Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi-110 020



### The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. (A Government of India Enterprise)

### **REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)**

### FOR

Appointment of Executing Agency (EA) For Project Development, Monitoring and Control for the Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi- 110 020

December, 2022

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# SECTION - 1 LETTER OF INVITATION (LOI)

No. SIC/HO/MIS/B.WALL/NTSC(O)/2022-23

Dated: 26.12.2022

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Sub: Appointment of Executing Agency (EA) For Project Development, Monitoring and Control for the Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi

Sir,

- 1. The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. (NSIC), A Government of India Enterprise, proposes to upgrade the boundary wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and raise the height of boundary wall around the Zonal Green area falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi.
- 2. NSIC intends to appoint a Central Public Sector Enterprise as an Executing Agency (EA) of repute with sufficient resources and experience for Project Development, Monitoring and Control for the Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi -110020. The EA is expected to complete the project on Deposit Work basis conforming to highest quality standards and shall adhere to time and cost management systems, within stipulated time frame and allocated budget for the project.
- 3. A reputed and experienced Central Public Sector Enterprise having proven track record of successful project implementation will be selected under Least Cost Selection (LCS) and procedures described in this Request for Proposal (RFP) in various sections.
- 4. Separate Technical and Financial bids as per Information to Bidders and other sections of RFP are to be submitted by the Bidders with their offer.
- 5. The complete RFP document is enclosed herewith. Any further corrigendum/ addendum to this RFP document shall be made available on our website <u>www.nsic.co.in</u> and CPP Portal <u>www.eprocure.gov.in</u> only. It is, therefore, requested that the bidders may regularly visit the website for checking any corrigendum/ addendum to this document.

- 6. The bidders will be required to make a detailed presentation before the evaluation committee of NSIC, of their organizational strengths/weaknesses, methodology for execution of the work and any other measures being adopted by them for economizing the project cost etc. The bidders shall give soft and hard copy of the presentation to evaluation committee. The date, time, venue and time allocated for presentation shall be informed to each bidder.
- 7. NSIC will inform all the bidders the marks secured by them in technical evaluation. In order to qualify for opening of the price bid, the bidder is required to fulfill the technical eligibility criteria as mentioned at para- F.2 in the Data Sheet (Information to Bidders). Price bids of the bidders who fail to qualify technically will be returned unopened after completion of the final selection process i.e. after the award of work. NSIC's decision in respect of the evaluation of the bids shall be final and binding on all bidders.
- 8. NSIC reserves the right to reject any or all the bids without assigning any reason whatsoever.

The last date for submission of the RFP Documents is **16.01.2023** up to **15.00 hrs** (IST). The bids would be opened on **16.01.2023** at **15.30 hrs** (IST) in the presence of the representatives of the bidders, if any.

The bids or any queries or clarification on the RFP document, shall be submitted on the following address:

Deputy General Manager (C&P) The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. 'NSIC Bhawan', Okhla Industrial Estate New Delhi - 110 020, INDIA Tele: 011-26926275 Email: procurement@nsic.co.in

Yours faithfully,

(Nitika Anand) Deputy General Manager (C&P)

Encl: As above

#### 2.1. INTRODUCTION

The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd (NSIC), A Government of India Enterprise, henceforth called as "Owner" proposes to upgrade the boundary wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and raise the height of boundary wall around the Zonal Green area falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi.

In this regard, it is informed that NSIC Technical Services Centre, Okhla, New Delhi is engaged in serving MSME units by providing skilled & professional workforce through its various training programmes and technical facilitation services.

The core areas of operation of the Centre can be broadly classified into three categories:

- a. Imparting industry centric demand oriented, fee-based training for skill development,
- b. Offering services to the industry through NABL accredited laboratories, and Common Facilities Services
- c. Self-entrepreneurship development through Livelihood Business Incubators (LBI)

The training programs offered are conventional courses as well as hi-tech courses depending upon the requirement of trainee and industry. The conventional courses comprise of courses like CAD/CAM/CAE, Multimedia, HVAC, Fitter, Turner, Welding, Draughtsman, Electrician, etc.

The Hi-tech courses offered comprises of Reverse Engineering, Embedded Technology, VLSI, PLC/ SCADA, Automation, Energy Management, Robotics, Software Testing, Mobile Applications, AR/ VR, Drone Technologies, etc.

The Centre also facilitates industries by providing Common Facility Services for Material Testing & Specialized Job work on Machines.

For upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi, NSIC intends to appoint an Executing Agency (EA) of repute with sufficient resources and experience for Project Development, Monitoring and Control for the work of upgradation of said boundary wall. The EA is expected to complete the project on Deposit Work basis conforming to the highest quality standards and shall adhere to time and cost management systems, within stipulated time frame and allocated budget for the project.

#### 2.2. THE PROJECT

2.2.1 Salient features of the proposed project are given as under:

#### a) Requirements:

Project Development, Monitoring and Control for the Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi.

#### b) Proposed Work:

The southern side of NTSC, Okhla boundary wall is 4 ½" thick brick wall and same is damaged/tilted at several places. Also, effective height of the boundary wall is inadequate at several places towards inner side of the premises. Furthermore, on southern side of boundary wall of NTSC, Okhla, an open drain is flowing. The height of the said stretch of boundary wall is also less and the same has tilted at many locations due to the earth pressure and presence of an open drain of MCD flowing adjacent to the boundary wall.

Besides above, the boundary wall at eastern side of NTSC, Okhla is also constructed with 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " thick brick wall and the same is damaged at several places. At some stretches on the eastern side, the boundary wall is almost non-existent.

Therefore, to safeguard the premises of NTSC, Okhla complex and to avoid trespassing by miscreants, a new boundary wall of clear height of approx. 2.4 mtr. (from inside) measuring approx. 680 mtr. in length with 9" thick brick work having concrete footing, intermediate stiffener columns and plinth beams with concertina coil on top is required to be constructed to safeguard the premises of NTSC, Okhla. The existing damaged/ boundary wall on the southern and eastern periphery of NTSC, Okhla shall be dismantled to facilitate the construction of new boundary wall.

In addition to above, the height of the existing boundary wall constructed with random rubble (RR) masonry in the portion of land (in triangular shape) falling in the Zonal Green area towards the eastern side of NSIC Complex, Okhla, New Delhi having a length of approx. 300 mtr., is also inadequate and hence, the same is also required to be raised by an average height of approx. 0.60 mtr. along with provision of concertina coil on top to safeguard the premises from miscreants.

The total area of the NSIC Complex at Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi is approx. 47 acre. However, the work of upgradation of boundary wall is to be undertaken only in some stretches as shown in the sketch. A sketch showing the stretch of boundary wall measuring approx. 680 meter in length towards southern & eastern periphery of NTSC, Okhla premises marked as 'X' and portion of boundary wall measuring approx. 300 mtr. in length in the triangular shaped portion of land falling in Zonal Green area in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi where the height is to be raised marked as 'Y' is placed at Annexure-A.

- c) Other requirements:
  - i) The land use of the project site is industrial. The plot is owned by Owner/ NSIC. Now, to meet the requirements of NSIC, the EA shall be required to upgrade the boundary wall at NSIC Complex, Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi on deposit work basis by engaging a contractor. The EA shall conduct the soil investigation at site, prepare the structural design & drawing of the boundary wall and get the said design & drawing vetted from a reputed Govt. Engineering College like IIT/ NIT/ Central University.
  - ii) The EA shall also provide professional, objective and impartial advice and at all times hold the owner's interests paramount, without any consideration for future work, and strictly avoid conflicts with other assignments or their own corporate interests.

#### 2.3. GENERAL INFORMATION

- 2.3.1. A brief description of the Assignment and its objectives are given in the enclosed Data Sheet and the Terms of Reference (Refer Section 2 and Section 5 respectively).
- 2.3.2. The bidder should submit the execution schedule of the proposed project with completion period not exceeding 10 months (including planning and execution).
- 2.3.3. The bids should be submitted along with the earnest money deposit of Rs. 25,000/- through through NEFT/ RTGS to NSIC as per following bank account details:

ACCOUNT NAME	BANK NAME	BANK A/C NO.	BANK IFSC CODE
NSIC Ltd.	Punjab National Bank,	0602002100000892	PUNB0060200
	Okhla, New Delhi		

The bidder is requested to attach the self-certified Bank Statement / NEFT/ RTGS Slip Printout along with the Technical Bid, to prove the transfer of payment of EMD to the NSIC's Account.

- 2.3.4. The EMD of the successful bidder will be refunded without any interest after submission of the Bank Guarantee towards performance security. EMD of the other bidders will be refunded after award of work without any interest.
- 2.3.5. The owner named in the "Data Sheet" will select an Agency, in accordance with the method of selection indicated in the data sheet.
- 2.3.6. The bidders are invited to submit a Technical and a Financial Bid as specified in the Data Sheet for consulting services required for the Assignment named in the Data Sheet. The Bids will be the basis for selection and ultimately signing of a contract with the selected Agency.

- 2.3.7. To obtain first hand information on the requirement of the project and on the local conditions, bidders are advised to visit to the project location before submitting their proposal. Bidders must familiarize themselves with the local conditions and requirement of the Project and take them into account while preparing the bid.
- 2.3.8. Cost of preparing the bids and of negotiating the contract, including visits to the owner and the project area, are not reimbursable as a direct cost of the assignment.
- 2.3.9. It is Owner's policy that the Bidders under contract observe the highest standard of ethics during the selection and execution of such contracts. In pursuance of this policy, the Owner;
  - a. Defines, for the purposes of this provision, the terms set forth below:
    - i. "Corrupt practices" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of anything of value to influence the action of an official in the selection process or in contract execution; and
    - ii. "Fraudulent practices" means a misrepresentation of facts in order to influence a selection process or the execution of a contract to the detriment of the Client and includes collusive practices among Bidders (prior to or after submission of proposals) designed to establish prices at artificial, noncompetitive levels and to deprive the owner of the benefits of free and open competition.
  - b. Will reject a proposal for award if it determines that the agency recommended for award has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent and unlawful practices in competing for the contract in question.
  - c. Will declare the bidder not eligible, either indefinitely or for a stated period of time to be awarded a contract if it at any time determines that the agency has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing, a contract.

#### 2.4. CLARIFICATION AND AMENDMENT OF RFP DOCUMENTS

- 2.4.1. Bidders requiring clarifications, if any, on the Documents must notify the owner, in writing, not later than 7 days before the last date for proposal submission. Requests for clarification in writing must be sent to the Owner's Address indicated in the Data Sheet. Any further corrigendum/ addendum to this RFP document shall be made available on our website <u>www.nsic.co.in</u> and CPP Portal only. It is, therefore, requested that the bidders may regularly visit the website for checking any corrigendum/ addendum to this document.
- 2.4.2. At any time before the submission of bids, the owner may, for any reason, whether at its own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by any bidder, modify the Documents by amendment. The amendment will be notified to the bidders through our website <u>www.nsic.co.in</u> and CPP Portal and the same will be binding on them.

#### 2.5. PREPARATION OF BID

Bidders are requested to submit the sealed **Technical and Financial Bids separately in two envelopes.** The Bid shall be written in English language or Bilingual (Hindi & English).

#### 2.5.1. Technical Bid

i. Bidders are expected to examine all terms & conditions and instructions including the terms of documents. It will be presumed that the bidders are making the bids after having full knowledge of all terms & conditions and instructions and they are participating in the bids at their own risk and may result in rejection of their Bids.

ii. During preparation of the technical bid, bidders have to carry out his own assessment for the requirement of the key personnel and support staff for the scope of work mentioned in the TOR.

2.5.2. The technical bid shall include but be not limited to the following:

i. Bidder's Organisation Structure and Relevant Experience (including details of past experience and project sheets).

ii. Description of Methodology and Work Plan for performing the assignment.

iii. Details of equipment (if any), and software proposed to be used for the project.

- iv. Any additional information requested in data sheet.
- 2.5.3. The Technical bid must not include any financial information.

#### 2.5.4. Financial Bid

- i. The financial bid should include all costs associated with the assignment. The format for the financial bid is given in Section-4. The contract shall be finalised on the basis of a fixed percentage of the Actual Cost of work (Refer Section-5: Terms of Reference) as agency charges.
- ii. In case there are more than one bidder quoting the same agency charges in the financial bid, Bidder with the higher marks among them in the technical evaluation will be considered for award of work.
- iii. The financial bids shall be prepared to cover the tasks mentioned in the TOR and also the tasks required to be carried out in order to meet the objectives.
- iv. The Financial bid shall EXCLUDE the applicable GST. However, the Financial Bid shall INCLUDE any other Government Levy, Charges etc. applicable on Agency Charges.

v. Bidder should quote in figures as well as in words percentage rates bidded for. Special care shall be taken to write percentage rates in figures as well as in words. Where there is a discrepancy between the amounts in figure and in words, the amount in words shall prevail.

#### 2.6 BID SUBMISSION

The bid submission should be focused to the project requirements as per the TOR details. The methodology to be submitted should address to the project requirements. All specific issues for which references have been made in the various paragraphs of the TOR should be addressed effectively. General nature descriptions should be avoided.

#### 2.7 SUBMISSION OF BIDS

2.7.1 Bidders must submit as indicated in the Data Sheet. Bids will be sealed in an outer envelope, which will bear the address and information indicated in the Data Sheet. The envelope must be clearly marked:

#### DO NOT OPEN, EXCEPT IN PRESENCE OF THE EVALUATION COMMITTEE

- i) This outer envelope will contain two separate sealed envelopes, one clearly marked 'Technical Bid' and the other clearly marked 'Financial Bid'.
- ii) The **technical and financial bid** must be prepared in indelible ink and must be signed by the authorized representative of the Bidder. The letter of authorization/Power of attorney must be enclosed with each of the bids. The person or persons signing the proposal must initial all pages of the technical and financial proposals.
- 2.7.2 There should be no overwriting or cutting in the bids submitted by the bidder.
- 2.7.3 The completed technical and financial bids must be submitted on or before the time and date stated in the Data Sheet.
- 2.7.4 The bid must be valid for the number of days stated in the Data Sheet from the closing date. The Client will make its best effort to complete the process of award of contract within this period.

#### 2.8 BID EVALUATION

A two-stage procedure will be adopted in evaluating the bids:

- i) Technical evaluation
- ii) Financial evaluation

#### 2.8.1 Evaluation of Technical Bid

Technical evaluation will be carried out prior to opening the financial bids.

The evaluation committee appointed by the owner will carry out evaluation in the manner given and as per criteria/point system specified in the table at para F.2 in the Data Sheet (Information to Bidders) subject to the following:

- i) The bidder has to secure minimum cut-off marks/ requirements against each criteria mentioned at Sl.No. 1 (a), 1 (b), 3 (a), 3 (b) & 3 (d) in the table at para F.2 in the Data Sheet (Information to Bidders), and
- ii) The bidder has to secure minimum 750 marks out of 1000 marks in the technical evaluation of the tender as per the table referred above

The financial bids of only those bidders who secure minimum cut-off marks/ requirement against each criteria mentioned at Sl.No. 1 (a), 1 (b), 3 (a), 3 (b) & 3 (d) in the table at para F.2 in the Data Sheet (Information to Bidders) and overall minimum 750 marks out of total 1000 marks in the technical evaluation will only be opened.

#### 2.8.2 Opening and Evaluation of Financial Bids

- i) After the evaluation of technical bid is completed, the owner shall notify those Bidders whose bids did not meet the minimum qualifying mark or were considered non-responsive to the RFP and Terms of Reference, indicating that their Financial bids will be returned unopened after completion of the final selection process i.e. after the award of work. The owner shall simultaneously notify the Bidders who have secured the minimum qualifying mark, indicating the date and time set for opening the Financial Proposals. The notification may be sent by registered letter and/or telefax and/or Email or by courier.
- ii) The Financial bids shall be opened in the presence of the Bidder's representatives who choose to attend. The name of the bidder and the agency charges shall be read loudly and recorded when the financial bids are opened.

#### 2.9 AWARD OF CONTRACT

The Contract will be awarded to the Bidder quoting the lowest agency charges in the financial bid. In case there are more than one bidder quoting the same agency charges in the financial bid, Bidder with the higher marks among them in the technical evaluation will be considered for award of work.

