHEDULE ON WHICH COST OF WITHDRAWAL OF DEVIATION IS APPLICABLE	NATURE OF COST OF WITHDRAWAL OF DEVIATION (POSITIVE/ NEGATIVE)	REASON FOR QUOTING DEVIATION
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TECHNICAL DEVIATIONS

COMMERCIAL DEVIATIONS

PARTICULARS OF BIDDERS/ AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVE

NAME	DESIGNATIONS	SIGN & DATE	
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NOTES:

- For self manufactured items of bidder, cost of withdrawal of deviation will be applicable on the basic price (i.e. excluding taxes, duties & freight) only.
- For directly dispatchable items, cost of withdrawal of deviation will be applicable on the basic price including taxes, duties & freight.
- All the bidders have to list out all their Technical & Commercial Deviations (if any) in detail in the above format.
- Any deviation not mentioned above and shown separately or found hidden in offer, will not be taken cognizance of.
- Bidder shall submit duly filled unpriced copy of above format indicating "quoted" in "cost of withdrawal of deviation" column of the schedule above along with their Techno-commercial offer, wherever applicable.
- Bidder shall furnish price copy of above format along with price bid.
- The final decision of acceptance/ rejection of the deviations quoted by the bidder shall be at discretion of the Purchaser.
- Bidders to note that any deviation (technical/commercial) not listed in above and asked after Part-I opening shall not be considered.
- For deviations w.r.t. Payment terms, Liquidated damages, Firm prices and submission of E1/ E2 forms before claiming 10% payment, if a bidder chooses not to give any cost of withdrawal of deviation loading as per Annexure-VIII of GCC, Rev-06 will apply. For any other deviation mentioned in un-priced copy of this format submitted with Part-I bid but not mentioned in priced copy of this format submitted with Priced bid, the cost of withdrawal of deviation shall be taken as NIL.
- Any deviation mentioned in priced copy of this format, but not mentioned in the un-priced copy, shall not be accepted.
- All techno-commercial terms and conditions of NIT shall be deemed to have been accepted by the bidder, other than those listed in unpriced copy of this format.
- Cost of withdrawal is to be given separately for each deviation. In no event bidder should club cost of withdrawal of more than one deviation else cost of withdrawal of such deviations which have been clubbed together shall be considered as NIL.
- In case nature of cost of withdrawal (positive/negative) is not specified it shall be assumed as positive.
- In case of discrepancy in the nature of impact (positive/ negative), positive will be considered for evaluation and negative for ordering.

BANK GUARANTEE FOR PERFORMANCE SECURITY

Bank Guarantee No:

Date:

To

NAME

& ADDRESSES OF THE BENEFICIARY

Dear Sirs,

In consideration of the Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited ¹ (hereinafter referred to as the 'Employer' which expression shall unless repugnant to the context or meaning thereof, include its successors and permitted assigns) incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956 and having its registered office at _____ through its Unit at.....(name of the Unit) having awarded to (Name of the Vendor / Contractor / Supplier) having its registered office at _____ ² hereinafter referred to as the 'Contractor/Supplier', which expression shall unless repugnant to the context or meaning thereof, include its successors and permitted assigns), a contract Ref No.....dated³ valued at Rs.....⁴ (Rupees -----)/FC.....(in words.....) for⁵ (hereinafter called the 'Contract') and the Contractor having agreed to provide a Contract Performance Guarantee, equivalent to% (.... Percent) of the said value of the Contract to the Employer for the faithful performance of the Contract,

we,, (hereinafter referred to as the Bank), having registered/Head office at and inter alia a branch at being the Guarantor under this Guarantee, hereby, irrevocably and unconditionally undertake to forthwith and immediately pay to the Employer a maximum amount Rs ----- (Rupees -----) without any demur, immediately on a demand from the Employer, .

Any such demand made on the Bank shall be conclusive as regards the amount due and payable by the Bank under this guarantee. However, our liability under this guarantee shall be restricted to an amount not exceeding Rs. _____.

We undertake to pay to the Employer any money so demanded notwithstanding any dispute or disputes raised by the Contractor/ Supplier in any suit or proceeding pending before any Court or Tribunal relating thereto our liability under this present being absolute and unequivocal.

The payment so made by us under this Guarantee shall be a valid discharge of our liability for payment thereunder and the contractors/supplier shall have no claim against us for making such payment.

We thebank further agree that the guarantee herein contained shall remain in full force and effect during the period that would be taken for the performance of the said Contract and that it shall continue to be enforceable till all the dues of the Employer under or by virtue of the said Contract have been fully paid and its claims satisfied or discharged.

We BANK further agree with the Employer that the Employer shall have the fullest liberty without our consent and without affecting in any manner our obligations hereunder to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said Contract or to extend time of performance by the said Contractor/Supplier from time to time or to postpone for any time or from time to time any of the powers exercisable by the Employer against the said Contractor/Supplier and to forbear or enforce any of the terms and conditions relating to the said Agreement and we shall not be relieved from our liability by reason of any such variation, or extension being granted to the said Contractor/Supplier or for any forbearance, act or omission on the part of the Employer or any indulgence by the Employer to the said Contractor/Supplier or by any such matter or thing whatsoever which under the law relating to sureties would but for this provision have effect of so relieving us.

The Bank also agrees that the Employer at its option shall be entitled to enforce this Guarantee against the Bank as a principal debtor, in the first instance without proceeding against the Contractor and notwithstanding any security or other guarantee that the Employer may have in relation to the Contractor's liabilities.

This Guarantee shall remain in force upto and including.....⁶ and shall be extended from time to time for such period as may be desired by Employer.

This Guarantee shall not be determined or affected by liquidation or winding up, dissolution or change of constitution or insolvency of the Contractor/Supplier but shall in all respects and for all purposes be binding and operative until payment of all money payable to the Employer in terms thereof.

Unless a demand or claim under this guarantee is made on us in writing on or before the⁷we shall be discharged from all liabilities under this guarantee thereafter.

We, BANK lastly undertake not to revoke this guarantee during its currency except with the previous consent of the Employer in writing.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained hereinabove:

- a) The liability of the Bank under this Guarantee shall not exceed.....⁸
- b) This Guarantee shall be valid up to⁹
- c) Unless the Bank is served a written claim or demand on or before¹⁰ all rights under this guarantee shall be forfeited and the Bank shall be relieved and discharged from all liabilities under this guarantee irrespective of whether or not the original bank guarantee is returned to the Bank.

We, _____ Bank, have power to issue this Guarantee under law and the undersigned as a duly authorized person has full powers to sign this Guarantee on behalf of the Bank.

For and on behalf of
(Name of the Bank)

Dated.....

Place of Issue.....

¹ NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER I.e Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited

² NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE VENDOR /CONTRACTOR / SUPPLIER.

