

MILITARY ENGINEER SERVICES**NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT)**

1. A TENDER IS INVITED FOR THE WORK AS MENTIONED IN APPENDIX 'A' TO THIS NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT).
2. The work is estimated to cost as indicated in aforesaid Appendix 'A'. This estimate however, is not a guarantee and is merely given as a rough guide and if the work cost more or less, a tenderer/bidder will have no claim on that account.
3. The work is to be completed within the period as indicated in aforesaid Appendix 'A' in accordance with phasing, if any, indicated in the tender from the date of handing over site, which will be on or about two weeks after the date of Acceptance of tender.
4. Contractors whose names are on the MES approved list and within whose financial category the estimated amount would fall and unenlisted contractors may submit tender/bid subject to other criteria mentioned in Appendix A. However in case of term contracts, enlisted contractors of Class SS to E may submit tender. Not more than one tender shall be submitted/uploaded by one contractor/ firm. Under no circumstances will a father and his son(s) or other close relations who have business dealing with one another be allowed to tender/bid for the same contract as separate competitors. Two firms shall be deemed to have business dealing if any of the partners/proprietor/director is common among both of them. A breach of this condition will render the tenders/bids of both the parties liable for rejection.
5. The Office of **Garrison Engineer Panagarh, Military Engineer Services, PO-Panagarh, Dist-Burdwan, West Bengal, PIN-713420** will be the Accepting Officer here in after referred to as such for purpose of the contract.
6. The Technical Bid and Financial Bid (Cover-1 and Cover-2) shall be uploaded by the contractor on or before the date & time mentioned in NIT. A scanned copy of DD with enlistment details and other documents as specified in Appendix A shall be uploaded as Cover-1 (Technical bid) of the tender on e-tendering portal. DD is refundable in case the contractor is not considered eligible in technical evaluation of Cover 1 resulting in non-opening of Cover 1. The applicant contractor shall bear the cost of bank charges for procuring and encashing the DD including revalidation of DDs and shall not have any claim from Government whatsoever on this account.
 - 6.1 Tender form and conditions of contract and other necessary documents shall be available on web site www.defproc.gov.in site for download and shall form part of contract agreement in case the tender/bid is accepted.
 - 6.2 In case of MES enlisted contractor who has not executed the Standing Security Bond and unenlisted contractor, the Cover-I shall be accompanied by Earnest Money for the amount mentioned in Appendix 'A' in the form of deposit at call receipt in favour of GE Panagarh by a Scheduled Bank or in received treasury Challan the amount being credited to the revenue deposit of the GE Panagarh. The GE Panagarh will return the Earnest Money, wherever applicable, to all unsuccessful tenderers/bidders by endorsing an authority on the deposit at call receipt for it's refund, on receipt of intimation from the Accepting Officer to do that.
 - 6.3 In case of successful contractor i.e the lowest contractor having submitted EMD, he shall have the option of converting the EMD instrument into part of the Performance Security to be deposited by him within 28 days from the receipt of intimation of acceptance of tender from Accepting Officer.

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7. Sample of material and stores to be supplied by the contractor will also be available for inspection by the bidder at the office of concerned GE/GE (I)/AGE(I)/ Project Manager during working hours. The bidder is advised to visit the site of work by making prior appointment with GE/GE (I)/AGE (I)/ CCE/ Project Manager, who is the Executing Agency of the work (See Appendix 'A'). The bidder shall be deemed to have full knowledge of all relevant documents, samples, site etc whether he has inspected them or not.
8. Any tender/bid which proposes any alteration to any of the conditions laid down or which proposes any other condition or prescription whatsoever, is liable to be rejected.
9. The uploading of bid by a bidder implies that bidder has read this notice and the Conditions of Contract and has made himself aware of the scope and specification of work to be done and of the conditions and rates at which stores, tools and plants etc will be issued to him and local conditions and other factors having bearing on the execution of the work.
10. Tenders/bidders must be in possession of a copy of the MES Standard Schedule of Rates (Part-I & Part-II of latest addition) including amendments and errata thereto.
11. The Accepting Officer reserves the right to accept a tender submitted by Public Undertaking / small & Medium Enterprise (SME), giving a price preference over other Tender (s)/bids, which may be lower, as are admissible under the Government Policy. No claim for any compensation or otherwise shall be admissible from such tender/bidder whose tender/bid is rejected.
12. Court of the place from where tender has been issued shall alone have jurisdiction to decide any dispute out of or in respect of this tender. After acceptance of tender, Condition 72 (Jurisdiction of Courts) of IAFW-2249 shall be applicable.
13. Accepting Officer does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender/bid or to give any reason for not doing so.
14. This **Notice Inviting Tender (NIT)** including Appendix 'A' and Annexures thereto, is any shall form part of the contract agreement.

