



Bid Number/बोली क्रमांक (बिड संख्या):
GEM/2024/B/5375728
Dated/दिनांक : 10-09-2024

Bid Document/ बिड दस्तावेज़

Bid Details/बिड विवरण	
Bid End Date/Time/बिड बंद होने की तारीख/समय	25-09-2024 19:00:00
Bid Opening Date/Time/बिड खुलने की तारीख/समय	25-09-2024 19:30:00
Bid Offer Validity (From End Date)/बिड पेशकश वैधता (बंद होने की तारीख से)	180 (Days)
Ministry/State Name/मंत्रालय/राज्य का नाम	Ministry Of Statistics And Programme Implementation
Department Name/विभाग का नाम	Department Of Statistics And Programme Implementation
Organisation Name/संगठन का नाम	Indian Statistical Institute
Office Name/कार्यालय का नाम	Indian Statistical Institute Kolkata
Total Quantity/कुल मात्रा	180
Item Category/मद केटेगरी	Classroom Chairs (Q3)
Minimum Average Annual Turnover of the bidder (For 3 Years)/बिडर का न्यूनतम औसत वार्षिक टर्नओवर (3 वर्षों का)	7 Lakh (s)
OEM Average Turnover (Last 3 Years)/मूल उपकरण निर्माता का औसत टर्नओवर (गत 3 वर्षों का)	56 Lakh (s)
Years of Past Experience Required for same/similar service/उन्हीं/समान सेवाओं के लिए अपेक्षित विगत अनुभव के वर्ष	3 Year (s)
MSE Exemption for Turnover/टर्नओवर के लिए एमएसई को छूट प्राप्त है	Yes
Startup Exemption for Turnover/ टर्नओवर के लिए स्टार्टअप को छूट प्राप्त है	Yes
Document required from seller/विक्रेता से मांगे गए दस्तावेज़	Experience Criteria,Past Performance,Bidder Turnover,Certificate (Requested in ATC),OEM Authorization Certificate,OEM Annual Turnover,Compliance of BoQ specification and supporting document *In case any bidder is seeking exemption from Experience / Turnover Criteria, the supporting documents to prove his eligibility for exemption must be uploaded for evaluation by the buyer

Bid Details/बिड विवरण	
Do you want to show documents uploaded by bidders to all bidders participated in bid?/	Yes
Past Performance/विगत प्रदर्शन	80 %
Bid to RA enabled/बिड से रिवर्स नीलामी सक्रिय किया	Yes
RA Qualification Rule	50% Lowest Priced Technically Qualified Bidders
Type of Bid/बिड का प्रकार	Two Packet Bid
Time allowed for Technical Clarifications during technical evaluation/तकनीकी मूल्यांकन के दौरान तकनीकी स्पष्टीकरण हेतु अनुमत समय	2 Days
Inspection Required (By Empanelled Inspection Authority / Agencies pre-registered with GeM)	No
Estimated Bid Value/अनुमानित बिड मूल्य	1400000
Evaluation Method/मूल्यांकन पद्धति	Total value wise evaluation

EMD Detail/ईएमडी विवरण

Advisory Bank/एडवाइजरी बैंक	State Bank of India
EMD Amount/ईएमडी राशि	42000

ePBG Detail/ईपीबीजी विवरण

Advisory Bank/एडवाइजरी बैंक	State Bank of India
ePBG Percentage(%) / ईपीबीजी प्रतिशत (%)	5.00
Duration of ePBG required (Months) / ईपीबीजी की अपेक्षित अवधि (महीने).	36

(a). EMD EXEMPTION: The bidder seeking EMD exemption, must submit the valid supporting document for the relevant category as per GeM GTC with the bid. Under MSE category, only manufacturers for goods and Service Providers for Services are eligible for exemption from EMD. Traders are excluded from the purview of this Policy./जेम की शर्तों के अनुसार ईएमडी छूट के इच्छुक बिडर को संबंधित केटेगरी के लिए बिड के साथ वैध समर्थित दस्तावेज प्रस्तुत करने हैं। एमएसई केटेगरी के अंतर्गत केवल वस्तुओं के लिए विनिर्माता तथा सेवाओं के लिए सेवा प्रदाता ईएमडी से छूट के पात्र हैं। व्यापारियों को इस नीति के दायरे से बाहर रखा गया है।

