



**WEST BENGAL STATE FOOD PROCESSING
&
HORTICULTURE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION LIMITED
(A GOVT. OF WEST BENGAL ENTERPRISE)
BENFISH TOWER (6th Floor)
31, G.N. Block, Sector-V
KOLKATA - 700091**

EOI No. 50/WBSFPDCL/1770/2021-22

Date: 23.09.2021

NOTICE INVITING E-EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

1. Invitation

Online EOI are hereby invited in two bid system from the reputed, experienced and bonafide Contractors/ Suppliers/ Nurseries having sufficient credential and financial capabilities for supplying the following seeds to the different Blocks of West Bengal

STATEMENT OF SUPPLY

| Item to be supplied | Variety | Place of delivery | Period of Completion of supply |
|---------------------|------------|-----------------------|--|
| Coconut seednuts | ECT | Blocks of West Bengal | 10 days from the date of issue of supply order |
| Arecanut seednut | Mohitnagar | | |

2.Scope of Work

- I. The WBSFPDCL, hereinafter referred to as the Tender Inviting Authority, seeks bids for supply of the Coconut seeds and Arecanut Seeds, as specified in Annexure-I, from reputed, experienced and bonafide Contractor/ Suppliers/ Nurseries having sufficient experience for supply of seeds.
- II. The successful Bidder has to supply the Coconut seednut of recommended Variety and in specified quantity to the different Block of West Bengal within stipulated time without fail.

3. Date and Time Schedule

| Sl. No. | PARTICULARS | DATE & TIME |
|---------|---|-----------------------------|
| 1. | <i>Date of uploading (Publishing) of N.I.T. and other Documents(Online)</i> | 23.09.2021 |
| 2. | <i>Documents download start date (Online)</i> | 23.09.2021 |
| 3. | <i>Bid proposal submission start date (Online)</i> | 23.09.2021 |
| 5. | <i>Documents download end date(Online)</i> | 01.10.2021 |
| 6. | <i>Bid proposal Submission end date(Online)</i> | 01.10.2021 |
| 7. | <i>Date & Time of opening of technical bids(Online)</i> | 04.10.2021 |
| 9. | <i>Uploading of Technical Bid Evaluation Sheet</i> | <i>To be informed later</i> |

4. Eligibility criteria for participation in the Tender

- i. The prospective Bidders must have valid Trade license/ Certificate of Enlistment, PAN, GST Registration Certificate, IT return for any two financial/ assessment years within the period from 2018-19 to 2020-2021
- ii. The prospective Bidder should have credential of an amount not less than Rs.2,00,000/ (Rupees Two lakh only) for supplying any nursery item/ seeds items to any State/Central Government Organizations or State/Central Govt. Undertakings or Statutory Bodies or Local Bodies or Parastatals or any reputed organization within the last two completed financial years
- iii. The Bidder must have the copy of the Payment Certificate or Work Completion Certificate, as the case may be, issued under the signature of the Competent Authority/certified by the licensed Chartered Accountant for execution of the work of similar nature. The said Certificate should contain the particulars of the items supplied, period of supply and the total value of supply.

5. Mandatory documents requirement

A. For Technical Proposal

The technical proposal shall contain the signed and scanned copies of the following-

- i. EOI DOCUMENT
- ii. Application in Annexure-II
- iii. Payment Certificate or Work Completion Certificate as referred in Clause 4 above
- iv. PAN Card
- v. Valid Trade License/ Certificate of Enlistment (valid as on 31.03.2020)
- vi. Income Tax Return for any two financial/ assessment years within the period from 2016 – 2018-19 to 2020-2021
- vii. GST Registration Certificate

The requisite documents are to be submitted in the respective folder of the E-Tender portal. Failure in submission of any of the above documents may render the Bidder liable to be rejected.

B. For Financial Proposal

The Financial proposal should contain-

Bill of Quantity (BOQ):- The Bidder is to quote the rate online in the space marked for quoting Zone wise rate per piece in the BOQ.

The rate is to be quoted in figure as well as in words.

The participant will be rejected in case it is uploaded in the folder of Technical Bid.

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Registration of Bidders

Any Bidder willing to take part in the process of e- Tendering will have to be enrolled and registered with the Government e-Procurement system/ Portal, <http://www.wbtenders.gov.in>. Each Bidder is to obtain a **Digital Signature Certificate** for submission of tenders from the approved Service Provider of the National Informatics Centre (NIC).

2. Collection of Bid Documents

The Bidder can search and download EOI and Tender Documents electronically from the Government e-Procurement system using the Digital Signature Certificate. This is the only mode of collection of Tender Documents.

3. Submission of Tender

Tenders are to be submitted online on the website <http://www.wbtenders.gov.in> in two folders at a time, one in Technical Proposal and the other in Financial Proposal, before the prescribed date and time ,using the Digital Signature Certificate. The documents submitted by the Bidder should be properly indexed and self-attested with seal.