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR
DATED: _____

AGE (CONTRACTS)
FOR ACCEPTING OFFICER

APPENDIX 'A' TO NOTICE INVITING TENDER

1	Name of work	NAME OF WORK : COMPREHENSIVE MAINTENANCE SERVICES OF SOLAR PLANT OF CAPACITY 3MWP AT PMS UNDER GE PANAGARH (AMC)
2	Estimated of Cost	₹ 1,09,17,000.00 (at Par Market)
3	Period of completion	425 days
4	Cost of tender documents	Rs 1000/- in the shape of DD/Bankers cheque from any schedule Bank in favour of GE Panagarh and Payble at Panagarh. (Note : In case of retendering, the contractor who had quoted in the previous call is not required to submit the cost of tender.)
5	Website/portal address	www.defproc.gov.in and www.mes.gov.in
6	Type of contract	The tender shall be based on IAFW-1779-A, specifications and General Conditions of Contracts (IAFW-2249) with Schedule 'A' (list of items of work) to be priced by tenderer. The tenderers are required to quote their rates in the bill of quantities (BOQ).
7	Information & Details :	Refer critical dates
	(e) Bid submission start date	
	(b) Bid submission end date	
	(c) Date/time for opening of bid	
8	Eligibility Criteria	
	(A) For MES enlisted contractors	Contractor shall be enlisted with MES in Class 'B' and above category 'b(ii)' subject to satisfactory remarks wrt performance in respect of work in hand as reflected in Work Load Return (WLR) or any other circulated by competent engineer authority. OR The Contractor enlisted with MES in Class 'B' and above and <u>having MoU or either having themselves rating with solar power firm of rating 1A/1B/1C/2A/2B/2C given by CRISIL/CARE/FITCH/ICRA/SMERA/Brick Work Ratings India Pvt Ltd.</u> subject to satisfactory remarks wrt performance in respect of work in hand as reflected in Work Load Return (WLR) or any other circulated by competent engineer authority.

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	(B) For contractors not enlisted with MES	<p>(i) Contractor not enlisted with MES should meet the enlistment criteria of 'B' Class and b(ii) category contractor with regard to satisfactorily completion of requisite value works with Central /State /Government/ Central/State PSUs/AWHO/ AFNHB/CGEWHO / DGMAP, annual turnover, bank solvency, working capital and other requirement given in Para 1.4 & 1.5 of section 1 of MES Manual of Contracts 2020 as available in all MES formations as well as MES website (www.mes.gov.in).</p> <p>(ii) Not carrying adverse remarks in Work Load Report (WLR) or any other similar report circulated by any competent authority, if already working in MES.</p> <p>(iii) Not suspended/debarred /blacklist (either permanently or temporarily) from participating in any bid or for business dealings by any Central/State Government Department or any Central/State Government PSU or any Autonomous Body under Central /State Government or any Local body as on the bid submission end date.</p> <p>(iv) Details of works completed and under progress in MES be submitted in the following format :-</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="459 927 1490 1016"> <thead> <tr> <th>Srl No</th> <th>CA No & Name of work</th> <th>Value of CA</th> <th>Date of Commencement</th> <th>Date of completion</th> <th>Extended date of completion</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>(v) Un-enlisted Contractor who have secured two works in MES should get themselves registered in the appropriate designated Class with any Registering Authority, else the firm will not be eligible for participation in the tender unless until the firm is enlisted with the MES.</p> <p>(vi) Un-enlisted contractor who meet the enlistment criteria of class 'B' and having MoU or either having solar rating themselves with solar power firm rating 1A/1B/1C/2A/2B/2C given by CRISIL/CARE/FITCH/ICRA/ SMERA/Brick Work Ratings India Pvt Ltd. Shall also be considered eligible subject to fulfillment of the other criteria.</p>	Srl No	CA No & Name of work	Value of CA	Date of Commencement	Date of completion	Extended date of completion						
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9.	Tender issuing and Accepting Officer	Garrison Engineer Panagarh, Military Engineer Services, PO-Panagarh, Dist-Burdwan, West Bengal, PIN-713420 E mail ID : panagh4-mes@nic.in Tele : 6860												
10	Executing agency	GE Panagarh												
11	Earnest Money	₹ 2,18,500.00/- in favour of GE Panagarh in the form of Deposit at call receipt.												