³ DETAILS ABOUT THE NOTICE OF AWARD/CONTRACT REFERENCE

⁴ PROJECT/SUPPLY DETAILS

⁵ BG AMOUNT IN FIGURES AND WORDS

⁶ VALIDITY DATE

⁷ DATE OF EXPIRY OF CLAIM PERIOD

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⁹ VALIDITY DATE

¹⁰ DATE OF EXPIRY OF CLAIM PERIOD

Note:

1. Units are advised that expiry of claim period may be kept 2/3 months after validity date.
2. In Case of Bank Guarantees submitted by Foreign Vendors-
 - a. **From Nationalized/Public Sector / Private Sector/ Foreign Banks (BG issued by Branches in India)** can be accepted subject to the condition that the Bank Guarantee should be enforceable in the town/city or at nearest branch where the Unit is located i.e. Demand can be presented at the Branch located in the town/city or at nearest branch where the Unit is located.
 - b. **From Foreign Banks (wherein Foreign Vendors intend to provide BG from local branch of the Vendor country's Bank)**
 - b.1 In such cases, in the Tender Enquiry/ Contract itself, it may be clearly specified that Bank Guarantee issued by **any of the Consortium Banks only** will be accepted by BHEL. As such, Foreign Vendor needs to make necessary arrangements for issuance of Counter- Guarantee by Foreign Bank in favour of the Indian Bank (BHEL's Consortium Bank). It is advisable that all charges for issuance of Bank Guarantee/ counter- Guarantee should be borne by the Foreign Vendor. The tender stipulation should clearly specify these requirements.
 - b.2 **In case, Foreign Vendors intend to provide BG from Overseas Branch of our Consortium Bank** (e.g. if a BG is to be issued by SBI Frankfurt), the same is acceptable. However, the procedure at **sl.no. b.1** will required to be followed.
 - b.3 The BG issued may preferably be subject to Uniform Rules for Demand Guarantees (URDG) 758 (as amended from time to time). In case, of Foreign Vendors, the BG Format provided to them should clearly specify the same.
 - b.4 The BG should clearly specify that the demand or other document can be presented in electronic form.

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Clause Ref:	Existing Clause as:	Replaced/ New Clause as:
Clause No.4 of GCTC (General commercial terms and conditions)	TAXES AND DUTIES 4.1 EXCISE DUTY 4.1.1 Seller/ Contractor is required to ensure that excise duty including cess, if any, is quoted as per the existing tariff on the date of the offer and all benefits as per existing rules have been considered. 4.1.2 Excise duty actually incurred by Seller/ Contractor on self-manufactured items alone shall be reimbursed against documentary evidence. Excise duty paid by Purchaser on inputs, bought out items, raw materials and components consigned directly to site from sources other than Seller/ Contractor's factory/ works shall be included by the bidder in the quoted basic price. 4.1.3 If excise duty is paid under protest or dispute, it shall not be reimbursed till the dispute is settled. If the Seller/ Contractor claims/ obtains any refund of the excise duty paid, the same shall be refunded to the Purchaser immediately 4.1.4 Invoice cum Excise duty gate pass (Excise Invoice) should contain the name of the ultimate consignee as per Order/ Contract/ Special Conditions of Contract. 4.1.5 If required by Purchaser, the Seller / Contractor will provide a certificate stating that CENVAT benefit has been availed of on the inputs and the same has been passed on to the Purchaser. 4.1.6 Excise duty shall be paid at actuals against documentary evidence but restricted to the amount and percentage indicated in the Order/ Contract. 4.2 SALES TAX / VALUE ADDED TAX (VAT) 4.2.1 Central Sales Tax / Value Added Tax shall be reimbursed only if the same is paid by the Seller / Contractor to the respective Govt. authorities on direct sales by the Seller/ Contractor to the Purchaser, meeting all statutory requirements and availing all exemptions/ concessions under the respective Central Sales Tax / Value Added Tax Acts. The offer should clearly indicate CST/ VAT percentage and the total	TAXES AND DUTIES 4.1 CGST/SGST/UTGST/IGST 4.1.1 Seller/ Contractor is required to ensure that CGST/SGST/UTGST/IGST (whichever is applicable) is quoted as per the existing tariff on the date of the offer and all benefits as per existing laws have been considered. 4.1.2 It is the responsibility of the seller/contractor to issue the Tax Invoice strictly as per the format prescribed under the relevant applicable GST law (CGST Act/SGST Act/UTGST Act/IGST Act). Vendor to indicate the proper GSTN Registration/ HSN code in their tax invoice. 4.1.3 The purchaser is registered in the State of Uttar Pradesh vide following GST registration number: 09AAACB4146P22C 4.1.4 Seller/contractor is required to mention the above registration number in their tax invoice unless stated otherwise in NIT/SCC. 4.1.5 CGST/SGST/UTGST/IGST shall be paid at actuals against Tax Invoice but restricted to the amount and percentage in the order/contract