4. Responsive Bidders

Prospective applicants are advised to note carefully the minimum qualification criteria before tendering the bids. Conditional/ incomplete tender will not be accepted under any circumstances. Bidders fulfilling all conditions and criteria set forth and qualifying in the Technical Bid as well as making submission of Financial Bid in stipulated manner shall be considered responsive.

5. Quoting the rates in BOQ

- a. The intending Bidders are required to quote the rate online. No offline Tender will be entertained.
- b. Bidders are to quote the rate Zone Wise per piece for supply of the Seednut at any destination of the **Block** of the Districts of West Bengal falling under the particular Zone.
- c. All Tender prices quoted in the BOQ shall be inclusive of all kind of Taxes, Cess, charges including packaging, transportation, loading, unloading, carrying and delivery upto the destination, losses, insurance, if any etc.
- d. The price should be firm, final and irrevocable and not subject to any change whatsoever even due to increase in cost of materials, other components, labor cost etc. and any changes or imposition of statutory levies till the completion of supply as per order

6. Rate Validity

The rate shall remain effective ordinarily up to 365 days from the date of acceptance of Tender which may be extended further with mutual consent between the bidder and WBSFPHDCL unless terminated prematurely at its discretion and satisfaction.

7. Evaluation of Tenders for qualifying in Technical Bid

- i. All Tenders will be evaluated and compared on the basis of the submitted documents. The Tender Inviting and Accepting Authority will determine the eligibility of each bidder through a Tender Committee. The bidders shall have to satisfy all the clauses specified in eligibility criteria.
- ii. Technical proposal will be opened first by the Authorized representative of the WBSFPHDCL electronically using Digital Signature Certificate
- iii. The Bidders may remain present at the office of WBSFPHDCL during opening of Technical Proposals, if they so desire.
- iv. Technical Proposals complete in all respect will only be accepted and qualify for next stage of evaluation.

9. Evaluation of Tender for qualifying in Financial Bid

- i. Financial proposals of only those Bidders declared technically eligible by the Tender Inviting Authority will be opened electronically on the web portal on the prescribed date.
- ii. The encrypted copies will be decrypted and the rates will be downloaded and read out to the Bidders remaining present at that time and to be handed over to the Tender Committee.
- iii. Pursuant to the scrutiny and decision of the Tender Committee, the summary list of eligible Bidders whose Financial Proposals will be considered will be uploaded in the web portal.
- iv. Lowest quoted rate shall normally be accepted. However, the Tender Inviting Authority reserves the right to accepting a bid other than the lowest on a specific ground to be recorded in writing.
- v. The Tender Inviting Authority does not bind itself to accept any or all bids and reserves the right to reject any or all bids without assigning any reason whatsoever.

10. Issue of supply order

The supply order will be issued to the L1 Bidder for supplying the indented quantity of the materials within 3 days after opening of the financial bids.

Before issuance of the supply order, the Tender Inviting Authority may physically verify the credentials and other documents of the lowest bidder if found necessary.

After verification, if it is found that the documents submitted by the lowest bidder are either manufactured or false, in that case, supply order will not be issued in favour of the said bidder under any circumstance and the Earnest Money deposited to this effect will be forfeited.

11. Completion period of supply

The Supplier shall undertake to complete the supply within 10 days from the date of placing the supply order.

12. Adherence to the prescribed Specifications

No deviation from the specifications prescribed by the Corporation will be accepted by the Authority.

13. Right to accept any bid and/ or to reject any or all bids

The Corporation reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to annul the tendering process and all bids prior to issue supply order, without thereby, incurring any liability to the affected Bidder or Bidders or any liability to inform the Bidder of the ground for such action.

14. Delay in supply

It is emphasized by the Corporation and understood by the supplier that the period of delivery, stipulated in the supply order is the essence of the work. It is admitted by the supplier that any delay in delivery may obviate the necessity of supply and thereby affect the interest of the Corporation. If the reason of delay is beyond the control of the Bidder, then it should be communicated to the Corporation in writing for its necessary intervention.

15. Delivery of material

- a. The bidder has to supply the indented item upto the *Block* level of the concerned District within 10 working days from the date of receipt of the supply order.
- b. The delivery time will be within 10 AM to 5 PM. The bidder shall contact the receiving authority before supply of the indented items.
- c. The materials will be checked thoroughly by the recipient Authority at the point of delivery and put their finding with regards to the quality and quantity on the body of the supply challan. Sufficient time will be provided by the Bidder for checking the quantity and quality of the supplied materials at delivery point.
- d. The substandard materials (if any), lacking the specification, will be rejected outright and the bidder will be liable to replace the said quantity within 7 calendar days from the date of such rejection.
- e. Prior to putting the Certificate/ Acknowledgement on the challans, the recipient authority shall satisfy himself of the quality and quantity.

