

Corrigendum-I

Corrigendum and Clarification in connection with Procurement of Multi Functions printers (MFPs) for PAN India Office of NIC vide RFP No. NIC/IT/RFP/05/2024/ MFP Printers of NIC

Clarification and amendment to queries:

With reference to the above, please find the attached corrigendum including specifications against NIC/IT/RFP/05/2024/MFP Printers. All other terms and conditions will remain same as per RFP.

SI No.	RFP Clause	Request for Changes	NIC response
1	The Bidder should be capable of delivering and installing the systems specified in this RFP within Fourteen weeks for offices located in States of North East or Jammu and Kashmir and within a period of Twelve weeks for all other locations from the date of issue of the Purchase Order	We are requesting you to please consider Sixteen weeks for offices located in States of North East or Jammu and Kashmir and within Fourteen weeks for all other locations from the date of placement of the Purchase Order.	No Change
2	Delivery Location Details	Requesting you to please share us a tentative list of delivery location for Logistic planning.	Will be Shared with L1 Bidder while issuing PO
3	2.6 Last Date & Time for Submission of RFP through online mode is on or before 22nd April 2024 Time: 1:00 PM at 'NIC Address' and through offline mode on or before 22nd April 2024 Time: 2:00 PM at 'NIC Address'	We are requesting you to please consider at list 2 hours instead of 1 hour for the submission of Hard Copy Bid.	The said clause may be read as: Last Date & Time for Submission of RFP through online mode is on or before 29th April 2024 Time: 1:00 PM at 'NIC Address' and through offline mode on or before 29th April 2024 Time: 3:00 PM at 'NIC Address'

4	1.4 (i) Bidder should have sold minimum 100 nos MFP printers in one single order in any of the last 3 financial years (2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23) in any Govt./PSU/BFSI sector. (Documentary proof needs to be submitted)	We are requesting you to please consider as Bidder should have sold minimum 100 nos MFP printers in one single order in any of the last 3 financial years (2021-22, 2022-23 and 2023-24) in any Govt./PSU/BFSI sector. (Documentary proof needs to be submitted)	No Change
5	5.1 & 5.2 - Sustainability - Quoted Product or Product Series should have EPEAT Gold Certification Quoted Product or Product Series should have Blue Angel Certification	Since both the certification is not mandatory for India we are requesting you to please consider Quoted Product or Product Series should have EPEAT Gold Certification/ Quoted Product or Product Series should have Blue Angel Certification / DPIIT certified product category .	The said clause may be read as: Sustainability - Quoted Product or Product Series should have EPEAT Gold Certification Quoted Product or Product Series should have Blue Angel Certification/DPIIT certified Product Category
6	5.0 - scope of work -Note: NIC reserves the right to convert products quoted to a contractual services obligation either valid for a period of 5 years or till the Product warranty, whichever is higher. Under no condition, the Bidder can deviate upwards from the price shared during Bid submission for consumables for the duration of the contract. Such Contracts should either be with the OEM or backed by the OEM in case the bidder is not OEM. To manage inhouse Print Fleet Management, NIC may seek Professional Services /manpower support, provided at additional charge.	Requesting you to please consider the price validity for Option I & Option II MFP for 6 months from the date of PO Placement. Price validity of highend MFP for entire contract period is not logically possible in current market condition. In case of spares NICL should consider maximum 10% price escalation after 1st year till contract end .Supplier should submit proper justification / documentary proof for such escalation on consumables/spares prices for the optional items.	No Change

7	3) Optional Item Price for MFP Type-II Printers (Valid for Entire Contract Period):	Requesting you to please consider the price validity for Option I & Option II MFP for 6 months from the date of PO Placement. Price validity of highend MFP for entire contract period is not logically possible in current market condition.	No Change
8	2.6 Last Date & Time for Submission of RFP through online mode is on or before 22nd April 2024 Time: 1:00 PM at 'NIC Address' and through offline mode on or before 22nd April 2024 Time: 2:00 PM at 'NIC Address'	Request for 7 days extension on the mentioned submission date.	The said clause may be read as: Last Date & Time for Submission of RFP through online mode is on or before 29th April 2024 Time: 1:00 PM at 'NIC Address' and through offline mode on or before 29th April 2024 Time: 3:00 PM at 'NIC Address'
9	Paper Trays: Output trays: 1x 500 sheet or above for Option I & Option II MFP	Requesting you to please remove Output trays: 1x 500 sheet from Option I & Option II printer. Actually in all major MFP architecture the output trays are used as open storage.	No Change
10	Resident Engineer - OEM Engineer	As per mentioned Roles & Responsibility of RE in RFP, We are requesting you to please consider Bidder / OEM Engineer.	The said clause may be read as: Resident Engineer - OEM badge Engineer which should have OEM ID Card and email id.
11	Print: 60 ppm/cpm (A4) and 25 ppm (A3) or higher speed, 1200 X 1200 DPI or higher resolution and Duplex 60 iPM	Print: 55 ppm/cpm (A4) and 29 ppm (A3) or higher speed, 1200 X 1200 DPI or higher resolution and Duplex 60 iPM	No Change
12	PCL 6, Postscript level 3	Standard: PCL 6 Optional: PostScript 3 or Equivalent	No Change
13	Scan-to-E-mail; Scan-to- network folder (standalone solution); Scan to Cloud; Scan to USB; Scan-to- SharePoint, Scan to Google CWS.	Standard: Scan-to-E-mail; Scan-to-network folder (standalone solution); Scan to USB. Optional: (Software Cloud Connector required): Scan to Cloud; Scan-to-SharePoint, Scan to Google CWS.	No Change

