

**NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT)**

1. A tender is invited for the work as mentioned in Appendix 'A' to this NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT).
2. The work is estimated to cost as indicated in aforesaid Appendix 'A'. This estimate however, is not a guarantee and is merely given as a rough guide and if the work cost more or less, a tenderer/bidder will have no claim on that account. The tender shall be based on as mentioned in aforesaid Appendix 'A'.
3. The work is to be completed within the period as indicated in aforesaid Appendix 'A' in accordance with phasing, if any, indicated in the tender from the date of handing over site, which will be on or about two weeks after the date of Acceptance of tender.
4. Normally contractors whose names are on the MES approved list for the area in which the work lies, and within whose financial category the estimated amount would fall, may tender/bid but in case of term contracts, contractors of categories SS to E may tender/bid. Contractors whose names are on the MES approved list of any MES Formation and who have deposited standing security and have executed standing security bond may also tender/bid without depositing Earnest money along with the tender/bid and if the tender/bid submitted by such a tenderer/bidder is accepted, the contractor will be required to deliver to the Accepting Officer the amount of 'Performance Security' within twenty eight days of the receipt by him of notification of acceptance of his tender/bid, failing which action will be taken as per the stipulations in para 19.3 of Condition 19 of GCC (IAFW-2249). Not more than one tender/bid shall be submitted/uploaded by one contractor or one firm of contractors. Under no circumstances will a father and his son(s) or other close relations who have business dealing with one another be allowed to tender/bid for the same contract as separate competitors. A breach of this condition will render the tender/bids of both the parties liable for rejection.
5. The Office of **Garrison Engineer (AF) Tezpur** will be the Accepting Officer here in after referred to as such for purpose of the contract.
6. The Technical Bid and Financial Bid (Cover-1 and Cover-2) shall be uploaded by the tenderer/bidder on or before the date & time mentioned in **NIT**. A scanned copy of DD with enlistment details/documents shall be uploaded as packet 1/Cover-1 ('T' bid) of the tender/bid on e-tendering portal. DD is refundable in case T bid is not accepted resulting in non-opening of 'Q' bid. The applicant contractor shall bear the cost of bank charges for procuring and encashing the DD and shall not have any claim from Government whatsoever on this account.
  - 6.1 Tender form and conditions of contract and other necessary documents shall be available on [eprocuremes.gov.in/eprocure.gov.in](http://eprocuremes.gov.in/eprocure.gov.in) site for download and shall form part of contract agreement in case the tender/bid is accepted.
  - 6.2 In Case of contractor who has not executed the Standing Security Bond, the Cover-I shall be accompanied with by Earnest Money of amount as mentioned in Appendix 'A' in the form of deposit at call receipt in favour of concerned CCE/GE/GE(I)/AGE(I) (see Appendix 'A') by a scheduled Bank or in receipted treasury Challan the amount being credited to the revenue deposit of the concerned CCE/GE/GE(I)/AGE(I) (see Appendix 'A') .
  - 6.3 A contractor who is not enlisted for the area in which the work lies but whose name is in the MES approved list of any MES formation and who has deposited standing security and executed standing security Bond may bid without depositing earnest money along with tender; but if the Accepting Officer accepts the tender/bid, the contractor will be required to deliver to the Accepting Officer a 'Performance Security' within twenty eight days of the receipt by him of notification of acceptance of his tender/bid, failing which action will be taken as per the stipulations in para 19.3 of Condition 19 of GCC (IAFW-2249).