#### 2.10 CONFIDENTIALITY

Information relating to evaluation of proposals and recommendations concerning awards will not be disclosed to the Bidders who submitted the bids.

#### Reference

A.1 The name of the Owner is: The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. (A Government of India Enterprise) NSIC Bhawan, Okhla Industrial Estate New Delhi - 110 020, INDIA Tel.: 011-26926275 Website: <u>https://www.nsic.co.in</u>

The method of selection is: Least Cost Selection (LCS)

#### A.2 Objectives and Description of the Project

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The detailed descriptions of services are mentioned in the Terms of Reference (Section-5).

#### A.3 THE Project

Salient features of the proposed project are given as under:

#### a) Requirements:

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#### c) Other requirements:

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The requests for clarifications may be addressed to:

Deputy General Manager (C&P) The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. 'NSIC Bhawan', Okhla Industrial Estate New Delhi - 110 020, INDIA Tel.: 011-26926275 e-mail : procurement@nsic.co.in

- C.1 Bids should be submitted in English or Bilingual (Hindi & English) Only
- C.2 The Bidder to state all costs in Indian Rupees.
- C.3 The bidder should submit the execution schedule and completion period not exceeding 10 months from the date of start of work to be stipulated in the agreement.
- C.4 The bids should be submitted along with the earnest money deposit of Rs. 25,000/- through through NEFT/ RTGS to NSIC as per following bank account details:

ACCOUNT NAME	BANK NAME	BANK A/C NO.	BANK IFSC CODE
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	Okhla, New Delhi		

The bidder is requested to attach the self-certified Bank Statement / NEFT/ RTGS Slip Printout along with the Technical Bid, to prove the transfer of payment of EMD to the NSIC's Account. The EMD of the successful bidder will be refunded after submission of the Bank Guarantee towards Performance Security. EMD of the other bidders will be refunded after award of work without any interest.

#### D.1 Bidders must submit:

Technical Bid	: One original Set in one sealed envelope
Financial Bid	: One original Set in a separate sealed envelope

Both the above envelopes should be placed inside a bigger outer envelope

#### D.2 The Bids submission is to:

All the envelopes should be superscribed with the following:

Appointment of Executing Agency (EA) For Project Development, Monitoring and Control for the Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi-110020

D.3 Bids must be submitted not later than the following date and time: 16.01.2023 till **15.00 hrs.** 

#### D.4 **Bid Validity:**

The Bids shall be valid for 120 days from the last date of submission.

#### E.1 The address to submit the Bids to owner is

Deputy General Manager (C&P) The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. 'NSIC Bhawan', Okhla Industrial Estate New Delhi - 110 020, INDIA Tel.: 011-26926275 e-mail : procurement@nsic.co.in

#### F.1 Assigned Weightage:

The proposals received by NSIC in response to RFP shall be evaluated in two stages as under:

SI. No.	Particulars	Criteria
1.	Technical Proposal	Minimum points to be achieved for qualifying is 75% (750/1000) and also fulfilling the minimum cut-off marks/ requirements as mentioned at table provided at para F.2, hereinafter
2.	Financial Proposal	Selection by LCS method

F.2 Evaluation Criteria for Technical Bid

SI.	uation Criteria for Tech Category	Total	Maximum	Annexure
No.		Marks	Marks	
1.	Experience in construction Management Services and Company Profile			
	a) Experience in executing similar Building Projects -Minimum cut-off marks under this criterion is 100		200	Annexure-3.1
	<ul> <li>b) Number of Key Tech.</li> <li>Personnel to be deployed for the project</li> <li>-Minimum cut-off marks under this criterion is 50</li> </ul>	600	100	Annexure-3.2
	<ul> <li>c) Cost overrun of projects during the last 5 years</li> </ul>		50	Annexure-3.3
	d) Time overrun of projects during the last 5 years		50	Annexure-3.4
	e) Details of projects abandoned during the last 5 years		100	Annexure-3.5
	f) Details of Projects under Arbitration during the last 5 years		100	Annexure-3.6
2.	Technical Credentials			
	a) ISO Certification for Services	150	50	Annexure-3.7
	b) QA/QC system		50	Annexure-3.8
	c) Performance Certificates		50	Annexure-3.9
3.	Financial Details			
	a) Turnover from value of works executed on deposit/ turnkey/ PMC basis including PMC fees during the last 5 years ending on 31.03.2022 -Minimum cut-off marks under this criterion is 25	200	50	Annexure-3.10

SI. No.	Category	Total Marks	Maximum Marks	Annexure
	<ul> <li>b) Net worth as on 31.3.2022</li> <li>Bidders with negative net worth as on 31.03.2022 are not eligible to participate in this tender</li> </ul>		50	Annexure-3.11
	c) Cash Accruals during last 5 years ending on 31.03.2022		50	Annexure-3.12
	d) Profit and loss during the last 5 years ending on 31.03.2022		50	Annexure-3.13
	- Bidders should be in profit in at least 3 of the last 5 financial years including the previous financial year i.e. 2021- 22			
4.	Technical Presentation	50	50	
5.	Sub total (1+2+3+4)		1000	
6.	Price Bid	500	500	Annexure-4.1

Note: Similar building project shall mean construction of Boundary Wall and/or Building on Deposit Work/PMC/ Turnkey basis completed during the last 5 years.

- Tender shall be technically disqualified, if:
  - The bidder does not meet the minimum cut-off marks/ requirements against any criteria mentioned at Sl.No. 1 (a), 1 (b), 3 (a), 3 (b) & 3 (d) in the table above, and
  - Minimum 750 marks out of 1000 marks are not obtained in the technical evaluation of the tender as per the above table
- F.3 The currency for price is: Indian Rupees
- F.4 The address for making technical presentation is:

Deputy General Manager (C&P), The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. 'NSIC Bhawan', Okhla Industrial Estate New Delhi - 110 020, INDIA Tele: 011-26926275 Email: procurement@nsic.co.in

# Section - 3 Technical Proposal (Standard Forms)

#### ANNEXURE-3.1: EXPERIENCE IN HANDLING OF BUILDING CONSTRUCTION PROJECT IN LAST 5 YEARS FROM THE DUE DATE OF SUBMISSION OF TENDERS

<u>Max. Marks = 200</u>

S.No.	Cost of Completed Project* (In Rs.)	No. of Projects	Marks obtained
1	More than or equal to Rs. 1.44 Crore		
2	More than or equal to Rs. 0.90 Crore but less than Rs. 1.44 crore		
3	More than or equal to Rs. 0.72 Crore but less than Rs. 0.90 Crore		
4	Less than Rs. 0.72 Crore		

\*Cost of completed project shall not include the consultancy fee/ departmental charges/ agency charges.

#### CRITERIA FOR AWARD OF MARKS IS GIVEN HEREUNDER: -

S.No.	Value of Project (In Rs.)	No. of Projects	Marks
1	More than or equal to Rs. 1.44 Crore	Each	100
2	More than or equal to Rs. 0.90 Crore	Each	50
	but less than Rs. 1.44 crore		
3	More than or equal to Rs. 0.72 Crore	Each	40
	but less than Rs. 0.90 Crore		
4	Less than Rs. 0.72 Crore	Each	Nil

Note: -Maximum 2 nos. of completed projects of highest value of similar nature during the last 5 years from the date of submission of tenders shall be considered for evaluation.

- If two projects of value more than or equal to Rs.1.44 crores are completed then 200 marks will be given.

- Certificate issued by the Client Departments in respect of the above completed projects should be enclosed
- Minimum cut-off marks under this criteria is 100 i.e. tender shall be technically disqualified if minimum 100 marks are not obtained under this criteria

#### DETAILS OF THE QUALIFYING PROJECTS SHOULD BE PROVIDED IN THE FOLLOWING FORMAT:

Project Name:		Location:
Name & Address of Client:		
Start Date	Completion Date	Approx. Value of contract:
Narrative Description	of Project :	•

#### ANNEXURE-3.2:: Number of Key Technical personnel to be deployed on the project Max. Marks = 100

Sr No.	Specialist/ Position	Nos.
1)	<b>Team Leader: Located at Work Site as per requirement basis</b> A qualified Civil Engineer from a recognized university preferably with 15 years or more experience in Construction of buildings and allied works with minimum 5 years experience as Team leader or similar position.	1 No.
2)	<b>Construction Engineer (Civil): Located at Work Site</b> A qualified Civil Engineer from a recognized university preferably with 5 years experience in Construction Projects.	1 No.
3)	Planning Engineer (Civil/ Mechanical/Electrical): Located at Work Site as per requirement basis A qualified Civil/ Mechanical/ Electrical Engineer from a recognized university preferably with a minimum of 7 years experience in Construction Projects.	1 No.
4)	Structural Engineer/ Architect: Located at Work Site as per requirement basis A qualified Civil Engineer/ Architect from a recognized university having preferably a minimum of 10 years experience in Design of Civil Structures	1 No.
	Total	4 Nos.

Note: -

• Bio-Data of key Technical personnel should be enclosed

• Minimum cut-off marks under this criteria is 50 i.e. tender shall be technically disqualified if minimum 50 marks are not obtained under this criteria

• Marks will be awarded to the bidders on the basis of total experience (in years) in the following manner:

S. No	Discipline		Expe	rience			Ма	irks	
1.	Team Leader	>15 years	>10- 15 years	>5-10 years	<5 years	>15 years- 35 marks	>10-15 years- 25 marks	>5 -10 years-15 marks	<5 years- 0 marks
2.	Structural Engineer/ Architect	>10 years	>5- 10 years	>3-5 years	<3 years	>10 years- 20 marks	>5-10 years- 15 marks	>3- 5 years- 10 marks	<3 years- 0 marks
3.	Const. Engineer (Civil)	>5 years	>3-5 years	>1-3 years	<1 years	>5years- 35 marks	>3-5 years- 25 marks	>1-3 years- 15 marks	<1 years- 0 marks
4.	Planning Engineer	>7years	>4-7 years	>2-4 years	<2 years	>7years- 10 marks	>4-7 years- 7 marks	>2- 4 years- 5 marks	<2 years- 0 marks

#### ANNEXURE-3.3:: DETAILS OF COST OVERRUN OF SIMILAR PROJECTS (IF ANY) DURING THE LAST 5 YEARS FROM THE DUE DATE OF SUBMISSION OF TENDERS

#### Max. Marks = 50

(In Rs)

Sr. No.	Name of the	Name of the	Description of work	Cost of the project		Reason of co	
	project&	client		As per	Actual	Attributable	Attributable
	location			contract		to Agency (A)	to others (B)
1.							
2.							
3.							

CRITERIA FOR AWARD OF MARKS IS GIVEN AS UNDER: -

If there is any cost over run due to reasons attributable to agency (A) : nil

If there is no cost over run due to reasons attributable to agency Or If there is any cost over run due to reasons not attributable to agency (B) : 50 marks

(The above statement should be supported by certificate from Authorised signatory and correspondence corroborating reasons for the cost overrun in the projects given above)

#### ANNEXURE-3.4:: DETAILS OF TIME OVERRUN OF SIMILAR PROJECTS (IF ANY) DURING THE LAST 5 YEARS FROM THE DUE DATE OF SUBMISSION OF TENDERS Max. Marks = 50

Sr. No	Name of the project&	Name of the	Description of work	Time of completion of project			Reason of time overrun	
•	location	client		Stipulated date of start of work	Stipulated date of completion	Actual date of completion	Attributabl e to Agency (A)	Attributa ble to others (B)

#### CRITERIA FOR AWARD OF MARKS IS GIVEN AS UNDER: -

If there is any time over run due to reasons attributable to agency (A) : nil

If there is no time over run due to reasons attributable to agency	
Or	
If there is any time over run due to reasons not attributable to	<b>(B) : 50 marks</b>
agency	
-	

(The above statement should be supported by certificate from Authorised signatory and correspondence corroborating reasons for the time overrun in the projects given above)

#### ANNEXURE-3.5:: DETAILS OF PROJECTS ABANDONED (IF ANY) DURING THE LAST 5 YEARS FROM THE DUE DATE OF SUBMISSION OF TENDERS

#### Max. Marks = 100

Sr.	Name of	Name of	Description	Cost of the	Reaso	
no	the project	the	of work	project	abandor	ning the
	& location	client		(Rs in Cr)	proj	ect
					Attributable to Agency (1)	Attributable to other (2)
1.						
2.						
3.						
4.						

Criteria for award of marks is given as under:

If there is any project abandoned due to reasons attributable to agency (A): nil

If there is no project abandoned due to reasons attributable to

agency

Or

If there is any project abandoned due to reasons not attributable to agency (B): 100 marks

(The above statement should be supported by certificate from Authorised signatory and correspondence corroborating reasons for the projects abandoned in the details given above)

#### ANNEXURE-3.6:: DETAILS OF PROJECTS UNDER ARBITRATION (IF ANY) IN THE LAST 5 YEARS FROM THE DUE DATE OF SUBMISSION OF TENDERS

#### <u>Max. Marks = 100</u>

S.No.	Name of the project &	Name of the	Description of work	Cost of the project	Arbit	ons for ration
	location	client		(Rs in Cr.)	Attributable	Attributable to other
					to Agency (A)	(B)
1.						
2.						
3.						
4.						

Criteria for award of marks is given as under:

If there is any project under arbitration due to reasons attributable to agency (A): nil

If there is no project under arbitration due to reasons

attributable to agency

Or

If there is any project under arbitration due to reasons not attributable to agency (B) : 100 marks

(The above statement should be supported by certificate from Authorised signatory and correspondence corroborating reasons for the projects under arbitration in the details given above)

#### <u>ANNEXURE-3.7:: ISO CERTIFICATION</u> (W.R.T. DEPOSIT WORK PROJECTS/ SERVICES)

#### Max. Marks = 50

ISO Certification	Max. Marks	Marks obtained
Certified	50	
Not Certified	0	
	Total Marks	

Note: Attach the copy of ISO Certification with validity. No marks shall be awarded if copy of valid ISO certificate is not enclosed.

#### ANNEXURE-3.8:: QA/QC SYSTEM

#### Max. Marks = 50

#### CRITERIA FOR AWARD OF MARKS ARE GIVEN AS UNDER:

QA/QC system	Max. Marks
System followed	50
Not followed	0

Note: The bidder has to provide a certificate issued by the Authorized Signatory stating that construction works are being executed as per the prescribed Quality Assurance (QA)/ Quality Control (QC) Manual of the bidding organization. No marks shall be awarded if the certificate or copy of manual in this regard is not enclosed.

#### ANNEXURE-3.9:: PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATES

Max. Marks = 50

#### CRITERIA FOR AWARD OF MARKS ARE GIVEN AS UNDER:

S.No.	Details of Building Projects*	No of project	Marks
1	Performance certificate in r/o executing	2	50
	similar Building Projects of Highest value		
2	Performance certificate in r/o executing	1	25
	similar Building Projects of Highest value		
3	Performance certificate in r/o executing	0	Nil
	similar Building Projects of Highest value		

- Performance certificates of Two similar completed project of highest value indicated in Annexure 3.1 for technical evaluation will only be considered for awarding the marks.
- Marks shall be awarded on the basis of copies of performance certificates issued by the Client only.

Note: Copies of the certificate may please be enclosed

#### ANNEXURE-3.10:: TURNOVER DURING THE LAST 5 YEARS

Max. Marks = 50

Turnover* in Cr. of Rs.	Marks
More than or equal to Rs. 50 Cr.	50
More than or equal to Rs.25 Cr. and less than Rs. 50 Cr.	25
Less than Rs.25 Cr.	0

\*Turnover means the value of works executed on deposit/ turnkey/ PMC basis including PMC fees during the financial year. The average turnover of the bidder during the last 5 years ending on 31.03.2022 shall be considered for evaluation under this criterion

Note:

- Attach a certificate duly signed by a Chartered Accountant.
- Marks shall be awarded only if the certificate with regard to turnover during the last 5 years ending on 31.03.2022 duly signed by a chartered accountant is enclosed.
- Minimum cut-off marks under this criteria is 25 i.e. tender shall be technically disqualified if minimum 25 marks are not obtained under this criteria

Seal & Signature with name of Authorized Signatory of bidder CPSE : Authorized Signatory :

Company:

#### ANNEXURE-3.11:: NET WORTH AS ON 31/3/2022

#### Maximum Marks= 50

S.No.	Net worth	Marks
1.	Highest	50
2.	Second highest	40
3.	Third highest	30
4.	Fourth highest	20
5.	Fifth highest	15
6.	Others bidders	0

#### CRITERIA FOR AWARD OF MARKS ARE GIVEN AS UNDER:

Note:

- Attach a certificate duly signed by a Chartered Accountant.
- Marks shall be awarded only if the certificate with regard to net-worth as on 31.03.2022 duly signed by a chartered accountant is enclosed.
- Bidders having negative net worth shall not be eligible to participate in the tender i.e. tender shall be technically disqualified if the bidder has negative net worth as on 31.03.2022.

