

**Government of India
Ministry of Coal**

Date: 08/01/2021

Corrigendum No. 2 to Request for Bid (RFB No. 1/2020/CLD dated 25.11.2020)

Providing strategic and implementation management consulting services to assist the Ministry of Coal in the process of setting up Coal Trading Platform/Coal Trading Exchange in the country.

Sl. No.	Clause No.	As appearing in the RFB No. 1/2020/CLD dated 25.11.2020	To be read as / Amended as
1.	1.1.12 and 24(f) Performance Bank Guarantee	Clause 1.1.12: 25% of the total contract value after award of contract. The Performance Guarantee should be valid for a period of 30 months. Clause 24(f): "The validity of the bank Guarantee, as the case may be, shall not be less than 30 months from the date of award of contract"	10 % of the total contract value after award of contract. The Performance Guarantee should be valid for a period of 30 months from the date of Work Order or for a period of minimum 60 days post-completion of all contractual obligations arising out of the contract, whichever is later.
2.	6.1 Module VI – Timeframe	5 months post completion of Module V.	6 months post completion of Module V.
3.	9 Key Personnel and Reporting – Project Leader	The experience should be in the area of advisory to Government(s)/regulatory bodies in the Energy sector (Oil & Gas/ Power/ Renewables/ Chemicals/ Coal/ Metals & Commodities) in various strategic areas.	The experience should be in the area of advisory to Government(s)/regulatory bodies / Central PSUs in the Energy sector (Oil & Gas/ Power/ Renewables/ Chemicals/ Coal/ Metals & Commodities) in various strategic areas.
4.	12.1 (f) Conditions of Eligibility: Qualification criteria	Parties who have successfully completed at least one similar work(s), as below, during last 10 years.: The Similar Work will be defined as having proven consulting experience in Energy / Commodities Sector (Oil & Gas/Power/Renewables/Coal/Metals/Minerals/ Other Commodities) carrying out of the following projects:	Parties who have successfully completed at least one similar work(s), as below, during last 10 years.: The Similar Work will be defined as having proven consulting experience in Energy / Commodities Sector (Oil & Gas/Power/Renewables/Coal/Metals/Minerals/ Other Commodities) carrying out of the following projects: Consulting assignments completed by the company

		<p>Consulting assignments completed by the company for Government(s)/Regulator(s)/Committees constituted by Governments(s)/Regulator(s)</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Setting up a commodity risk management framework/treasury transformation for Energy / Commodities (Oil & Gas/Power/Renewables/Coal/Metals/Minerals/other commodities) trading company in India or abroad</p>	<p>for Government(s)/Regulator(s)/ Central PSUs/ Committees constituted by Governments(s)/Regulator(s)</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Setting up a commodity risk management framework for Energy / Commodities (Oil & Gas/Power/Renewables/Coal/Metals/Minerals/other commodities) trading company in India or abroad</p>
5.	16.3.2 Submission of Bid	The Selected Bidder's Bid Security shall be returned, upon the Bidder signing the Agreement and completing the Deliverables assigned to it for the first 4 (four) months of the Consultancy in accordance with the provisions thereof.	The Selected Bidder's Bid Security shall be returned only after receipt of the Performance Bank Guarantee.
6.	17.a.1 Criteria for Evaluation of Technical Bids	<p>No. of consulting assignments completed by the company in the Energy Sector (Oil & Gas/ Power/ Coal/ Renewables/other Commodities) for Government(s)/ Regulator(s)/ Committees constituted by Government(s) / Regulator(s)</p> <p>Or</p> <p>in the area of setting up of commodity exchange/ development of energy markets in India or abroad in the last 10 years.</p>	<p>No. of consulting assignments completed by the company in the Energy Sector (Oil & Gas/ Power/ Coal/ Renewables/other Commodities) for Government(s)/ Regulator(s)/ Central PSUs / Committees constituted by Government(s) / Regulator(s)</p> <p>Or</p> <p>in the area of setting up of commodity exchange/ development of energy markets in India or abroad in the last 10 years.</p>
7.	17.a.2 Criteria for Evaluation of Technical Bids	Number of consulting assignments completed in management advisory including market risk management framework/ treasury transformation and operations for a company in commodity (Oil & Gas/Power/Coal/Renewables /other commodities) sector in the last 10 year.	Number of consulting assignments completed in management advisory including market risk management framework and operations for a company in commodity (Oil & Gas/Power/Coal/Renewables/ other commodities) sector in the last 10 year.
8.	17.a.3 Criteria for Evaluation of Technical Bids	<p>Overall experience of the Lead Project Leader/ Regulatory Expert who will oversee and guide the project team members:</p> <p>The experience should be in the area of advisory to Government(s)/regulatory bodies in the Energy sector (Oil & Gas/ Power/ Renewables/ Chemicals/ Coal/ Metals & Commodities) in various strategic areas</p>	<p>Overall experience of the Lead Project Leader/ Regulatory Expert who will oversee and guide the project team members:</p> <p>The experience should be in the area of advisory to Government(s)/regulatory bodies / Central PSUs in the Energy sector (Oil & Gas/ Power/ Renewables/ Chemicals/ Coal/ Metals & Commodities) in various</p>

