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On Open Domestic Competitive Basis

Ref No: GAIL/NOIDA/CnP/PROJ/SOL/25-31 Date: 04.08.2025

To,

PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS,

SUB: TENDER DOCUMENT FOR DESIGN, ENGINEERING, PROCUREMENT, SUPPLY, CONSTRUCTION, ERECTION, TESTING, COMMISSIONING, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF 17.5 MW (AC) FLOATING SOLAR PHOTOVOLTAIC GRID-CONNECTED POWER PLANT AT GAIL PATA, DIST. AURAIYA, UTTAR PRADESH

[BIDDING DOCUMENT NO.: GAIL/NOIDA/CnP/PROJ/SOL/25-31] [TENDER ID: 2025_GAIL_243442_1]

Dear Sir/Madam,

1.0 GAIL (India) Limited [having registered office at 16, Bhikaiji Cama Place, New Delhi 110066, CIN No. L40200DL1984GOI018976], the largest state-owned natural gas processing and distribution company and the youngest Maharatna, invites bids under single stage from eligible bidders for the subject job, in complete accordance with the following details and enclosed Tender Documents.

This tender involves setting up of 17.5 MW (AC) Grid Connected Floating Solar Photovoltaic Power Plant at GAIL Pata, Dist. Auraiya, Uttar Pradesh, India, on EPC/LSTK basis and thereafter carrying out Comprehensive Operation & Maintenance (O&M) of the Plant for a period of 3 years from date of successful completion of Operational Acceptance Test (OAT) alongwith Comprehensive Annual Maintenance Contract (CAMC) of critical equipment for a period of 10 (Ten) years from successful completion of OAT, as per the Scope of Work mentioned in tender document.

2.0 The brief details of the tender are as under:

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<tr><td>A</td><td>NAME OF JOB / BRIEF SCOPE OF WORK</td><td>The scope of the project include the following:

a) EPC Works for Design, Engineering, Supply, Construction, Erection, Testing, and Commissioning of grid connected 17.5 MW Floating Solar PV plant along with power evacuation system at final evacuation point.
b) Comprehensive Operation and Maintenance (O&M) of the Floating Solar PV plant for 3 (Three) years from date of successful completion of Operational Acceptance Test (OAT).
c) Comprehensive Annual Maintenance Contract (CAMC) of critical equipment for a period of 10 (Ten) Years from date of successful completion of OAT.

The detailed scope of work is given in Section VII: Scope of Work, specifications and Drawings of this bidding documents.</td></tr>
<tr><td>B.</td><td>TENDER NO. & DATE</td><td>GAIL/NOIDA/CnP/PROJ/SOL/25-31 dated 04.08.2025</td></tr>
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<tr><td>E.</td><td>COMPLETION/ CONTRACT PERIOD</td><td>a) EPC Work: 12 months for commissioning from the date of FOA. OAT to be completed within 1 month (max 3 months) from the date of commissioning.
b) O&M: 3 years from the date of successful completion of OAT.
c) CAMC: 10 Years from the date of successful completion of OAT.
REFER SCC AT SECTION-V FOR DETAILED CONTRACT TIMELINES</td></tr>
<tr><td>F.</td><td>AVAILABILITY OF TENDER</td><td>From 04.08.2025 to 19.08.2025 (1400 Hrs., IST) on following websites:
(i) GAIL's Tender Website – www.gailtenders.in</td></tr>
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	DOCUMENT ON WEBSITE(S)	(ii) Govt. CPP Portal - https://eprocure.gov.in (iii) Govt. e-Procurement System of National Informatics Center (GePNIC) portal [e-tender portal] https://etenders.gov.in/eprocure/app (iv) Government E-Market (GeM) Portal
G.	BID EVALUATION CRITERIA (BEC)	APPLICABLE: √ NOT APPLICABLE:
H.	DATE, TIME & VENUE OF PRE-BID MEETING	Date: 08.08.2025 Time: 11:00 Hrs. Venue: Pre-bid meeting will be held through video conferencing. Necessary link for video conferencing is as under: **Microsoft Teams** **Join the meeting now** *Meeting ID: 447 566 588 276 9* *Passcode: Sk3A6Eh3*
I.	DUE DATE & TIME OF BID-SUBMISSION	Date: 19.08.2025 Time: up to 1400 Hrs.
J.	DATE AND TIME OF UNPRICED BID OPENING	Date: 20.08.2025 Time: at 1500 Hrs. Venue: Bid opening will be held through video conferencing. Necessary link for video conferencing is as under: **Microsoft Teams** **Join the meeting now** *Meeting ID: 477 868 932 277 8* *Passcode: Xa9mb9xk*
K.	CONTACT DETAILS OF	Name : Sandip Sundar Sahoo, Manager (C&P-PROJ.) Phone No. & Extn : 00 91 0120 2446400, 4862400 Extn.