#### ANNEXURE-3.12:: CASH ACCRUALS DURING THE LAST FIVE YEARS.

#### Maximum Marks= 50

S.No.	Cash accruals	Marks
1.	Highest	50
2.	Second highest	40
3.	Third highest	30
4.	Fourth highest	20
5.	Fifth highest	10
6.	Others bidders including those with Negative cash accruals	0

#### CRITERIA FOR AWARD OF MARKS IS GIVEN AS UNDER:

Note:

- Attach a certificate duly signed by a Chartered Accountant.
- Marks shall be awarded only if the certificate with regard to cash accruals during the last 5 years ending on 31.03.2022 duly signed by a chartered accountant is enclosed.

#### ANNEXURE-3.13:: PROFIT & LOSS DURING THE LAST FIVE YEARS.

#### Maximum Marks= 50

S.No.	Profit/Loss	Marks		
1.	Highest Profit	50		
2.	Second highest Profit	40		
3.	Third highest Profit	30		
4.	Fourth highest Profit	20		
5.	Fifth highest	10		
6.	Others bidders including those with Loss	0		

#### CRITERIA FOR AWARD OF MARKS ARE GIVEN AS UNDER: -

- Attach a certificate duly signed by a Chartered Accountant.
- The average net-profit/ loss (after tax) during the last 5 years ending on 31.03.2022 shall be considered for evaluation purpose under this criterion.
- Marks shall be awarded only if the certificate with regard to net-profit (after tax) during the last 5 years ending on 31.03.2022 duly signed by a chartered accountant is enclosed.
- Bidders should be in profit in at least 3 of the last 5 financial years including the previous financial year i.e. 2021-22. The tender shall be technically disqualified if this condition regarding profitability is not fulfilled.

#### ANNEXURE-3.14:: DETAILS OF PERSONNEL AVAILABLE WITH THE ORGANIZATION

S. No.	Man Power Strength in the area	No of Personnel available with the Organization
1.	Architect	
2.	Design Office	
3.	Planning Engineer	
4.	Tendering Expert	
4.	Construction Site	
5.	Quality control/ Assurance	
6.	Finance/ Accounts	
	Total	

#### Note: Above details are required for information. No marks will be awarded

#### ANNEXURE-3.15:: ACTIVITY (WORKS) SCHEDULE

#### A) ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

S.	Name of		Month wise Program (in form of Bar Chart)									
No	Name of Activity	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Total Months
•												

#### B) COMPLETION AND SUBMISSION OF REPORTS

Sr.	Reports	Programme
No.		
1.	Monthly Reports	
2.	Quarterly Reports	
3.	Completion Report	

Note: Above details are required for information. No marks will be awarded

Section - 4 Financial BID/ Proposal (Standard Forms)

#### ANNEXURE- 4.1:: FINANCIAL PROPOSAL

To:

Dated:

Deputy General Manager (C&P) The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. 'NSIC Bhawan', Okhla Industrial Estate New Delhi - 110 020, INDIA Tele: 011-26926275 Email: procurement@nsic.co.in

Sub: Appointment of Executing Agency (EA) For Project Development, Monitoring and Control for the Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi

Dear Sir,

In response to RFP document for the above work, we hereby quote our Agency Charges as under:

Sr. No.	Description	Agency Charges Excluding GST and any other Govt Levy. (As percentage of Project Cost)			
		In Figures	In Words		
1	Executing Agency Charges for Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi - 110 020				

(GST, as per actual, shall be paid extra on the Agency Charges quoted above)

# SECTION - 5 TERMS OF REFERENCE

Appointment of Executing Agency (EA) For Project Development, Monitoring and Control for the Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi

#### **TERMS OF REFERENCE (TOR)**

#### 1.0 THE PROJECT

#### 1.1 General Information

The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. (NSIC), A Government of India Enterprise, proposes to upgrade the boundary wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and raise the height of boundary wall around the Zonal Green area falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi.

For upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi, NSIC intends to appoint an Executing Agency (EA) of repute with sufficient resources and experience for Project Development, Monitoring and Control for the work of upgradation of said boundary wall. The EA is expected to complete the project on Deposit Work basis conforming to the highest quality standards and shall adhere to time and cost management systems, within stipulated time frame and allocated budget for the project.

#### 1.2 Requirements

Salient features of the proposed project are given as under:

#### a) Requirements:

Project Development, Monitoring and Control for the Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi

#### b) Proposed Work:

The southern side of NTSC, Okhla boundary wall is 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " thick brick wall and same is damaged/tilted at several places. Also, effective height of the boundary wall is inadequate at several places towards inner side of the premises. Furthermore, on southern side of boundary wall of NTSC, Okhla, an open drain is flowing. The height of the said stretch of boundary wall is also less and the same has tilted at many locations due to the earth pressure and presence of an open drain of MCD flowing adjacent to the boundary wall.

Besides above, the boundary wall at eastern side of NTSC, Okhla is also constructed with  $4 \frac{1}{2}$ " thick brick wall and the same is damaged at several places. At some stretches on the eastern side, the boundary wall is almost non-existent.

Therefore, to safeguard the premises of NTSC, Okhla complex and to avoid trespassing by miscreants, a new boundary wall of clear height of approx. 2.4 mtr. (from inside) measuring approx. 680 mtr. in length with 9" thick brick work having concrete footing, intermediate stiffener columns and plinth beams with concertina coil on top is required to be constructed to safeguard the premises of NTSC, Okhla. The existing damaged/ boundary wall on the southern and eastern periphery of NTSC, Okhla shall be dismantled to facilitate the construction of new boundary wall.

In addition to above, the height of the existing boundary wall constructed with random rubble (RR) masonry in the portion of land (in triangular shape) falling in the Zonal Green area towards the eastern side of NSIC Complex, Okhla, New Delhi having a length of approx. 300 mtr., is also inadequate and hence, the same is also required to be raised by an average height of approx. 0.60 mtr. along with provision of concertina coil on top to safeguard the premises from miscreants.

The total area of the NSIC Complex at Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi is approx. 47 acre. However, the work of upgradation of boundary wall is to be undertaken only in some stretches as shown in the sketch. A sketch showing the stretch of boundary wall measuring approx. 680 meter in length towards southern & eastern periphery of NTSC, Okhla premises marked as 'X' and portion of boundary wall measuring approx. 300 mtr. in length in the triangular shaped portion of land falling in Zonal Green area in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi where the height is to be raised marked as 'Y' is placed at **Annexure-A**.

#### c) Other requirements:

i) The land use of the project site is industrial. The plot is owned by Owner/NSIC. Now, to meet the requirements of NSIC, the EA shall be required to upgrade the boundary wall at NSIC Complex, Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi on deposit work basis by engaging a contractor. The EA shall conduct the soil investigation at site, prepare the structural design & drawing of the boundary wall and get the said design & drawing vetted from a reputed Govt. Engineering College like IIT/ NIT/ Central University. ii) The EA shall also provide professional, objective and impartial advice and at all times hold the owner's interests paramount, without any consideration for future work, and strictly avoid conflicts with other assignments or their own corporate interests.

# 1.3 SCOPE & OBJECTIVES OF THE WORK

The main scope of the work includes:

- a. Execution of the Project.
- b. Work Programme : which shall distinguish clearly between the phases of :
  - i) Pre-Contract work Phase
    - 1. Project Conceptualization, Planning including Soil Investigation, Preparation of Design & Structural Drawing of the proposed boundary wall and getting the design & drawing vetted from a reputed Govt. Engineering College/ Institute like IIT/NIT/ Central University.
    - 2. Preparation of Detailed Specification, Bill of quantities and detailed estimate, contract documents, invitation of tenders.
    - 3. Selection for contractors/suppliers/specialized agencies on Fixed Rate Contract basis.
  - ii) Construction Phase
    - 1. Project Execution and Management
  - iii) Handing over of the work complete in all respect and Defects Correction Phase

For each phase, the program shall include an organization chart, an activity Bar Chart and a staffing schedule, consistent with the construction contract/information enclosed as a part of RFP document.

# 1.4 TERMS OF REFERENCE

# 1.4.1 DEFINITIONS

Unless the context otherwise requires, the following terms wherever used in this document have following meanings:

- (i) "Agreement" means an agreement executed by the Parties, together with all documents/Appendices attached hereto.
- (ii) "Applicable Law" means the provision of Indian Laws and any other instruments having the force of law in India as they may be issued and in force from time to time.

- (iii) 'Approval' means approval in writing by the designated officer(s) of the "Owner" for that purpose.
- (iv) "Assignment" means the work to be performed by the Executing Agency (EA) for the purpose of the project as per the Description of requirement given above in clause 1.2 of Section-5 (TOR) of this RFP document.
- (v) "Competent Authority" means the Chairman-cum-Managing Director (CMD), of Owner/NSIC.
- (vi) "Contractor(s)/Supplier(s)/Vendor(s)" means any person or entity who are employed by Executing Agency for execution of the "Project" on behalf of the owner.
- (vii) Corrupt practice means the offering, giving, receiving soliciting of anything of value to influence the action of a public official in the Agreement execution.
- (viii) "Data Sheet" means a portion of Section-2 (Information To Bidders) as contained in this RFP document.
- (ix) "EA" means the "Executing Agency" appointed for the job.
- (x) "Government" means the Government of India.
- (xi) "Owner" means the "The National Small Industries Corporation Limited".
- (xii) "Party" means the Owner or the Executing Agency (EA), as the case may be, and "Parties" means both of them.
- (xiii) "Personnel" means persons hired/deployed by the Executing Agency (EA) as employees of Executing Agency and assigned to the performance of the Services or any part thereof.
- (xiv) "Third party" means any person or entity other than the Owner and the Executing Agency, whose services are availed or required for the said project.
- (xv) "TOR" means "Terms of Reference" as contained in Section-5 of this RFP document.

#### 1.4.2 GENERAL

- (i) These Terms of Reference shall be governed and construed in accordance with the Indian Laws.
- (ii) The "EA" shall be paid agency charges, plus GST and applicable Govt levies (if any) of the "Actual Cost" of works for execution of the Project on Deposit Work Basis. The agency charges shall be paid on the estimated cost approved by the Owner or the cost of contract to be awarded by the EA to the contractor or the completion cost, whichever is lower.

# 2.0 THE EXPRESSION "ACTUAL COST OF WORK" SHALL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

- 2.1 Bonafide payments released by "EA" to the Contractor (s)/ Suppliers/Vendors or any specialized agency as agreed upon in the tender including any amount paid/payable to the contractors towards extra/substituted/deviated items/quantities arising on account of any changes/additional work required for the project as finalized by EA with the approval of Owner for the Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi etc. inclusive of all applicable taxes (i.e. GST and any other Govt. levies/charges etc).
- 2.2 All costs of materials acquired for the project and used on the work, either directly or through the Contractors (s)/Vendor(s) including insurance, storage charges, cartage and any other incidental charges connected with such materials but excluding the material not incorporated or not handed over to the "Owner".
- 2.3 Expenditure incurred by "EA" on the following will be reimbursed to "EA" duly supported by Bills. However, Agency charges on such expenditure will not be eligible for payment.
  - 2.3.1 Actual expenditure incurred on preparation of master plan of the complex (if any) and testing of materials required for quality control of works not attributable and recoverable from the Contractors.
  - 2.3.2 Legitimate expenses in getting approvals of any type from statutory authorities, if required.
  - 2.3.3 Actual expenditure incurred on conducting the Soil Investigation at Site, as required.

2.3.4 Actual expenditure incurred in getting the design & drawing vetted from a reputed Govt. Engineering College/ Institute like IIT/NIT/ Central University.

# 3.0 THE ACTUAL COST OF WORK SHALL NOT INCLUDE:

- 3.1 Cost of land.
- 3.2 Any work undertaken by the "Owner" for which no inputs/ services have been provided by "EA".
- 3.3 Cost paid by the "Owner" to local government or any other statutory body(ies) for any built services provided for the work (including but not exclusively items such as electric connection, transformers, and water supply, access road etc. if provided by such authorities).

# 4.0 RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE "EA"

- 4.1 The responsibilities of the "EA" shall include preliminary survey, soil investigation, preparation of structural design & drawing, getting the said structural drawing & design vetted from a reputed Govt. Engineering College/ Institute like IIT/NIT/Central University, supplying all drawings, designs, estimates and bills of quantities and rendering advice. "EA" will also submit comprehensive planning schedule for project management within fifteen days from the date of award of work.
- 4.2 In furtherance to the award of work and in order to comply with the terms and conditions of this Terms of Reference, the "EA" may engage the consultants for the purpose of drawing up of the concept plan of the project as also the finalization of the designs, drawings and specifications along with detailed estimates of the project based on the prevalent cost i.e. cost of the materials, labour wages and construction equipment, soil investigation, vetting of structural design & drawing from a reputed Govt. Engineering College like IIT/NIT/ Central University, survey, making presentation as per the owner's direction, etc. and all such expenses shall be borne by "EA", which is not reimbursable by the Owner.
- 4.3 "EA" will submit the architectural concept plan designs with coloured perspective views and make presentation based on the conceptual plan as per owner's direction and after getting approval of the same from the owner, "EA" will prepare drawings, specifications, BOQ and detailed estimate based on the CPWD Schedule of Rates with updated cost indices. The "EA" will prepare structural designs considering the prevailing BIS codes and relevant engineering practices. Responsibility for correctness/ accuracy of design and drawings will rest with "EA". The "EA" shall ensure that the specifications to be followed for the work shall be generally in line with the standard CPWD specification

and latest BIS specification and codes of practices as corrected up to the date of signing of the agreement. These estimates shall be taken as indicative cost.

- 4.4 "EA" shall forthwith take possession of the site from the "Owner" and shall nominate a team leader for executing the project, who shall be a responsible and experienced engineer. "EA" shall inform the name of the engineer at the time of submission of the estimate.
- 4.5 "EA" after having taken possession of the site/ premises shall forthwith explore the site for the presence of underground utility/ services, if any. In case any underground utility/ services are found at site which may in the opinion of "EA", hinder the actual construction work then "EA" shall arrange to get the same diverted in coordination with the concerned local authority during the Pre-contract work phase so that the construction phase is not affected/ delayed. The actual cost incurred in shifting/ diverting of such underground utility/ services shall be reimbursed to the "EA" on production of receipts thereof from the concerned local authority. However, such expenditure shall not form a part of the actual cost of work and hence shall not be eligible for payment of any agency charges to "EA".
- 4.6 "EA" shall give in writing the budgeted cash flow of the funds required in proportion to the work to be done during the year as required by the "Owner" from time to time. Otherwise "Owner" will not be responsible for delay in payment.
- 4.7 In case it is anticipated that the quantity (ies) of any items will variations undergo substantial due to change in design/specifications of any item due to site conditions or by any decision of the "Owner" which leads to increase in the detailed estimated cost as per clause No. 4.3 above, the EA shall immediately bring the same to the notice of the owner and obtain written approval from the owner thereof. "EA" shall also furnish full details and justifications supported by reasons for anticipated excess of quantities and expenditure thereof on works over the initial estimate given above.
- 4.8 However, during execution of the work if the anticipated cost exceeds the detailed estimate, depending upon any change in the constituents and their cost based on which the original estimate was prepared. "EA" shall submit revised estimates to the "Owner" and obtain its prior written approval of the revised estimate before incurring further expenses.

- 4.9 "EA" shall ensure that the contractor(s) deployed by it for the Construction as contemplated in this "Terms of Reference" comply with all the environmental norms for mitigation & prevention of air, noise and water pollution as per the norms of Central/ State Pollution Control Board/ NGT orders/ Court orders/Any other Central or State Govt. Body' orders, as applicable.
- 4.10 After obtaining approval of the detailed cost estimate from the "Owner", "EA" shall prepare the Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) for the purpose of inviting tenders from the contractor(s).
- 4.11 "EA" shall follow the standard CPWD contract forms for item rate tenders/ percentage rate tenders and CPWD general Conditions of Contract with suitable modifications approved by the Competent Authority of the "EA". If any other contract form is to be followed, the same shall be discussed with the "Owner" and got approved in principle in writing before its issue. EA shall also insert a "Risk & Cost" Clause in the above contract form.
- 4.12 The "EA" shall be responsible for the structural safety of construction and proper workmanship. It will be the responsibility of "EA" to ensure that the work is executed strictly in accordance with the approved technical specifications and adopting effective quality control measures for the same.
- 4.13 "EA" shall follow proper purchase procedure for award of various works and shall comply with CVC guidelines and circulars issued time to time in this regard. "EA" shall invite tenders after due publicity by releasing the advertisement in the leading National Newspapers. However, no additional cost shall be paid to the "EA" for releasing the Notice Inviting Tenders. Owner shall nominate two representatives to be a part of the tender committee constituted by E.A. The representatives of the Owner will attend proceedings of the tender committee at appropriate stage for finalization of the tenders and recommendations thereof. All details of accepted tenders shall be furnished by the "EA" to the "Owner".
- 4.14 "EA" shall award the work(s) to the contractor(s) within the approved estimates with the approval of the Owner on firm rate contract basis (without any escalation) including all services. The contractor/vendor/ supplier shall submit the bills to EA, raised in the name of "Name of Executing Agency"-A/c National Small Industries Corporation Ltd., Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Complex, Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi.
- 4.15 "EA" will make its best endeavor to reduce the cost of construction by any change/ substitution of specifications, construction methodology, value engineering or any innovative or economical

design. Such reduction in the cost of construction shall be made with the prior written approval of the Owner without affecting/ prejudicing or endangering in any way the safety or security of the building.

- 4.16 The "EA" shall perform the services and carry out their obligation hereunder with all due diligence, efficiency and economy in accordance with generally accepted professional techniques and practices and shall observe sound management practices and employ appropriate advance technology and safe and effective equipment, machinery, materials and methods. The EA shall always act, in respect of any matter relating to this document, or to the services, as faithful advisor to the Owner, and shall at all times support and safeguard the Owner's interests in any dealing with contractors or third parties.
- 4.17 Before commencement of the works the EA shall ensure that the necessary insurance covers of the works, property, persons or any person as per law are taken in time by the contractor/sub contractor/suppliers/vendors till the project is handed over to the Owner.

The EA shall indemnify the Owner from any claims or damages or losses or from any liability whatsoever on the above account.

- 4.18 EA shall deduct 5% from every bill raised by contractor(s) for execution of works as Retention Money. The said Retention Money shall be retained in the deposit bank account maintained by EA and shall disclose the amount in the statement of Account submitted to the Owner. The Retention Money shall become due and payable to contractor(s) after 12 months from completion of all works under the scope of contract or expiry of the defect liability period or validity of agreement whichever is later. However, the contractor may substitute the 50% of Retention Money by bank guarantee after the completion of the work.
- 4.19 EA shall be solely responsible for obtaining the required Labour Registration as "Principal Employer" in its name from the Labour Department for all the contractor(s) to be deployed by them for the proposed construction work.

# 4.21 QUALITY CONTROL AND QUALITY ASSURANCE

4.21.1 EA shall ensure that the quality of work is executed as per specified specifications and norms such as CPWD specifications with updated correction slips, BIS codes, other specifications of Manufacturers/suppliers as specified for the project. The Owner however, shall be at liberty to specify the quality and standard of

materials to be used in the construction work and the EA is bound by such directions. EA shall ensure routine testing in respect of cement, reinforcement/structural steel, Coarse & fine aggregates, cube tests of concrete, and other construction materials/ hardware is be carried out by the contractor(s)/supplier(s) as per BIS/CPWD specifications in recognized laboratory/institution and obtain copies of the test results and maintain a proper record which can be inspected and copies may be obtained on demand by the Owner.

- 4.21.2 Technical cell of EA shall also carry out periodic inspection/technical examination to ensure that the work carried out is of the specified quality and maintain proper record of test result and reports for inspection by the Owner.
- 4.21.3 The Owner shall however, be at liberty to appoint their advisor/ consultant/ technical person for coordination, to advise and oversee the project and his advice shall be followed by EA.
- 4.21.4 The owner reserves the right to get the work technically checked/examined by its own officers or by any independent Government/Private agency.
- 4.21.5 The work will also be subject to the technical audit by the office of the Chief Technical Examiner (CTE) and it will be responsibility of EA to comply with all requirements. EA will be solely responsible for reply of any queries/ clarifications required by CTE with regard to quality of work and purchase procedure followed by EA.

#### 4.22 PAYMENTS/DEPOSIT

- i) The Owner shall make the payments/deposits to EA by transfer of funds in a bank account (in a Nationalized/Scheduled commercial bank) to be opened by the "EA" in the name of *"Name of executing agency* - A/c. The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd., Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Complex, Okhla, New Delhi" for purpose of construction of boundary wall at NSIC Complex, Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi.
- ii) Any interest accrued in the bank account as referred at 4.22 (i) above shall be passed on to the Owner. EA will however ensure that the amount deposited in the bank as per above clause in the name of EA along with the interest accrued thereon shall be utilized only for the purpose of construction of this project.
- iii) In case it is observed that the amount deposited (along with the interest accrued thereon) by the Owner has been diverted by the EA to other works, and or any other purpose, further payment shall not be released by

the Owner, until the quantum of work executed is brought/completed in proportion to the extent of payments already released.

- iv) An initial deposit up to 10% (ten percent only) of the already approved detailed estimated cost of the project submitted by EA as per clause No. 4.3 above will be deposited by Owner against written submission of advice of EA against furnishing of unconditional Bank Guarantee (BG)by EA issued by any Nationalized/Scheduled Commercial Bank. However, the said initial deposit shall be deposited in the designated bank account at the time of award of the work to their main contractor by the EA. Subsequent funds will be transferred against the duly certified running bills raised by the EA on the Owner as per actual work executed at site. The final bill, however, shall be adjusted only after completion of the work in all respect duly certified by EA. The Owner shall have full powers to verify the entries recorded in Measurement Books. The said BG submitted by the EA shall be kept renewed till the completion & handing over of the project to the Owner.
- v) The Owner shall ensure that sufficient balance in the designated account is maintained subject to regular and timely submission of running/ final bills by the EA, so that work does not suffer on account of funds. The release of funds shall be as per the duly certified running/ final bills raised by EA.
- vi) The EA shall submit monthly Statement of Accounts supported by certified paid bills of Contractors / specialized agencies/suppliers/vendors for adjustment from the funds deposited with the EA. However, the Owner reserves the right to get the same checked/audited by its own officers or by an independent Government/Private agency.
- vii) Agency charges payable to EA shall be paid directly by Owner and the same will not be adjusted from funds deposited with EA subject to deduction of Retention Money as per clause 5.3 hereinafter within 4 (four) weeks after receipt of bills from EA.
- viii) The schedule for accrual of the Agency Charges payable to EA is given as under:
  - a) 5% on submission of comprehensive planning schedule for project management and architectural concept plan.
  - b) 15% on submission of structural drawings, specifications and detailed cost estimates.
  - c) 10% on awarding work to the selected contractor after following established Purchase Procedure of EA.
  - d) Balance agency charges shall be paid commensurate with the value of work executed. From each running bill for agency charges, 30% of the

bill amount shall be adjusted towards amounts earlier released as per clause (a) to (c) above. For any variation between the estimated value of work and the amount of the work actually executed, adjustment in respect of amounts at (a) to (c) shall be made at the time of release of pre-final/ final bill.

e) The payment at stage (a) to (c) shall be based initially on preliminary estimate. The payment at stage (d) shall be based on gross value of the certified work.

# 4.23 TIME OF COMPLETION

- 4.23.1 The EA shall submit the execution schedule with a completion period not exceeding 10 months (including planning & construction).
- 4.23.2 The time shall be the essence of the contract, EA shall get the entire work completed in all respect by deployed contractors for and on behalf of the Owner within agreed execution schedule as referred in clause 4.23.1 above and handover the project in finished condition to the Owner from the date of the start of the work which shall be reckoned after 15 days from the date of handing over the site by the "Owner" to "EA" or date of signing of the agreement, whichever is later. If there is a delay in execution of work due to any unforeseen circumstance, the contract period will be extended accordingly.
- 4.23.3 In case of delay, which may occur due to the reasons beyond the control of EA, EA would approach the Owner with full details for extension of time limit for completion of the works. Owner reserves its right to take the appropriate decision on the merit of the case for Extension of Time (EOT).

# 4.23.4 On completion of the project the EA shall:

- i) Submit a final statement (for the complete project) along with original final bills of the contactors/suppliers/vendors etc. audited by a Chartered Accountant for settlement, and refund the excess deposit (if any) received by EA, Owner reserves the right to get the work and payments made and audited by its own officers or an independent government/ private Agency. After adjustment of the entire amount deposited by the owner, any balance left in the designated bank account shall be paid to the Owner. Thereafter, the designated bank account will be closed with the approval of the Owner.
- ii) EA shall submit to the Owner all original guarantee/ warranty papers related to the specialized work such as anti-termite works, water-proofing works executed/ installed in respect of the project, as applicable. EA should also ensure that such guarantee/ warranty papers are transferred in the name of

Owner if the period of cover is beyond the defect liability period.

- iii) On completion of the work, EA shall ensure to clear away and remove from the site all constructional plant, surplus materials, rubbish and temporary works of every kind and leave the whole site and works clean and in perfect condition to the satisfaction of the Owner. The EA will vacate the field office within two months of handing over of the project to Owner otherwise rent @ 200% per month of the prevailing market rate in the area will be charged from EA. However, the Owner shall provide an office to EA during defect liability period.
- iv) The EA shall hand over the project complete in all respect to the authorized representative of the Owner through its Authorized representative. The handing over document should be signed by representatives of both the Parties.
- v) Submit one Soft /five Hard Copies and one Reproducible Tracing Film (RTF) or soft copy in AutoCAD format of "As built drawings" with final executed bills of quantities along with copies of detailed measurements.
- 4.24 EA shall waive and agree not to Claim any lien against the work or the property on which it is performed. EA shall obligate its contractors and Vendors not to claim any such lien. EA and its contractors and vendors shall pay or cause to be paid when due, all bills for labour, materials, equipments or Services connected with the work, and shall not claim any lien or permit any lien to be asserted or claimed maintained against the project or any funds or Land involved in the project.
- 4.25 If any lien or encumbrance is asserted or claimed maintained in violation of clauses mentioned in RFP document/ Agreement, EA shall promptly proceed to have it removed. If EA fails to remove any such lien or encumbrance, then Owner may, but without obligation to do so, do everything necessary to have the lien or encumbrance removed, and EA shall pay all costs including legal fee incurred by Owner in connection therewith.
- 4.26 EA shall ensure that the title to all materials and supplies/delivered by contractor, together with all improvements and appurtenances constructed or placed by contractor, is free from any claims, lien, security, interest or charges.

#### 4.27 INSURANCE:

Before commencement of the works the EA shall ensure all that the necessary insurance covers of the works, property, persons or any person as per law are taken in time by the contractors/sub-contractors and labour contractors. The EA shall indemnify the Owner from any claims whatsoever on the above account.

#### 4.28 DAMAGE TO PERSONS OR PROPERTY:

- 4.28.1 EA shall ensure by inserting suitable clauses in the works contract with Contractor that (except and in so far as this Terms of Reference provides otherwise) the owner get indemnified against all losses and claims for injuries or damage to any person or any property whatsoever which may arise out of or in consequence of the construction of the project or in relation thereto.
- 4.28.2 EA shall ensure by inserting suitable clauses in the works contract with Contractor the observance of all Labour, Industrial, Provident Fund, Gratuity and other laws applicable in the matter and shall get the owner indemnified against the liability or damages or losses arising on observance of any such laws.

#### 5.0 RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE "OWNER"

- 5.1 The owner shall deposit in the deposit account opened as per clause 4.22 (i) and 4.22 (iv) above, equivalent to 10% (Ten percent) as an initial deposit of the approved detailed estimated cost of the project after written submission of the EA against furnishing of unconditional Bank Guarantee issued by any Nationalized/Scheduled Commercial Bank. However, the subsequent funds will be transferred in accordance with the clause No. 4.22 (iv) and against submission of statement of accounts for amount paid to contractor(s)/ suppliers / vendors / specialized agency etc. from the funds deposited with EA for execution of the project supported by trial balance for the month, copies of certified paid bills and statement of bank account and other relevant documents in support of payment made by EA in that month, subject to conditions mentioned in the clause 4.22 (iv).
- 5.2 The EA shall submit monthly statement of account in the format approved by owner supported by duly checked and certified copies of paid Running Account Bills (RAB) of Contractors and original bills of specialized agencies/suppliers/vendors and in case of pre-final and final bills of the contractor(s) original certified paid bills will be submitted to the owner along with statement of accounts for adjustment. All bills pertaining to the above project in the name of *"Name of executing agency A/c. The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd., Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Complex, Okhla, New*

Delhi" to be submitted to owner for adjustment from the funds deposited with the EA. However, the owner reserves the right to get the same checked/audited by its own officers or an independent Government/Private agency.

- 5.3 The Owner shall withhold 5% of the amount from every invoice / bill of agency charges claimed by E.A., as Retention Money. 50 % of the total Retention Money shall be released to E.A. on the completion of all works under the scope of contract after completion and handing over the complete building in all respects and balance 50% (in the form of bank guarantee) of total retention money shall be released on completion of the defect liability period as per clause 11.0 or extended validity of agreement whichever is later.
- 5.4 If in the interest of work, any items or materials are required to be procured much in advance, any extra amount required for the purpose shall be decided by the owner in consultation with EA and paid in addition to deposit amount. The owner shall endeavor to release all such amounts within 30 (thirty) days from the date of receipt of such written request from the EA.
- 5.5 The owner will furnish layout plan of the plot.
- 5.6 The owner will nominate a suitable Officer as the Coordinating Officer who shall perform the duties.
- 5.7 The owner will hand over possession of land / Site to the EA. The EA will also take responsibility for demolition / disposal of existing boundary wall / structures, as required.
- 5.8 The owner will communicate their decisions whenever referred to, within 15 working days of such a request from the EA.
- 5.9 The owner shall pay the Agency charges to the EA, in line with the agreed payment schedule.
- 5.10 The owner shall not be responsible for any liability arising out of EA's contractual obligations with the EA's architects, contractors, personnel, Sub-EAs, licensors, collaborators, vendors and subordinates who are engaged by the EA and whose remuneration / fees are paid by the EA from his Agency charges.
- 5.11 The owner shall promptly take over the Works / Project facilities within 15 days from the date of certified completion in all aspects. If for any reason, the owner is unable to comply with the above requirements within the period mentioned above, the EA shall allow the owner to have a further period of another 15 days for the taking over of the works.

# 6.0 Taxes

EA shall deduct Income Tax or any other tax from the Contractor's bills/Suppliers bills as per statutory obligation and arrange to deposit the recovered amount with the concerned Tax Authority. Owner will have no responsibility either for recovery of tax or deposit the tax with the concerned authorities and for issuance of tax deduction certificate for such deposit of taxes, duties etc. EA shall also keep the owner indemnified from any consequences whatsoever which may arise due to delay/non-payment of the same and the owner will not bear any expenditure whatsoever on this account.

Tax at source shall be deducted by owner towards Income Tax, GST and any other tax as required by law, from the amount paid/ payable (including agency charges) to EA. Owner shall issues tax deduction certificate for such deposit of taxes.

