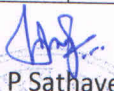


NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT) for supply, installation, testing & commissioning of 27 Desktop Computers at NABARD, Gujarat Regional Office, Ahmedabad against buyback of 14 Desktop PCs

Pre- bid meeting held on 28 January 2019- Clarifications on the issues raised therein

Sr No	Clarification sought	Clarification by NABARD
(1)	(2)	(4)
1	Small Form Factor(SFF): Both the vendors who attended the meeting suggested for inclusion of 'Tower', which according to them would make more brands eligible for the bid.	SFF machines only will be reckoned for bid.
2	Warranty: The vendors informed that the default warranty in most of the equipment is three years and wondered therefore, why 1 year warranty has been sought.	These are minimum specifications. Price will be reckoned for 1 year warranty only.
3	CPU - Intel i5-7500 Processor with 3.4 GHz or equivalent – The vendor enquired that whether equivalent of the specified Intel CPU like AMD can be included for CPU. In this connection, he informed that the specified Intel CPU processor is already obsolete and currently Intel I5-8400/8500 are available in the market.	These are the minimum specifications.
4	EMD- Exemption for MSME- The vendors stated that as they are registered as MSME, according to Gol guidelines, they may be exempted from furnishing EMD.	NABARD, Head office have clarified that 'Bid Security/ EMD is obtained from bidders to safeguard against a bidder's withdrawing or altering the bid during the bid validity period (except MSEs as defined in MSE Procurement Policy issued by Gol or bidders who are registered with Central Procurement Organisation or empaneled with NABARD itself)' .
5	Buy Back- Can NABARD issue invoice for the buyback equipments? If so then GST would be required to be borne by NABARD in this regard.	We will provide the machines under buy-back on 'as is where is' basis.
6	Operating System – Windows 10 professional – Machines will be preloaded with the certified OS. OS with media will be extra cost.	Machines will be provided with media only.


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