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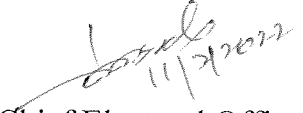
Patna, date 11 February, 2022.

CORRIGENDUM

In partial modification of this office e-Tender, NIB No. 02 dated 01.02.2022, "Production and Supply of Holograms for PVC Elector's Photo Identity Cards (EPIC) as per ECI guidelines", the following correction/amendment is being made:-

Sl. No.	Clause of bid document	Content of bid document	Amended/Updated content
1.	PART-III: ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA 1. Pre-Qualification Criteria: at serial no. 10 Page No. 17	Pre-Qualification Criteria The bidder must be certified under Security Certification – TUV-ASP (Formerly known as HOMAI) Hologram Security Standards.	Supporting Documents The bidder must be certified under Security Certification – TUV- ASP (Formerly known as HOMAI) or HSSMS Hologram Security Standards.

The other terms and conditions will remain the same.


Joint Chief Electoral Officer
Office of the CEO, Bihar

MINUTES OF PRE-BID MEETING

Brief Description of Procurement: **Production and Supply of Holograms for PVC Elector's Photo Identity Cards (EPIC)**

Bid Ref. NIB No. – 02 dated 01.02.2022

Date and Time of Pre-Bid Meeting: 08.02.2022 at 11:00 AM


Venue of Pre-Bid Meeting: Office of the CEO, Bihar

The list of attendees is enclosed as annexure - 1.

At the outset, the CEO, Bihar welcomed all the representatives of the prospective bidders who chose to be present and briefed in general about the requirement of the desired work, i.e. Production and Supply of Holograms for PVC Elector's Photo Identity Cards (EPIC).

The timeline mentioned in the RFP was reiterated. The e-tender was floated on 01.02.2022 on the State eProc portal, and pre-bid queries were invited by 05:00 PM on or before 06.02.2022. The queries were taken up bidder wise, and clarifications were given on the relevant queries (**clarifications enclosed as annexure – 2**). The participants also raised queries, which were appropriately responded to by the CEO, Bihar.

The representatives present were informed that the corrections/additions/clarifications given, as discussed during the pre-bid meeting, would be uploaded on the state eProc and CEO websites. Further corrigendum to the existing RFP would be uploaded on the portal. Prospective bidders to refer to both the RFP and the corrigendum before submitting the bid.


Joint Chief Electoral Officer
Office of the CEO, Bihar

Pre-Bid Meeting (Date - 08.02.2022)

Production and Supply of Holograms for PVC Electors Photo Identity Cards (EPIC)

Sl. No.	Name of the Firm/Company	Name and Designation of Representative	Signature
1	2	3	4
1	Ajay Tripathi Mortgage Enterprises Pvt Ltd.	Ajay Tripathi Manager	Ajay Tripathi 08/02/2022
2	S Hussain M & S Advertising Services	S Hussain	S Hussain 08/02/2022
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Response to pre-bid queries for Production and Supply of Holograms for PVC Elector's Photo Identity Cards (EPIC)

NIB no. – 02, Dated – 01.02.2022

Sl. No.	RFP Document reference(s) (Section and Page Number(s))	Content of RFP requiring Clarification(s)	Point of Clarification(s)	Response
1.	Clause No. – 02 Page No. - 15	Turnover of at least Rs 1 Crore (Rupees One Crore only) from Security holographic hot stamping foil for stamping on PVC card within India only, during the previous three Financial years (2018- 2019,2019-2020 and 2020-2021)	To produce Holographic Hot Stamping Foil, the company must have Master Origination Machine i.e. the company must be a manufacturer of Security Holograms with various Master Origination and Non Master Origination Security Features. Hence it is suggested to amend the condition as follows: Turnover of at least Rs 1 Crore (Rupees One Crore only) from 'Security holographic hot stamping foil for stamping on PVC card' or 'from manufacturing & supply of Polyester based Security Holograms' within India only, during the previous three Financial years (2018- 2019,2019-2020 and 2020-2021). The suggested condition shall pave the way for the participation of more number of bidders who are technically more capable of producing Holographic Products. With an opportunity of a healthy competition, the Department shall be in a position of gaining maximum benefit of zeroing in on the most capable yet cost efficient supplier.	No Change
2.	Clause No. – 08 Page No. - 16	The bidder must have Successfully "completed" OR completed part of the projects of Security holographic hot stamping foil for stamping on PVC card within India only during last five	The product in question i.e. Holographic Hot Stamping Foil can only be manufactured by companies which have all Holographic Infrastructure in place within their premises and all the processes are carried out in-house.	No Change

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		<p>years awarded by Government/PSUs/Banks/NPCI of the following values as on 21.03.2021</p> <p>(a) One project of not less than Rs. 50 lakhs or</p> <p>(b) Two projects costing not less than Rs 25 Lakh each.</p> <p>or</p> <p>(c) Three projects costing not less than Rs 20 Lakh each</p>	<p>In this respect, it is suggested to include the projects for the supply of Security Holograms also. It is suggested to revise the condition as follows:</p> <p>The bidder must have successfully “completed” OR completed part of the projects of ‘Security holographic hot stamping foil for stamping on PVC card’ or ‘Polyester based Security Holograms’ within India only during last five years awarded by Government/ PSUs/Banks/NPCI of the following values as on 21.03.2021</p> <p>(a) One project of not less than Rs. 50 lakhs or</p> <p>(b) Two projects costing not less than Rs 25 Lakh each or</p> <p>(c) Three projects costing not less than Rs 20 Lakh each</p> <p>A slight amendment as requested above shall ensure more number of bidders participating in the tender which shall be beneficial to the Department/Procuring Entity.</p>	
3.	Part-III, Table-1, Item-2 Page No. - 15	The Bidder’s Average Annual Turnover of at least Rs.1 Crore (Rupees One Crore only) from Security Holographic Hot Stamping Foil for stamping on PVC card within India only, during the previous three Financial years (2018-19, 2019-20 and 2020-21)	We are the leading supplier of Holographic Security products & supply hundreds of crores of foil for variation applications. We have supplied foil for PVC also. However, it is requested to change the same to experience rather than value.	Not Considered
4.	Part-III, Table-1, Item-8	The bidder must have successfully “completed” OR “completed part of		

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	Page No. - 16	<p>the ongoing” projects of Security holographic hot stamping foil for stamping on PVC card within India only during last five years awarded by Government/PSUs/Banks/NPCI of the following values as on 21.03.2021</p> <p>(a) One project of not less than Rs.50 lakhs or</p> <p>(b) Two projects costing not less than Rs.25 Lakh each or</p> <p>(c) Three projects than Rs.20 Lakh each</p>		
5.	Part-III, Table-1,Item-6 Page No. - 16	The Bidder should be a member of Authentication Solution Providers Association (ASPA) at the time of bid submission.	<p>TUV-ASPA certificate has equivalent of HSSMS Certificate which has been confirmed by ASPA in mail attached. Hence it may be changed as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASPA membership 	<p>No Change Bidder should be member of ASPA</p>
6.	Part-III, Table-1, Item-10 Page No. - 17	The bidder must be certified under Security Certification-TUV-ASPA (Formerly known as HOMAI) Hologram Security Standards.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TUV- ASPA or HSSMS 	<p>Accepted The Bidder must be certified under Security Certification – TUV – ASPA (Formerly known as HOMAI) or HSSMS Hologram Security Standard.</p>