# 7.0 LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

- 7.1 EA shall be liable to complete the work within stipulated period as mentioned in this document subject to condition stipulated in Para 4.23.
- 7.2 In case of delay due to default on part of deployed Contractors beyond the stipulated completion date (as per contract to be entered between the EA and the Contractors), the Executing Agency shall ensure recovery of compensation (not amounting to penalty) on behalf of owner at the rate of not exceeding 0.5 % (half percent only) of the contract value per week subject to maximum of 10% (ten percent only) of contract value for reasons of delay attributable to the contractors. However, for justified extension of time granted by the EA and duly accepted by the Owner for reasons beyond the reasonable control of the Contractors, no compensation for delay shall be recovered by the EA for such extended period from the deployed Contractors.
- 7.3 Any compensation levied by EA due to non-fulfillment of any clause of the Agreement by the contractor or any such recovery from the contractor/suppliers/vendors for bad work or for any other reason whatsoever shall also be passed on to the owner.
- 7.4 In case of delay due to default by EA against activities required to be executed by the EA (other than actual work by Contractor), EA shall be liable to pay the owner compensation (not amounting to penalty) at the rate of not exceeding 0.5% (half percent only) of the total fee of the EA per week of delay subject to maximum of 10% (Ten percent only) of the total fee for reasons attributable to EA. However, for justified extension of time granted by the Owner for reasons beyond the reasonable control of EA, no compensation for delay shall be recovered by the Owner for such extended period from the EA.

7.5 EA shall insert a suitable clause in the agreement with the Contractors that if contractor is able to complete the work before expiry of the stipulated period, the owner may give an incentive to the contractor to the maximum of 0.1% (zero point one percent) of the completed cost of the work per week subject to a maximum of 0.25% (zero point two five percent) of the completed work as per clause No.2.0.

### 8.0 Termination

The agreement may be terminated by the either party due to following reasons:-

- a) If the Owner / EA fail to comply with any final decision reached as a result of arbitration proceedings pursuant to Clause 13 hereof.
- b) EA shall refund to Owner the unutilized amount lying in the Bank Account and the amounts unaccounted for at the time of termination of agreement.
- c) If, as a result of Force Majeure, the EA / Owner fails to perform a material portion of the assignment for a period of not less than 30 (thirty) days.
- d) In case there is any change in the Constitution of the EA, the details will be promptly communicated to the Owner. In case the Owner is of the opinion that this will affect the Performance of the EAs under this Agreement, the Owner shall be entitled to terminate this Agreement after giving due notice of 30 (thirty) days and entrust the work to some other Agency.
- e) If the "EA" fail to remedy a failure in the performance of their obligations within thirty (30) days of receipt of such notice within such further period as the Owner may have subsequently approved in writing. However, all plans, drawings, specifications, designs, report and other documents prepared by the E.A. in performing the project shall become and remain the property of the owner including the equipment and materials, if any, purchased by the E.A. with funds provided by the owner shall be handed over to the Owner by the E.A. in working condition.
- f) If the "EA" become insolvent or bankrupt or enter into any agreement with their creditors for relief or debt or take advantage of any law for the benefit of debtors or go into liquidation or receivership whether compulsory or voluntary;
- g) In case the funds deposited by the "Owner" are diverted to other works or for any other purpose.
- h) If the "EA" in the judgment of the "Owner" has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for the work or in executing the Agreement.

i) In case of delay in execution of works for reasons attributable to "EA", after assigning reasons in writing and by giving thirty days notice to "EA".

In case of the Termination the EA shall not be entitled to claim any fees or compensation. Upon such termination, the Earnest Money Deposit, Retention Money already recovered from the EA as per clause No. 5.3 above and Performance Security as per clause No. 15 hereunder shall be liable to be forfeited and shall be absolutely at the disposal of the "Owner". On termination of the agreement, the "Owner" shall take such whole, or balance or part of the work, as shall be unexecuted out of EA's hand and give it to another Agency at the risk and cost of the EA to complete the work. The EA, whose contract is terminated as above, shall not be allowed to participate in the tendering process of the balance work.

# 9.0 Confidentiality:

The Executing Agency, the contractors or consultants and the personnel of either of them shall not, either during the currency of agreement or within two (2) years after the expiration of this agreement, disclose any information relating to the project, this agreement or the owner's business or operations without the prior written consent of the owner

#### 10.0 FORCE MAJEURE

#### 10.1 Definition

- a) For the purpose of this Agreement, "Force Majeure" means an event which is beyond the reasonable control of Parties, and which makes a Party's performance of its obligations hereunder impossible or so impractical as reasonably impossible in the circumstances and includes, act of God or the public enemy expropriation or confiscation of facilities by Government Authorities or in compliance with any order or request of any Government Authorities but is not limited to, war, riots, rebellion, sabotage, civil disorder, earthquake, fire, explosion, storm, flood or other adverse weather conditions, strikes, lockouts or other industrial action.
- b) Force Majeure shall not include (i) any event which is caused by the negligence or intentional action of a Party or such Party's Sub Consultants or agent or employees nor (ii) any event which a diligent party could reasonably have been expected to both (A) take into account at the time of the conclusion of Agreement and (B) avoid or overcome in the carrying out of its obligations hereunder:
- c) Force Majeure shall not include insufficiency of funds or failure to make any payment required hereunder.

#### 10.2 Measures to be taken

- a) A Party affected by an event of Force Majeure shall take all reasonable measures to remove such Party's inability to fulfill its obligations hereunder with a minimum of delay.
- b) A Party affected by an event of Force Majeure shall notify the other Party of such event as soon as possible, and in any event not later than fourteen (14) days following the occurrence of such event, providing evidence of the nature and cause of such event and shall similarly give notice of the restoration of normal conditions as soon as possible.
- c) The Parties shall take all reasonable measures to minimize the consequences of any event of Force Majeure.

#### 10.3 Consultation

Not later than thirty (30 days) after the EA, as a result of an event of Force Majeure, have become unable to perform a material portion of the Services, the Parties shall consult with each other with a view to agreeing on appropriate measures to be taken in the circumstances.

#### 10.4 Extension of Time

Any period within which a Party shall, pursuant to this Agreement, complete any action or task, shall be extended for a period equal to the time during which such Party was unable to perform such action as a result of Force Majeure.

# 11.0 DEFECT LIABILITY PERIOD

- 11.1 The EA shall ensure rectification of any defect (s) in the completed work within the defect liability period, which shall be for a period of 12 months from the date of completion certificate issued by the EA to contractor(s)/ supplier(s)/vendor(s) etc.
- 11.2 Life Cycle Cost- The contractor (to be engaged by the EA) shall be responsible for safety, quality and soundness of the boundary wall including structural elements beyond maintenance/ defect liability period. The contractor shall have obligation to rectify such defects minimum up to 5 (five) years from the date of completion of work.
- 11.3 Any defects discovered and brought to the notice of the owner during the period aforesaid shall be got rectified by EA through contractors. In the event of failure on the part of EA to rectify the defects, the same may without prejudice to the any other rights available under the provision of the law be, be rectified by the owner for on behalf of EA and at the cost and expenses of the EA, after a notice thereof to EA

11.4 EA shall be fully responsible to defend any suits or arbitration cases arising out of the project/ work between EA and its contractor(s)/ suppliers and for settling the Claims/disputes, if any, made by the Works Contractors, keeping the owner apprised/advised of the same. Where there is disagreement between the EA and the Works Contractor, such disputes shall be referred for Arbitration to an Arbitrator as provided for in the Works Contract between the EA acting for on behalf of the owner as Agent and the Works Contractor. In cases where the Contractor resorts to settling his claims through an Arbitrator, the EA will defend the Arbitration case. The legal expenses incurred by EA for defending Arbitration/ Court Cases in connection with this work, shall be booked to the project cost as per actual based on the approved schedule of legal/ professional fee of the EA. However, no agency charges shall be paid to the EA on any claim amount passed by the Arbitrator/ Court in favour of Works Contractor(s).

Any amount becoming payable to the EA on account of counter claim, as a result of the Arbitrator's award in respect of arbitration between the EA and the contractor, shall be passed to the owner.

#### **12.0 NOTICE**

Any notice to be given hereunder will be sent by registered post/speed post/courier at the last known registered and/or head office address of either Party and shall be deemed to have been served at the time at which the letter would be delivered in the ordinary course of post.

#### 13.0 DISPUTE RESOLUTION BETWEEN OWNER AND EXECUTING AGENCY (EA)

13.1 Both the Parties agree to make a good-faith effort to resolve any disagreement arising out of, or in connection with, this RFP/Agreement amicably through mutual consultation and negotiation. Should the Parties fail to resolve any such disagreement within thirty (30) days, any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this RFP/Agreement, including, without limitation, the interpretation or breach thereof. Failing this resolution, the dispute shall be resolved as per Clause 13.2 of this RFP/Agreement.

13.2 In the event of any dispute or difference relating to the interpretation and application of the provisions of this RFP/Agreement OR its annexures between the Parties, such dispute/difference shall be taken up by either Party for resolution through AMRCD as mentioned in DPE OM No. 4(1)/2013-DPE (GM) /FTS-1835 dated 22.05.2018.

#### 14.0 REPORTS

The EA will prepare and submit the following reports to owner on the format prepared by the EA and as approved by owner (except for commencement report)

Sl No.	Report	Frequency	Due Date/Time	No. of Copies
1.	Commencement Report	One time	Within 15 days after commencement of services.	2
2.	Monthly Progress Report	Every month	10 <sup>th</sup> of the month	2
3.	Quarterly Progress Report	Every quarter	Within 10 days of commencement of following quarter	2
4.	Completion Report	One time	Within 15 days of completion of services/contract.	2

#### 14.1 Commencement Report

The Commencement Report shall contain the details of all meetings held with the owner and the EA and the decisions taken therein, the resources mobilized by the EA as well as the EA's perception in the monitoring and control of the project planning / design / construction activities.

#### 14.2 Progress Reports

The monthly and quarterly Progress Reports shall contain details of all meetings, decisions taken therein, mobilization of resources (EA and the contractor), Detailed compliance report of each activity, progress and the projected progress for the forthcoming periods. The Report shall clearly bring out the delays, if any reasons for such delay(s) and the effective steps taken towards the corrective measures.

# 14.3 Final Completion Report

The EA will prepare a comprehensive final completion report of the planning, designing, construction monitoring and control after completion of the work. The report shall incorporate summary of the method of supervision performed, problems encountered and solutions undertaken thereon and recommendations for future projects of similar nature to be undertaken by the Owner.

#### 15.0 PERFORMANCE SECURITY

The EA shall be required to submit an acceptable Bank Guarantee for an amount equivalent to 3% (three percent only) of the accepted Agency Charges towards Performance Security within 21 days of signing the Agreement. The accepting agency charges will be calculated on the basis of preliminary estimated cost of the project worked out as per the latest CPWD Plinth Area Rates with updated cost index, if any. However, in the event the estimated cost of the project worked out as per clause No. 4.3 is higher than the preliminary estimated cost, the EA shall submit an additional bank guarantee for balance amount equivalent to differences in the estimated cost as mentioned above. The performance security shall be refunded to EA

after completion of defect liability period or extended agreement period whichever is later

The EA shall insert suitable conditions in the works contract in appointment of contractors to ensure that contractors/vendors should provide performance guarantee(s) to the Executing Agency for 3% (three percent only) of the value of work/supply orders awarded/placed on the contractors/vendor/supplier and specialized agency (ies) etc. engaged for the execution of project within 21 days from the date of the placement of the work/supply orders. A copy of the same shall be submitted to the owner. The validity of the Bank Guarantee(s) shall cover the entire duration of the Agreement period plus the defect liability period and extended agreement period. The EA as well as owner shall approve the format of the Bank Guarantee (s). The Bank Guarantee(s) shall be released after satisfactory completion of the defect liability period or extended agreement period whichever is later. If the bank guarantee is invoked, the amount shall be transferred in account of the owner under intimation to the owner.

# 16.0 Conflict of Interest:

The Executing Agency (EA) shall not receive any remuneration in connection with the assignment except as provided in the Agreement/contract. The EA shall not engage in consulting activities that conflict with the interest of NSIC (Owner) under the contract and shall be excluded from downstream supply of goods or construction of works or purchase of any asset or provision of any other service related to the assignment other than a continuation of the "Services" under the ongoing contract. It shall be a requirement of this contract that the EA shall provide professional, objective and impartial advice and at all times hold the NSIC's interests paramount, without any consideration for future work, and that in providing advice they shall avoid conflicts with other assignments and their own corporate interests. The services of the EA shall not be hired for any assignment that would be in conflict with their prior or current obligations to other clients, or that may place him in a position of being unable to carry out the assignment in the best interest of NSIC (Owner).

# 17.0 PROJECT REVIEW

- 17.1 The owner shall constitute a Review Committee including representative of EA to review the quarterly progress of the activities of the deployed contractors.
- 17.2 The owner shall constitute a review Committee to review the quarterly progress of the activities of EA. The Review Committee will assess the performance of the EA and the various activities under the Firm/Fixed Rate Construction Agreements and suggest corrective measures, if required.

# FORMATS OF AGREEMENT & BGS

#### PERFORMA OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement (hereinafter called the "Agreement") is made on this day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2023.

#### BETWEEN

The NATIONAL SMALL INDUSTRIES CORPORATION LIMITED, A Govt. of India Enterprise and a Govt. Company within the provision of Companies Act-1956 having its registered office at "NSIC Bhawan" Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi-110020 (Hereinafter called the "Owner"), on the one part,

#### AND

"Name of Executing agency", incorporated under the provisions of Companies Act-1956 having its registered office at ...... (hereinafter called the "Executing Agency" (EA) on the other part.

#### WHEREAS

a) The Owner intends to Upgrade the Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raise Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi - 110 020 as defined in this Agreement (hereinafter called the "Project").

c) The Executing Agency (EA), having represented to the Owner vide their letter No. : ...... Dated ......that they have the required professional skills, personnel and technical resources have agreed to take up the assignment on the terms and conditions mentioned in the Request for Proposal (RFP) document annexed as Annexure "II" and Terms & Conditions set forth in the Agreement. (Hereinafter called the "Assignment")

NOW THEREFORE the Parties hereby agree as follows:-

#### CONDITIONS OF AGREEMENT

#### 1.0 **GENERAL PROVISIONS:**

#### 1.1 **Definitions**

Unless the context otherwise requires, the following terms wherever used in this Agreement have following meanings:

- a) "Agreement" means an agreement executed by the Parties, together with all documents/Appendices attached hereto.
- b) "Applicable Law" means the provision of Indian Laws and any other instruments having the force of law in India as they may be issued and in force from time to time.
- c) "Approval" means approval in writing by the designated officer(s) of the "Owner" for that purpose.
- d) "Assignment" means the work to be performed by the Executing Agency (EA) pursuant to this Agreement for the purpose of the project as per the Description of requirement given in Clause No.3.2 hereto;
- e) "Competent Authority" mean the Chairman-cum-Managing Director (CMD), NSIC.
- f) "Contractor(s)/Suppliers/Vendors" means any person or entity who are employed by Executing Agency for execution of the "Project" on behalf of the owner.
- g) Corrupt practice means the offering, giving, receiving a soliciting of anything of value to influence the action of a public official in the Agreement execution.
- h) "Executing Agency" (EA) means "Name of Executing agency with address".
- i) "Government" means the Government of India.
- j) "Owner" means the "The National Small Industries Corporation Limited".
- k) "Party" means the Owner or the Executing Agency (EA), as the case may be, and "Parties" means both of them.
- "Personnel" means persons hired/deployed by the Executing Agency (EA) as employees of Executing Agency and assigned to the performance of the Services or any part thereof.
- l) "Starting Date" means the date referred to in Clause 2.3 hereof,

- m) "Third party" means any person or entity other than the Owner and the Executing Agency, whose services are availed or required for the said project.
- 1.2 Relations between the Parties

Nothing contained/referred herein shall be construed as establishing a relation of master and servant or of agent and principal, and as employee and employer between the Owner and the Executing Agency. The Executing Agency, subject to this Agreement, shall engage/deploy the personnel in order to complete the said project and the personnel engaged/deployed by the said Executing Agency shall be employee of the Executing Agency and not the employee of the Owner in any manner and the owner shall not be in any way be liable for any kind of responsibility/liability including statutory liability for the said personnel and for the Executing Agency.