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	amount along with concessional form(s), if any. 4.2.2 Purchaser is registered in NOIDA, U.P. vide following Registration Numbers: Central Sales Tax Registration No. : ND – 5341151 w.e.f. 01-07-2006 UP Trade Tax Registration No. : ND – 0345307 w.e.f. 01-07-2006 UP TIN No. : 09765702874 4.2.3 Central Sales Tax/ Value Added Tax shall be reimbursed, as per tariff applicable, but restricted to the percentage and amount shown in the Order/ Contract. If it is shown as included in the quoted price/ not applicable, it will not be reimbursed by the Purchaser. 4.2.4 Purchaser proposes to make sale-in-transit under section 6 (2) (b) of Central Sales Tax Act where goods movement is inter-state. Form-C shall be issued and exchanged against Form-E1/E2 based on quarterly transactions. Seller/Contractor is required to submit his request in the format enclosed at Annexure-VI within 30 days from end of the Quarter, giving State-wise invoice details. 4.2.5 VAT invoices, in format prescribed by the respective State Sales Tax Act, have to be submitted in the name of Nodal Agency specified in Special Conditions of Contract. 4.3 SERVICE TAX 4.3.1 Service Tax paid by the Service Provider /contractor to the Government authorities directly shall only be reimbursed at actuals against documentary evidence, but restricted to the rate and amount mentioned in the order/contract. The offer should clearly indicate the percentage and the total amount of service tax. 4.3.2 Service provider/Contractor to ensure their registration for “Intended Service” to be provided, before claiming Service tax under the “intended category”. Decision of BHEL shall be final w.r.t. the “Intended category” in which the service will be falling. 4.3.3 If required by the Purchaser, the Service Provider/Contractor will provide a certificate stating that “CENVAT Benefit has been availed of on the input and the	4.2 OTHER TAXES & LEVIES 4.2.1 All taxes/duties/Cess other than CGST/SGST/UTGST/IGST shall be deemed to be included in the Ex-Works prices unless specified otherwise by the bidder in the price bid. No variation in other taxes and duties shall be payable by Purchaser. 4.3 CUSTOMS DUTY
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	same has been passed on to the purchaser” or “CENVAT Benefit has not been availed of on the inputs”. 4.4 OTHER TAXES & LEVIES All taxes and duties other than Excise Duty, Sales Tax/ VAT, Service Tax shall be deemed to be included in the Ex-Works prices unless specified otherwise by the bidder in the price bid. No variation in other taxes and duties shall be payable by Purchaser. However, statutory variation in Octroi will be payable extra against documentary evidence. 4.5 CUSTOMS DUTY 4.5.1 Customs Duty element for imported items as per Special Conditions of Contract shall be included in the Ex-Works prices. No variation in customs duty and exchange rate for imported items shall be payable by Purchaser. 4.5.2 Seller/ Contractor shall arrange for his own import license, if required, since Purchaser will not provide any import license. Therefore, Seller/ Contractor alone shall be responsible for any delay in getting import license or non-availability of the same or completion of other related formalities. Purchaser shall not be responsible for any financial liability, whatsoever, on this account. 4.5.3 Essentiality Certificate or Project Authority Certificate (PAC) as per Import Policy, if required to avail concessional customs duty, shall be clearly specified in the offer. Import content (CIF value in rupees) with list of items, quantity, foreign currency, country of origin etc., shall be submitted by the bidder as part of Price bid. 4.6 DIRECT TAX 4.6.1 Purchaser shall not be liable towards income tax of whatever nature including variations thereof, arising out of this Order/ Contract, as well as tax liability of the Seller/ Contractor and his personnel.	4.3.1 Customs Duty/IGST/Goods and Services compensation cess under Goods and Services Tax (Compensation to States) Act, 2017 element for imported items as per Special Conditions of Contract shall be included in the Ex-Works prices. 4.3.2 Seller/ Contractor shall arrange for his own import license, if required, since Purchaser will not provide any import license. Therefore, Seller/ Contractor alone shall be responsible for any delay in getting import license or non-availability of the same or completion of other related formalities. Purchaser shall not be responsible for any financial liability, whatsoever, on this account. 4.3.3 Essentiality Certificate or Project Authority Certificate (PAC) as per Import Policy, if required to avail concessional customs duty, shall be clearly specified in the offer. Import content (CIF value in rupees) with list of items, quantity, foreign currency, Country of origin etc., shall be submitted by the bidder as part of Price bid. 4.4 DIRECT TAXES 4.4.1 Purchaser shall not be liable towards income tax of whatever nature including variations thereof, arising out of this Order/ Contract, as well as tax liability of the Seller/ Contractor and his personnel. 4.4.2 Deductions of Tax at source at the prevailing rates shall be effected by the Purchaser before release of payment, as a statutory obligation, if applicable. TDS certificate will be issued by the Purchaser as per statutory provisions
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	4.6.2 Deductions of Tax at source at the prevailing rates shall be effected by the Purchaser before release of payment, as a statutory obligation, if applicable. TDS certificate will be issued by the Purchaser as per statutory provisions.	
	5.0 STATUTORY VARIATION 5.1 If the rates for taxes and duties in respect of the quoted materials and/ or services assumed by the Seller/ Contractor are less than the tariff prevailing at the time of tendering, Seller/ Contractor will be responsible for such under quotations. However, if the rates assumed are higher than the correct rates prevailing at the time of tendering, the difference will be to the credit of the Purchaser. 5.2 Statutory Variations in Excise Duty, Service Tax and Central Sales Tax/ Value Added Tax only on self-manufactured items/ services rendered by vendor himself on the rates prevailing at the time of delivery/ completion in comparison to the date of offer, will be to the account of the Purchaser. No other variations such as on customs duty, exchange rate, minimum wages, prices of controlled commodities, any other input etc. shall be payable by the Purchaser. 5.3 Notwithstanding the above, where the actual completion of the supply occurs beyond the period stipulated in the Order/ Contract or any extension thereof, variations referred to above, will be limited to the rates prevailing on the dates of such agreed completion periods only. For variations after the agreed completion periods, the Seller/ Contractor alone shall bear the impact for the upward revisions and for downward revisions; purchaser shall be given the benefit of reduction in taxes/ duties. This will be without prejudice to the levy of penalty for delay in delivery/ completion schedule. 5.4 Any new tax structure (like Goods & Services Tax) as and when implemented by the Government shall become applicable in addition to or in lieu of existing tax structure.	5.0 STATUTORY VARIATION 5.1 Statutory variation for CGST/SGST/UGST/IGST is available provided the actual completion of supply does not occur beyond the period stipulated in the order/contract or any extension (without levy of penalty). 5.2 For variation after the agreed completion periods, the seller/contractor alone shall bear the impact for the upwards revisions and adjust the price in their basic price in such a manner that total price with tax matches with the ex-works with taxes of Purchase Order/Contract. For downward revisions, purchaser shall be given the benefit of reduction in CGST/SGST/UGST/IGST. This will be without prejudice to the levy of penalty for delay in delivery/completion schedule. 5.4 No other variations such as on Custom Duty, exchange rate, minimum wages, prices of controlled commodities, any other input etc. shall be payable by the purchaser.

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Clause 8	8.0 TRANSPORTATION & FREIGHT CHARGES 8.1 All dispatches shall be through road carriers approved by Purchaser/ Bank, on freight pre-paid basis. 8.2 Road permit/ entry permit, if required as per law of the State, shall be arranged by Purchaser. 8.3 Freight charges (including Service Tax) shall be payable after delivery of the goods at the project site, on receipt of MRC or receipted LR on pro-rata basis.	8.0 TRANSPORTATION & FREIGHT CHARGES 8.1 All dispatches shall be through road carriers approved by Purchaser/ Bank, on freight pre-paid basis. 8.2 Road Permit/E-way bill, if required, will be arranged by Supplier.
	9.0 TERMS OF PAYMENT 9.1 SUPPLY PACKAGES 9.1.1 Ninety percent (90%) of basic price of materials supplied, as per PO, along with 100% taxes and duties (as applicable), shall be paid against receipt of material at site on pro-rata basis. 9.1.2 Ten percent (10%) of basic price of materials supplied will be released on pro-rata basis after receipt of Material Receipt Certificate (MRC) from project site engineer of Owner/ Purchaser, on submission of all final documents for the packages as detailed below, duly certified by Engg. Deptt. of purchaser, and submission of Form E1/ E2 against Form-C, if applicable. List of packages with required final documents is as per Annexure-X. 9.2 SUPPLY PACKAGES WITH PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE / DEMONSTRATION TEST AT SITE IN VENDOR'S SCOPE 9.2.1 Eighty Five percent (85%) of basic price of materials supplied, as per PO / approved billing schedule, along with 100% taxes and duties (as applicable), shall be paid against receipt of material at site on pro-rata basis. 9.2.2 Ten percent (10%) of basic price of materials supplied will be released on pro-rata basis after receipt of Material Receipt Certificate (MRC) from project site engineer of Owner/ Purchaser and submission of Form E1/ E2 against Form-C, if applicable. 9.2.3 Five percent (5%) of the total basic price of materials and PG/ Demonstration test charges shall be released after submission of all final documents as per Technical	9.0 TERMS OF PAYMENT 9.1 SUPPLY PACKAGES Payment of basic price of materials supplied alongwith freight and taxes and duties (as applicable), shall be paid against receipt of material at site on pro-rata basis. 10% of basic price of materials supplied will be retained as security deposit which will be released on pro – rata basis after receipt of Material Receipt Certificate (MRC) from project site engineer of owner/purchaser on submission of all the final documents for the packages as detailed below, duly certified by engineering department of purchaser. List of packages with required final documents is as per Annexure-X. 9.2 Supply packages with performance guarantee/demonstration test at site in vendor's scope Payment of basic price of materials supplied, as per PO/ as per approved billing schedule, along with freight and taxes and duties (as applicable), shall be paid against receipt of material at site on pro-rate basis. 15% of basic price of materials supplied will be retained as security deposit which will be released on pro – rata basis as details below: a) 10% will be released after receipt of Material Receipt Certificate (MRC) from project site engineer of owner/purchaser.