15. Grounds for Disqualification

- i. During scrutiny or at any stage of bidding process or even after issuance of supply order, if it comes to the notice of the Tender Inviting Authority that the Bidder has wilfully made any

misleading or false representation in the documents/ statements and attachments submitted as the proof of the qualification requirements

- ii. If the Bidder fails to complete the supply within the period stipulated in the supply order due to his own fault/ inconvenience

Then in both the cases, the Corporation shall reserve the right to forfeit the Earnest Money deposited by the Bidder and also debar him from participation in the Tender process of the Corporation for the next 3(three) consecutive years.

16. Disputes

In the event of any question/dispute or difference arising between WBSFP&HDCL and the Agency on any matter covered by these Terms & Conditions or arising directly or indirectly therefrom or connected with these Terms & Conditions in any manner, the matter shall be sorted out between the Managing Director, WBSFP&HDCL and the Agency and in the case of non-resolution of dispute the matter shall be referred to the ACS/Pr Secretary/Secretary of the Department of Food Processing Industries and Horticulture, Govt. of West Bengal. When at that level the dispute is not resolved, the dispute would be resolved by the sole Arbitrator appointed jointly by the two parties and his award shall be final.

The High Court of Calcutta alone shall have jurisdiction to adjudicate thereon.

The place of Arbitration will be Kolkata and the language shall be English

17. Negotiations

It is clarified that normally no rate negotiation will be done and therefore the Bidders should quote their lowest prices only, however, the Corporation may negotiate the rates with the L1 Bidder in exigencies, if required to do so.

18. Payment of Bill

- i. 20% of the Bill value will be released to the Supplier within 20 days from the date of supply and on submission of Bill in duplicate along with the receipted Challans duly certified by the recipient authority.
- ii. Balance 80% payment will be made on receipt of the satisfactory germination report from the Competent Authority after 45 days from the date of supply.
- ii. Concerned Statutory deduction, if any, will be deducted from the supplier's bill. No Mobilization Advance and Secured Advance will be allowed.

S/d

**MANAGING DIRECTOR
WBSFP&HDCL**

ANNEXURE – I

Name of the item: Coconut Seednut

Variety: East Coast Tall

Desired quantity and specification:

| Sl. No. | Particulars | Description |
|---------|---------------|--|
| 1 | Specification | Well matured ,minimum weight of 700 to 800gm per nut. Seed Coconut should contained liquid (Water) inside Karnel. |

Name of the item: Arecanut Seednut

Variety: Moithnagar

Desired quantity and specification:

| Sl. No. | Particulars | Description |
|---------|---------------|--|
| 1 | Specification | Well matured, average weight not less than 50 gm. per nut. |

Annexure -II

Application for participation in Technical bid

To,
The Managing Director
WBSFP&HDCL
Benfish Tower (6th floor)
31, G.N, Salt Lake
Kolkata- 700091

Sub: Supply of Coconut seednut and Arecanut Seed Nut
EOI No. 50/WBSFPHDCL/1770/2021-22 Date: 23.09.2021

Sir/Madam,

Having examined the terms & conditions of the above EOI, I do hereby submit the following information and relevant documents for furtherance of my proposal for participation in the tender -

Eligibility Particulars

| Sl.No. | Particulars | Details thereof |
|--------|--|-------------------------------|
| 1. | Name of the Bidder | |
| 2. | a) Full Office address | |
| | b) E-Mail I.D. | |
| | c) Mobile No. | |
| 3. | Name of the contact person with Mobile Number | |
| 4. | Documents to be submitted by the Bidder (Scanned copies to be uploaded) | Whether uploaded (Yes / No) |
| | a. EOI documents | |
| | b. Payment certificate/ work completion certificate | |
| | c. PAN Card | |
| | d. Trade License/ Certificate of Enlistment | Valid up to- |
| | e. Income Tax Return for any two financial/ assessment years within the period from 2018 – 19 to 2020 - 21 | |
| | f. GST Registration Certificate | |
| 5 | Any other points considered to furnish | |

UNDERTAKING

- i. I undertake that all of the above information and documents furnished against the prescribed columns are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
- ii. I have also gone through all the terms & conditions meticulously and I undertake to comply with same sacrosanctly.
- iv. The rate quoted by me will be valid and binding upon me for the entire period as stipulated in the EOI.
- v. If I fail to complete the supply within the period stipulated in the supply order due to my own fault/ inconvenience, the Corporation shall reserve the right to forfeit the Earnest Money deposited by me in this regard and also debar me from participation in the Tender process of the Corporation for the following 3(three) consecutive years .
- vi. I shall maintain the specifications of the materials as per EOI and shall replace the sub-standard materials at my own cost .
- vii. I undertake that I have not been debarred/ delisted by any State/Central Government Organization or State/Central Govt. Undertakings or Statutory Bodies or Local Bodies or Parastatals during the last three consecutive years up to the last date of submission of Tender.

Date:

Signature of the Applicant

Place: