Amendment No. 3

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Subject: Amendment no. 03 to the Tender Enquiry Document

Ref: (i) Tender Enquiry No.: HLL/PCD/PMSSY-II/11/16-17 dated 22.08.2016 and subsequent amendments published thereafter.

The following changes are made in the GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS (GIT) & QUALIFICATION CRITERIA in accordance with the Ministry of Finance Office Memorandum No. F.20/2/2014-PPD(Pt.) dated 25th July 2016.

Section II GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS (GIT)

35. Additional Factors and Parameters for Evaluation and Ranking of Responsive Tenders

35.3 The Purchaser reserves the right to give the price preference to small-scale sectors etc. and purchase preference to central public sector undertakings as per the instruction in vogue while evaluating, comparing and ranking the responsive tenders.

Added Para:

iv. The Purchaser reserves the right to relax the Norms on <u>Prior Experience</u> for Startups and Micro & Small Enterprises in Public Procurement.

The Startups are defined in Annexure-A of the "Action Plan for Startups in India". The same is available on the website of Department of Industrial policy and Promotion (DIPP), Ministry of Commerce & Industry.

The Notification is available in the below link:

http://www.finmin.nic.in/the_ministry/dept_expenditure/ppcell/RelaxNorms_StarupMedEnterprise 25072016.pdf

The FAQs are available in the below link:

http://dipp.nic.in/English/Investor/startupindia/FAQs_StartupIndia_30March2016.pdf

Note:- Definition of Startup (only for the purpose of Government schemes)

(Ref: Ministry of Finance Office Memorandum No. F.20/2/2014-PPD(Pt.) dated 25th July 2016.)

Startup means an entity, incorporated or registered in India not prior to five years, with annual turnover not exceeding INR 25 crore in any preceding financial year, working towards innovation, development, deployment or commercialization of new products, processes or services driven by technology or intellectual property.

Provided that such entity is not formed by splitting up, or reconstruction, of a business already in existence.

Provided also that an entity shall cease to be a Startup if its turnover for the previous financial years has exceeded INR 25 crore or it has completed 5 years from the date of incorporation/ registration.

Provided further that a Startup shall be eligible for tax benefits only after it has obtained certification from the Inter-Ministerial Board, setup for such purpose.

<u>Section – IX</u> Qualification Criteria

Note:-

Added para:-

(v) The startups claiming <u>exemption on the required prior experience</u>, and complying the condition of GIT Clause 35.3 (iv) as above, should furnish along with the bid

1. All necessary documents in support of the claim regarding exemption on prior experience as mandated by concerned Ministry/ Board of Govt. of India.

Notwithstanding anything stated above, the Purchaser reserves the right to verify/consider, whether the firm/entity is eligible for <u>exemption regarding prior experience requirement.</u>

All other terms and conditions of the tender enquiry remain unaltered.