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Specifications and successful completion of the Performance Guarantee (PG)/ Demonstration Test at site. Note: If the Performance Guarantee/ Demonstration Test is not conducted up to 24 months from supply completion for reasons not attributable to the vendor, then last 5% payment will be released against Bank Guarantee of an equivalent amount, valid for 12 months. This bank guarantee will be in addition to Contract Performance Bank Guarantee for 10% of the contract value (excluding taxes, duties and freight). 9.3 SUPPLY PAYMENT FOR TURNKEY PACKAGES (E&C IN VENDOR'S SCOPE) 9.3.1 Eighty Five percent (85%) of basic price of materials supplied, as per approved billing schedule, along with 100% taxes and duties (as applicable), shall be paid against receipt of material at site on pro-rata basis. OR i) Five percent (5%) lump sum payment of total basic price (excluding taxes, duties & freight) against approval of design documents and quality plan as certified by Engineering. Design documents and quality plan shall be as defined in the Technical Specifications. ii) Eighty percent (80%) of basic price of materials supplied, as per approved billing schedule, along with 100% taxes and duties (as applicable), shall be paid against receipt of material at site on pro-rata basis. 9.3.2 Five percent (5%) of basic price of materials supplied along with freight, if applicable, will be released on pro-rata basis after submission of Material Receipt Certificate (MRC) from project site engineer of Owner/ Purchaser and submission of Form E1/ E2 against Form-C, if applicable. Collection of Material Receipt Certificate from Site/ Owner and its submission for claiming the payment shall be the responsibility of the Seller/ Contractor. 9.3.3 Ten percent (10%) of the total basic price shall be released after i) submission of all final documents as per Technical Specifications and ii) successful completion of	b) 5% will be released after submission of final documents as per technical specification and successful completion of the performance guarantee (PG)/ Demonstration test at site. Note: If the Performance Guarantee/ Demonstration Test is not conducted up to 24 months from supply completion for reasons not attributable to the vendor, then 5% security deposit will be released against Bank Guarantee of an equivalent amount, valid for 12 months. This bank guarantee will be in addition to Contract Performance Bank Guarantee for 10% of the contract value (excluding taxes, duties and freight). 9.3 SUPPLY PAYMENT FOR TURNKEY PACKAGES (E&C IN VENDOR'S SCOPE) 9.3.1 Payment of basic price of materials supplied, as per approved billing schedule, along with freight, taxes and duties (as applicable), shall be paid against receipt of material at site on pro-rata basis. 15% of basic price of materials supplied will be retained as security deposit which will be released on pro – rata basis as details below: a) 5% will be released on pro-rata basis after submission of Material Receipt Certificate (MRC) from project site engineer of owner/purchaser. Collection of Material Receipt Certificate from site/owner and its submission for claiming the payment shall be the responsibility of the Seller/Contractor. b) 10% will be released after i) submission of all final documents as per Technical Specifications and ii) successful completion of Performance Guarantee (PG)/ Demonstration Test and handing over of the system/ package, if applicable, as per Order/ Contract
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	Performance Guarantee (PG)/ Demonstration Test and handing over of the system/ package, if applicable, as per Order/ Contract. 9.4 ERECTION & COMMISSIONING PAYMENT FOR TURNKEY PACKAGES 9.4.1 Eighty percent (80%) payment on pro-rata basis for the work completed, as per approved billing schedule, shall be released by Site authorities/ Region on submission of protocols, duly signed by BHEL Site/ Owner. 9.4.2 Ten percent (10%) of the total value shall be released by Site authorities/ Region on successful commissioning of the complete system/ package. 9.4.3 Ten percent (10%) of the total value shall be released by Site authorities/ Region on successful completion of PG/ Demonstration test(s) and handing over system/ package to the Owner, as applicable. 9.5 PG TEST, INSTALLATION CHECK, SUPERVISION OF ERECTION / COMMISSIONING CHARGES 100% payment shall be released after successful completion of the activity, on Site certification. 9.6 Vendors shall submit documents for payment directly to BHEL. Payment will be released within 60 days after receipt of complete documents as per order/ contract (45 days for vendors qualified and registered as Micro or Small as per MSMED Act). To be eligible for payment as Micro and Small category, vendors shall submit annual certification for validation from designated authority under MSMED Act or Chartered Accountant within first quarter of every financial year. . <u>Note:</u> 1) For indigenous suppliers, if the documents are routed through Bank, then all bank charges will be to vendor's account. 2) Foreign bidders can opt for payment (less agency commission, if applicable) through irrevocable and unconfirmed letter of credit. In that case for	9.4 ERECTION & COMMISSIONING PAYMENT FOR TURNKEY PACKAGES 9.4.1 Eighty percent (80%) payment on pro-rata basis for the work completed, as per approved billing schedule, shall be released by Site authorities/ Region on submission of protocols, duly signed by BHEL Site/ Owner. 9.4.2 Ten percent (10%) of the total value shall be released by Site authorities/ Region on successful commissioning of the complete system/ package. 9.4.3 Ten percent (10%) of the total value shall be released by Site authorities/ Region on successful completion of PG/ Demonstration test(s) and handing over system/ package to the Owner, as applicable. 9.5 PG TEST, INSTALLATION CHECK, SUPERVISION OF ERECTION / COMMISSIONING CHARGES 100% payment shall be released after successful completion of the activity, on Site certification. 9.6 Vendors shall submit documents for payment directly to BHEL. Payment will be released within 60 days after receipt of complete documents as per order/ contract (45 days for vendors qualified and registered as Micro or Small as per MSMED Act). <u>Note:</u> 1) Vendors are required to issue Tax Invoice inclusive of PVC value (if applicable) wherever indices are available. 2) For indigenous suppliers, if the documents are routed through Bank,
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	evaluation purpose, prices of foreign bidders will be loaded on account of payment through LC, equal to loading specified against 'Payment through Bank' in Annexure-VIII. No loading will be done if foreign vendors agree for 90 days usance LC or submit the documents on collection basis for payment within 90 days of submission of complete documents. 3) LC opening/ negotiation/ confirmation charges will be to vendor's account. 4) Form C/ E1/E2 are not applicable for foreign bidders. 5) In extreme case of vendors not agreeing to link 10% payment with submission of Form E1/ E2 against Form-C as above, their prices will be loaded as per Annexure-VIII. 6) Any negative PVC, if not adjusted in earlier payments, will be adjusted at the time of MRC payment. 7) Payment terms for mandatory spares shall be as per clause 9.1.	then all bank charges will be to vendor's account. 3) Foreign bidders can opt for payment (less agency commission, if applicable) through irrevocable and unconfirmed letter of credit. In that case for evaluation purpose, prices of foreign bidders will be loaded on account of payment through LC, equal to loading specified against 'Payment through Bank' in Annexure-VIII. No loading will be done if foreign vendors agree for 90 days usance LC or submit the documents on collection basis for payment within 90 days of submission of complete documents. 4) LC opening/ negotiation/ confirmation charges will be to vendor's account. 5) Payment terms for mandatory spares shall be as per clause 9.1. 9.7 The applicable TDS under CGST/SGST/UGST/IGST/ Goods and Services (Compensation to States) Act will be deducted from the payments. 9.8 Other clauses 1. Vendor/Supplier will intimate & upload the Tax invoice along with LR/RR(as applicable) on web portal & intimate BHEL immediately on removal of goods from vendor/supplier works. In case of Services, Vendor is required to upload the Tax invoice on Web Portal immediately after raising the invoice. BHEL will issue the delivery order/instruction to dispatch the material to the customer as indicated in SCC. 2. All payments against Tax Invoice to vendors/contractors shall be released only after:
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		a) Vendor/contractor declaring such invoice in GSTR-1 within the prescribed timeline as per the relevant Act. b) The tax component charged by the vendor in the invoice should be matched with the details uploaded by vendor in GSTR-1. c) Confirmation of payment of GST thereon by vendor on GSTN portal 3. In case, any GST credit is delayed/denied to BHEL due to non/delayed receipt of goods and/or tax invoice or expiry to timeline prescribed in the relevant Act for availing such ITC, or any other reasons not attributable to BHEL, tax amount shall be recoverable from the vendor/contractor along with interest levied/leviable on BHEL. 4. Wherein GST liability arises on BHEL under reverse charge, any interest levied/leviable due to any reasons not attributable to BHEL shall be recovered from the vendor/contractor.
Clause 9	9.7 DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED BY VENDOR 9.7.1 For Recognition of Dispatch Copy of the following documents by e-mail/ fax immediately on despatch: a. Invoice b. LR along with Delivery Order c. Packing List d. Insurance Intimation e. Dispatch Clearance 9.7.2 For Claiming Payments (under clause 9.1.1, 9.2.1, 9.3.1): a. Invoice – original+1 copy b. Receipted LR (signed & stamped)/ confirmation from site regarding receipt of packages/ Boxes original/ copy	9.7 All same a. to be replaced with “GST compliant invoice” in 9.7.1, 9.7.2, 9.7.3 Modification in the clause Duty drawback documents “As per applicable law” (original+1 copy.)