(b). EMD & Performance security should be in favour of Beneficiary, wherever it is applicable./ईएमडी और संपादन जमानत राशि, जहां यह लागू होती है, लाभार्थी के पक्ष में होनी चाहिए।

Beneficiary/लाभार्थी :

Chief Executive (A&F)
Indian Statistical Institute, 203, B T Road, Kolkata
(Chief Executive)

MII Purchase Preference/एमआईआई खरीद वरीयता

MII Purchase Preference/एमआईआई खरीद वरीयता	Yes
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MSE Purchase Preference/एमएसई खरीद वरीयता

MSE Purchase Preference/एमएसई खरीद वरीयता	Yes
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1. If the bidder is a Micro or Small Enterprise as per latest definitions under MSME rules, the bidder shall be exempted from the requirement of "Bidder Turnover" criteria and "Experience Criteria" subject to meeting of quality and technical specifications. If the bidder is OEM of the offered products, it would be exempted from the "OEM Average Turnover" criteria also subject to meeting of quality and technical specifications. In case any bidder is seeking exemption from Turnover / Experience Criteria, the supporting documents to prove his eligibility for exemption must be uploaded for evaluation by the buyer.
2. If the bidder is a Startup, the bidder shall be exempted from the requirement of "Bidder Turnover" criteria and "Experience Criteria" subject to their meeting of quality and technical specifications. If the bidder is OEM of the offered products, it would be exempted from the "OEM Average Turnover" criteria also subject to meeting of quality and technical specifications. In case any bidder is seeking exemption from Turnover / Experience Criteria, the supporting documents to prove his eligibility for exemption must be uploaded for evaluation by the buyer.
3. The minimum average annual financial turnover of the bidder during the last three years, ending on 31st March of the previous financial year, should be as indicated above in the bid document. Documentary evidence in the form of certified Audited Balance Sheets of relevant periods or a certificate from the Chartered Accountant / Cost Accountant indicating the turnover details for the relevant period shall be uploaded with the bid. In case the date of constitution / incorporation of the bidder is less than 3-year-old, the average turnover in respect of the completed financial years after the date of constitution shall be taken into account for this criteria.
4. Experience Criteria: In respect of the filter applied for experience criteria, the Bidder or its OEM {themselves or through reseller(s)} should have regularly, manufactured and supplied same or similar Category Products to any Central / State Govt Organization / PSU for number of Financial years as indicated above in the bid document before the bid opening date. Copies of relevant contracts to be submitted along with bid in support of having supplied some quantity during each of the Financial year. In case of bunch bids, the category of primary product having highest value should meet this criterion.
5. OEM Turn Over Criteria: The minimum average annual financial turnover of the OEM of the offered product during the last three years, ending on 31st March of the previous financial year, should be as indicated in the bid document. Documentary evidence in the form of certified Audited Balance Sheets of relevant periods or a certificate from the Chartered Accountant / Cost Accountant indicating the turnover details for the relevant period shall be uploaded with the bid. In case the date of constitution / incorporation of the OEM is less than 3 year old, the average turnover in respect of the completed financial years after the date of constitution shall be taken into account for this criteria.
6. Preference to Make In India products (For bids < 200 Crore):Preference shall be given to Class 1 local supplier as defined in public procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 as amended from time to time and its subsequent Orders/Notifications issued by concerned Nodal Ministry for specific Goods/Products. The minimum local content to qualify as a Class 1 local supplier is denoted in the bid document. If the bidder wants to avail the Purchase preference, the bidder must upload a certificate from the OEM regarding the percentage of the local content and the details of locations at which the local value addition is made along with their bid, failing which no purchase preference shall be granted. In case the bid value is more than Rs 10 Crore, the declaration relating to percentage of local content shall be certified by the statutory auditor or cost auditor, if the OEM is a company and by a practicing cost accountant or a chartered accountant for OEMs other than companies as per the Public Procurement (preference to Make-in -India) order 2017 dated 04.06.2020. Only Class-I and Class-II Local suppliers as per MII order dated 4.6.2020 will be eligible to bid. Non - Local suppliers as per MII order dated 04.06.2020 are not eligible to participate. However, eligible micro and small enterprises will be allowed to participate .The buyers are advised to refer the OM No.F.1/4/2021-PPD dated 18.05.2023.
[OM No.1_4_2021_PPD_dated_18.05.2023](#) for compliance of Concurrent application of Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises Order, 2012 and Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India) Order, 2017.
7. Purchase preference will be given to MSEs having valid Udyam Registration and whose credentials are validated online through Udyam Registration portal as defined in Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small

