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NOTICE INVITING TENDER

1. GMDC proposes to undertake progressive development, exploration of unexplored areas, diversion of surface features, operate the Mata No Madh Lignite Mine, deliver Lignite to GMDC and achieve Mine Closer by appointing a Mine Developer cum Operator (MDO). The MDO shall be appointed for opencast mining and other associated activities.
2. GMDC desires to select a technically competent and financially sound MDO to make the relevant investments for this mining project for remaining of its life and undertake all the activities necessary for planning, development and operation of lignite mine and to supply & deliver lignite to GMDC at its Delivery Point(s) and achieve mine closure at competitive price.
3. Bidder can purchase the Bid Document from GMDC, Head Office, Ahmedabad.
4. The interested Bidder is required to make payment of Cost of Bid Document (INR 1,18,000) in form of Demand Draft/Banker's cheque/RTGS payment in favour of Gujarat Mineral Development Corporation Ltd., payable at any Scheduled Bank at Ahmedabad atleast 2 days before last date of purchase of Bid Document and obtain a complete set of Bid Documents. The Bid Document charges submitted by the Bidder are non-refundable.
5. A bidder can form consortium even after purchase of bid document and any one member of the bidding consortium can purchase bid document.
6. Notice Inviting Tender is in brief. For further details, the Bidder shall refer the Bid Document. For further clarification Sr. General Manager (Tech.), GMDC Ahmedabad may be contacted at:

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SCHEDULE OF THE TENDER PROCESS

Sl.No.	Event	Date
1.	Publication of advertisement in newspapers (in English, Hindi and Gujarati national)	14 th December 2018
2.	Date of issue of Bid Document and NIT	14 th December 2018 onwards
3.	Last date for purchase of the Bid Documents from GMDC	04 th January 2019
4.	Mata No Madh Mine preferable visit dates/ duration	21 th December 2018
5.	Last date for receipt of pre-bid queries (queries to be submitted by bidder to GMDC through emails to tech@gmdcltd.com and lp@gmdcltd.com)	24 th December 2018
6.	Pre-bid meeting	26 th December 2018 at GMDC Head Office, Ahmedabad (Interested Bidders, who have purchased Bid document will only be allowed to attend pre-bid meeting)
7.	Responses to pre-bid queries, Addendum/ Corrigendum to be issued by GMDC	Minimum 1 (one) week prior to due date of Bid Submission
8.	Last date and time for submission of Technical Proposal in hard copies at GMDC Head Office, Ahmedabad and online submission of Financial Proposal at the online portal	Upto 07 th January 2019 at 1500 Hrs
9.	Opening of Technical Proposals and envelopes submitted by bidders - containing the original documents related to bid submission (in presence of bidders who choose to attend)	07 th January 2019 at 1600 Hrs
10.	Announcement of the Eligible Bidders	To be intimated later
11.	Demo of online reverse Bidding Process	To be intimated to Bidders who have purchased Bid Document
12.	Opening of Initial Price Offer of the Eligible Bidders	To be intimated later to Eligible Bidders
13.	Intimation to the Qualified Bidders for second round of bidding (online reserve bidding)	To be intimated later to Qualified Bidders
14.	Reverse Bidding (E-Bidding) at online service provider's portal & finalisation of Selected Bidder	To be intimated later
15.	Issue of Letter of Award (LOA)	To be intimated later to the Selected Bidder



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16.	Incorporation of JVC/SPV (Project Company), if required	Within 15 days of issue of LoA
17.	Performance Security	As detailed in the Lignite Mining Services Agreement
18.	Signing of Lignite Mining Services Agreement	Within 30 days of issue of LoA