14	DDR4,4 GB or higher	Standard: 3 GB RAM or higher (DDR3 / DDR4) for Type-I and 5 GB or higher (DDR3 / DDR4) for Type II	No Change
15	Input Trays: 2 x 500 sheets or equivalent or above. Output trays: 1 x 500 sheet or above. Bypass tray: 100 sheets or above.	Input Trays: 2 x 500 sheets or equivalent or above. Output trays: 1 x 250 sheet or above Bypass tray: 100 sheets or above.	No Change
16	500GB	Min HDD 320 GB / SSD 265 GB or better for Type-I and Min SSD 265 GB or better for Type II	No Change
17	Energy Star 3.0. Self-Certificate Malicious Code & ROHS	BIS Registration Certificate & Self-Certificate for Malicious Code & ROHS. Preferably Energy Star 3.0 Compliance / Mark / Link.	The said clause may be read as: BIS Registration Certificate and Energy Star 3.0. Self-Certificate Malicious Code & ROHS
18	Toner: The percentage of post-consumer recycled content should be a minimum 50% or higher Quoted Product or Product Series should have EPEAT Gold Certification Quoted Product or Product Series should have Blue Angel Certification	Request to remove these as difficult to measure and confirm.	Audited Certificate/Self Declaration on OEM's Website is acceptable.
19	Free recycling of device & Toner from the site		Quoted Product or Product Series should have EPEAT Gold Certification Quoted Product or Product Series should have Blue Angel Certification/DPIIT certified Product Category
20	Maximum: 1100 watts (60 ppm, printing), 50 watts (ready)	For Type-I: Maximum: 2400W or less Standby: Approx. 256 W Sleep mode: Approx. 0.9 W. For Type-II: Maximum: 1800W or less Standby: Approx. 50.7 W Sleep mode: Approx. 0.8 W	No Change

21	Up to 200,000 pages & Above	Request to enhance the duty cycle to 250000 and request to included tminimum Recommended monthly Print volume to 60000 and this should be visible in website (Public domain) for both Type I and Type II	No Change
22	PCL 6, Postscript level 3	Request to include thePDF (v 1.7) as PDF is most common format for both Type I and Type II	No Change
23	1.6Ghz or higher	Request to include the latest dual Processor technology for optimum performance of the device. Quad core & Dual core for both Type I and Type II	No Change
24	DDR4,4 GB or higher	Request to enhance the Memory to 6 GB or above for the optimum performance of the device for both Type I and Type II	No Change
25	From 60GSM Upto 250 GSM	Request to enhance the media weight to 300 GSM as it will support heavy media too for both Type I and Type II	No Change
26	(iv) The Bidder (In case of OEM, either OEM directly or through channel partner) should have executed at least three single Work Orders each with a minimum value of Rs.2.00 crore (Rupees Two Crore) only in each of the last three financial years i.e. 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23. Photocopies of Work order have to be submitted as a documentary proof.	Kindly Clariy whethe 3 Work orders orders of 2 Cr needed for aech the three years 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23 or 1 Order of 2 Cr for each year.	Bidder needs to submit 3 work order with minimum value of Rs. 2 Crores in each of the last three FY i.e. 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23. Photocopies of Work order have to be submitted as a documentary proof.
27	GeM Clause -Commercial Bid	1 Starter Toner plus 2 Full Toners Original of Same OEM Make- Qty. 150	Kindly Read the said Clause as: MFP PRINTERS WITH MINIMUM SPECS AS PER SECTION IV- Qty. 150