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1	RFP, Pg. 21, Annexure V	Schedule of Price Bid	Request CG MARKFED to confirm that the percentage should be calculated on Estimated Bid value as the estimated bid value is 6.5 Cr hence it is not clear whether we have to quote a percentage of the bid value on GeM portal.	Percentage quoted by Bidder will be calculated on the invoice value of actual paddy lifted by paddy buyer as per annexure V (Financial bid of ATC)
2	GeM Portal, Catalouge Offering Specification	Deployment of Consultant / Resources	The bid requirement for deployment of consultants/resource is selected as Hybrid(As specified in scope of work). Request CG Markfed to confirm whether any deployment (onsite or offsite) of resource is required or not.	Deployment of human resources as per requirment of CG Markfed
3		General Query	Request CG MARKFED to confirm the estimated total quantity of paddy available or expected to be sold by CGMARKFED against the tender in a particular financial year or the plan for FY26	Estimated quantity of paddy available for e-auction is 30-40 lakhs metric tonnes
4	RFP Document, Pg. 6, Cl. 2	The online bid is invited from prospective bidders to provide the e-auction platform, supply chain management services for paddy, empanelment of buyers, stock-analysis, assaying, mapping, online-bid management through auction, order tracking payment, payment processing on behalf CG	Request CG MARKFED to clarify on the highlighted point such as what is the meaning of supply chain management services for paddy, stock-analysis, assaying & mapping.	CG MARKFED and e-auction service provider's support both will perform the task of supply chain management services for paddy, stock-analysis, assaying & mapping.
5	RFP, Pg. 6, Cl. 3	The contract will be for a period of One year from the date of the issuance of work order and extendable for one more year subject to approval and on sole discretion of CG MARKFED	Request CG MARKFED to confirm if the contract period is likely to be extended beyond (1+1) year	As per tender document
6	Pg. 7, Cl. 6 (1)	Scan copy of NEFT/ BG / DD receipt to be uploaded on gem portal under technical packet	Here is a contradictory against this clause. Request CGMARKFED to clarify whether only Scan Copy of Document Fee can be uploaded on Gem Portal or the hard copy also needs to submitted at head office.	1) In case of online transaction of document fee and EMD, no need to submit the hard copy at head office but have to upload the transaction recipt online on gem portal technical packet. 2) In case of BG and DD hard copy of the same has to be submitted to head office before tender due date and time and also copy of BG and DD to be uploaded on gem portal technical packet.
	Pre Qualification and Technical Criteria Document, Pg. 1, Sl. 1			
		Copy of NEFT receipt to be submitted to CGMARKFED Head Office		

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7	RFP, Pg. 8, Cl. 6 (11)	e-Auction Platform must have following provision/ Services (Apart from other Basic requirement) 1- Advertisement of auction schedule 2- Registration of bidders/ applicant on portal 3- End to end evaluation of e auctioning 4- Finalization of successful bidders, approval of quantity 5- Generation of tax invoices 6- Issuance of release order 7- Stock Analysis and Mapping stock for auction 8- Maintenance of party wise ledger 9- Stack Marking and posting on online portal. Order Tracking and payment processing 10- Dashbaord for live auction and MIS report for overall process for govt officer and CG Markfed	Request CG MARKFED to clarify generation of tax invoices, stock analysis and stack marking.	Taxation/tax invoice as per central/state government applicable taxes rule. Stack analysis means to check the data for any ambiguties/anomaly of the list of stack provided by C.G Markfed.
8	RFP, Pg. 10, Cl. 1 (iii)	Advertisement of auction schedule, including e-mail & SMS alerts to all the registered buyers.	We request CG MARKFED to confirm if any additional advertisement channels, apart from email and SMS, will be required. If newspaper advertisements are needed, kindly provide details regarding the language, size, and frequency of the advertisements. Please confirm the number of auctions expected to be conducted per month or year to help estimate the advertisement cost	Advertisment on News paper is to be done by C.G Markfed.
9	RFP, Pg. 10, Cl. 1 (v)	Providing facilities for downloading documents by registered buyers & submission of bid proposal for e-auctioning	Request CG MARKFED to clarify on the point "submission of bid proposal for e-auctioning".	Online bid proposal for e-auctioning on e-autionPlatform.