- 6.4 A contractor who has executed standing security Bond but not corresponding to the appropriate class as mentioned above, shall deliver to the Accepting Officer a 'Performance Security' within twenty eight days of the receipt by him of notification of acceptance of his tender/bid, failing which action will be taken as per the stipulations in para 19.3 of Condition 19 of GCC (IAFW-2249).
- 6.5 The GE will return the Earnest Money wherever applicable to all unsuccessful tender/bidder by endorsing an authority on the deposit-at-call receipt for its refund, on production by the tenderer/bidder a certificate of the Accepting Officer that a bonafide tender/bid was received and all documents were returned.
- 6.6 The GE will return the Earnest Money to successful tender/ bidder by endorsing an authority on the deposit-at-call Receipt for its refund on receipt of an appropriate amount of Performance Security or will retain the same in part or full on account of performance security if such a transaction is feasible.
- 6.7 Copies of the drawings and other document pertaining to the work signed for the purpose of identification by the Accepting Officer or his accredited representative, sample of materials and stores to be supplied by the contractor will also be available for inspection by the tender/bidder at the office of Accepting Officer and concerned AGE during working hours.
7. The tenderers/bidders are advised to visit the site of work by making prior appointment with GE who is also the Executing Agency of the work (see appendix 'A'). The tenders/bidders are deemed to have full knowledge of all relevant documents, samples, site etc., whether they have inspected them or not.
8. Any tender/bid which proposes any alteration to any of the conditions laid down or which proposes any other condition or prescription whatsoever, is liable to be rejected.
9. The uploading of bid implies that bidder has read this notice and the Conditions of Contract and has made himself aware of the scope and specification of work to be done and of the conditions and rates at which stores, tools and plants etc will be issued to him and local conditions and other factors having bearing on the execution of the work.
10. Tenders/bidders must be in possession of a copy of the MES Standard Schedule of Rates (see appendix 'A') including amendments and errata thereto.
11. Invitation for e- tender does not constitute any guarantee for validation of 'T' bid and subsequent opening of finance bid of any applicant/bidder, even of enlisted contractors of appropriate class, merely by virtue of enclosing DD. Accepting Officer reserves the right to reject the 'T' bid and not open the finance bid of any applicant/bidder. 'T' bid validation shall be decided by the Accepting Officer based on, inter alia, capability of the firm as per criteria given in Appx 'A' to this **NIT**. The applicant contractor/bidder will be informed regarding non-validation of his 'T' bid assigning reasons thereof through the defproc.gov.in website. The applicant contractor/bidder if he so desires may appeal to the next higher Engineer authority viz. **HQ Commander Works Engineer (Air Force) Borjhar**, on email id **afborj3-mes@nic.in / sswafborj3-mes@nic.in** with copy to the Accepting Officer on email before the scheduled date of opening of Finance Bid. The decision of the Next Higher Engineer Authority (NHEA) shall be final and binding. The contractor/bidder shall not be entitled for any compensation whatsoever for rejection of his bid.

12. The Accepting Officer reserves the right to accept a tender submitted by Public Undertaking, giving a price preference over other Tender (s)/bids, which may be lower, as are admissible under the Government Policy. No claim for any compensation or otherwise shall be admissible from such tender/bidder whose tender/bid is rejected.

13. Accepting Officer does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender/bid or to given any reason for not doing so.

14. Irrespective of whatever is mentioned in condition 19.3 of IAFW-2249 with regard to suspension of tenders on account of non-submission of Performance Security, issue of tenders to such tenders shall remain suspended for a period of six months from the date of cancellation of contract under Condition 19.3 of IAFW2249 in case of unenlisted contractors. In case of MES enlisted contractors, issue of tenders shall remain suspended till deposit of EMD or six months from the date of cancellation whichever is later.