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1. In case after opening of Cover 1, the number of MES enlisted contractors of eligible class as well as un-enlisted contractors, if any, fulfilling the other eligibility criteria given in NIT is less than 7 (Seven), applications in respect of MES contractors of one class or two classes (in case of remote and difficult areas to be decided as per list circulated by CE Command/ADG) below the eligible class shall also be considered subject to fulfillment of other eligibility criteria given in the NIT. Therefore MES Contractor's one class below (two classes below in case of remote and difficult areas) may also bid for this tender. Such Contractors (contractors of one/two classes below the eligible class) shall not be considered in case their present residual work in hand is more than FIVE TIMES their present tendering limit. However in case such contractors fulfill the criteria of up gradation to the stipulated eligible class based on past experience of completed works (individual work experience and /or average annual turnover, as applicable) and financial soundness (solvency/financial soundness and working capital), the ceiling of present residual work will not apply and they will be considered for issued of tender. Such bidder shall upload in their Cover-1 bid details related to residual work in hand showing name of work, names of Accepting Officers, Contract amounts, dates of commencement of completion (stipulated) and progress as on bid submission date. Such contractors, if claim to fulfill the criteria of upgradation shall also upload the requisite information /documents in support of upgradation. These details shall be verified by the Tender Issuing Authority from concerned formation in case bids of such contractors are considered for evaluation.
2. In case after opening of cover I, The number of MES enlisted contractor of eligible class as well as un-enlisted contractors, if any, fulfilling the other eligibility criteria given in NIT, are 7 (Seven) or more, applications of only those one class below the eligible class bidders shall be considered, who have previously completed similar works satisfactorily and are meeting the criteria, who have previously completed similar works satisfactorily and are meeting the criteria of upgradation in respect of past experience of completed works (individual work experience and /or average annual turnover as applicable) and financial soundness (Solvency/Financial soundness and working capital) as per details given in Manual on Contracts. Therefore such contractors shall upload the requisite information/documents in the Cover-I.
3. Un-enlisted contractor shall be considered provided he meets the criteria. Foreign firms shall not be eligible for this tender. However Indian Firms having foreign national/ Indian National staying abroad / Indian national having take foreign citizenship, as director (s) Shall be considered subject to security clearance from the concerned authorities.
4. Contractors enlisted with MES will upload following documents in Cover-I for checking eligibility:-
 - (a) Application for tender on Firm's letter head.
 - (b) Enlistment letter issued by the Registering Authority duly renewed for cycle period in vogue.
 - (c) Scanned copy of DD/Bankers Cheque toward cost of tender and EMD instrument in case SSD bond is not signed at the time of registration.
 - (d) Any other documents required as described in this Appendix.
5. Contractors not enlisted with MES will be required to upload following documents in Cover I for checking eligibility.
 - (a) Application for tender on Firm's letter head.
 - (b) Scanned copy of DD/Bankers cheque toward cost of tender and Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) instrument.
 - (c) Copy of police Verification Report/Police Clearance Certificate/Character Certificate from the police Authority of the area where the registered office of the firm is located notarized copy of valid passport of Proprietor/each Partner/ each Director.

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- (d) All documents required for enlistment in MES for the class mentioned in Para 8(b) above as per Para 1.5 of Section I of MES Manual of Contractors 2020.
- (e) Details of works being executed in MES, if any.
- (f) Any other documents required as described in this Appendix.
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6. Tender not accompanied by scanned copies of requisite DD /Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender and earnest money (as applicable) in Cover I shall not be considered for validation of 'T' bid and their Financial Bids will not be opened.

7. Contractors should ensure that their original physical DDs and Earnest Money Deposit (EMD instruments (as applicable) reach the office of Accepting Officer within 07 (Seven) days of bid submission end date failing which following action shall be taken.

(a) In case of tenders from an enlisted contractor of MES, where scanned copies of requisite DD/Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender have been uploaded in Cover 1 but physical copies are not received within the stipulated period, their financial bids (Cover 2) will be opened. However non-submission of physical copies of cost of tender shall be considered as willful negligence of the tenderer with ulterior motives and such tender shall be banned from bidding for a period of six months commencing from the date of opening of Financial bid (Cover 2).

(b) In case of tenders from unenlisted contractor, where scanned copies of requisite DD/Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender have been uploaded in Cover 1 but physical copies are not received within the stipulated period, their financial bids (Cover 2) will not be opened. Name of such contractors along with complete address shall be circulated for not opening of their bids for a period of six months commencing from the date opening of Financial bid (Cover 2).

