

PART 1
INVITATION FOR BIDS
(COMPETITIVE BIDDING)

Bid Document No.: TNPL/UNIT-I/PMD/CB/242513004311

Date of Issue : 08/11/2024

Dear Sirs,

1. Tamil Nadu Newsprint and Papers Limited (hereinafter referred to as "TNPL"), owns and operates a 4,00,000 tpa printing and writing paper mill at Kagithapuram (referred as "TNPL-Unit I") and 2,00,000 tpa multilayer paper board mill at Mondipatti (Referred as "TNPL-Unit II") in the State of Tamil Nadu, India.
2. As part of Revamping of Steam and Power System (RSPS#2), TNPL intends to install a new Fuel Handling Plant and auxiliaries at TNPL Unit I, Kagithapuram, Karur district.
3. TNPL invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the Design, Engineering, Supply, Packing & Forwarding, Erection, Startup and Commissioning of Fuel Handling Plant and auxiliaries at TNPL Unit I, as per the scope of this Bid Document through E-Procurement portal (<https://tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app>).
4. The bidding procedure is electronic bid submission through the website (<https://tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app>) only. The bidder can logon to this website and view the invitation for Bids and details of Materials / Works for which the bid is invited.

The Terms and Conditions for E-Tendering, Terms and Conditions for E-Reverse Auction, Process Compliance Statement and Format for Bid Security BG are furnished as Appendix 1, Appendix 2, Appendix 3 & Appendix 4 to Part 2 respectively.

5. **Qualification Criteria**

- *The Bidder should be a reputed supplier of Coal Handling systems and should have commissioned atleast one (1) order for design, engineering, supply, erection and commissioning of Coal handling system with Screens and Crushers of capacity not less than 150 TPH and order value not less than Rs 15 crores in the past five (5) years (Jan 2019 – Dec 2023), which are in successful operation for not less than six (6) months from the commissioning date. The bidder shall submit necessary documentary proof to this effect along with the Technical Bid.*
- *The average annual turnover for the bidder for the last five (5) completed financial years shall not be less than Rs.20 Crore. The bidder shall submit necessary documentary proof to this effect along with the Technical Bid".*

6. **Bid Fee:**

NIL

7. Bid Security:

Bid Security of **Rs.15,00,000/-** (Rupees Fifteen Lakhs only) should be remitted by the Bidder through NIC online payment gateway.

(OR)

- An unconditional bank guarantee issued by a bank located in India, acceptable to TNPL in the form provided in the Bid Document.

8. The remittance details of Bid Security should also be furnished in the Technical Bid cum commercial bid. Further scanned copy of Remittance statement / UTR details should be uploaded in the online procurement portal: <https://tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app>.

Bid Security are not exempted, for any reason whatsoever.

Offers received without bid security are liable for rejection. TNPL will not entertain any request for adjusting the bid security from the tenderer's due / running bills or from the EMD / Security Deposit of any other tender participated by the tenderer.

9. Bids shall be submitted, based on the guidelines set out in "Instructions to Bidders" enclosed as Part 2 of this Bid Document and shall be in conformity with the "General Terms and Conditions of Contract to be entered into between TNPL and the Successful Bidder" enclosed as Part 3 and Part 3A of this Bid Document and "Scope of Services" enclosed as Part4 of this Bid Document.

10. A two-cover (Technical cover and Finance cover) e-bidding procedure will be followed. For details, refer Cl.11 of "Terms and Conditions for E-Tendering" enclosed as Appendix-1 to Part 2 of the Bid Document.

11. The due date for submission of Tender Documents including the Technical cum Commercial Bid along with Bid Security and the Price bid through E-procurement portal (<https://tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app>) is before 3:00 pm on **29th November 2024**.

The Technical cum Commercial Bid will be opened through online portal at 4:00 pm on **30th November 2024**.

Price Bids of those who qualify in Technical Bids will be opened at a later date, which will be informed to the qualified bidder.

12. TNPL will not be responsible for any delay in submission of online bid on the due date and time (Server time) through E-tendering portal <https://tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app>.

13. Hard copies of following documents are to be submitted within three (3) days from the date of Technical Bid opening in NIC portal.

Project Management Division,
Tamil Nadu Newsprint and Papers Limited
Kagithapuram 639 136,
Karur District, Tamil Nadu, INDIA

- Authorisation Letter for submission of Bid
- Documents for meeting the qualification criteria
- Documents shown in Enclosure 1 of Bid Form
- Three (3) printed copies of Technical Bid

14. TNPL reserves the right to qualify the bids received and/or reject any or all the bids, at its own discretion, without assigning any reasons therefor. Also, TNPL reserves the right to split the order and award the contract to more than one bidder.

15. The bid document should be uploaded in full after signing of all pages having agreed to all clauses mentioned. If not submitted, it will be constructed that the bidder is adhering to all the terms and conditions of the bid.

16. All the clarification in the document and specifications shall be requested to the following e-mail IDs:

To: pmd8@tnpl.co.in
Cc: nandagopal@tnpl.co.in