15. This **Notice Inviting Tender (NIT)** including Appendix 'A' shall form part of the contract.

**SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR**  
**DATED:** \_\_\_\_\_

**AGE (CONTRACTS)**  
**FOR ACCEPTING OFFICER**

**APPENDIX 'A' TO NOTICE INVITING TENDER**

1	Name of work	Provn of AC along with connected works for tech equipments at various locations and Provn of security lighting and area illumination alongwith connected accessories at certain location at AF Stn Tezpur									
2	Estimated of Cost	Rs. 48.17 Lakh (at Par Market)									
3	Period of completion	180 days									
4	Cost of tender documents	Rs 500/- in the shape of DD/Bankers cheque from any schedule Bank in favour of GE (AF) Tezpur and Payable at Tezpur. (Note: - In case of retendering, the contractor who had quoted in the previous call is not required to submit the cost of tender.)									
5	Website/portal address	www.defproc.gov.in									
6	Type of contract	The tender shall be based on IAFW-1779-A, specifications and General Conditions of Contracts (IAFW-2249) with Schedule 'A' (list of items of work) to be priced by tenderer. The tenderers are required to quote their rates in the bill of quantities (BOQ).									
7	Information & Details :	Refer critical dates on the website									
	(e) Bid submission start date										
	(b) Bid submission end date										
	(c) Date/time for opening of bid										
8	Eligibility Criteria										
	(a) For MES enlisted contractors	Contractor shall be enlisted with MES in Class 'D' and above and category a(i) or (b)(i) subject to satisfactory remarks wrt performance in respect of works in hand as reflected in Work Load Return (WLR) or any other report circulated by competent engineer authority.									
	(b) For contractors not enlisted with MES	<p>(i) Contractor not enlisted with MES should meet the enlistment criteria of 'D' Class a(i) or b(i) category contractor with regard to satisfactorily completed requisite value works with Central/State Government/Central/State PSUs/ AWHO/AFNHB/CGEWHO/DGMAP, annual turnover, bank solvency, working capital and other requirements given in in Para 1.4 &amp; 1.5 of Section 1 of Part I of MES Manual on Contracts- 2020 as available in all MES formations as well as MES website (www.mes.gov.in)</p> <p>(ii) Not carrying adverse remarks in Work Load Report (WLR) or any other similar report circulated by any competent authority, if already working in MES.</p> <p>(iii) Not suspended/debarred/blacklisted (either permanently or temporarily) from participating in any bid or for business dealings by any Central/State Government Department or any Central/ State Government PSU or any Autonomous Body under Central/State Government or any Local Body as on the bid submission end date.</p> <p>(iv) Details of works completed and under progress in MES be submitted in the following format:-</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Sl No.</th> <th>CA No. &amp; Name of Work</th> <th>Value of CA</th> <th>Date of commencement</th> <th>Date of completion</th> <th>Extended date of completion</th> </tr> </thead> </table>				Sl No.	CA No. & Name of Work	Value of CA	Date of commencement	Date of completion	Extended date of completion
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		Un-enlisted Contractor who have secured two works in MES should get themselves registered in the appropriate designated Class with any Registering Authority, else the firm will not be eligible for participation in tender unless until the firm is enlisted with the MES.
9.	Tender issuing and Accepting Officer	Garrison Engineer (AF) Tezpur PO-Salonibari, PIN-784104 District-Sonitpur, Assam Tele: 03712-258113, e-mail: aftezp4-mes@nic.in
10	Executing agency	GE (AF) Tezpur
11	Earnest Money	<b>Rs 96,400/- in favour of GE (AF) Tezpur in form of Deposit at call receipt, FDR not acceptable.</b> <b>Note:-</b> The bidders are required to sign the Bid Securing Declaration and upload copy of the same in Cover 1(Technical Bid) as below: - I/We hereby understand and accept that if I/We withdraw or modify my/our bids during the period of validity, or if I/We are awarded the contract and on being called upon to submit the Performance Security/Security Deposit, fail to submit the Performance Security/Security Deposit before the deadline defined in the request for bid documents/Notice Inviting Tender, I/We shall be debarred from exemption of submitting Bid Security/Earnest Money Deposit for a period of 6(Six) months, from the date I/We are declared disqualified from exemption from submission of Earnest Money Deposit/Security Deposit, for all tenders issued by MES during this period.
12	Performance Security	Within 28 days of receipt of the letter of Acceptance, the successful contractor shall submit to the Accepting officer a performance security in any of the forms as prescribed for an amount equivalent to 5% of the Accepted amount (Contract Sum/ Lump sum).