(c) In case of tender from enlisted and unenlisted contractors, where scanned copies of instruments of Earnest Money Deposit (as applicable) have been uploaded in Cover 1 but the same are not received in physical form within stipulated period, such tenders shall not qualify for opening of financial bid (Cover 2).

8. Contractor will not be allowed to execute the work by subletting or through power of attorney to a third party/another firm on his behalf. However a contractor can execute the work through power of attorney to sons/daughters /spouse of Proprietor/Partner/Director and firm's own employees, director, project manager **provided they are not having a separate enlisted firm in MES in their name as Proprietor/Partner/Director.**

9. After opening of Cover I and during its technical evaluation, in case any deficiency is notice in the documents required to be uploaded by the tenderers as per NIT, a communication in the form of e-mail/SMS/Speed Post etc shall be sent to the contractor to rectify the deficiency within a period of seven days from date of communication failing which their financial bid (Cover 2) shall not be opened and contractor shall not any claim on the same.

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10. Invitation for e-tender does not constitute any guarantee for validation of Technical bid and subsequent opening of financial bid of any applicant/bidder merely by virtue of enclosing DD. Accepting Officer reserves the right to reject the Technical bid and not to open the financial bid of any applicant bidder. Technical bid validation shall be decided by the Accepting Officer based on eligibility of the firm as per criteria given in this Appendix. Tender /bidders will be informed regarding non-validation of his Technical bid assigning reason therefore through tender evaluation report which shall be uploaded on the website. Such tenderer, if desires, may appeal to the next higher Engineer Authority (NHEA) viz **HQ CWE Panagarh** on email id **pkolk3-mes@nic.in** with copy of the Accepting Officer on email before the scheduled date of opening of Cover 2. NHEA Shall decide the matter within a period of seven working days from the date of receipt of appeal. The decision of NHEA shall be final and binding. The tenderer bidder shall not be entitled for any compensation whatsoever for rejection of his bid.

11. In case an unenlisted contractor is already executing work in MES, he shall not be considered eligible for the subject tender if the total value of such works is more than twice the tendering limit of the MES Class of contractor for which it is eligible. For this purpose, details of the works being executed by such a contractor shall be uploaded in the cover 1 of the bid and shall be checked /verified by the Accepting Officer.

12. In case the BOQ is revised through the corrigendum and the bidder has failed to quote on revised BOQ (i.e he has quoted on pre revised BOQ), such bid shall be treated as willful negligence by the bidder and his quotation shall be considered non-bonafide. In such cases the lowest tender shall be determined from amongst the valid bonafied bids only. Accepting may decide whether to re-tender or consider the lowest bonafide tender for acceptance.

13. Revoking the offer or revising the rates upward or offering voluntary reduction by the lowest tenderer after closing of bid submission date & time shall be considered as a willful default. For this default a penalty of an amount equal to Earnest Money shall be levied. In case of an unenlisted tenderer, Earnest Money deposited by him shall be forfeited. In case of MES enlisted tenderer having deposited the Standing Security Bond, an amount to the earnest money stipulated in the NIT, shall be notified to the tenderer for depositing through MRO and consideration of such tenderer in tender evaluation for future works shall remain suspended till the aforementioned amount is deposited in the Government Treasury. No other disciplinary/administrative action shall be taken against such tenderers. In such a situation, the next lowest offer shall not be considered for acceptance. Instead, retendering shall be restored to in a transparent and fair manner and the defaulting tenderer and his related firm if any, shall not be eligible for this tender in second call or subsequent calls.

13A. "irrespective of whatever is mentioned in condition 19.3 of IAFW-2249 with regard to suspension of tenders on account of non-submission of Performance Security, issue of tenders to such tenderers shall remain suspended for a period of six months from the date of cancellation of contract under condition 19.3 of IAFW-2249 in case of unenlisted Contractors. In case of MES enlisted contractor, issue of tenders shall be remain suspended till deposit of EMD or six months from date of cancellation whichever is later"

14. Tender to related firms shall not be issued simultaneously. Firms shall be termed as related if Proprietor/one or more Partners/Directors are common. Decision of Accepting Officer on issue/deny the tender to any one of the related forms shall be final and binding.

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR

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FOR ACCEPTING OFFICER**

File No: 8500-536/05/E8

Dated: 26 Feb 2026

**Military Engineer Services
Garrison Engineer Panagarh
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