Enterprises (MSEs) Order, 2012 dated 23.03.2012 issued by Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises and its subsequent Orders/Notifications issued by concerned Ministry. If the bidder wants to avail themselves of the Purchase preference, the bidder must be the manufacturer / OEM of the offered product on GeM. Traders are excluded from the purview of Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises and hence resellers offering products manufactured by some other OEM are not eligible for any purchase preference. In respect of bid for Services, the bidder must be the Service provider of the offered Service. Relevant documentary evidence in this regard shall be uploaded along with the bid in respect of the offered product or service and Buyer will decide eligibility for purchase preference based on documentary evidence submitted, while evaluating the bid. If L-1 is not an MSE and MSE Seller (s) has / have quoted price within L-1+ 15% (Selected by Buyer) of margin of purchase preference /price band defined in relevant policy, such MSE Seller shall be given opportunity to match L-1 price and contract will be awarded for 25% (selected by Buyer) percentage of total quantity. The buyers are advised to refer the OM No. F.1/4/2021-PPD dated 18.05.2023 [OM No.1 4 2021 PPD dated 18.05.2023](#) for compliance of Concurrent application of Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises Order, 2012 and Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India) Order, 2017. Benefits of MSE will be allowed only if seller is validated on-line in GeM profile as well as validated and approved by Buyer after evaluation of documents submitted.

8. Estimated Bid Value indicated above is being declared solely for the purpose of guidance on EMD amount and for determining the Eligibility Criteria related to Turn Over, Past Performance and Project / Past Experience etc. This has no relevance or bearing on the price to be quoted by the bidders and is also not going to have any impact on bid participation. Also this is not going to be used as a criteria in determining reasonableness of quoted prices which would be determined by the buyer based on its own assessment of reasonableness and based on competitive prices received in Bid / RA process.

9. Past Performance: The Bidder or its OEM {themselves or through re-seller(s)} should have supplied same or similar Category Products for 80% of bid quantity, in at least one of the last three Financial years before the bid opening date to any Central / State Govt Organization / PSU. Copies of relevant contracts (proving supply of cumulative order quantity in any one financial year) to be submitted along with bid in support of quantity supplied in the relevant Financial year. In case of bunch bids, the category related to primary product having highest bid value should meet this criterion.

10. Reverse Auction would be conducted amongst first 50% of the technically qualified bidders arranged in the order of prices from lowest to highest. Number of sellers eligible for participating in RA would be rounded off to next higher integer value if number of technically qualified bidders is odd (e.g. if 7 bids are technically qualified, then RA will be conducted amongst L-1 to L-4). In case number of technically qualified bidders are 2 or 3, RA will be between all without any elimination. If Buyer has chosen to split the bid amongst N sellers, then minimum N sellers would be taken to RA round. In case Primary products of only one OEM are left in contention for participation in RA based on lowest 50% bidders qualifying for RA, the number of sellers qualifying for RA would be increased to get at least products of one more OEM (directly participated or through its reseller) if available. Further, if bid(s) of any seller(s) eligible for MSE preference is / are coming within price band of 15% of Non MSE L-1 or if bid of any seller(s) eligible for Make in India preference is / are coming within price band of 20% of non MII L-1, then such MSE / Make in India seller shall also be allowed to participate in the RA process.