1.3 Law Governing Agreement

The Agreement, its meaning and interpretation, and the relation between the Parties shall be governed by the Applicable Laws of the Government of India.

1.4 Language

This Agreement has been executed in English language, which shall be the binding and controlling language for all matters relating to the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

1.5 Headings

The headings shall not limit, alter or affect the meaning of this Agreement.

- 1.6 Notices
- 1.6.1 Any notice, request or consent required or permitted to be given or made pursuant to this Agreement shall be in writing. Any such notice, request or consent shall deem to have been given or made when delivered in person to an authorized representative of the Party to whom the communication is addressed, or when sent by registered mail, or courier or e-mail to such Party at the addresses specified as under:

For the Owner: Attention:	Chief General Manager (SG)-(MIS) The National Small Industries Corpn. Ltd., "NSIC Bhawan", Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi - 110020.
Telephone:	(011)-26920911
email:	navinchopra@nsic.co.in

For the Executing Agency:

Attention:	••••••
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Talanhana	
Telephone :	•••••
email:	

1.6.2 Notice will be deemed to be effective as follows:

- a) In the case of personal delivery or registered mail or courier on delivery;
- b) In the case of emails, (24) hours following confirmed transmission.

#### 1.7 Location

The Assignment shall be performed at such locations as are specified in Annexure-III hereto and, where the location of a particular task is not so specified at such locations, in NSIC Complex, Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi - 110 020 as the Owner may approve.

1.8 Authorized Representatives

Any action required or permitted to be taken and any document required or permitted to be executed under the Agreement by the Owner or the Executing Agency to be taken or executed by the officials as under:

For the Owner	: Chief General Manager (SG)-(MIS) or a designated / authorized officer of NSIC
For the Executing Agency	:

# 2.0 COMMENCEMENT, COMPLETION, MODIFICATION & TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

2.1 Effectiveness of Agreements

This Agreement shall come into force and effect on the date of signing of the Agreement.

2.2 The Termination of Agreement for failure to become effective

If work is not started under this Agreement on account of not starting the work by the EA within 15 days from the stipulated date of start of work, then the Owner may declare the termination of this Agreement by serving a 15 days written notice to the Executing Agency, and the Executing

Agency in such event shall be liable for the delay in executing the work and loss caused to the owner.

2.3 Date of Start of Work

The date of the start of the work shall be reckoned after 15 days from the date of handing over the site by the Owner to EA or date of signing of the Agreement, whichever is later.

2.4 Expiration of Agreement

Unless extended by mutual consent of both the Owner and the EA, this Agreement will be valid for an extended period of 60 days beyond the date when the Defects Liability Period for the Works Contract will expire. Before the expiry of the Time limit specified above, the EA shall arrange for the following to the extent they are under the control of the EA.

- i) Finalization of accounts and closing Works Contracts and furnishing 4 copies of finalized Accounts along with 4 copies of "As Built" drawings.
- ii) Handing over to the Owner, Guarantee Bond for Specialized Works and Insurance Policies on Works if any.
- iii) Settlement of Claims from the Works Contractor.
- 2.5 Termination
  - The Agreement may be terminated by the either Party due to following reasons:-
  - a) If the Owner fails to pay any amount due, other than the disputed amount to Executing Agency pursuant to the Agreement within forty five (45) days after receiving written notice from the EA that such payment is overdue.
  - b) If the Parties (Owner / EA) fail to comply with any final decision reached as a result of arbitration proceedings pursuant to Clause 17 hereof;
  - c) EA shall refund to Owner the unutilized amount lying in the Bank Account and the amounts unaccounted for at the time of termination of agreement.
  - d) If, as a result of Force Majeure, the Parties (EA / Owner) fails to perform a material portion of the assignment for a period of not less than 30 (thirty) days.
  - e) In case there is any change in the Constitution of the EA, the details will be promptly communicated to the Owner. In case the Owner is of the opinion that this will affect the Performance of the EAs under this

Agreement, the Owner shall be entitled to terminate this Agreement after giving due notice of 30 (thirty) days and entrust the work to some other Agency at the cost and risk of EA.

- f) If the "EA" fail to remedy a failure in the performance of their obligations within thirty (30) days of receipt of such notice within such further period as the Owner may have subsequently approved in writing. However, all plans, drawings, specifications, designs, report and other documents prepared by the E.A. in performing the project shall become and remain the property of the Owner including the equipment and materials, if any, purchased by the E.A. with funds provided by the Owner shall be handed over to the Owner by the E.A. in working condition.
- g) If the "EA" become insolvent or bankrupt or enter into any agreement with their creditors for relief or debt or take advantage of any law for the benefit of debtors or go into liquidation or receivership whether compulsory or voluntary;
- h) In case the funds deposited by the "Owner" are diverted to other works or for any other purpose.
- i) If the "EA" in the judgment of the "Owner" has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in completing for or in executing the Agreement.
- j) In case of delay in execution of works for reasons attributable to "EA", after assigning reasons in writing and by giving thirty days notice to "EA".

In case of the Termination the EA shall not be entitled to claim any fees or compensation. Upon such termination, the Retention Money already recovered from the "EA" as per clause No. 10.3 and Performance Security as per clause No. 19 hereunder shall be liable to be forfeited and shall be absolutely at the disposal of the Owner. On termination of the Agreement, the Owner shall take such whole, or balance or part of the work, as shall be unexecuted out of EA's hand and give it to another Agency at the risk and cost of the EA to complete the work. The EA, whose contract is terminated as above, shall not be allowed to participate in the tendering process of the balance work.

2.6 Confidentiality:

The Executing Agency (EA), the contractors or consultants and the personnel of either of them shall not, either during the currency of Agreement or within two (2) years after the expiration of this Agreement, disclose any proprietary or confidential information relating to the project, this agreement or the Owner's business or operations without the prior written consent of the Owner

2.7 Accounting, Inspection and Auditing

The Executing Agency (EA) shall keep accurate and systematic account and records of the assignment, in accordance with accepted accounting principles and in such form and details as clearly identified all relevant

time charges and cost, and the basis thereof. The Owner or its designated representatives periodically and up to one year from the expiration or termination of this Agreement, shall have full right to inspect the same and make copies thereof as well as to have them audited by auditors appointed by the Owner.

- 3.0 THE PROJECT
- 3.1 General Information

The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd (NSIC), A Government of India Enterprise, henceforth called as "Owner" proposes to Upgrade the Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raise Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi.

For upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi, NSIC intends to appoint an Executing Agency (EA) of repute with sufficient resources and experience for Project Development, Monitoring and Control for the work of upgradation of said boundary wall. The EA is expected to complete the project on Deposit Work basis conforming to the highest quality standards and shall adhere to time and cost management systems, within stipulated time frame and allocated budget for the project.

3.2 Requirements

Salient features of the proposed project are given as under:

#### a) Requirements:

Project Development, Monitoring and Control for the Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi

#### b) Proposed Work:

The southern side of NTSC, Okhla boundary wall is 4 ½" thick brick wall and same is damaged/tilted at several places. Also, effective height of the boundary wall is inadequate at several places towards inner side of the premises. Furthermore, on southern side of boundary wall of NTSC, Okhla, an open drain is flowing. The height of the said stretch of boundary wall is also less and the same has tilted at many locations due to the earth pressure and presence of an open drain of MCD flowing adjacent to the boundary wall.

Besides above, the boundary wall at eastern side of NTSC, Okhla is also constructed with 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " thick brick wall and the same is damaged at several places. At some stretches on the eastern side, the boundary wall is almost non-existent.

Therefore, to safeguard the premises of NTSC, Okhla complex and to avoid trespassing by miscreants, a new boundary wall of clear height of approx. 2.4 mtr. (from inside) measuring approx. 680 mtr. in length with 9" thick brick work having concrete footing, intermediate stiffener columns and plinth beams with concertina coil on top is required to be constructed to safeguard the premises of NTSC, Okhla. The existing damaged/ boundary wall on the southern and eastern periphery of NTSC, Okhla shall be dismantled to facilitate the construction of new boundary wall.

In addition to above, the height of the existing boundary wall constructed with random rubble (RR) masonry in the portion of land (in triangular shape) falling in the Zonal Green area towards the eastern side of NSIC Complex, Okhla, New Delhi having a length of approx. 300 mtr., is also inadequate and hence, the same is also required to be raised by an average height of approx. 0.60 mtr. along with provision of concertina coil on top to safeguard the premises from miscreants.

The total area of the NSIC Complex at Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi is approx. 47 acre. However, the work of upgradation of boundary wall is to be undertaken only in some stretches as shown in the sketch. A sketch showing the stretch of boundary wall measuring approx. 680 meter in length towards southern & eastern periphery of NTSC, Okhla premises marked as 'X' and portion of boundary wall measuring approx. 300 mtr. in length in the triangular shaped portion of land falling in Zonal Green area in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi where the height is to be raised marked as 'Y' is placed at **Annexure-A**.

#### c) Other requirements:

- i) The land use of the project site is industrial. The plot is owned by NSIC. Now, to meet the requirements of NSIC, the EA shall be required to upgrade the boundary wall at NSIC Complex, Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi on deposit work basis by engaging a contractor. The EA shall conduct the soil investigation at site, prepare the structural design & drawing of the boundary wall and get the said design & drawing vetted from a reputed Govt. Engineering College like IIT/ NIT/ Central University.
- ii) The EA shall also provide professional, objective and impartial advice and at all times hold the owner's interests paramount, without any consideration for future work, and strictly avoid conflicts with other assignments or their own corporate interests.

# 4.0 THE EXPRESSION "ACTUAL COST OF WORK" SHALL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

- 4.1 Bonafide payments released by EA to the Contractor (s)/ Suppliers/Vendors or any specialized agency as agreed upon in the tender including any amount paid/payable to the contractors towards extra/substituted/deviated items/quantities arising on account of any changes/additional work required for the project as finalized by EA with the approval of Owner for the Construction of the building and services, internal and external electrification and development of land (Soft/Hard Landscaping) etc. inclusive of all applicable taxes (i.e. GST and any other Govt. levies/charges etc).
- 4.2 All costs of materials acquired for the project and used on the work, either directly or through the Contractors (s)/Vendor(s) including insurance, storage charges, cartage and any other incidental charges connected with such materials but excluding the material not incorporated or not handed over to the "Owner".
- 4.3 Expenditure incurred by EA on the following will be reimbursed to EA duly supported by Bills. However, Agency charges on such expenditure will not be eligible for payment.
  - 4.3.1 Actual expenditure incurred on preparation of master plan of the complex (if any) and testing of materials required for quality control of works not attributable and recoverable from the Contractors.
  - 4.3.2 Legitimate expenses in getting approvals of any type from statutory authorities.
  - 4.3.3 Actual expenditure incurred on conducting the Soil Investigation at Site, as required.
  - 4.3.4 Actual expenditure incurred in getting the design & drawing vetted from a reputed Govt. Engineering College/ Institute like IIT/NIT/ Central University.
- 5.0 THE ACTUAL COST OF WORK SHALL NOT INCLUDE
  - 5.1 Cost of land.
  - 5.2 Any work undertaken by the "Owner" for which no inputs/ services have been provided by "EA".
  - 5.3 Cost paid by the "Owner" to local government or any other statutory body (ies) for any built in services provided for the work (including but not exclusively items such as electric connection, transformers, and water supply, access road if provided by such authorities).

# 6.0 Agency Charges

The "EA" shall be paid agency charges @ ..... (...... percent only) plus GST and applicable Govt levies (if any) of the "Actual Cost" of works as defined in clause 4.0 for execution of the Project on Deposit Work Basis. The agency charges shall be paid on the estimated cost approved by the Owner or the cost of contract to be awarded by the EA to the contractor or the completion cost, whichever is lower. The cost of project shall be arrived at on the basis of clause 4 hereinbefore.

#### 7.0 RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE "EA"

- 7.1 The responsibilities of the EA shall include preliminary survey, soil investigation, preparation of structural design & drawing, getting the said structural drawing & design vetted from a reputed Govt. Engineering College/ Institute like IIT/NIT/Central University, supplying all drawings, designs, estimates and bills of quantities and rendering advice. EA will also submit comprehensive planning schedule for project management within fifteen days from the date of award of work.
- 7.2 In furtherance to the award of work and in order to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, the EA may engage the consultants for the purpose of drawing up of the concept plan of the project as also the finalization of the designs, drawings and specifications along with detailed estimates of the project based on the prevalent cost i.e. cost of the materials, labour wages and construction equipment, soil investigation, vetting of structural design & drawing from a reputed Govt. Engineering College like IIT/NIT/ Central University, survey, making presentation as per the owner's direction, etc. and all such expenses shall be borne by EA, which is not reimbursable by the Owner.
- 7.3 EA will submit the architectural concept plan designs with coloured perspective views and make presentation based on the conceptual plan as per owner's direction and after getting approval of the same from the owner, EA will prepare drawings, specifications, BOQ and detailed estimate based on the CPWD Schedule of Rates with updated cost indices. The EA will prepare structural designs considering the prevailing BIS codes and relevant engineering practices. Responsibility for correctness/ accuracy of design and drawings will rest with EA. The EA shall ensure that the specifications to be followed for the work shall be generally in line with the standard CPWD specification and latest BIS specification and codes of practices as corrected up to the date of signing of the agreement. These estimates shall be taken as indicative cost.

- 7.4 EA shall forthwith take possession of the site from the Owner and shall nominate a team leader for executing the project, who shall be a responsible and experienced engineer. EA shall inform the name of the engineer at the time of submission of the estimate.
- 7.5 EA after having taken possession of the site/ premises shall forthwith explore the site for the presence of underground utility/ services, if any. In case any underground utility/ services are found at site which may in the opinion of EA, hinder the actual construction work then EA shall arrange to get the same diverted in coordination with the concerned local authority during the Pre-contract work phase so that the construction phase is not affected/ delayed. The actual cost incurred in shifting/ diverting of such underground utility/ services shall be reimbursed to the EA on production of receipts thereof from the concerned local authority. However, such expenditure shall not form a part of the actual cost of work and hence shall not be eligible for payment of any agency charges to EA.
- 7.6 EA shall give in writing the budgeted cash flow of the funds required in proportion to the work to be done during the year as required by the Owner from time to time. Otherwise Owner will not be responsible for delay in payment.
- 7.7 In case it is anticipated that the quantity (ies) of any items will undergo substantial variations due to change in design/specifications of any item due to site conditions or by any decision of the Owner which leads to increase in the detailed estimated cost as per clause No. 7.3 above, the EA shall immediately bring the same to the notice of the owner and obtain written approval from the Owner thereof. EA shall also furnish full details and justifications supported by reasons for anticipated excess of quantities and expenditure thereof on works over the initial estimate given above.
- 7.8 However, during execution of the work if the anticipated cost exceeds the detailed estimate, depending upon any change in the constituents and their cost based on which the original estimate was prepared. EA shall submit revised estimates to the Owner and obtain its prior written approval of the revised estimate before incurring further expenses.
- 7.9 EA shall ensure that the contractor(s) deployed by it for the Construction as contemplated in this Agreement comply with all the environmental norms for mitigation & prevention of air, noise and water pollution as per the norms of Central/ State Pollution Control Board/ NGT orders/ Court orders/Any other Central or State Govt. Body's orders, as applicable.

- 7.10 After obtaining approval of the detailed cost estimate from the Owner, EA shall prepare the Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) for the purpose of inviting tenders from the contractor(s).
- 7.11 EA shall follow the standard CPWD contract forms for item rate tenders/ percentage rate tenders and CPWD general Conditions of Contract with suitable modifications approved by the Competent Authority of the EA. If any other contract form is to be followed, the same shall be discussed with the Owner and got approved in principle in writing before its issue. EA shall also insert a "Risk & Cost" Clause in the above contract form.
- 7.12 The EA shall be responsible for the structural safety of construction, proper workmanship. It will be the responsibility of EA to ensure that the work is executed strictly in accordance with the approved technical specifications and adopting effective quality control measures for the same.
- 7.13 EA shall follow proper purchase procedure for award of various works and shall comply with CVC guidelines and circulars issued time to time in this regard. EA shall invite tenders after due publicity by releasing the advertisement in the leading National News-papers. However, no additional cost shall be paid to the EA for releasing the Notice Inviting Tenders. Owner shall nominate two representatives to be a part of the tender committee constituted by EA. The representatives of the Owner will attend proceedings of the tender committee at appropriate stage for finalization of the tenders and recommendations thereof. All details of accepted tenders shall be furnished by the EA to the Owner.
- 7.14 EA shall award the work(s) to the contractor(s) within the approved estimates with the approval of the Owner on firm rate contract basis (without any escalation) including all services. The contractor/vendor/ supplier shall submit the bills to EA, raised in the name of *"Name of Executing Agency"*-A/c National Small Industries Corporation Ltd., Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Complex, Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi.
- 7.15 EA will make its best endeavor to reduce the cost of construction by any change/ substitution of specifications, construction methodology, value engineering or any innovative or economical design. Such reduction in the cost of construction shall be made with the prior written approval of the Owner without affecting/ prejudicing or endangering in any way the safety or security of the building.