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	c. Delivery order- 2 copies d. Packing List - clearly showing number of packages, gross weight and net weight. - original+1 copy e. MDCC from BHEL/ Customer – as per SCC – 2 copies f. Guarantee Certificate – Original + 1 copy g. Insurance Intimation - 2 copies CQIR / Inspection Reports – Original+1 copy i. PVC Calculation and copy of all applicable indices, if PVC applicable. – 2 copies j. Duty drawback documents (original excise invoice, original disclaimer certificate, original certificate from excise authority for payment of excise duty), if applicable. – original + 1 copy 9.7.3 For Claiming Freight Payment a. Invoice – Original + 1 copy b. Receipted LR (signed & stamped)/ confirmation from site regarding receipt of packages/ Boxes original/ copy c. Transporter's document indicating the freight amount. Original money receipt to be submitted if required as per SCC. 9.7.4 For Claiming MRC Payment a. Invoice – Original + 1 copy b. Copy of MRC 9.7.5 For Claiming Payment for Services involving Service Tax a. Invoice as per rule 4A of Service Tax Act – Original + 1 copy b. Copy of Service Tax registration certificate c. Copy of challan for Service Tax payment	
Clause 3.0 Instruction to bidders	Total erection & commissioning charges including service tax should be minimum 20% (or as specified in NIT) of the total quoted package price (excluding mandatory spares but including all taxes and freight), failing which the break-up of prices shall be adjusted accordingly for ordering.	Total erection & commissioning charges including applicable tax but excluding freight along with GST should be minimum 20% (or as specified in NIT) of the total quoted package price (excluding mandatory spares but including all taxes and freight), failing which the break-up of prices shall be adjusted accordingly for ordering.

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Clause 16.0 Instruction to bidder	For deviations w.r.t. Payment terms, Liquidated damages, Firm prices and submission of E1/ E2 forms before claiming 10% payment, if a bidder chooses not to give any cost of withdrawal of deviation loading as per Annexure-VIII will apply.	For deviations w.r.t. Payment terms, Liquidated damages, Firm prices before claiming 10% payment, if a bidder chooses not to give any cost of withdrawal of deviation loading as per Annexure-VIII will apply.
Clause 16.0 of GCTC	Purchaser reserves the right to recover from the Seller/ Contractor, as agreed liquidated damages and not by way of penalty, a sum equivalent to half ($\frac{1}{2}$) percent of the total contract price per week or part thereof, subject to a maximum of ten (10) percent of the total contract price excluding elements of taxes, duties and freight, if the Seller/ Contractor fails to deliver any part of the ordered stores within the period stipulated in the Order/ Contract. For Turnkey packages (Supply and E&C in vendor's scope), Liquidated Damages shall be levied on the total contract value of both Supply and E&C orders (excluding taxes, duties and freight) if E&C completion of the package is delayed beyond the contractual completion date or extension thereof. Liquidated Damages will not be withheld from supply payment. LR/ GR/ RR date for indigenous supplies and AWB/ BL date for FOB contracts shall be treated as the date of dispatch for levying LD as per Clause 16. However, for indigenous supply if receipted LR date is beyond three months from the date of LR, such excess period shall also be considered for LD purpose. 2. In case of any amendment/ revision, LD shall be linked to the amended/ revised contract value and delivery date(s)	Purchaser reserves the right to recover from the Seller/ Contractor, as agreed liquidated damages and not by way of penalty, a sum equivalent to half ($\frac{1}{2}$) percent plus applicable GST of the total contract price per week or part thereof, subject to a maximum of ten (10) percent of the total contract price excluding elements of taxes, duties and freight, if the Seller/ Contractor fails to deliver any part of the ordered stores within the period stipulated in the Order/ Contract. For Turnkey packages (Supply and E&C in vendor's scope), Liquidated Damages shall be levied on the total contract value of both Supply and E&C orders (excluding taxes, duties and freight) if E&C completion of the package is delayed beyond the contractual completion date or extension thereof. Liquidated Damages will not be withheld from supply payment. LR/ GR/ RR/ eway bill date for indigenous supplies and AWB/ BL date for C&F contracts shall be treated as the date of dispatch for levying LD as per Clause 16. However, for indigenous supply if receipted LR/eway bill date is beyond three months from the date of LR/e-way bill, such excess period shall also be considered for LD purpose. 2. In case of any amendment/ revision, LD shall be linked to the amended/ revised contract value and delivery date(s)