			strategic areas
9.	Clause 17	Clause 17 - Evaluation of Bids, Clause 17 - Criteria for Evaluation of Technical Bids & Clause 19 - Evaluation of Financial Bid	Clause 17 - Evaluation of Bids, Clause 18 - Criteria for Evaluation of Technical Bids & Clause 19 - Evaluation of Financial Bid
10.	25.5.e Conflict of Interest	A firm hired to provide consulting services for the preparation or implementation of a project, and its Members or Associates, will be disqualified from subsequently providing goods or works or services related to the same project;	A bidder/bidding consortium, having hired/selected/appointed/having awarded work order for consulting services in consequence of this RFB, or its members or associates or members of consortium would be disqualified from subsequently providing goods or works or services related to the same project.
11.	25.6 Conflict of Interest	An Bidder eventually appointed to provide Consultancy for this Project shall be disqualified from subsequently providing goods or services related to the same Project and any breach of this obligation shall be construed as Conflict of Interest; provided that the restriction herein shall not apply after a period of 12 months from the completion of this assignment; provided further that this restriction shall not apply to consultancy services performed for the Ministry of Coal in continuation of this Consultancy or to any subsequent consultancy/ advisory services performed for the Ministry of Coal where the conflict of interest situation does not arise.	An Bidder/Bidding Consortium and its members eventually appointed to provide Consultancy for this Project shall be disqualified from subsequently providing goods or services related to the same Project and any breach of this obligation shall be construed as Conflict of Interest; provided that the restriction herein shall not apply after a period of 12 months from the completion of this assignment; provided further that this restriction shall not apply to consultancy services performed for the Ministry of Coal in continuation of this Consultancy or to any subsequent consultancy/ advisory services performed for the Ministry of Coal where the conflict of interest situation does not arise.
12.	25.7 Conflict of Interest		<p>Following Clause is inserted after Clause 25.7 of the RFB:</p> <p>25.7. a: The Consultancy Team/Project Management Team/ Key Personnel as referred in Clause 8 and Clause 9 of this RFB shall be enjoined from providing advisory services of any nature in relation to the proposed Coal Trade Exchange to any other entity/individual, wherever situated, from the date of award of work order to the prospective bidder (for consultancy) herein till the final selection of Bidder (for System Integration or any other activity). Any such advisory service, if so provided, would be deemed conflict of interest. Above injunction shall extend to any personnel/individual who has ever been part of such</p>

			Consultancy Team/Project Management Team which has provided consultancy services to Ministry of Coal on the instant project.
13.	Annexure-3	Format for Submitting Financial Proposal	Revised Annexure-3 is annexed.

Annexure-3

Format for Submitting Financial Proposal

To,

The Ministry of Coal 120-F Wing,
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi – 110001

Sub: Selection of Consultant for Ministry of Coal

Ref: RFB dated [insert Date] (“**RFB**”)

Dear Sir,

I (Bidders name) provide below the Financial Proposal for selection of my/our as Consultant for above mentioned project:

Quote for total cost of the Consultancy for 24 months (in INR) ---- (in both figures and words). Module wise break up is as under:

Modules	Cost (in INR) (in both figures and words)
Module I	
Module II	
Module III	
Module IV	
Module V	
Module VI	
Module VII	

I agree that this offer shall remain valid for a period of 90 (ninety) days from the Bid Due Date or such further period as may be mutually agreed upon.

Sincerely,

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Signature of Authorised Signatory:

Note: The Financial Proposal is to be submitted strictly as per forms given in the RFB.