

# PART 1

## INVITATION FOR BIDS

Bid No.: TNPL/PMD/CIV/RSPS #2/UNIT I/242513005340

Dear Sirs,

- 1 Tamil Nadu Newsprint and Papers Limited (hereinafter referred to as "TNPL") own and operates an integrated pulp and paper manufacturing facility at Kagithapuram in the state of Tamil Nadu. The paper mill manufactures different varieties of paper and is one of the major producers of newsprint and fine papers in India.
- 2 For TNPL Unit I, as part of Revamping of Steam and Power System (RSPS #2), consultancy services as per the scope specified at Part 1 - Annexure 1 in the Bid Document are to be carried out.
- 3 TNPL invites Bids from eligible Bidders for "**Obtaining Statutory approvals for Revamping of the steam and power system (RSPS#2) at TNPL Unit I from Site Appraisal Committee, Tamil Nadu Fire & Rescue Services and Public Health Department**", 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 works for which the bid is invited.

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

5 **Qualification Criteria:**

The bidder shall be a reputed consultant for obtaining statutory approvals and should meet the following Pre-qualification criteria:

The bidder should have been awarded order and successfully completed atleast **one such statutory approval** obtained from Site Appraisal Committee, Tamil Nadu Fire and Rescue Services and Public Health Department **in Tamil Nadu** to any reputed operating industrial establishments / Govt. departments / Corporations / Boards / undertakings in the **last Ten (10) years reckoned from December, 2014 (i.e., December 2014 to November 2024)**.

The bidder shall provide the documentary evidence for meeting the above qualification criteria.

6 **Bid Fee:**

A non-refundable fee of **Rupees 590/-** (inclusive of 18% GST) should be remitted by the Bidder through NIC online payment gateway.

7 EMD / Bid Security / Additional Security Deposit:

8 (a). EMD / Bid Security:

- EMD / Bid Security of **Rs.20,000/-** (Indian Rupees Twenty thousand 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 (b). Additional Security Deposit:

An Additional Security Deposit of **Rs.30,000/-** (Indian Rupees thirty thousand only) should be remitted by the Successful Bidder against award of Contract.

- through RTGS / NEFT mode.

(OR)

- A Demand Draft / Bankers Cheque in favour of Tamil Nadu Newsprint and Papers Limited, payable at Karur, Tamil Nadu, India.

(OR)

- If Bank Guarantee, an unconditional bank guarantee issued by a bank located in India, acceptable to TNPL in the form provided in the Bid Document (Part 2 – Appendix II) for a total value of **Rs.50,000/-** (Indian Rupees fifty thousand only) which includes EMD & Additional Security Deposit. In such case, Bank Guarantee submitted against EMD for a value of **Rs.20,000/-** (Indian Rupees Twenty thousand only) will be returned.

The Bank details for Payment will be informed to the successful Bidder.

- 8 The remittance details of both Bid Fee and EMD / Bid Security should also be furnished in the Technical 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 Fee and EMD / Bid Security are not exempted, for any reason whatsoever.

Offers received without Bid Fee and EMD / Bid security are liable for rejection. TNPL will not entertain any request for adjusting the EMD 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 1 - Annexure 2 of this Bid Document.

- 10 A two-cover (Technical cover and Finance cover) e-bidding procedure will be followed. For details, refer Clause.11 of "The 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 Fee / Bid Security and the Price bid through E-procurement portal (<https://tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app>) is before **3:00 pm on 17<sup>th</sup> January 2025**.

The Technical cum Commercial Bid will be opened through online portal at **4:00 pm on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2025**.

- 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 Following original documents are to be submitted at

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

within three (3) days from the date of Technical Bid opening, failing which the bid is liable for rejection:

- BG for EMD / Bid security, in original (in case, Bidder had paid by way of BG).

- 14 Hard copies of following documents are to be submitted within three (3) days from the date of Technical Bid opening at

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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

- 15 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.

- 16 **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 construed that the bidder is adhering to all the terms and conditions of the bid.**

- 17 Also, the bidder shall adhere to the Scope of work and General terms & conditions as per Annexure 1 & Annexure 2 of Part 1 respectively.

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

To: [pmd.civil@tnpl.co.in](mailto:pmd.civil@tnpl.co.in)

Cc: [nandagopal.s@tnpl.co.in](mailto:nandagopal.s@tnpl.co.in), [thirugnanasambandan.p@tnpl.co.in](mailto:thirugnanasambandan.p@tnpl.co.in)

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