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Deviation sheet- Cost of Withdrawal	Point no-9 For deviations w.r.t. Payment terms, Liquidated damages, Firm prices and submission of E1/ E2 forms before claiming 10% payment, if a bidder chooses not to give any cost of withdrawal of deviation loading as per Annexure-VIII of GCC, Rev-06 will apply. For any other deviation mentioned in un-priced copy of this format submitted with Part-I bid but not mentioned in priced copy of this format submitted with Priced bid, the cost of withdrawal of deviation shall be taken as NIL.	For deviations w.r.t. Payment terms, Liquidated damages, Firm prices before claiming 10% payment, if a bidder chooses not to give any cost of withdrawal of deviation loading as per Annexure-VIII of GCC, Rev-06 will apply. For any other deviation mentioned in un-priced copy of this format submitted with Part-I bid but not mentioned in priced copy of this format submitted with Priced bid, the cost of withdrawal of deviation shall be taken as NIL.
Annexure-VI		Deleted
Annexure-VIII		Following changes in annexure-8, (remaining portion of annex-8 is same): C) LIQUIDATED DAMAGES If maximum limit asked for is 10% or 5% of Undelivered Portion – 10% value of the total quoted price including GST & freight. If maximum limit asked is less than 10 % of contract value loading shall be to the extent to which not agreed by bidder (at offered value) . E) DEVIATION TO SUBMISSION OF FORM E1/ E2 BEFORE CLAIMING 10% PAYMENT 10% of Ex-Works supply value.
New clauses:		
a) In case of discrepancy in CGST/SGST/UTGST/IGST rate corresponding to HSN ;code and quotes rates, the evaluation shall be done on quoted price and correct CGST/SGST/UTGST/IGST rate shall be considered for ordering (limited to quoted FOR Site Price) b) The bidder should have been registered with the appropriate authority under relevant GST laws. c) The bidder to specify in their offer (part 1 bid) the category of registration under GST i.e. registered dealer and composite dealer d) No CGST/SGST/UTGST/IGST will be reimbursed to composite dealer. In the event of any GST quoted by composite dealer, the same shall be considered for evaluation purpose. However, the ordering will be done without considering the tax. e) In the event of any change in the status of vendor from composite to regular dealer after the submission of the bid but before the supply, no reimbursement of CGST/SGST/UTGST/IGST will be made. However, the vendor has to raise the invoice strictly, as per the law, by adjusting their ex-works price.		



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Corporate Operations Management

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(Note: Abridged version for the information of the bidders)

1.0 Scope

This document describes the guidelines to be followed by each Unit/ Division/ Region for conducting reverse auction for procurement of material/ services/ works. These guidelines will be applicable for all purchases/ contracts to be awarded under extant policy and the Reverse Auction shall follow the philosophy of English Reverse (No ties).

English Reverse (No ties) is a type of auction where the starting price and bid decrement are announced before start of online reverse auction. The interested bidders can thereupon start bidding in an iterative process wherein the lowest bidder at any given moment can be displaced by an even lower bid of a competing bidder, within a given time frame. The bidding is with reference to the current lowest bid in the reverse auction. All bidders will see the current lowest quoted price and their rank. The term 'No ties' is used since more than one bidder cannot give an identical price, at a given instant, during the reverse auction. In other words, there shall never be a tie in the bids.

2.0 Intent of Reverse Auction (RA)

To derive maximum benefit in cost savings through competitive bidding.

3.0 Terms in NIT

Wherever it is felt that procurement may be done through Reverse Auction, the bids shall be invited in two parts/ three parts or single part bid (Price Bid) where Techno-Commercial MoU already exists. Wherever, the evaluation is done for individual line item, separate envelope sealed price bid for each line item shall be taken.

Decision to go for RA would be taken after evaluation of techno-commercial bids. The NIT would contain following **clause**:

"BHEL reserves the right to go for Reverse Auction (RA) (Guidelines as available on www.bhel.com) instead of opening the sealed envelope price bid, submitted by the bidder. This will be decided after techno-commercial evaluation. Bidders to give their acceptance with the offer for participation in RA. Non-acceptance to participate in RA may result in non-consideration of their bids, in case BHEL decides to go for RA.

Those bidders who have given their acceptance to participate in Reverse Auction will have to necessarily submit 'Process compliance form' (to the designated service provider) as well as 'Online sealed bid' in the Reverse Auction. Non-submission of 'Process compliance form' or 'Online sealed bid' by the agreed bidder(s) will be considered as tampering of the tender process and will invite action by BHEL as per extant guidelines for suspension of business dealings with suppliers/ contractors (as available on www.bhel.com).

*The bidders have to necessarily submit online sealed bid less than or equal to their envelope sealed price bid already submitted to BHEL along with the offer. **The envelope sealed price bid of successful L1 bidder in RA, if conducted,***

shall also be opened after RA and the order will be placed on lower of the two bids (RA closing price envelope sealed price) thus obtained. The bidder having submitted this offer specifically agrees to this condition and undertakes to execute the contract on thus awarded rates.

If it is found that L1 bidder has quoted higher in online sealed bid in comparison to envelope sealed bid for any item(s), the bidder will be issued a warning letter to this effect. However, if the same bidder again defaults on this count in any subsequent tender in the unit, it will be considered as fraud and will invite action by BHEL as per extant guidelines for suspension of business dealings with suppliers/ contractors (as available on www.bhel.com)."

As a reminder to the bidders, system will flash following message (in RED Color) during the course of 'online sealed bid':

"Bidders to submit online sealed bid less than or equal to their envelope sealed bid already submitted to BHEL"

6.0 Business rules for RA

Business rules (annexure-I) are attached.

7.0 Role of Service Provider

- Acknowledge the receipt of mandate from BHEL.
- Contact the bidders, provide business rules and train them, as required.
- Get the process compliance form signed by all the participating bidders before RA event.
- Conduct the event as per the contract and business rules.
- Submit the login reports, results, history sheet and authorized final bid from the bidders.
- To obtain price breakup including that of line items (wherever required) from successful bidder and submit the same to BHEL.

8.0 Receipt of Techno-Commercial Bids & Evaluation

Suppliers are required to submit their best price bid in a separate sealed cover along with techno-commercial bid. After evaluation of Techno-Commercial Bids:

- a) In case BHEL decides not to conduct RA, the envelope sealed price bids of all techno-commercially qualified bidders, along with price impact, if any, should be opened and processed as per extant Policy.
- b) In case BHEL decides to conduct RA, business rules of RA will be sent to service provider.

12.0 Reverse Auction Process

- 12.1 Reverse auction process is deemed to have been started upon receipt of 'Online Sealed Bids' from the bidders within the prescribed time frame as per Business Rules. After receipt of 'online sealed bids', start price & bid decrement will be decided by BHEL and the same shall be communicated to the service provider, to start the bidding process. Only those bidders who have submitted the 'online sealed bid' within the scheduled time shall be eligible to participate further in RA process. However, the H1 bidder (whose quote is highest in online sealed bid) will not be allowed to participate in further RA process provided minimum three bidders are left after removal of H1 bidder.