- 7.16 The EA shall perform the services and carry out their obligation hereunder with all due diligence, efficiency and economy in accordance with generally accepted professional techniques and practices and shall observe sound management practices and employ appropriate advance technology and safe and effective equipment, machinery, materials and methods. The EA shall always act, in respect of any matter relating to this document, or to the services, as faithful advisor to the "owner", and shall at all times support and safeguard the Owner's interests in any dealing with contractors or third parties.
- 7.17 Before commencement of the works the EA shall ensure that the necessary insurance covers of the works, property, persons or any persons as per law are taken in time by the contractor/ sub-contractor/ vendors till the project is handed over to the owner.

The EA shall indemnify the Owner from any claims or damages or losses whatsoever on the above account.

- 7.18 EA shall deduct 5% from every bill raised by contractor(s) for execution of works as Retention Money. The said Retention Money shall be retained in the deposit bank account maintained by EA and shall disclose the amount in the statement of Account submitted to the owner. The Retention Money shall become due and payable to contractor(s) after 12 months from completion of all works under the scope of contract or expiry of the defect liability period or validity of agreement whichever is later. However, the contractor may substitute the 50% of retention money by bank guarantee after the completion of the work.
- 7.19 EA shall be solely responsible for obtaining the required Labour Registration as "Principal Employer" in its name from the Labour Department for all the contractor(s) to be deployed by them for the proposed construction work.

# 8.0 PAYMENTS/DEPOSIT

- i) The Owner shall make the payments/deposits to EA by transfer of funds in a bank account (in a Nationalised/Scheduled commercial bank) to be opened by the EA in the name of *"Name of executing agency* - A/c. The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd., Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Complex, Okhla, New Delhi" for purpose of construction of boundary wall at NSIC Complex, Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi.
- ii) Any interest accrued in the bank account as referred at para -8 (i) above shall be passed on to the Owner. EA will however ensure that the amount deposited in the bank as per above clause in the name of EA

along with the interest accrued thereon shall be utilized only for the purpose of construction of this project.

- iii) In case it is observed that the amount deposited (along with the interest accrued thereon) by the Owner has been diverted by the EA to other works, and or any other purpose, further payment shall not be released by the Owner, until the quantum of work executed is brought/completed in proportion to the extent of payments already released.
- iv) An initial deposit up to 10% (ten percent only) of the already approved detailed estimated cost of the project submitted by EA as per clause No. 7.3 above will be deposited against written submission of advice of EA against furnishing of unconditional Bank Guarantee (BG) issued by any Nationalised/Scheduled Commercial Bank. However, the said initial deposit shall be deposited in the designated bank account at the time of award of the work to their main contractor by the EA. Subsequent funds will be transferred against the duly certified running bills raised by the EA on the Owner as per actual work executed at site. The final bill, however, shall be adjusted only after completion of the work in all respect duly certified by EA. The Owner shall have full powers to verify the entries recorded in Measurement Books. The said BG submitted by the EA shall be kept renewed till the completion & handing over of the project to the Owner.
- v) The Owner shall ensure that sufficient balance in the designated account is maintained subject to regular and timely submission of running/ final bills by the EA, so that work does not suffer on account of funds. The release of funds shall be as per the duly certified running/ final bills raised by EA.
- vi) The "EA" shall submit monthly Statement of Accounts supported by certified paid bills of Contractors / specialized agencies/suppliers/vendors for adjustment from the funds deposited with the "EA". However, the owner reserves the right to get the same checked/audited by its own officers or by an independent Government/Private agency.
- vii) Agency charges payable to EA shall be paid directly by Owner and the same will not be adjusted from funds deposited with EA subject to deduction of Retention Money as per clause 10.3 below within 4 (four) weeks after receipt of bills from EA.
- viii) The schedule for accrual of the Agency Charges payable to EA is given as under:
  - a) 5% on submission of comprehensive planning schedule for project management and architectural concept plan.

- b) 15% on submission of structural drawings, specifications and detailed cost estimates.
- c) 10% on awarding work to the selected contractor after following established Purchase Procedure of EA.
- d) Balance agency charges shall be paid commensurate with the value of work executed. From each running bill for agency charges, 30% of the bill amount shall be adjusted towards amounts earlier released as per clause (a) to (c) above. For any variation between the estimated value of work and the amount of the work actually executed, adjustment in respect of amounts at (a) to (c) shall be made at the time of release of pre-final/ final bill.
- e) The payment at stage (a) to (c) shall be based initially on preliminary estimate. The payment at stage (d) shall be based on gross value of the certified work.
- 9.0 QUALITY CONTROL AND QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - 9.1 EA shall ensure that the quality of work is executed as per specified specifications and norms such as CPWD specifications with updated correction slips, BIS codes, other specifications of Manufacturers/suppliers as specified for the project. The Owner however, shall be at liberty to specify the quality and standard of materials to be used in the construction work and the EA is bound by such direction. EA shall ensure routine testing in respect of cement, reinforcement/structural steel, Coarse & fine aggregates, cube tests of concrete, and other building materials/ hardware is be carried out the Contractors (s)/supplier(s) as per BIS/CPWD bv specifications in recognized laboratory/institution and obtain copies of the test results and maintain a proper record which can be inspected and copies may be obtained on demand by the owner.
  - 9.2 Technical cell of EA shall also carry out periodic inspection/technical examination to ensure that the work carried out is of the specified quality and maintain proper record of test result and reports for inspection by the Owner.
  - 9.3 The Owner shall however, be at liberty to appoint their advisor/consultant/technical person for coordination, to advise and oversee the project and his advice shall be followed by EA.
  - 9.4 The Owner reserves the right to get the work technically checked / examined by its own officers or by an independent Government/Private agency.

9.5 The work will also be subject to the technical audit by the office of the Chief Technical Examiner (CTE) and it will be responsibility of EA to comply with all requirements. EA will be solely responsible for reply of any queries/ clarifications required by CTE with regard to quality of work and purchase procedure followed by EA.

# 10.0 RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE "OWNER"

- 10.1 The Owner shall deposit in the deposit account opened as per clause 8 (i) and 8 (iv) above, equivalent to 10% (Ten percent) as an initial deposit of the approved detailed estimated cost of the project after written submission of the EA against furnishing of unconditional Bank Guarantee issued by any Nationalised/Scheduled Commercial Bank. However, the subsequent funds will be transferred in accordance with the clause No. 8 (iv) and against submission of statement of accounts for amount paid to contractor(s)/ suppliers / vendors / specialized agency etc. from the funds deposited with EA for execution of the project supported by trial balance for the month, copies of certified paid bills and statement of bank account and other relevant documents in support of payment made by EA in that month, subject to conditions mentioned in the clause 8 (iv).
- 10.2 The EA shall submit monthly statement of account in the format approved by Owner supported by duly checked and certified copies of paid Running Account Bills (RAB) of Contractors and original bills of specialized agencies/suppliers/vendors and in case of pre-final and final bills of the contractor(s) original certified paid bills will be submitted to the 'Owner' along with statement of accounts for adjustment. All bills pertaining to the above project in the name of *"Name of executing agency A/c. The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd., Upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Complex, Okhla, New Delhi" to be submitted to owner for adjustment from the funds deposited with the EA. However, the owner reserves the right to get the same checked/audited by its own officers or an independent Government/Private agency.*
- 10.3 The Owner shall withhold 5% of the amount from every invoice / bill of agency charges claimed by E.A., as Retention Money 50 % of the total Retention Money shall be released to E.A. on the completion of all works under the scope of contract after completion and handing over the complete building in all respects and balance 50% (in the form of bank guarantee) of total retention money shall be released on completion of the defect liability period as per clause 16.0 or extended validity of agreement whichever is later.
- 10.4 If in the interest of work, any items or materials are required to be procured much in advance, any extra amount required for the purpose shall be decided by the Owner in consultation with EA and

paid in addition to deposit amount. The Owner shall endeavor to release all such amounts within 30 (thirty) days from the date of receipt of such written request from the EA.

- 10.5 The Owner will furnish layout plan of the existing structures, if any, and services, if any, in the area where new Works are proposed.
- 10.6 The Owner will nominate a suitable Officer as the Coordinating Officer who shall perform the duties.
- 10.7 The Owner will hand over vacant possession of land / Site to the EA. The EA will also take responsibility for demolition / disposal of existing boundary wall / structures, if any.
- 10.8 The Owner will communicate their decisions whenever referred to, within 15 working days of such a request from the EA.
- 10.9 The Owner shall pay the Agency charges to the EA, in line with the agreed payment schedule.
- 10.10 The Owner shall not be responsible for any liability arising out of EA's contractual obligations with the EA's architects, contractors, personnel, Sub-EAs, licensors, collaborators, vendors and subordinates who are engaged by the EA and whose remuneration / fees are paid by the EA from his Agency charges.
- 10.11 The Owner shall promptly take over the Works / Project facilities within 15 days from the date of certified completion in all aspects. If for any reason, the Owner is unable to comply with the above requirements within the period mentioned above, the EA shall allow the Owner to have a further period of another 15 days for the taking over of the works. If the Owner fails to take over even within the extended period, the EA shall become eligible to claim extra fees as may be mutually agreed between the Parties.

### 11.0 Taxes

EA shall deduct Income Tax or any other tax from the Contractor's bills/Suppliers bills as per statutory obligation and arrange to deposit the recovered amount with the concerned Tax Authority. Owner will have no responsibility either for recovery of tax or deposit the tax with the concerned authorities and for issuance of tax deduction certificate for such deposit of taxes, duties etc. EA shall also keep the owner indemnified from any consequences whatsoever which may arise due to delay/non-payment of the same and the Owner will not bear any expenditure whatsoever on this account.

Tax at source shall be deducted by Owner towards Income Tax, GST and any other tax as required by law, from the amount paid/ payable (including agency charges) to EA. Owner shall issues tax deduction certificate for such deposit of taxes.

- 12.0 TIME OF COMPLETION
  - 12.1 The EA shall submit the execution schedule with a completion period not exceeding 10 Months (including planning and construction).
  - 12.2 The time shall be the essence of the Agreement. EA shall get the entire work completed in all respects by deployed contractors for and on behalf of the owner within the execution schedule as referred in clause 12.1 of this agreement and handover the project in finished condition to the Owner. The date of the start of the work shall be reckoned after 15 days from the date of handing over the site by the Owner to EA or date of signing of the agreement, whichever is later. If there is a delay in approval by the statutory authorities (including but not limited to Fire Department, Water Supply & Sanitation Department, Local Electricity Board etc., as applicable) beyond the agreed construction schedule, the contract period will be extended accordingly.
  - 12.3 In case of delay which may occur due to the reasons beyond the control of EA, EA would approach the Owner with full details of Extension of Time limit for completion of works. Owner reserves it's right to take appropriate decision on merit of the case Extension of Time (EOT).
  - 12.4 On completion of the project the EA shall:
    - i) Submit a final statement (for the complete project) along with original final bills of contractors/suppliers/vendors etc. audited by a Chartered Accountant for settlement and refund the excess deposit (if any) received by EA, Owner reserves the right to get the work and payments made and audited by its own officers or an independent government/ private Agency. After adjustment of the entire amount deposited by the owner, any balance left in the designated bank account shall be paid to owner. Thereafter, the designated bank account will be closed with the approval of the owner.
    - ii) EA shall submit to the Owner all original guarantee/ warrantee papers related to the specialized work such as anti-termite works, water-proofing works, electrical and electronics equipment installed in the building etc. executed/ installed in respect of the project. EA should also ensure that the guarantee/ warrantee papers are transferred in the name of

Owner if the period of cover is beyond the defect liability period.

- iii) On completion of the work, EA shall ensure to clear away and remove from the site all constructional plant, surplus materials, rubbish and temporary works of every kind and leave the whole site and works clean and in a perfect condition to the satisfaction of the Owner. The EA will vacate the field office within two months of handing over of the project to Owner, otherwise market rent @ 200% per month of the prevailing market rate in the area will be charged from EA. However, the Owner shall provide an office to EA during defects liability period.
- iv) The EA shall hand over the project complete in all respect to the authorized representative of the Owner through its Authorized representative as referred in clause 1.8. The handing over document should be signed by both the representatives of both the Parties.
- v) Submit one Soft, four Hard Copies and one soft copy in AutoCAD or Reproducible Tracing Film (RTF) of 'as built drawings' with final bills, executed bills of quantities along with copies of detailed measurements.
- vi) Submit a completion report in duplicate with one soft and four hard copies and maintenance schedules to the Owner along with C.D.
- 12.5 EA shall waive and agree to not to Claim any lien against the work or the property on which it is performed. EA shall obligate its Contractors and Vendors not to claim any such lien. EA and its Contractors and vendors shall pay or cause to be paid when due, all bills for labour, materials, equipments or Services connected with the work, and shall not claim any lien or permit any lien to be asserted or claimed maintained against the project or any funds or Land involved in the project.
- 12.6 If any lien or encumbrance is asserted or claimed maintained in violation of the Clauses mentioned in this agreement, EA shall promptly proceed to have it removed. If EA fails to remove any such lien or encumbrance, then Owner may, but without obligation to do so, do everything necessary to have the lien or encumbrance removed, and EA shall pay all costs including legal fee incurred by Owner in connection therewith.
- 12.7 EA shall ensure that the title to all materials and supplies/delivered by Contractor, together with all improvements and appurtenances

constructed or placed by Contractor, is free from any claims, lien, security, interest or charges.

### 13.0 DAMAGE TO PERSONS OR PROPERTY:

- 13.1 EA shall ensure by inserting suitable clauses in works contract with contractor that (except and in so far as this Agreement provides otherwise) the Owner get indemnified against all losses and claims for injuries or damage to any person or any property whatsoever which may arise out of or in consequence of the construction of the project or in relation thereto.
- 13.2 EA shall ensure by inserting suitable clauses in works contract with contractor the observance of all Labour, Industrial, Provident Fund, Gratuity and other laws applicable in the matter and shall get the "Owner" indemnified against the liability or damages or losses arising on observance of any such laws.

#### 14.0 LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

- 14.1 EA shall be liable to complete the work within stipulated period as mentioned in this agreement subject to condition stipulated in Para 12.0 of the agreement.
- 14.2 In case of delay due to default on part of deployed Contractors beyond the stipulated completion date (as per contract to be entered between the EA and the Contractors), the Executing Agency shall ensure recovery of compensation (not amounting to penalty) on behalf of owner at the rate of not exceeding 0.5 % (half percent only) of the contract value per week subject to maximum of 10% (ten percent only) contract value for reasons of delay attributable to the contractors. However, for justified extension of time granted by the EA and duly accepted by the Owner for reasons beyond the reasonable control of the Contractors, no compensation for delay shall be recovered by the EA for such extended period from the deployed Contractors.
- 14.3 Any compensation levied by EA due to non-fulfillment of any clause of the Agreement by the contractor or any such recovery from the contractor/suppliers/vendors for bad work or for any other reason whatsoever shall also be passed on to the Owner.
- 14.4 In case of delay due to default by EA against specific activities required to be executed by the EA (other than actual work by Contractor), EA shall be liable to pay the owner compensation (not amounting to penalty) at the rate of not exceeding 0.5% (half percent only) of the total fee of the EA per week of delay subject to maximum of 10% (Ten percent only) of the total fee for reasons attributable to EA. However, for justified extension of time granted by the Owner for reasons beyond the reasonable control of EA, no

compensation for delay shall be recovered by the Owner for such extended period from the EA.