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TENDER AT A GLANCE

1.	Documents to be issued to the Bidder	(a) RFP, Draft Lignite Mining Services Agreement (b) GR, Mining Plan and other technical reports
2.	Bid Documents to be purchased by Bidder from GMDC office	Bid Documents can be purchased from GMDC office at below address:- Mr. G. C. Darji, Sr. Manager (Survey) 7 th floor, Khanij Bhavan, 132' Ring Road, University Ground Vastrapur, Ahmedabad 380 052
3.	Details of Mining Lease	Mine Owner: Gujarat Mineral Development Corporation Ltd. (GMDC), Name of the Mine: Mata No Madh Lignite Mine, Status of Mine Lease: Mata-No-Madh lignite block is located in Village Mata-No-Madh, Taluk Lakhpat, District Kutch Gujarat. The lignite production from the geological deposit was commenced in year 2002 - 2003. The first mining plan was prepared for lignite production capacity of 0.6 MTPA for lease area of 1314-71-83 Ha. and was approved by the Ministry of Coal vide letter dated 13 th October 1994. Subsequently Revised Mining Plan was prepared for increased production of lignite which was approved by Ministry of Coal for Lignite production capacity of 2.4 MTPA vide letter dated 10 th February 2010. The Environmental Clearance was granted on 31 st August 2010 vide letter dated 31-08-2010 from MOEF for 2.4 MTPA capacity mine. Further, with the increase in demand of lignite by different consumer industries, the mine plan was revised second time for increased production of 4.8 MTPA, which was again approved by Ministry of Coal vide letter dated 19 th August, 2014. Now, with further increase in reserves, approval of 3 rd revised Mining Plan followed by environmental clearance is required.
4.	Brief of Scope of Work	The scope of the MDO shall include all the activities required to ensure progressive development and operation of the Mata No Madh mine and deliver Lignite up to the Delivery Point(s) of GMDC including exploration in the unexplored areas, shifting of surface features, and assistance in acquisition of remaining land and ultimately achieve mine closure as further detailed below: (a) Revision of Mining Plan till end of Life of Mine. (b) Obtain Environmental Clearance as per revised Mining Plan (c) Progressive development of the Mine on the Site specified in accordance with the provisions of draft LMSA, and conforming to the Specifications, Standards and the Approved Mining Plan. It is clarified that GMDC will provide at least one free face from the existing working for taking forward excavation work; (d) Operation and maintenance of Mine in accordance with the provisions of draft LMSA; (e) Excavation and Delivery of Lignite in accordance with the



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		<p>provisions of draft LMSA;</p> <p>(f) Transportation of Lignite from Mine to ATPS, as instructed by GMDC;</p> <p>(g) Transportation of Ash from ATPS to Panandhro mine voids, as instructed by GMDC;</p> <p>(h) Progressive and final Mine closure activities as per approved Mine Closure Plan (as may be applicable time to time);</p> <p>(i) Exploration of the areas (approx. 125 Ha.) remaining unexplored in the lease area of Mata No Madh Mine, as identified in this tender document as per applicable law to establish Lignite Reserve;</p> <p>(j) Shifting of surface features such as roads, nala, power lines, water lines, telecommunication line, shifting of office structure (if needed);</p> <p>(k) Acquisition/ taking possession of remaining land. It is clarified that MDO will not represent GMDC in matters pending in the Court of Law. However, MDO will assist GMDC in incidental activities related to land acquisition/ possession;</p> <p>(l) Performance and fulfillment of all other obligations of the MDO and matters incidental thereto or necessary for the performance of any or all of the obligations of the MDO</p>
5.	Contract Period	<p>The contract period shall ordinarily be for 10(ten) years from the Appointed Date. The same may be extended further, if there is increase in present reserves base (27.0 million tonnes) available to MDO, after exploration activities in 125 Ha. unexplored area.</p>
6.	Qualification Routes	<p>Bidder may participate through one of the two routes provided below. The Proposal is to be submitted by:-</p> <p>(a) Route A: the Bidder who would be sole Bidder, should be a Company registered in India under Indian Companies Act 1956 or 2013 or</p> <p>(b) Route B: Bidding Consortium (maximum 2 members), each Member of which shall be any company registered in India under Indian Companies Act 1956 or 2013.</p> <p>It is clarified that no other form of entity other than registered in India under Indian Companies Act 1956 or 2013 would be allowed.</p> <p>Route A: The Bidding Company</p> <p>(a) Under Route A, the Bidder (Sole Bidder) meeting the Technical and Financial Criteria on its own, on standalone basis.</p>



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- (b) If the Selected Bidder is a Bidding Company, and if it forms a special purpose vehicle (SPV) to act as the MDO, it shall hold 100% of the equity in the MDO throughout the Contract period. Notwithstanding the formation of the SPV, the Selected Bidder shall be jointly and severally responsible with the SPV for performance of the obligations contemplated under the Bid Document.