In case of tie for H1 bid (identical online sealed bids), 15 minutes additional time shall be provided and all the participating bidders shall be informed by mail/ message on bidding screen to enable bidders submit revised online sealed bids so as to break the tie.

- 12.2 All bidders who had given online sealed bid will see their rank and L1 price and their ranking L1, L2 etc. would be based on their last quoted price irrespective of quote received in RA or online sealed bid.

13.0 Failure of RA

RA shall be treated as failed in the following scenarios:

- a) In case no bidder accepts the start price.
- b) In cases where the number of online sealed bids are less than four before removal of highest bidder.
- c) In cases of tie among H1 bidders, even after extension of submission of online sealed bids once by 15 minutes.

Wherever, the evaluation is done for individual line items, RA shall be treated as failed only for those line item(s) for which any of the above a), b) or c) satisfies.

14.0 Treatment of RA failed scenarios:

In cases of failure of RA, sealed envelope price bids (of item(s) for which RA has failed) of all the techno-commercially qualified bidders shall be opened and the tender shall be processed accordingly. However, the envelope sealed bid(s) of techno-commercially acceptable bidder(s) who had agreed to participate in the RA and had failed to submit the online sealed bid shall not be opened.

15.0 Processing of case after RA

- 15.1 After declaring L1 upon completion of RA, the envelope sealed price bid of L1 bidder shall also be opened for placement of order on lower of the two bids (RA closing price & envelope sealed price) and file is to be processed as per extant policy provisions. Action as per NIT terms is to be taken if online sealed bid is higher than the envelope sealed bid.

15.2 Relative position of bidders (for usage in cases of predefined splitting the quantities) shall also include bidders who have given 'online sealed bids' but have not given further bids in auction. In case of splitting requirement, H1 bidder may also be considered for counter offer if the pre-stated (NIT) numbers of suppliers do not accept the counter offer.

15.3 In case H1 bidder happen to be MSE and was removed from further bidding but is within L1 + 15% band, then this bid shall also be considered and to be processed in line with 'Public Procurement Policy for Micro & Small Enterprises (MSEs) order, 2012'.

15.4 For providing preference to Domestically manufactured Electronic Products, in accordance with Department of Electronics and Information Technology (DeitY) Gazette Notification No. 33(3)/2013-IPHW dated 23.12.2013 and its related notifications issued from time to time, H1 bidder removed from further bidding may be considered for counter offer to meet domestic bidder requirement for the item(s) under procurement.

17.0 Processing of cases where RA is not done

In case BHEL decides not to go for Reverse Auction for the tender enquiry, the Price bids and price impacts, if any, already submitted and available with BHEL shall be opened as per BHEL's standard practice.

18.0 Others

18.2 In case of enquiry through e-Procurement, the sealed electronic price bid (e-bid) is to be treated as sealed envelope price bid.

18.3 BHEL will inform bidders the details of service provider who will provide business rules, all necessary training and assistance before commencement of online bidding on internet.

18.4 Bidders are advised to read the 'Business Rules' indicating details of RA event carefully, provided by the Service provider, before reverse auction event.

Business Rules for Reverse Auction

This has reference to tender no {tender number....date...}. BHEL shall finalise the Rates for the supply of {item name} through Reverse Auction mode. BHEL has made arrangement with M/s. {Service provider}, who shall be BHEL's authorized service provider for the same. Bidders should go through the instructions given below and submit acceptance of the same.

The technical & commercial terms are as per (a) BHEL Tender Enq. No. {...} dated {...}, (b) Bidders' technical & commercial bid (in case of two part bid) and (c) subsequent correspondences between BHEL and the bidders, if any.

1. Procedure of Reverse Auctioning

- i. **Online Sealed Bid:** This duration of online sealed bid will be {...} minutes. All bidders to submit their online sealed bids during this period.
- ii. **Online Reverse Auction:** The 'opening price' i.e. start price for RA and 'bid decrement' will be decided by BHEL.
- iii. If BHEL decides the lowest online sealed bid as the starting price, then the lowest bidder in online sealed bid shall be shown as current L1 automatically by the system and no acceptance of that price is required. System shall have the provision to indicate this bid as current L1.
- iv. Bidders by offering a minimum bid decrement or the multiples thereof can displace a standing lowest bid and become "L1" and this continues as an iterative process.
- v. After the completion of the online reverse auction, the Closing Price (CP) shall be available for further processing.

2. Schedule for Reverse Auction: The Reverse Auction is tentatively scheduled on {date}: and the duration of online sealed bid will be {...} minutes. All bidders to submit their online sealed bids during this period.

- Online Sealed Bid:-

- {Start Time:
- Close Time: }

- Online Reverse Auction:-

- {Start Time:
- Close Time: }

3. Auction extension time: If a bidder places a bid in the last {...} minutes of closing of the Reverse Auction and if that bid gets accepted, then the auction's duration shall get extended automatically for another {...} minutes, for the entire auction (i.e. for all the items in the auction), from the time that bid comes in. Please note

that the auto-extension will take place only if a bid comes in those last {...} minutes and if that bid gets accepted as the lowest bid. If the bid does not get accepted as the lowest bid, the auto-extension will not take place even if that bid might have come in the last {...} minutes. In case, there is no bid in the last {...} minutes of closing of Reverse Auction, the auction shall get closed automatically without any extension. However, bidders are advised not to wait till the last minute or last few seconds to enter their bid during the auto-extension period to avoid complications related with internet connectivity, network problems, system crash down, power failure, etc.

The above process will continue till completion of Reverse Auction. Complaints/ Grievances, if any, regarding denial of service or any related issue should be given in writing thru e-mail/ fax to M/s. {Service provider} with a copy to BHEL within 15 minutes prior to initial closing time of Online Reverse Auction.

4. **Bid price:** The Bidder has to quote the {...} Price inclusive of Packing & Forwarding charges, all the routine & type tests as per tender scope, ED + cess, CST against C-form, Freight (bidder to provide original Freight paid receipt), insurance charges, etc. including loading (if indicated by BHEL due to deviations in technical/ commercial terms) for the Items specified. Details are as shown in Excel Sheet for calculation of total cost to BHEL (To be specified by Unit as per NIT conditions).
5. **Bidding currency and unit of measurement:** Bidding will be conducted in *Indian Rupees per Unit* of the material as per the specifications {...} In case of foreign currency bids, exchange rate (TT selling rate of State Bank of India) as on scheduled date of tender opening (Part-I bid) shall be considered for conversion in Indian Rupees. If the relevant day happens to be a Bank holiday, then the forex rate as on the previous bank (SBI) working day shall be taken.
6. **Validity of bids:** Price shall be valid for {... days} from the date of reverse auction. These shall not be subjected to any change whatsoever.
7. **Lowest bid of a bidder:** In case the bidder submits more than one bid, the lowest bid at the end of Online Reverse Auction will be considered as the bidder's final offer to execute the work.
8. Bidders shall be assigned a **Unique User Name & Password** by M/s. {Service provider}. Bidders are advised to change the Password and edit the information in the Registration Page after the receipt of initial Password from M/s. {Service provider} to ensure confidentiality. All bids made from the Login ID given to the bidders will be deemed to have been made by the bidders/ bidders' company.
9. **Post auction procedure:** BHEL will proceed with the Lowest Bid in the Reverse Auction for further processing.
10. Any commercial/ technical loading shall be intimated to bidders prior to RA. The excel sheet provided in this regard shall cover all these aspects. Commercial/ technical loading if any, shall be added by the respective bidder in its price during online sealed bid & Online Reverse Auction. Modalities of loading & de-loading

shall be separately intimated to the bidders. The responsibility for correctness of total cost to BHEL shall lie with the bidders.

