Corrigendum –II

For (PR No. 1000022582) RFx No. 6100000965

Storage boxes with 125TB per box

Changes in General Terms & Conditions mentioned below:

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS: (Changed clauses)

Bidders are advised to read all the clauses mentioned in the tender carefully. Submitting your solution implies that you agree to act as per the terms and conditions mentioned in the tender.

1. The bidder shall bear all the costs during the preparation and submission of the proposal, site visit, POC (proof of concept) of the equipment at IIT Bombay premises, (if required), etc.

2. No new information will be accepted from the bidder after the submission of the bids. However, IIT Bombay may ask for clarifications, POC (proof of concept) of the equipment and if needed may visit the manufacturing unit for the inspection/verification. if required, on submitted information in order to evaluate the bid. The bidder should respond to such a clarification request within the specified time.

3. POC may involve actual equipment to be given to IIT Bombay for testing and evaluation. The committee will inform the bidders the parameters of testing and evaluation before POC. After evaluation the committee’s decision will be binding to the bidders.

4. The bidders may be requested to come to IIT Bombay and present the solutions proposed in their technical bids.

5. The bidder has to quote for all the items mentioned in the specification. On failing to do the same, IIT Bombay may invalidate the bid and disqualify the bidder.

6. The quoted product must be the most recent or currently supported models, and that they incorporate all recent improvements in design and materials. On
failing to do the same, IIT Bombay may invalidate the bid and disqualify the bidder.

7. Due to a stringent deadline for incurring the expenditure, IIT Bombay has the right to **cancel the PO or charge the penalty** if the delivery, installation, and acceptance testing is not completed within the stipulated timeline. Specifically
   a. Delivery should be within **eight weeks** of issuing of PO.
   b. Installation, commissioning, and acceptance testing should complete within **two weeks of the delivery**.

8. The purchase committee will make the final decision on the quantity of purchase after evaluating the proposals. The actual quantity purchased could be lower or higher up to 20% of indicated quantity.

9. At the time of installation, if it is found that some additional hardware or software items are required to meet the operational requirement of the configuration but not included in the OEM’s original list of deliverables, the OEM shall supply such items to ensure the completeness of the configuration at no extra cost.

10. Bidders should submit only the necessary documentation related to this tender with a proper index highlighting the required technical specs in the product documentation that matches the tender specs or asked by the purchaser with page numbers. Failure to do the same will invalidate the bid and result in disqualification.

11. Bidder is not allowed to outsource any work mentioned in the scope of work for this tender to a third party.

12. As per government of India’s rules, if any bidder wants to claim any kind of purchase preference and/or exemptions to the experience and eligibility criteria. Then the bidder has to exactly match the quality and technical specifications specified in this tender.

13. Along with the technical bid, the bidder has to submit the compliance sheet as per the given format in Annexure-V and complete bill of material (BoM). Failure to do the same will invalidate the bid and result in disqualification.

14. The bidder has to give an undertaking of acceptance of all terms & conditions along with the technical bid on the company’s letterhead as per the format given in Annexure-III. Failure to do the same will invalidate the bid and result in disqualification.

15. The bidder has to give an undertaking of authenticity along with the technical bid on the company’s letterhead as per the format mentioned in Annexure-I. Failure to do the same will invalidate the bid and result in disqualification.

16. IIT Bombay reserves the right to accept or reject, in full or in part, any or all the offers if a) seller fails to comply with any material term of the contract; b) seller fails to deliver the material(s) or any part thereof within the stipulated delivery period and/or fails to replace/rectify any rejected or defective material(s) promptly; c) seller becomes bankrupt or goes into liquidation or the seller makes a general assignment for the benefit of the creditors or a receiver is appointed for any substantial property owned by the seller; d) seller has misrepresented to buyer.

17. IIT Bombay does not bind itself to accept the lowest bid or any other bid and reserves the right to reject all or any bid or cancel the Tender without giving any reason whatsoever.

18. IIT Bombay also reserves the right to re-issue the tender without any explanation. The bidders will not have any right to object to such re-issue of tender.
19. IIT Bombay reserves the right to terminate the order/tender/PO if the bidder/OEM violates any of the terms and conditions of the tender.

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