	TENDER DEALING OFFICER	11717/11732 FAX No. : 0091 -1126185941 Email: sandip.sahoo@gail.co.in ; sdasgupta@gail.co.in
L.	EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT / BID SECURITY	Amount: INR 77.52 Lakhs (Refer clause no.16 of ITB). ***EMD exemption is not applicable to MSE bidders being a works contract. MSE bidders also have to submit EMD in order to participate in this tender.*** *(Refer clause no.16 of ITB)*
M.	SITE VISIT	Date : 07.08.2025 Time : 10:00 Hrs. (IST) onwards Contact Person : 1. Sh. A K Bhagat, GM (PE), GAIL (Mobile No. : 9837035709) 2. Sh. Vijay K Choudhary, Sr. Manager, BHEL (Mobile No. : 9415041583) 3. Sh. R Palani Kumar, Sr. Manager, BHEL (Mobile No.: 7730009990) 4. Sh. Krishna J, Dy. Manager, BHEL (Mobile No. : 9444825280) **Address:** GAIL (India) Ltd., GAIL Complex, Pata, Dist. Auraiya, UP Pin code 206244
N.	DEALING GAIL'S OFFICE ADDRESS	GAIL (India) Limited, 17th Floor, Jubilee Tower, Plot no. B-35/36, Sector-1, Noida- 201301, Dist. Gautam Budh Nagar, Uttar Pradesh (India)
O.	DEALING CONSULATANT'S OFFICE ADDRESS	Bharat Heavy Electrical Limited (BHEL) Solar Business Division, Malleswaram, Bangalore- 560012

In case of the days specified above happens to be a holiday in GAIL, the next working day shall be implied.

3.0 Bids must be submitted strictly in accordance with Clause No. 11 of ITB (Section-III) depending upon Type of Tender [refer Clause no. 2.0 (D) above]. The IFB is an integral and inseparable part of the Tender Document.

4.0 Bid must be submitted only on https://etenders.gov.in/eprocure/app. Further, the following documents in addition to uploading the bid on e-tender portal shall also be submitted in Original (in physical form) within 7 (seven) days from the bid due date provided the scanned copies of the same have been uploaded in e-tender by the bidder

along with e-bid within the due date and time to the address mentioned in Bidding Data Sheet(BDS) [Annexure-IV to Section-III]:

i) EMD/Bid Security
ii) Line of Credit (if applicable)

Further, GAIL reserves the right to seek in physical form (original/notarized true copy) of any document(s) uploaded in digital form, at any time during the processing of tender and execution of contract. In the event of failure of a bidder/vendor/contractor to submit original/notarized true copy of any document(s) within the specified time schedule, EMD or CPS of the bidder/vendor/contractor shall be forfeited / Bid Security Declaration clause shall be invoked.

5.0 Bidder(s) are advised to quote strictly as per terms and conditions of the tender documents and not to stipulate any deviations/exceptions.

6.0 Any bidder, who meets the Bid Evaluation Criteria (BEC) and wishes to quote against this Tender Document, may download the complete Tender Document along with its amendment(s) if any from websites as mentioned at 2.0 (F) of IFB and submit their Bid complete in all respect as per terms & conditions of Tender Document on or before the Due Date & Time of Bid Submission.

7.0 Bid(s) received from bidders to whom tender/information regarding this Tender Document has been issued as well as offers received from the bidder(s) by downloading Tender Document from above mentioned website(s) shall be taken into consideration for evaluation & award provided that the Bidder is found responsive subject to provisions contained in Clause No. 2 of ITB (Section-III).

8.0 The Tender Document calls for offers on single point "Sole Bidder" responsibility basis (except where JV/Consortium bid is allowed pursuant to clause no. 3.0 of ITB) and in total compliance of Scope of Works as specified in Tender Document.

9.0 Any revision, clarification, corrigendum, time extension, etc. to this Tender Document will be hosted on the above-mentioned website(s) only. Bidders are requested to visit the website regularly to keep themselves updated. In case of manual tendering, Clarification(s)/Corrigendum(s), if any, shall be sent to the prospective bidder(s) by email/post. All bidders including those who are not willing to submit their bid are

required to submit F-6 (Acknowledgement cum Consent letter) duly filled within 7 days from date of receipt of tender information.

10.0 The subject enquiry is issued on domestic basis. Hence, as per provisions of MII policy, only Class-I local supplier and Class-II local supplier (for definition, refer Policy provisions) shall be eligible to bid for this enquiry. However, Purchase Preference under (PP-MII policy) shall be applicable only to Class-I Local Supplier.

11.0 SAP generated Request for Quotation (RFQ), if any shall also form an integral part of the Tender Document. Further, for all purpose the bid document no. shall be read as GAIL/NOIDA/CnP/PROJ/SOL/25-31 [TENDER-ID: 2025_GAIL_243442_1] irrespective of any reference no. mentioned elsewhere in the tender document.

This is not an Order.

For & on behalf of
GAIL (India) Limited

Name : Sandip Sundar Sahoo
Designation : Manager (C&P-Projects)
E-mail ID : sandip.sahoo@gail.co.in

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Due Date & Time: 1400 Hrs on 19.08.2025

From:
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To:
Manager (C&P-Projects)
GAIL (India) Limited
17th Floor, GAIL Jubilee Tower, B-35-36,
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[To be pasted on the envelope containing Originals of Power of Attorney, Integrity Pact, EMD/Declaration for Bid Security (as applicable), Line of Credit (if applicable); refer clause 4.0 of IFB.]

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