

**Tender No. DOT/ Publicity/EOI/ “Empanelment of Advertising Agency for Print & Mass Media”/02/2022-23**

**Pre-Bid Queries for EOI for Empanelment of Advertising Agency (Print & Mass Media)**

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1.	M/s. Goldmine Forward	1 EOI Note	02	EMD Rs. 5,00,000/- by way of Online GRAS Payment System	We request the authority to allow EMD Exemption to MSME Medium Category Registered bidders or allow Bidders to submit EMD in the form of Bank Guarantee.	DOT kept provision for EMD exemption under MSME registered agencies. Submit proof of documents.
2	M/s. Graphsads Pvt, Ltd.		2	Rs.5,00,000/- by way of online GRAS payment system	Request you to give exemption to MSME registered Firms	As per sr. no. 1.
			2	Request you to give exemption to MSME registered Firms	Request you to give exemption to MSME registered Firms	As per sr. no. 1.
		11	4	Experience in the promotion of Tourism Destinations along with samples (enclose copies)	request you to confirm time frame from which experience to be consider	Past experiences in the promotion of Tourism Destinations. Submit copies for the same
3	M/s. VENTURES ADVERTISING PVT. LTD.	Sr. No. 10 & 11	3	Cost of Tender Document INR 2000/-Earnest Money Deposit INR 5,00,000/-	Can we submit MSME and NSIC Registration Certificate in lieu of Tender fee and EMD ?	As per sr. no. 1.
4	Mr. Brijesh Balakrishna	4	8	Sales Tax Registration and Clearance Certificate	Sales Tax Registration is not applicable on Agency. Request for removal of the Clause from tender document	Bidder should submit GST registration & clearance certificates.
		5	8	Copies of service tax registration & latest clearance certificate should be enclosed	Currently GST is applicable, so agency can provide copy of Latest GST return	Yes. As above
		11	9	Tender shall be accompanied by an earnest money Rs.5,00,000/-(Rs. five Lacs) without which tender will not be considered.	Request Exemption for Agency as we are registered under MSME	As per sr. no. 1.
		12	4	Clause no. 12 Page no. 4 Last 3 years audited reported duly certify by CA.	Need clarity on which financial years reports are required	Bidders should submit Last 5 years financial reports instead of Last 3 years i.e. 2017-18,2018-19 2019-20,2020-21(Audited)& 2021-22. (Unaudited )

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5	M/s. Span Communication	6	7	6. Procedure for Selection	Request you to please clarify how many agencies will empanel & Tentative budget?	After evaluation of tenders documents ,suitable agencies will be finalised for the empanelment. Budget varies in each financial year.
				EOI should be submitted by interested parties to the Asstt. Director (Publicity & PR ), Directorate of Tourism, Govt. of Maharashtra, 156/157, Nariman Bhavan, 15th Floor, Nariman Point, Mumbai-400 021.	As we understood complete proposal need to submit on portal i.e. <a href="https://mahatenders.gov.in">https://mahatenders.gov.in</a> Request you to please clarify do we need to submit complete proposal in offline (hard copy) too at your office? We request you to kindly keep submission of proposal is online mode only on portal.	Bidder should submit the proposal through online portal as mentioned in EOI documents. If any document of Tender is not readable, in that case agency has to give hard copy.
6	Ashinde131997@g mail.com	EMD & Fees	2	Can we get the exemption in EMD & Fees under MSME Registration		As per sr.no. 1
		Pre- Qualification Criteria Point 5 (a)	6	Do we need to submit all the registration certificate or any one will also do e.g. (1) INS, DAVP/DGIPR (2)Registration of Newspaper of India (3) TV Channels(4) AIR		Yes. Need to submit all registrations copies. (Online). Payment of Document Fee and EMD should be paid in the <a href="https://mahatenders.gov.in">https://mahatenders.gov.in</a> site only.
7	M/s. Paramin Advt. Ltd	11-A	9	EMD 5 Lakhs	We are registered under MSME so we have exemption	Yes. As per sr.no. 1.
		13	9	Details of the contact person and address at which sealed bids are to be submitted	This is office tender only fees we have to pay on maha Tender	Bidder should submit the proposal through online portal only as mentioned in EOI documents
					Is Consortium Allowed	Consortium will be Consider
		10	12	Agreement Format	We must give Agreement along with technical bid	No. After selection of bidders.
8	M/s. Pamm advertising & Marketing			Kindly confirm can we claim exemption for tender fees & EMD against MSME registration.		Yes. As per sr.no. 1.

Note : 1.In the EOI at page No. 9 and 10 point No. 26,27& 28 will be consider point No. 12,13 & 14.

2. Payment of Document Fee and EMD should be paid in the <https://mahatenders.gov.in> site only instead of GRAS system.