Invitation of quotation for Digitisation of Audio files (National Tape Archive Data) in CIIL – reg.

Sealed competitive quotations are invited by the undersigned for the following Service from experienced Audio Conversion Service Providers:

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<td>Conversion of Legacy Audio Tapes into *.wav format files of (sample rate: 44100, bitrate: 16 bit, Channel: Stereo) without distorting the raw data, onto a reliable External HDD.</td>
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1. TERMS AND CONDITIONS
   
   • **Delivery**: Within 120 days from the date of PO issued at the Institute Campus
   • **Location**: The digitisation process should be done inside CIIL Campus, as these audio files are of high archival value and will not be given outside. CIIL will provide space, power supply and other related logistic support for the Service Provider. The external HDD should be brand new and it shall be provided by the Service Provider.
   • **Prices**: All applicable taxes inclusive
   • **Warranty**: Normal on-site from the date of successful delivery
   • **Security**: The submitted digital files should be free from any viruses or malwares.

2. Quoted Price:
   
   a) The tenderer shall quote for items in the format of quotation attached
   b) All duties, taxes and other levies payable by the tenderer (including Sales tax on the finished goods) shall be included in the item rate.
   c) The rates quoted for each item shall be fixed for the duration of the contract and shall not be subject to any adjustment.
   d) Rates for supply of partial quantity of an item are not acceptable.
   e) Corrections if any shall be made by crossing out, initialling with date and rewriting.

I. The Specifications should be drafted to permit the widest possible competition and at the same time present a clear statement of the required standards of workmanship, materials and performances of the goods to be procured. Minimum functional specifications should be specified for equipment. Only if this is done will the objective of economy, efficiency and fairness in procurement be realized, responsiveness of quotations be ensured and the subsequent task of evaluation of quotations facilitated.

II. Wherever the goods are covered by Bureau of Indian Standards, the reference to the standard should be given.
III. Reference to Brand name and catalogue number should be avoided as far as possible. Where unavoidable, they should be followed by the words “or at least equivalent”

3. Each tenderer can submit only one quotation.

4. **Validity of quotations:**
   The quotation shall remain valid for a period not less than 45 days after the deadline fixed for submission of quotations.

5. **Evaluation of quotations:**
   The Purchaser (in this case, CIIL, Mysuru) will evaluate and compare the quotations determined to be substantially responsive i.e., which are properly signed, and conform to the terms and conditions and specifications in the following manner:
   a) The evaluation will be done including the Sales tax. If the tenderer has not included the Sales tax in his quotation for the item rate, and has also not indicated the rate of Sales tax applicable, the quoted rate will be treated as though it is inclusive of the Sales tax and no extra payment for Sales tax will be made;
   b) The evaluation would be done for all the items put together. The items for which no rates have been quoted would be treated as zero and the total amount would be computed accordingly. The tenderer who has quoted for partial quantity of any one or more item(s) may be treated as non-responsive, if so desired by the purchaser. Purchaser will award the contract to the responsive tenderer, whose total cost for all the items put together is the lowest.

6. **Award of contract:**
   a) The Purchaser will award the contract to the tenderer whose quotation has been determined to be substantially responsive and who has offered the lowest price as per para 5(b) above.
   b) The Purchaser reserves the right at the time of contract award to increase or decrease the quantities of any or all of the items indicated in para 1 above by 25% without any change in the unit price or any other terms and conditions.
   c) The Purchaser prior to the expiration of the quotation validity period will notify the tenderer whose quotation is accepted of the award of contract. The terms of the accepted offer shall be incorporated in the Purchase order.
   d) Payment shall be made after the delivery of the goods and their acceptance.
   e) Notwithstanding the above, the Purchaser reserves the right to accept or reject any quotations and to cancel the quotation process and reject all quotations at any time prior to the award of the contract.

7. **Last date and time of receipt of quotations:**
   You are requested to submit the sealed quotations superscribed on the envelope as “Quotation for Digitisation of Audio files in CIIL, Mysuru” Due on 17.04.2017 latest by 17:00 hours. We look forward to receiving your quotations.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

(Narayan K. Choudhary)
Asst. Director (Admin) i/c
## FORMAT OF QUOTATION

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Gross Total Cost: Rs……………………………….. (In words……………………………………………………………………..)

## DECLARATION

1. We agree to supply the above goods in accordance with the technical specification for a total contract price of Rs. ……….. (in figures) Rs…………………………………….. (in words), within the specified in the Invitation for Quotations.

2. We also confirm that the warranty/guarantee of ………….. months shall apply to the offered goods.

(Tenderer)

Name: ……………………………

Signature: ……………………………

Date: ……………………………