Classroom Chairs (180 pieces)

(Minimum 50% and 20% Local Content required for qualifying as Class 1 and Class 2 Local Supplier respectively/क्रमशः श्रेणी 1 और श्रेणी 2 के स्थानीय आपूर्तिकर्ता के रूप में अर्हता प्राप्त करने के लिए आवश्यक)

Technical Specifications/तकनीकी विशिष्टियाँ

* As per GeM Category Specification/जेम केटेगरी विशिष्टि के अनुसार

Specification	Specification Name/विशिष्टि का नाम	Bid Requirement/बिड के लिए आवश्यक (Allowed Values)/अनुमत मूल्य
GENERIC	Chair Type	Foldable Writing pad on One side and Arm on other side
	Type of Seat and Backrest	12 mm Thick Plywood Only
	Depth of Seat in mm (+/- 10 mm)	440

Specification	Specification Name/विशिष्टि का नाम	Bid Requirement/बिड के लिए आवश्यक (Allowed Values)/अनुमत मूल्य
	Height of Seat in mm (+/- 10 mm)	440
	Width of Seat in mm (+/- 10 mm)	480
	Overall Chair Height in mm (+/- 10 mm)	800
Seat Details	Thickness of Cushion Used in Seat in mm (+/- 2 mm)	40
	Density of Cushion Used in Seat (Kg/Cubic Metre)	45
	Material of Fabric of Seat Cover	290 GSM cloth fabric
Backrest Details	Density of Cushion Used in Backrest (Kg/Cubic Metre)	45
	Thickness of Cushion in Backrest in mm (+/- 2 mm)	50
	Material of Fabric of Backrest Cover	290 gSM Cloth Fabric
	Height of Backrest (mm)	470.0 (millimeter)
SUPPORT / UNDER STRUCTURE	Frame Material	Mild Steel Pipe of diameter 25 mm and wall thickness 1.1 mm minimum
	Under Storage provided below the Seat	YES
Writing Pad Details	Writing Pad Material	18 mm teak plywood
MISC	Colour of Fabric for Seat and Backrest	As per buyer's choice
	Finishing of Structure	Powder coated
Warranty	Warranty period in number of years	1, 2, 3, 4, 5
Certification	Test reports to be furnished to buyer on demand	YES
	Product having BIFMA certification	NO
	OEM of offered product is ISO 9001:2015 certified	YES
	OEM of offered product is ISO 14001:2015 certified	YES
	OEM of offered product is ISO 18001:2007/ 45001:2018 certified	YES

Additional Specification Parameters - Classroom Chairs (180 pieces)

Specification Parameter Name	Bid Requirement (Allowed Values)
Warranty period in number of years	3
Thickness and Density of cushion used in Seat	40(+/- 2) mm & min 45 kg/ cubic meter
Dimension of Backrest (height x Width)	470 x 490 MM
Under storage dimension (height x Width)	Mesh of mild steel wire of size 360x350 mm (+/-100)
Writing Pad dimension (Length x Width) 580 x 290 mm	580 x 290 mm

* Bidders offering must also comply with the additional specification parameters mentioned above.

Consignees/Reporting Officer/परेषिती/रिपोर्टिंग अधिकारी and/ तथा Quantity/मात्रा

S.No./क्र. सं.	Consignee Reporting/Officer/ परेषिती/रिपोर्टिंग अधिकारी	Address/पता	Quantity/मात्रा	Delivery Days/डिलीवरी के दिन
1	Arunima Das	700108,Dean Office, 5th Floor, S.N. Bose Bhavan Indian Statistical Institute Kolkata 203, B.T. Road, Kolkata-700108	180	30

Buyer Added Bid Specific Terms and Conditions/क्रेता द्वारा जोड़ी गई बिड की विशेष शर्तें**1. Generic**

OPTION CLAUSE: The Purchaser reserves the right to increase or decrease the quantity to be ordered up to 25 percent of bid quantity at the time of placement of contract. The purchaser also reserves the right to increase the ordered quantity by up to 25% of the contracted quantity during the currency of the contract at the contracted rates. Bidders are bound to accept the orders accordingly.