11. Computerized reverse auction shall be conducted by BHEL (through M/s. {Service Provider}), on pre-specified date, while the bidders shall be quoting from their own offices/ place of their choice. Internet connectivity shall have to be ensured by bidders themselves.

During the RA process if a bidder is not able to bid and requests for extension of time by FAX/ email/ phone then time extension of additional 15 minutes will be given by the service provider provided such requests come before 5 minutes of auction closing time. However, only one such request per bidder can be entertained.

Despite this extension if bidder fails to upload his prices due to extreme case of failure of Internet connectivity, (due to any reason whatsoever may be) it is the bidders' responsibility/ decision to send fax communication immediately to M/s. {Service provider}, furnishing the price the bidder wants to bid online with a request to the service provider to upload the faxed price online so that the service provider will upload that price online on behalf of the Bidder. It shall be noted clearly that the concerned bidder communicating this price to service provider has to solely ensure that the fax message is received by the service provider in a readable/ legible form and also the Bidder should simultaneously check up with service provider about the clear receipt of the price faxed. It shall also be clearly understood that the bidder shall be at liberty to send such fax communications of prices to be uploaded by the service provider only within the closure of Bid time and under no circumstance it shall be allowed beyond the closure of Bid time /reverse auction. It shall also be noted that the service provider should be given a reasonable required time by the bidders, to upload such prices online and if such required time is not available at the disposal of the Service provider at the time of receipt of the fax message from the bidders, the service provider will not be uploading the prices and either BHEL or the service provider are not responsible for this unforeseen circumstances. In order to ward-off such contingent situation bidders are requested to make all the necessary arrangements/ alternatives whatever required so that they are able to circumvent such situation and still be able to participate in the reverse auction successfully. Failure of power or loss of connectivity at the premises of bidders during the Reverse auction cannot be the cause for not participating in the reverse auction. On account of this, the time for the auction cannot be extended and neither BHEL nor M/s. {Service provider} is responsible for such eventualities.

12. Proxy bids: Proxy bidding feature is a pro-bidder feature to safeguard the bidder's interest of any internet failure or to avoid last minute rush. The proxy feature allows bidders to place an automated bid in the system directly in an auction and bid without having to enter a new amount each time a competing bidder submits a new offer. The bid amount that a bidder enters is the minimum that the bidder is willing to offer. Here the software bids on behalf of the bidder. This obviates the need for the bidder participating in the bidding process until the proxy bid amount

is decrementally reached by other bidders. When proxy bid amount is reached, the bidder (who has submitted the proxy bid) has an option to start participating in the bidding process. The proxy amount is the minimum amount that the bidder is willing to offer. During the course of bidding, the bidder cannot delete or change the amount of a proxy bid. Bids are submitted in decrements (decreasing bid amounts). The application automates proxy bidding by processing proxy bids automatically, according to the decrement that then auction originator originally established when creating the auction, submitting offers to the next bid decrement each time a competing bidder bids, regardless of the fact whether the competing bids are submitted as proxy or standard bids. However, it may please be noted that if a manual bid and proxy bid are submitted at the same instant manual bid will be recognized as the L1 at that instant. In case of more than one proxy bid, the system shall bid till it crosses the threshold value of 'each lowest proxy bid' and thereafter allow the competition to decide the final L1 price. Proxy bids are fed into the system directly by the respective bidders. As such this information is privy only to the respective bidder(s).

13. Bidders are advised to get fully trained and clear all their doubts such as refreshing of screen, quantity being auctioned, tender value being auctioned etc from M/s. {Service provider}.
14. M/s. {Service provider}, shall arrange to demonstrate/ train the bidder or bidder's nominated person(s), without any cost to bidders. M/s. {Service provider}, shall also explain the bidders, all the business rules related to the Reverse Auction. Bidders are required to submit their acceptance to the terms/ conditions/ modalities before participating in the Reverse Auction in the process compliance form as enclosed. Without this, the bidder will not be eligible to participate in the event.
15. Successful bidder shall be required to submit the final prices (L1) in prescribed format (Annexure-VI) for price breakup including that of line items, if required, quoted during the Online Reverse Auction, duly signed and stamped as token of acceptance without any new condition (other than those already agreed to before start of auction), after the completion of auction to M/s. {Service provider} besides BHEL within two working days of Auction without fail.
16. Any variation between the final bid value and that in the confirmatory signed price breakup document will be considered as tampering the tender process and will invite action by BHEL as per extant guidelines for suspension of business dealings (as available on www.bhel.com).
17. Bidders' bid will be taken as an offer to execute the work/ supplies of the item as per enquiry no. {...} dt. {...}. Bids once made by the bidder, cannot be cancelled/ withdrawn and bidder shall be bound to execute the work as mentioned above at bidder's final bid price. Should bidder back out and not execute the contract as per the rates quoted, BHEL shall take action as per extant guidelines for suspension of business dealings (as available on www.bhel.com).

- 18.** Bidders shall be able to view the following on their screen along with the necessary fields during Online Reverse Auction:
- a. Leading (Running Lowest) Bid in the Auction (only total price of package).
 - b. Bid Placed by the bidder.
 - c. Start Price.
 - d. Decrement value.
 - e. Rank of their own bid during bidding as well as at the close of auction.
- 19.** BHEL's decision on award of contract shall be final and binding on all the Bidders.
- 20.** BHEL reserves the right to extend, reschedule or cancel the Reverse Auction process at any time, before ordering, without assigning any reason, with intimation to bidders.
- 21.** BHEL shall not have any liability to bidders for any interruption or delay in access to the site irrespective of the cause. In such cases, the decision of BHEL shall be binding on the bidders.
- 22.** Other terms and conditions shall be as per bidder's techno-commercial offers and other correspondences, if any, till date.
- 23.** If there is any clash between this business document and the FAQ available, if any, in the website of M/s. {Service provider}, the terms & conditions given in this business document will supercede the information contained in the FAQs. Any changes made by BHEL/ service provider (due to unforeseen contingencies) after the first posting shall be deemed to have been accepted if the bidder continues to access the portal after that time.
- 24.** Bidder shall not divulge either his Bids or any other exclusive details of BHEL to any other party. If the Bidder or any of his representatives are found to be involved in Price manipulation/ cartel formation of any kind, directly or indirectly by communicating with other bidders, action as per extant BHEL guidelines for suspension of business dealings (as available on www.bhel.com), shall be initiated by BHEL.