**NOTES:-**

1. In case after opening of Cover-I, the number of MES enlisted contractors of eligible class as well as unenlisted contractors, if any, fulfilling the other eligibility criteria given in NIT are less than 7 (Seven), applications in respect of contractors one and two class below the eligible class may also be considered subject to fulfilling the other eligibility criteria given in NIT. Therefore, MES contractors one and two class below eligible class may also bid for this tender. However, such contractors shall not be considered in case their present residual work in hand is more than 05 (Five) times their present tendering limit. However, in case such contractors fulfill the criteria of upgradation to the stipulated eligible class based on past experience of completed works (individual work experience and/or avg turnover, as applicable) and financial soundness (solvency and working capital), the ceiling of present residual work will not apply, and they will be considered for issue of tender. Such bidders shall upload in their Cover-I bid details of residual works in hand showing name of work, names of accepting officer, contact amounts, date of commencement and completion (stipulated) and progress as on bid submission end date. Such contractor, if claim to fulfill the criteria of upgradation shall also upload the requisite information/documents in support of upgradation. These details shall be verified by the Tender Issuing Authority from concerned formations in case bid of such contractors are considered for evaluation.”
2. In case after opening of Cover1, if the number of MES enlisted contractors of eligible class contractors as well as unenlisted contractors, if any, fulfilling the other eligibility criteria given in NIT are 7 (Seven) or more, applications of those ONE class below the eligible class bidders shall be considered, who have previously completed similar works satisfactorily & are meeting the criteria of up-gradation in respect of past experience of completed work (individual work experience and /or average annual turnover as applicable) & financial soundness (solvency/ financial soundness & working capital) as per details given in Manual on Contracts. Therefore, such contractors shall upload the requisite information/documents in the Cover1.
3. Unenlisted contractor shall be considered provided he meets the criteria. Foreign firms shall not be eligible for this tender. However Indian firms having foreign national/Indian Nationals staying abroad/ Indian national having taken foreign citizenship, as director(s) shall be considered subject to security clearance from the concerned authorities.
4. Contractors enlisted with MES will upload following documents in Cover-I for checking eligibility: -
  - (a) Application for tender on Firm's letter head
  - (b) Enlistment letter issued by the Registering Authority duly renewed for the cycle period in vogue.

- (c) Scanned copy of DD/Banker Cheque towards cost of tender and EMD instrument in case SSD bond not signed at the time of registration.
- (d) Any other documents required as described in this Appendix.

5. Contractors not enlisted with MES will be required to upload following documents in Cover-1 for checking eligibility.

- (a) Application for tender on Firm's letter head
- (b) Scanned copy of DD/Banker Cheque towards cost of tender and Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) instrument.
- (c) Copy of Police Verification Report /Police Clearance Certificate/Character Certificate from the Police authority of the area where registered office of the firm is located/notarized copy of valid passport of Proprietor/each Partner/each Director.
- (d) All documents required for enlistment in MES for the class mentioned in Para 8(b) above as per Para 1.5 of Section 1 of MES Manual on Contracts 2020.
- (e) Details of works being executed in MES, if any.
- (f) Any other documents required as described in this Appendix

6. Tenders not accompanied by scanned copies of requisite DD/banker's cheque towards cost of tender and earnest money (as applicable) in Cover1 shall not be considered for validation of T bid and their financial Bids will not be opened.

7. Contractor should ensure that their original physical DDs and Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) instruments (as applicable) shall reach the office of Accepting Officer **within 7 (Seven) days** of bid submission end date, failing which following actions shall be taken.

- (a) In case of tender from enlisted contractors of MES, where scanned copies of requisite DD/Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender has been uploaded in Cover1 but physical copies are not received within the stipulated period, their financial bids (Cover 2) will be opened. However non-submission of physical copies of cost of tender shall be considered as willful negligence of the tenderer with ulterior motives and such tenderer shall be banned from bidding for a period of six months commencing from the date of opening of Financial Bid (Cover 2).
- (b) In case of tender from unenlisted contractor, where scanned copies of requisite DD/ Bankers Cheque towards cost of tender have been uploaded in Cover 1 but physical copies are not received within the stipulated period, their financial bids (Cover 2) will not be opened. Name of such contractors along with complete address shall be circulated for not opening of their bids for a period of six months commencing from the date of opening of Financial Bid (Cover 2).
- (c) In case of tenders from enlisted and un-enlisted contractor, where scanned copies of instrument for Earnest Money Deposit (as applicable) have been uploaded in Cover1, but the same are not received in physical form within stipulated time, such tenders shall not qualify for opening of Financial Bid (Cover-2).

