MINUTES OF THE PRE BID MEETING TAKEN ON 2 SEPTEMBER 2019 AT 11.30 A.M.

Pre-bid meeting related to the tender floated on CPPP for digitization of 1crore pages of records of NAI was held on 2 September 2019 at 11.30 AM. 18 persons representing various Vendors/ agencies attended the meeting (Attendance sheet enclosed). In addition the following officers of NAI were present:

Shri T.Hussain Deputy Director
 Smt. Jaya Ravindran Assistant Director
 Shri A.K.Jain Microphotographist
 Shri J.K. Luthra Microphotographist

Details of the queries raised with response is mentioned below:

Name & Agency	Clarification sought on:	Response of NAI
represented		
Raj Kumar GautamCBSL (p) Ltd:	1.Page no. 9 clause 5:DVD of any specific make2. On clause 6: rateshould be excluding GST.	 Good quality DVDs may be provided All rates would be as per Tender Document published
	3. Page 7 point 2: difference between archival document and non-archival document.	3.All vendors/ agents were apprised about website of NAI and online search portal of NAI which gives information on archival records that are in the custody of NAI. They were also apprised that as per Public
		Records Act, 1993 and Public Records Rules, 1997 record over 25 years that has historical value is archival. For private papers of the eminent

,	~	personalities this time period does not apply.
	4.Balance sheet of 2018- 19 is difficult as audit would be awaited	4. Audited balance sheet for 2018-19 or proof of submission for auditing will be considered.
	5. How many scanners and computers are required?	5. As per the quantum of records in different centres
Rajat Kinsley Bros.:	1.How many metadata fields	20-27 metadata fields; all advised to browse department search portal www.Abhilekh-Patal.nic.in as that's where all the data would be
	2.What about metadataof documents in regional language	No translation of documents expected
	3. What would be the average length of metadata fields	3. Advised to browse www.Abhilekh- Patal.nic.in which already has metadata information
Parvez KGSMicorsystems	1.Page 7 point 9: How current in black listing	1. As pre GOI norms
Ltd, Mumbai	2.Page 7 point 13 para 2 Clarification about Work Order/ In progress certificate	2. It'll be examined by Technical Committee as per T& C of the Tender document

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	3. OCR will only be of English documents?	3. Records are mainly in English but OCR of other printed vernacular languages may also be done
Arijit, Nine Stars:	1.Page 19 annexure 1: About conservation	1. Vendors/ agencies need not to undertake any conservation work; records requiring conservation would only be segregated by them
	2. Can digitization be done on one centre and than on the other centrer?	2. Digitization is to be undertaken simultaneously at the centres mentioned in the tender
	3. Length of the metadata field to be specified as the cost is as per the characters being entered	3. Vendors were requested to browse www.Abhilekh-Patal.nic.in which already shows the metadata of records in the custody of NAI
AbhishekShekhar, Iron Mountain India:	1. Page 9 point 1: What is the quantum of work in each centre?	1. 15 lakh pages(approx) at Jaipur, Puducherry and Bhubaneswar and Bhopal. Remaining in NAI New Delhi
	2. Page 10 clause 11 : Are all documents to be given in all three formats?	2. Digital images of all documents to be provided in three formats mentioned in the Tender Document
Zulfikar Ahmad, Newgen software Tech Ltd:	1. What would be quantum of records of A0 size? How are the rates to be quoted if quantum is not mentioned 2. Page 7 point 7: Any	1.Vendors to quote for A3/B4/A4 size documents only (If any AO size document is found it may be done in multiple parts A3 size (as the quantum of AO size is very meager)
	figure from locations	2.Answer mentioned above

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	3. Is space provided with Acs? Would UPS be provided?	3. Space would be within the building as per the facilities available therein. No Electrical gadgets/ computer peripherals would be provided
	4. Page 19 point 11- who will provide Hard discs and will it be returned?.	4. Hard disc to be brought by vendor/ agency; HDD with digital data would become property of NAI once handed over.
	5.Metadata any average how many pages in one record	5. For any query of metadata advised to browse online search portal www.Abhilekh-Patal.nic.in
		Approximately 20 pages per file and 200 pages per volume is estimated to be there
	6.Are the records bound? If so, are they to be unbound?	6.Files are stitched and volumes are bound; tender document already mentions about unbinding and restitching of records
Yogender Singh ZI infotech Ltd	1.Page 7 section 3: Will 50 lakh in multiple projects be considered?	1.Evaluation strictly as per terms and conditions mentioned in the Tender Document
· #	2.page 12 point 22 Who will the company have to deploy persons for QC 3.	2. It is already mentioned in Tender document
Sameer Vohra Starbic Business	Page 7 point 2 :what is archival document.	Reply covered under reply given to CBSL representative

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Manish Gupta, JIL Information Tech Ltd.	1. Page 7 point 2clarification on archival document.2. page 3 clarification regarding size of paper.	1.As mentioned above2. Most of the records are of A3/B4/A4 size but also of other sizes mentioned in tender.
	3. Is DMS required for uploading?	3.The firm can use his DMS for proper management but the final data has to be uploaded on the department search portal www.Abhilekh-Patal.nic.in
Sandeep Prem REIL:.	Query send on e-mail	Would be replied through email if it comes to department before the clarification end date i.e 27/08/19
Sanjeev Docs Digitization Inc:	Is partnership allowed	As per Tender document consortium are not permitted to participate in the Tendering process
AbheyChoubey Peninsula Docket Secure Pvt. Ltd.:	1. page 10 point 12- stamp on scanned images or physical documents?	1. Water mark on scanned images and stamp on physical documents?
	2. Format for declaration. 3. Page 10 point 8 scanned in different or one mode in gray scale or colour.	2. Annexure 2 3. Already specified in Tender document.
Sumit Kumar,	1.Page 10 point 8 and 11	1.Digital images required in three



DC Solutions:	Do we have to deliver in	formats as per Tender document
	all 3 formats	
	2. Wages as per	•=
	corporator or GOI norms?	t
	·	2. The company has to adhere to
	*	relevant prevailing rules of the
	3. Ways of creation of	Government.
	meta data.	3. Advised to browse AbhilekhPatal
		on any query related to metadata
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Ajay,	No queries	
Crystal		
Infosystems and		
Services		
Arunendra Biswas	1.Page 10, point 9: Image	2. Details about watermarking
Nevach	Watermarking to be done	explained to all present.
Technology Pvt.	on pdf only or jpeg/tiff	
Ltd.	also?	
· ·	2.Requested to look into	,
	reconsider the clause of	2. Technical evaluation would be
	experience of undertaking	based on the terms and conditions
s .	50 lakh pages from a	mentioned in the Tender document
	single Department.	
Rajesh Thakur	No query	
Digikosh Imaging	,	
Pvt. Ltd.		
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Supplementary requests on examination of records and blacklisting of companies was also duly attended to. All vendors were advised to browse NAI website and online search portal AbhilekhPatal for any further information related to NAI and its holdings.

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