Route B: Bidding Consortium

- (a) A Bidding Consortium shall comprise of only two members.
- (b) The Bidding Consortium shall comprise of a Lead member and Other Member holding minimum of 51% and 26% equity interest respectively in the Bidding Consortium.
- (c) In case the Bidder is a Bidding Consortium, the Proposal must be submitted in the name of the Bidding Consortium signed by the Authorised Representative of the Consortium who shall be an employee/officer of the Lead Member.
- (d) In case the Bidder is a Bidding Consortium, Lead Member shall meet atleast either Technical Criteria or Financial Criteria on its own in entirety. It is clarified that Lead Member can meet both criteria on its own as well.
- (e) Technical and Financial Criteria can be met by either member of the Bidding Consortium however it is clarified that entire Technical Criteria shall be met by only one member. Similarly entire Financial Criteria would be met by any one member in entirety.
- (f) In case the Bidder is a Bidding Consortium, the members are not allowed to take strength from their Subsidiary Company or Holding Company.
- (g) Any company whether by itself or through its Promoters, Affiliates, Associate and/ or its Subsidiary (ies) and/ or its Holding company (ies) cannot be a member of more than one Bidding Consortium.
- (h) In case the Bidder is a Bidding Consortium, each member of the Consortium should have positive Net worth as on the last date of FY 17-18 i.e. 31st March, 2018.
- (i) Both the Members in the consortium shall be severally and jointly responsible for all liabilities including operational, financial, legal, environmental and technical liabilities on behalf of the Bidding Consortium.
- (j) Change in the members of the Bidding Consortium shall not be permitted during the Bidding Process and throughout the Contract Period, except with the written permission from GMDC, such prior written approval of GMDC shall be issued at its sole discretion.



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		<p>(k) If the Selected Bidder is a Consortium, Consortium shall incorporate a JV company with each partner of the Consortium holding equity as per their proposal. The Lead Member shall hold at least 51% of the equity of the JV Company/ MDO throughout the Contract Period. The Other Member shall hold at least 26% of the equity of the JV Company/ MDO throughout Contract period. The JV Company/ Project Company shall not undertake any other business during the Contract Period except for the execution of the project or in connection therewith.</p> <p>(l) In case of Bidding Consortium, Bid Security can be submitted by any member of the Consortium.</p>
7.	Eligibility Criteria	<p>(a) Technical Criteria: The Bidder shall fulfil the Technical Criteria as mentioned below:</p> <p>The Bidder as a Mining Contractor, should have operated coal/Lignite mines and produced an aggregate volume of at least 26 MBCM (combined OB and coal/Lignite) on an average annual basis in FY 2015-16, FY 2016-17 and FY 2017-18 from a maximum of three opencast coal/Lignite mines. The experience from non-coal/non-Lignite mines shall not be considered.</p> <p>Further, Bidder should have operated Coal/Lignite mines and produced, on an average annual basis, at least 10 MBCM of aggregate volume of combined Coal/Lignite and OB from one single mine including at least 2.7 MTPA of coal / Lignite on an average annual basis during the same period i.e. FY 2015- 16, FY 2016-17 and FY 2017-18.</p> <p>And</p> <p>The Bidder shall provide proof of getting at least one MDO either individually or through consortium for its eligibility. The word 'MDO' means a long term contract (not being a mining lease) awarded for development and operation of coal/ Lignite block. The MDO shall be a contract with term 7 years or more.</p> <p>(b) Financial Criteria: The Bidder shall fulfil the Financial Criteria as mentioned below:</p> <p>(a) The Bidder shall have to fulfil the Net worth requirement of at least INR 125 Crores (INR One hundred twenty five Crores) as on 31st March 2018.</p> <p align="center">AND</p> <p>(b) The Bidder shall have to fulfil the average annual Turnover requirement of at least INR 450 Crores (INR Four hundred fifty Crores) during FY 2015-16, FY 2016-17 and FY 2017-18.</p>
8.	Manner of Proposal submission	Bidder must submit Technical and Financial Proposal in the manner prescribed in the Bid Document.



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		<p>In first stage, Technical Proposal shall be submitted in hard copy as per the formats provided in the RFP including online submission of Financial Proposal (Initial Price Offer or IPO).</p> <p>In second stage, E- Bidding (Reverse Bidding) would be conducted through online portal for determination of Final Price Offer (FPO). Online portal details and participation process will be communicated to participating Bidders separately.</p>
9.	Validity of Proposal submitted	Proposal should be valid for a period of at least 240 days from the Bid Submission Date.
10.	Amount and Validity of Bid Security	INR 10.0 Crores (INR Ten crores) and should be valid for 240 days from the Bid Submission Date with further claim period of 45 days beyond the validity date of Bid Security