2. Generic

After award of contract – Successful Bidder shall have to get Detailed Design Drawings approved from buyer before starting fabrication. Successful Bidder shall submit Detailed Design Drawings for Buyer's approval, within 10 days of award of contract. Buyer shall, either approve the drawings or will provide complete list of modification required in the drawings within 5 days. Seller shall be required to ensure supply as per approved Drawings with modifications as communicated by Buyer. If there is delay from buyer side in approval of drawing- the delivery period shall be refixed without LD for the period of delay in approval of Drawing.

3. Generic

Experience Criteria: The Bidder or its OEM {themselves or through reseller(s)} should have regularly, manufactured and supplied same or similar Category Products to any Central / State Govt Organization / PSU for 3 years before the bid opening date. Copies of relevant contracts to be submitted along with bid in support of having supplied some quantity during each of the year. In case of bunch bids, the primary product having highest value should meet this criterion.

4. **Generic**

Data Sheet of the product(s) offered in the bid, are to be uploaded along with the bid documents. Buyers can match and verify the Data Sheet with the product specifications offered. In case of any unexplained mismatch of technical parameters, the bid is liable for rejection.

5. **Generic**

Manufacturer Authorization: Wherever Authorised Distributors/service providers are submitting the bid, Authorisation Form /Certificate with OEM/Original Service Provider details such as name, designation, address, e-mail Id and Phone No. required to be furnished along with the bid

6. **Sample Clause**

After award of contract – Successful Bidder shall have to get advance sample approved from buyer before bulk manufacturing / starting bulk supplies. Successful Bidder shall submit

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samples for Buyer's approval, within 5 days of award of contract. Buyer shall, as per contract specifications framework, either approve the advance sample or will provide complete list of modification required in the sample within 5 days of receipt of advance sample. Seller shall be required to ensure supply as per approved sample with modifications as communicated by Buyer. If there is delay from buyer side in approval of advance sample – the delivery period shall be refixed without LD for the period of delay in sample approval. In case, the sample is found to have major deviations / not conforming to the Contract specifications, the buyer at its discretion may call for fresh samples for approval before allowing bulk supplies or may terminate the contract after notifying the deviations to the seller.

Unless otherwise provided in the contract, all samples required for test shall be supplied by the contractor free of cost. Where under the contract, the contractor is required to submit an advance sample, any expenses incurred by the contractor on or in connection with the production of stores in bulk, before the sample has been approved unconditionally shall be borne by the Seller and he shall not claim any compensation in the event of such sample being found unacceptable by the Buyer / Consignee.

7. **Forms of EMD and PBG**

Bidders can also submit the EMD with Account Payee Demand Draft in favour of

Indian Statistical Institute
payable at
Kolkata

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Bidder has to upload scanned copy / proof of the DD along with bid and has to ensure delivery of hardcopy to the Buyer within 5 days of Bid End date / Bid Opening date.

8. **Forms of EMD and PBG**

Successful Bidder can submit the Performance Security in the form of Account Payee Demand Draft also (besides PBG which is allowed as per GeM GTC). DD should be made in favour of

Indian Statistical Institute
payable at
Kolkata

. After award of contract, Successful Bidder can upload scanned copy of the DD in place of PBG and has to ensure delivery of hard copy to the original DD to the Buyer within 15 days of award of contract.