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10	RFP, Pg. 10, Cl. 2 (vii)	After completion of e-auctioning process, the bidder shall prepare a list of buyers in descending order (from highest bid to the lowest bid). Bid(s) will be accepted on the principle of Price and time.	The document mentions bids will be accepted based on "price and time" as well as "price, time, and quantity."	Principle of Price and Time will be followed
	SOW, Pg. 1, Cl. 2 (VII)	After completion of e-auctioning process, the bidder shall prepare a list of buyers in descending order (from highest bid to the lowest bid). Bid(s) will be accepted on the principle of Price, Time and Quantity.	Please confirm which specific principles will be applied during the evaluation process for bid acceptance.	
11	RFP, Pg. 11, Cl. 2 (xvii) SOW, Pg. 2, Cl. 2 (xvii)	The system shall provide various types of desired customized MIS reports.	Request CG MARKFED to elaborate what kind of reports are needed.	As per requirment of CG Markfed. Format of report will be shared to successful bidder
12	RFP,Pg. 18, Annexure II, Point no.10	Brief Description of support service facilities	Request CG MARKFED to what details need to be provide in support service facilities.	human resource and Call/support center
13		General Query	Kindly clarify whether the refund against short available quantity is to be routed through the service provider ?	All transaction will be routed through the service provider
14		General Query	Kindly clarify whether CGMARKFED requires the delivery format of paddy as per their template or the template of the service provider is also fine	delivery format of paddy template will be as Markfed format
15		General Query	Can the service provider charge one-time yearly registration fee from the paddy bidders?	No
16		General Query	Request for the Contact number of one Single point of Contact (spoc) from CGMARKFED for guidance during the tender process	Already shared in pre bid meeting
17		General Query	Request to clarify whether service provider is required to arrange a designated url for CGMARKFED auctions with logo etc ?	No
18		General Query	Request CG MARKFED to confirm the auction process. Whether it will be simple forward auction or yankee auction?	As per tender document
19		General Query	Request CG MARKFED to confirm what is the tax structure to be followed in this tender.	Taxation/tax invoice as per central/state government applicable taxes rule.
20		PBG	Is PBG on stamp paper - Annexure 4, required to be submitted during bidding in GEM or is it only required after winner is declared	As per ATC, PBG is for successful bidder
21		PBG	In GEM Doc, PBG is mentioned as 3% of value, whereas , in RFP doc, it is mentioned as 35,00,000. Please clarify on the amount of PBG	

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22		Additional Doc*	What is to be uploaded in Additional Doc 1 to 4 , where it is mandatory and also limited to 10 MB and 100 pages. Please clarify	As per bidder convienves technical criteria document has to be uploaded
23		Financial Bid	Are we also supposed to attach the Financial Bid - annexure 5, apart from entering the financial bid price in the Offer Price section in GEM Portal. IF yes , then should we upload in QCBS evaluation option or some other option please clarify	Price/percentage has to be submitted Online on Gem Portal Price Packet
24		Approach and Methodology	RFP doesn't mention requirement of Approach and Method, what is to be uploaded in this option	As per technical criteria document
25		Documents as sought for QCBS evaluation	RFP doesn't mention any specific manpower details or CVs, what is to be uploaded on this option	As per requirement
26		Non Disclosure Agreement	Is there any specific NDA format which is required to be uploaded in this option	NDA is for successful bidder
27		Buyer Specific ATC - Undertaking	Bidder financial standing - undertaking, is it required on stamp paper? If yes, the value of stamp paper OR only letter head sealed and signed will be ok. Please clarify	Bidder financial standing can be on company letter head, stamp paper and CA issued certificate/letter
28		Integrity pact - non judicial stamp paper	What is value of stamp paper for this pact	Integrity pact can be on company letter head and stamp paper.
29		Schedule of Price Bid	As per the GeM category guidelines, it is mentioned that the quoted rate should be inclusive of GST. However, if the rate includes GST and the Government of India revises the GST rate in the future, it may impact our basic rate. We request clarification on whether the quoted rate should be inclusive of GST or if it can be quoted separately.	Quoted rate/percentage will be as per GeM guidelines/GeM price bid format