8. Contractor will not be allowed to execute the work by subletting or through power of attorney holder on his behalf to a third party/another firm on his behalf. However, a contractor can execute the work through Power of Attorney to sons/daughters/Spouse of Proprietor/ Partner/Director and firm's own employees, Director, Project Manager **provided they are not having a separate enlisted firm in MES in their name as Proprietor/Partner/Director.**

9. After opening of Cover-1 and during its technical evaluation, in case of any deficiency is noticed in the documents required to be uploaded by the tenderers as per NIT, a communication in the form of e-mail/SMS/Speed Post etc shall be sent to the contractor to rectify the deficiency within a period of seven days from the date of communication failing which their financial bid (Cover-2) shall not be opened and contractor shall not have any claim on the same.

10. Invitation for e- tender does not constitute any guarantee for validation of Technical bid and subsequent opening of financial bid of any applicant/bidder merely by virtue of enclosing DD, Accepting Officer reserves the right to reject the Technical bid and not open the financial bid of any applicant/bidder. 'Technical bid validation shall be decided by the Accepting Officer based on, eligibility of the firm as per the criteria given in this Appendix. Tenderer/ bidder will be informed regarding non-validation of his Technical bid assigning reasons therefore through the tender evaluation report which shall be uploaded on the website. Such tenderer if he so desires may appeal to the next higher Engineer authority viz. **HQ Commander Works Engineer (AF) Borjhar** on email id **afborj3-mes@nic.in / sswafborj3-mes@nic.in** with copy to the Accepting Officer on email before the scheduled date of opening of Cover 2. NHEA shall decide the matter within a period of seven working days from the date of receipt of appeal. The decision of the NHEA shall be final and binding. The tenderer/bidder shall not be entitled for any compensation whatsoever for rejection of his bid.

11. In case of un-enlisted contractors is already executing work in MES, he shall not be considered eligible for the subject tender if the total value of such work is more than twice the tendering limit of the MES class of contractor for which it is eligible. For the purpose, details of the works being executed by such a contractor shall be uploaded in the Cover-I of the bid and shall be checked/verified by the Accepting Officer.

12. In case the BOQ is revised through the corrigendum and the bidder has failed to quote on the revised BOQ (i.e. he has quoted on pre revised BOQ), such bid shall be treated as willful negligence by the bidder and his quotation shall be considered non-bonafide. In such case the lowest tender shall be determined from amongst the valid/bonafide bids only. Accepting Officer may decide whether to re-tender or consider the lowest bonafide tender for acceptance.

13. Revoking the offer or revising the rates upwards or offering voluntary reduction by the lowest tenderer after opening of Cover-2 shall be considered as a willful default. For this default, a penalty of an amount equal to Earnest Money shall be levied. In case of an unenlisted tenderer, Earnest Money deposited by him shall be forfeited. In case of MES enlisted tenderer having deposited the Sanding Security Bond, an amount equal to the Earnest Money stipulated in the NIT shall be notified to the tenderer for depositing through MRO and consideration of such tenderer in tender evaluation for future work shall remain suspended till the aforementioned amount is deposited in the Government Treasury. No other disciplinary/administrative action shall be taken against such tenderers. In such a situation, the next lowest offer shall not be considered for acceptance. Instead, retendering shall be resorted to in a transparent and fair manner and the defaulting tenderer and his related firm, if any, shall not be eligible for this tender in second call or subsequent calls.

14. Tender to related firms shall not be issued simultaneously. Firms shall be termed as related if Proprietor/one or more Partners/Directors are common. Decision of Accepting Officer on issue/deny the tender to any one of the related firms shall be final and binding.

15. The tenderer/bidder shall upload copy of GST Registration Certificate and proof of possession of Provident Fund Code Number in addition to other mandatory documents as required. All workers employed directly or indirectly by the contractor shall be enrolled as members of provident fund and should give the Universal Account Number (UAN).

16. Court of the place from where tender has been published shall alone have jurisdiction to decide any dispute out of or in respect of this tender. After acceptance of tender, Condition 72 - jurisdiction of Courts, in GCC (IAFW-2249) shall be applicable.

**SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR**

File No: No.:8151/ /E8

Dated: Apr 2026

**Military Engineer Services**

Garrison Engineer (AF) Tezpur

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FOR ACCEPTING OFFICER**