9. **Warranty**

Warranty period of the supplied products shall be 3 years from the date of final acceptance of goods or after completion of installation, commissioning & testing of goods (if included in the scope of supply), at

consignee location. OEM Warranty certificates must be submitted by Successful Bidder at the time of delivery of Goods. The seller should guarantee the rectification of goods in case of any break down during the guarantee period. Seller should have well established Installation, Commissioning, Training, Troubleshooting and Maintenance Service group in INDIA for attending the after sales service. Details of Service Centres near consignee destinations are to be uploaded along with the bid.

10. **Buyer Added Bid Specific ATC**

Buyer Added text based ATC clauses

Additional Terms and Conditions for Desklet Chair

1. The OEM should have 5 years of experience in manufacturing such equipment in their manufacturing facility.
2. OEM should have experience supplying at least 100 Desklet Chairs in a single work order to a reputed Govt. Educational Institute (CFTI/ Central University/ Central Autonomous etc.) in any of the last 3 FY. Purchase Order along with Work Completion/ CRAC must be submitted to this effect.
3. The bidder/OEM should have not been debarred/blacklisted by any State Government / Central Government institution/department for any reason. An affidavit in this regard on stamp paper should be submitted by the bidder/OEM mentioning the Bid No.
4. EMD in favor of beneficiary name should be submitted Before bid opening.
5. Bidder/OEMs must provide the details (Name of OEM (Make) and Model Number) of all the equipment to be supplied by them. Bidders/OEMs are also required to submit the OEM's product catalog/brochure indicating the specifications of offered equipment for technical suitability.
6. The OEM must submit an MSME & NSIC Certificate, if applicable.
7. OEM Should have its own manufacturing facility. Factory License of OEM, Process of Manufacturing in the Factory and List of Plant & Machinery should be submitted by the bidder.
8. The OEM average annual turnover should be at least Rs. 10 Cr (Ten Crores) for the last 3 Financial Years (FY2021- 22, FY 2022-23 & FY 2023-24). The same should be supported by Balance sheet audited by CA.
9. Bidder /OEM must have active service support and is required to furnish contact details of Service Executive, details to be furnished on bidder letterhead.
10. Bidder should submit valid ISO 9001:2015, ISO 45001:2018 and ISO 14001:2015 certificate of OEM (all the ISO certificates should be from NABCB accredited agency). If we don't find any of the above mentioned document tender will be rejected.
11. OEM must have NABL accredited Lab/Calibration Facility of its Own or through its Sister Concern. Documents in support of the same should be submitted with the bid.
12. OEM must have an office or full-fledged branch office in Kolkata. TRADE LICENSE to this effect must be submitted.
13. The company should have BIFMA Membership, IGBC Membership, GRIHA & SVAGRIHA Certification. A valid certificate to this effect must be submitted along with the website of the certificate issuing authority so that the same can be verified.
14. If any authorized reseller/ authorized dealer of any reputed, make is participating the tender/bid he has to attached Bid Specific authorization certificate of manufacturer/OEM.
15. **Welding is not permitted for the construction of furniture items and alternative methods such as screws, bolts, dowels, or adhesives must be used for joining components.**
16. All products should have a three (3)-year onsite warranty.
17. Payment will be released only after satisfactory delivery, installation, foundation, demonstration and

d acceptance of goods at the Institute.

18. Bidders who do not meet the criteria given above are subject to be disqualified, if they have made untrue or false representation in the forms, statements and attachments submitted in proof of the qualification requirements or have a record of poor performance, not properly completing the contract, inordinate delays in completion or financial failure, any false declaration, etc.
19. The prices must be inclusive of GST, packing, freight, unloading, installation or any other incidental charges.
20. Institute reserves the right to cancel the bid at any time without assigning any reasons thereof.
21. **The Institute reserves the right to get the product quality tested before acceptance of the product. The selected vendor may be asked to provide any quality test report (strength/ stability test or any other quality parameter) of 1(one) number of chair supplied to Indian Statistical Institute under this bid. Sample chair (1 Number) & the parameter of quality testing will be decided by ISI randomly from the lot supplied to ISI. Test need to be done from any Govt. Agency or Govt. approved lab. Cost of such testing to be borne by the vendor itself and no extra payment will be towards testing will be claimed. In case of failure of test as per the industry norm, the entire lot will be rejected.**
22. There will be a pre bid meeting on 18.09.2024 in the following time and venue:
Venue: Placement Office, 5th Floor, SN Bose Bhawan, ISI, 203 BT Road.
Time: 3.00 PM

