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(A Public Limited Company under Posts and Telecommunications Division of -MoPT&IT)



Ref. No.: 14.34.0000.110.07.026.21. 15021

Date: November 04, 2021

To
Concern Bidders

1st Corrigendum Notice

Subject: **Amendment of Some Clauses of the Specifications of the bidding document for the work "Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of 03 (Three) Nos Carrier Grade Ethernet Switches for IIG Operations".**

Tender No.: 14.34.0000.110.07.026.21.01

Invitation Ref. No.: 14.34.0000.110.07.026.21.02

With reference to the above mentioned subject, It is notified for all concerned that amendments are hereby made in the bidding document for the "Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of 03 (Three) Nos Carrier Grade Ethernet Switches for IIG Operations" are attached herewith. Bidders are requested to follow the attached amendments for related clause. The said amendment will be an integral part of the tender document. All other terms & conditions as laid down in bidding document will remain unchanged.

Attachment: 02 (Two) Pages.

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In response to the queries received from prospective bidders regarding the following items/clauses of the bid document for the work titled "SUPPLY, INSTALLATION, TESTING AND COMMISSIONING OF 03 (Three) Nos CARRIER GRADE ETHERNET SWITCHES FOR IIG OPERATIONS", response of BSCCL in this regard are hereby given below:

SI No.	Document Reference	Page Number	Clause Number	Item name	Bidder's queries/Comments	Response of BSCCL
1	Bid Document	25	5.1(ii)	System throughput with forwarding rate	Most of the OEM has Architecture is based on specific hardware and Non-Blocking architecture generally use by app reputed OEM, For wider OEM participation kindly amend the same as, " Switch shall have the system throughput (Switching Bandwidth) of minimum 3 Tbps (bidirectional) with minimum 1.0 Bpps forwarding rate. "	Please follow the clause of the bid document.
2	Bid Document	25	5.2(ii)	Port-channel	Requested switch has only 48 ports and this is specific to some OEMs and no one uses these kind of combination in 1U or 2U switches. For wider OEM participation please amend the same as, " The switch hardware shall support minimum 16 number of port-Channel with minimum 8 numbers of links in a port channel ".	The clause 5.2(ii) of the bid document is hereby amended as follows: " The switch hardware shall support minimum 32 number of port-Channel with minimum 16 numbers of links in a port channel "
3	Bid Document	25	5.3(ii)	Management	IP SLA (Service assurance is part of it) is specific to OEM. For wider OEM participation please amend as " Extensive simple network management protocol (SNMP) support including the service assurance agent or equivalent. "	The clause 5.3(ii) of the bid document is amended as follows: " Extensive simple network management protocol (SNMP) support including the service assurance agent or equivalent. "
4	Bid Document	25	5.4 (d)	Interfaces	Due to security reasons most of the OEMs are not allowed to use 3 rd party transceivers and it is depends on Operating Software and Firmware. Kindly amend the clause so that this will now create any security as well as functionally issues for whole infrastructure.	Please follow the clause of the bid document.
5	Bid	26	5.5	The other	HSRP and RPVST is specific to single OEM and	The clause 5.5 of the bid document is

	Document			high-availability features should support	NAT functionality is more towards firewall security. These points are restricting other OEMs from participating in this bid. Kindly amend the same as, "The switch hardware shall support 1. Vlan in Rapid spanning tree (RST) Instances 2. Multiple spanning tree (MST) instances"	amended as follows: "The other high availability Feature should support i. VLAN in Rapid spanning tree (RST) Instances ii. Multiple spanning tree (MST) instances."
6	Bid Document	26	5.7(a)	Power Supply requirements	Please amend "Input power -48 to -60V"	The clause 5.7(a) of the bid document is amended as: "Input Power: -42V to -60V"
7	Bid Document	15	3.31	Target Date of Completion	Based on present condition please allow 05 months	Please follow the clause of the bidding document.
8	Others			Soft copy of bid document	Please provide the soft copy of bidding document.	Bidder may collect soft copy of bidding document from Procurement and Logistics unit of BSCCL.

N.B: Other specifications of the bidding document shall remain unchanged.