- 14.5 EA shall insert a suitable clause in the agreement with the Contractors that if contractor is able to complete the work before expiry of the stipulated period, the owner may give an incentive to the contractor to the maximum of 0.1% (zero point one percent) of the completed cost of the work per week subject to a maximum of 0.25% (zero point two five percent) of the completed work as per clause No.4.0.
- 15.0 Force Majeure
- 15.1 Definition
  - a) For the purpose of this Agreement, "Force Majeure" means an event which is beyond the reasonable control of Parties, and which makes a Party's performance of its obligations hereunder impossible or so impractical as reasonably impossible in the circumstances and includes, act of God or the public enemy expropriation or confiscation of facilities by Government Authorities or in compliance with any order or request of any Government Authorities but is not limited to, war, riots, rebellion, sabotage, civil disorder, earthquake, fire, explosion, storm, flood or other adverse weather conditions, strikes, lockouts or other industrial action.
  - b) Force Majeure shall not include (i) any event which is caused by the negligence or intentional action of a Party or such Party's Sub Consultants or agent or employees nor (ii) any event which a diligent party could reasonably have been expected to both (A) take into account at the time of the conclusion of this Agreement and (B) avoid or overcome in the carrying out of its obligations hereunder:
  - c) Force Majeure shall not include insufficiency of funds or failure to make any payment required hereunder.
- 15.2 Measures to be taken
  - a) A Party affected by an event of Force Majeure shall take all reasonable measures to remove such Party's inability to fulfill its obligations hereunder with a minimum of delay.
  - b) A Party affected by an event of Force Majeure shall notify the other party of such event as soon as possible, and in any event not later than fourteen (14) days following the occurrence of such event, providing evidence of the nature and cause of such event and shall similarly give notice of the restoration of normal conditions as soon as possible.
  - c) The Parties shall take all reasonable measures to minimize the consequences of any event of Force Majeure.

# 15.3 Consultation

Not later than thirty (30 days) after the EA, as a result of an event of Force Majeure, have become unable to perform a material portion of the Services, the Parties shall consult with each other with a view to agreeing on appropriate measures to be taken in the circumstances.

15.4 Extension of Time

Any period within which a Party shall, pursuant to this Agreement, complete any action or task, shall be extended for a period equal to the time during which such Party was unable to perform such action as a result of Force Majeure.

- 16.0 DEFECT LIABILITY PERIOD
- 16.1 The EA shall ensure rectification of any defect (s) in the completed work within the defect liability period, which shall be for a period of 12 months from the date of completion certificate issued by the EA to contractor(s)/ supplier(s)/vendor(s) etc.
- 16.2 Life Cycle Cost- The contractor (to be engaged by the EA) shall be responsible for safety, quality and soundness of the building including structural elements beyond maintenance/ defect liability period. The contractor shall have obligation to rectify such defects minimum up to 5 (five) years from the date of completion of work.
- 16.3 Any defects discovered and brought to the notice of the Owner during the period aforesaid shall be got rectified by EA through contractors. In the event of failure on the part of EA to rectify the defects, the same may without prejudice to the any other rights available under the provision of the law be, be rectified by the owner for on behalf of EA and at the cost and expenses of the EA, after a notice thereof to EA
- EA shall be fully responsible to defend any suits or arbitration cases arising 16.4 out of the project/ work between EA and its contractor(s)/ suppliers and for settling the Claims/disputes, if any, made by the Works Contractors, keeping the Owner apprised/advised of the same. Where there is disagreement between the Executing Agency and the Works Contractor, such disputes shall be referred for Arbitration to an Arbitrator as provided for in the Works Contract between the Executing Agency acting for on behalf of In cases where the the Owner as Agent and the Works Contractor. Contractor resorts to settling his claims through an Arbitrator, the Executing Agency will defend the Arbitration case. The legal expenses incurred by EA for defending Arbitration/ Court Cases in connection with this work, shall be booked to the project cost as per actual based on the approved schedule of legal/ professional fee of the Executing Agency. However, no agency charges shall be paid to the EA on any claim amount passed by the Arbitrator/ Court in favour of Works Contractor(s).

Any amount becoming payable to the EA on account of counter claim, as a result of the arbitrator's award in respect of arbitration between the EA and the contractor, shall be passed to the Owner.

# 17.0 DISPUTE RESOLUTION BETWEEN OWNER AND EXECUTING AGENCY (EA)

- 17.1 Both the Parties agree to make a good-faith effort to resolve any disagreement arising out of, or in connection with, this Agreement amicably through mutual consultation and negotiation. Should the Parties fail to resolve any such disagreement within thirty (30) days, any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement, including, without limitation, the interpretation or breach thereof. Failing this resolution, the dispute shall be resolved as per Clause 17.2 of this Agreement.
- 17.2 In the event of any dispute or difference relating to the interpretation and application of the provisions of this Agreement OR its annexures between the Parties, such dispute/difference shall be taken up by either Party for resolution through AMRCD as mentioned in DPE OM No. 4(1)/2013-DPE (GM) /FTS-1835 dated 22.05.2018.

## 18.0 REPORTS

The EA will prepare and submit the following reports to owner on the format prepared by the EA and as approved by Owner (except for commencement report)

Sl No.	Report	Frequency	Due Date/Time	No. of Copies
1.	Commencement Report	One time	Within 15 days after commencement of services.	2
2.	Monthly Progress Report	Every month	10 <sup>th</sup> of the month	2
3.	Quarterly Progress Report	Every quarter	Within 10 days of commencement of following quarter	2
4.	Completion Report	One time	Within 15 days of completion of services/Agreeme nt.	2

### 18.1 Commencement Report

The Commencement Report shall contain the details of all meetings held with the Owner and the EA and the decisions taken therein, the resources mobilized by the EA as well as the Executing Agency's perception in the monitoring and control of the project planning / design / construction activities.

### 18.2 Progress Reports

The monthly and quarterly Progress Reports shall contain details of all meetings, decisions taken therein, mobilization of resources (Executing Agency' and the contractor), Detailed compliance report of each activity, progress and the projected progress for the forthcoming periods. The Report shall clearly bring out the delays, if any reasons for such delay(s) and the effective steps taken towards the corrective measures.

## 18.3 Final Completion Report

The EA will prepare a comprehensive final completion report of the planning, designing, construction monitoring and control after completion of the work. The report shall incorporate summary of the method of supervision performed, problems encountered and solutions undertaken thereon and recommendations for future projects of similar nature to be undertaken by the Owner.

## 19.0 PERFORMANCE SECURITY

The EA shall be required to submit an acceptable Bank Guarantee for an amount equivalent to 3% (three percent only) of the accepted Agency Charges towards Performance Security within 10 days of signing the Agreement. The accepting agency charges will be calculated on the basis of preliminary estimated cost of the project worked out as per latest CPWD plinth area rates with updated cost index. However, in the event the estimated cost of the project worked out as per clause No. 7.3 of this Agreement is higher than the preliminary estimated cost, the EA shall submit an additional bank guarantee for balance amount equivalent to differences in the estimated cost as mentioned above. The performance security shall be refunded to EA after completion of defect liability period or extended agreement period whichever is later.

The EA shall insert suitable conditions in the works contract in appointment of contractors to ensure that contractors/vendors should provide performance guarantee(s) to the Executing Agency for 3% of the awarded/placed work/supply value of orders the on contractors/vendor/supplier and specialized agency (ies) etc. engaged for the execution of project within 10 days from the date of the placement of the work/supply orders. The copy of the same shall be submitted to the owner. The validity of the Bank Guarantee(s) shall cover the entire duration of the Agreement period plus the defect liability period and extended agreement period. The EA as well as Owner shall approve the format of the Bank Guarantee (s). The Bank Guarantee(s) shall be released after satisfactory completion of the defect liability period or extended agreement period whichever is later. If the bank guarantee is invoked, the amount shall be transferred in account of the Owner under intimation to the Owner.

#### 20.0 CONFLICT OF INTEREST:

The Executing Agency (EA) shall not receive any remuneration in with assignment except provided connection the as in the Agreement/contract. The EA shall not engage in consulting activities that conflict with the interest of NSIC (Owner) under the contract and shall be excluded from downstream supply of goods or construction of works or purchase of any asset or provision of any other service related to the assignment other than a continuation of the "Services" under the ongoing contract. It shall be a requirement of this contract that the EA shall provide professional, objective and impartial advice and at all times hold the NSIC's interests paramount, without any consideration for future work, and that in providing advice they shall avoid conflicts with other assignments and their own corporate interests. The services of the EA shall not be hired for any assignment that would be in conflict with their prior or current obligations to other clients, or that may place him in a position of being unable to carry out the assignment in the best interest of NSIC (Owner).

#### 21.0 PROJECT REVIEW

- 21.1 The Owner shall constitute a Review Committee including representative of EA to review the quarterly progress of the activities of the deployed contractors.
- 21.2 The Owner shall constitute a review Committee to review the quarterly progress of the activities of EA. The Review Committee will assess the performance of the EA and the various activities under the Firm/Fixed Rate Construction Agreements and suggest corrective measures, if required.

### 22.0 AMENDMENTS TO AGREEMENT

Any amendments or modifications to this Agreement shall be as mutually decided between the Parties and must be in writing and shall be signed by both Parties.

Notwithstanding anything contrary to the terms & conditions mentioned above will supersede the similar terms & conditions mentioned in the RFP document.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have hereunder signed this AGREEMENT the date first written

For National Small Industries Corporation Ltd.	For "Name of Executing agency"		
Witnesses	Witnesses		
1	1		
2	2		

## PROFORMA OF PERFORMANCE BANK GUARANTEE

1. We ......(Name and Address of the issuing bank and its branch) (hereinafter referred to as "the Bank") (indicate the Name of the Bank) hereby undertake to pay to the NSIC Ltd.(the Owner) an amount not exceeding Rs......(Rupees ......only) on demand by the

Owner.

- 2. We (indicate the Name of the Bank) do hereby •••••• undertake to pay the amounts due and payable under this guarantee without any demur, merely on a demand from NSIC Ltd. (the Owner) stating that the amount claimed is required to meet the recoveries due or likely to be due from the said Executing Agency. Any such demand made on the bank shall be conclusive as regards the amount due and payable by the bank under this guarantee. However, our liability under this guarantee shall be restricted to an amount not exceeding Rs..... (Rupees .....only).
- 3. We, the said Bank further undertake to pay to the Owner any money so demanded notwithstanding any dispute or disputes raised by the Executing Agency in any suit or proceeding pending before any court or Tribunal relating there to, our liabilities under this present being absolute and unequivocal. The payment so made by us under this guarantee shall be a valid discharge of our liability for payment there under and the Executing Agency shall have no claim against us for making such payment.

- 6. This guarantee will not be discharged due to the change in the constitution of the Bank or the Executing Agency or the Owner.
- 7. This Bank Guarantee shall be effective only when the Bank Guarantee message is transmitted by the issuing bank through Structured Financial Messaging System (SFMS) to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Name of the NSIC's Bank), \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Address of the NSIC's Bank); having IFSC \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Account No.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ through SFMS and authenticated by the said NSIC's bank.
- 8. Further, the amount of invocation of the Bank Guarantee shall be remitted to NSIC's Account No. 0602002100319130 with Punjab National Bank, NSIC Bhawan, Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi (IFSC PUNB0060200) under written intimation to NSIC, Head Office, New Delhi.
- 9. We ......(indicate the name of the Bank) lastly undertake not to revoke this guarantee except with the previous consent of the Owner in writing.
- 10. Notwithstanding anything contained herein:
  - i) Our liability under this bank guarantee shall not exceed Rs...... (Rupees......only)
  - ii) We are liable to pay the guarantee amount or any part there under this Bank Guarantee only and only if owner serve upon us in written claim or demand on us in terms of the Agreement.

Dated the ..... day of 2023 for ..... (indicate the name of the Bank)".

# PROFORMA OF BANK GUARANTEE FOR INITIAL DEPOSIT

In consideration of the Owner having agreed under the terms and conditions of agreement dated 2023 made between National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. (the Owner) and \_\_\_\_\_.(Name and Address of the EA) (hereinafter called the said "Executing Agency") for upgradation of Boundary Wall at NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla and Raising Height of Boundary Wall Around the Zonal Green Area Falling in the NSIC Complex at Okhla, New Delhi -110 020 (hereinafter called the said "Agreement") the Executing Agency having agreed to production of irrevocable Bank Guarantee for Rs. \_\_\_\_\_ only) as a initial deposit Bank Guarantee for (Rupees compliance of his obligations in accordance with the terms and conditions in the said agreement.

1. We \_\_\_\_\_(Name and Address of the issuing bank and its branch) (hereinafter referred to as " the Bank")

(indicate the Name of the Bank)

hereby undertake to pay to The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. (Owner) an amount not exceeding Rs.\_\_\_\_\_ (Rupees \_\_\_\_\_\_ only) on demand by the Owner.

- 2. We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (indicate the Name of the Bank) do hereby undertake to pay the amounts due and payable under this guarantee without any demur, merely on a demand from The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. (the Owner) stating that the amount claimed is required to meet the recoveries due or likely to be due from the said Executing Agency. Any such demand made by The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd. (the Owner) on the bank shall be conclusive and final as regards the amount due and payable by the bank under this guarantee not exceeding Rs.\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Rupees\_\_\_\_\_\_ only).
- 3. We, \_\_\_\_\_\_ (indicate the Name of the Bank) further undertake to pay to the Owner any money so demanded notwithstanding any dispute or disputes raised by the Executing Agency in any suit or proceeding pending before any court or Tribunal relating thereto, our liabilities under this present being absolute and unequivocal. The payment so made by us under this guarantee shall be a valid discharge of our liability for payment there under and the Executing Agency shall have no claim against us for making such payment.
- 4. We, \_\_\_\_\_\_ (indicate the Name of the Bank) further agree that the guarantee herein contained shall remain in full force and effect during the period that would be taken against the initial deposit as per clause 10.1 of the said Agreement and that it shall continue to be enforceable till all dues of the Owner or by virtue of the said Agreement have been fully paid and its claims

satisfied or discharged on behalf of the Owner certified that the terms and conditions of the said Agreement have been fully and properly carried out by the said Executing Agency accordingly discharges this guarantee.

- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ (indicate the Name of We, the Bank) further agree with the Owner that the Owner shall have the fullest liberty without our consent and without affecting in any manner our obligations hereunder to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said Agreement or to extend time of performance by the said Executing Agency from time to time or to postpone for any time or from time to time any of the powers exercisable by the Owner against the said Executing Agency and to forebear or enforce any of the terms and conditions relating to the said Agreement and we shall not be relieved from our liability by reason of any such variation, or extension being granted to the said Executing Agency or for any forbearance, act of omission on the part of the Owner or any indulgence by the Owner to the said Executing Agency or by any such matter or thing whatsoever.
- 5 This guarantee will not be discharged due to the change in the constitution of the Bank or Executing Agency or the Owner.
- 6 We, \_\_\_\_\_\_ (indicate the Name of the Bank) lastly undertake not to revoke this guarantee except with the previous consent of the Owner in writing.
- 7 This Bank Guarantee shall be effective only when the Bank Guarantee message is transmitted by the issuing bank through Structured Financial Messaging System (SFMS) to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Name of the NSIC's Bank), \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Address of the NSIC's Bank); having IFSC \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Account No.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ through SFMS and authenticated by the said NSIC's bank.
- 8 Further, the amount of invocation of the Bank Guarantee shall be remitted to NSIC's Account No. 0602002100319130 with Punjab National Bank, NSIC Bhawan, Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi (IFSC PUNB0060200) under written intimation to NSIC, Head Office, New Delhi.
- 9 Notwithstanding anything contained herein :
- i) Our liability under this bank guarantee shall not exceed Rs.\_\_\_\_\_\_only)
- ii) We are liable to pay the amount or any part there as per claim of owner under this Bank Guarantee only and only if owner serve upon us in written claim or demand on us in terms of the Agreement.

Dated the .....for \_\_\_\_\_\_ (indicate the Name of the Bank).