11. **Buyer Added Bid Specific ATC**

Buyer uploaded ATC document [Click here to view the file.](#)

Disclaimer/अस्वीकरण

The additional terms and conditions have been incorporated by the Buyer after approval of the Competent Authority in Buyer Organization, whereby Buyer organization is solely responsible for the impact of these clauses on the bidding process, its outcome, and consequences thereof including any eccentricity / restriction arising in the bidding process due to these ATCs and due to modification of technical specifications and / or terms and conditions governing the bid. If any clause(s) is / are incorporated by the Buyer regarding following, the bid and resultant contracts shall be treated as null and void and such bids may be cancelled by GeM at any stage of bidding process without any notice:-

1. Definition of Class I and Class II suppliers in the bid not in line with the extant Order / Office Memorandum issued by DPIIT in this regard.
2. Seeking EMD submission from bidder(s), including via Additional Terms & Conditions, in contravention to exemption provided to such sellers under GeM GTC.
3. Publishing Custom / BOQ bids for items for which regular GeM categories are available without any Category item bunched with it.
4. Creating BoQ bid for single item.
5. Mentioning specific Brand or Make or Model or Manufacturer or Dealer name.
6. Mandating submission of documents in physical form as a pre-requisite to qualify bidders.
7. Floating / creation of work contracts as Custom Bids in Services.

8. Seeking sample with bid or approval of samples during bid evaluation process. (However, in bids for [attached categories](#), trials are allowed as per approved procurement policy of the buyer nodal Ministries)
9. Mandating foreign / international certifications even in case of existence of Indian Standards without specifying equivalent Indian Certification / standards.
10. Seeking experience from specific organization / department / institute only or from foreign / export experience.
11. Creating bid for items from irrelevant categories.
12. Incorporating any clause against the MSME policy and Preference to Make in India Policy.
13. Reference of conditions published on any external site or reference to external documents/clauses.
14. Asking for any Tender fee / Bid Participation fee / Auction fee in case of Bids / Forward Auction, as the case may be.

Further, if any seller has any objection/grievance against these additional clauses or otherwise on any aspect of this bid, they can raise their representation against the same by using the Representation window provided in the bid details field in Seller dashboard after logging in as a seller within 4 days of bid publication on GeM. Buyer is duty bound to reply to all such representations and would not be allowed to open bids if he fails to reply to such representations.

[This Bid is also governed by the General Terms and Conditions/ यह बिड सामान्य शर्तों के अंतर्गत भी शासित है](#)

In terms of GeM GTC clause 26 regarding Restrictions on procurement from a bidder of a country which shares a land border with India, any bidder from a country which shares a land border with India will be eligible to bid in this tender only if the bidder is registered with the Competent Authority. While participating in bid, Bidder has to undertake compliance of this and any false declaration and non-compliance of this would be a ground for immediate termination of the contract and further legal action in accordance with the laws./जेम की सामान्य शर्तों के खंड 26 के संदर्भ में भारत के साथ भूमि सीमा साझा करने वाले देश के बिडर से खरीद पर प्रतिबंध के संबंध में भारत के साथ भूमि सीमा साझा करने वाले देश का कोई भी बिडर इस निविदा में बिड देने के लिए तभी पात्र होगा जब वह बिड देने वाला सक्षम प्राधिकारी के पास पंजीकृत हो। बिड में भाग लेते समय बिडर को इसका अनुपालन करना होगा और कोई भी गलत घोषणा किए जाने व इसका अनुपालन न करने पर अनुबंध को तत्काल समाप्त करने और कानून के अनुसार आगे की कानूनी कार्रवाई का आधार होगा।

---Thank You/धन्यवाद---