

**Office of the Executive Engineer,
Sub-Transmission Division-IV Kalakote
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e- NIT No: STD-IV/JPDCL/05 of 2023
Dated:-04-04-2023

1. INVITATION:-

For and on behalf of the Lieutenant Governor of the UT of Jammu and Kashmir, the Executive Engineer, Sub-Transmission Division-IV (JPDCL) Kalakote hereinafter referred as 'Employer', invites online e-bids from reputed Companies or Class 'A' registered contractors/Firms/Transporter for

"Freight charges of trailer for carriage of ST/ PCC Poles from 11 Mtrs to 16 Mtrs and power Transformers of different capacities and Hire charges of moving hydraulic crane services for loading / unloading of power transformers of different capacities at various Receiving Stations & Vehicle (Tata Mobile 207/407/ Mahindra) for carriage of material to the different locations of Sub Transmission Division-IV, Kalakote (Twin districts of Rajouri & Poonch) for the year 2023-24 or till next contract."under the jurisdiction of Executive Engineer Sub-Transmission Division (JPDCL) Kalakote.

- Bidders are advised to study the Bidding Document carefully. Submission of e-Bid against this SBD shall be deemed to have been done after careful/conscious study and examination of the procedures, terms and conditions of the Standard Bidding Document with full understanding of its implications.
- The tender document is available at website <http://jktenders.gov.in>. Interested Bidders may view, download the e-Bid document, seek clarification and submit their e-Bid online up to the date and time mentioned in the table below:

A	Tender Document Sale/Download Start Date	05-04-2023
B	Tender Document Sale/Download End Date	08-05-2023: 02:00 PM
C	e-Bid submission (start) date & time	05-04-2022: 10:00 AM
D	e-Bid submission (end) date & time	08-05-2023: 04:00 PM
E	Submission of Hard Copy of Tender Fee (End) date & time	09-05-2023 up to 12:00 PM
F	Commercial and Technical Bid opening date & time	09-05-2023: 02:00 PM
G	Online financial e-Bid opening date & time (Only of the technically qualified Bidders)	Will be communicated to the time (Only of the technically qualified Bidders).
H	Venue of opening of techno-commercial Bids	Soft Copy Electronically & Hard copy in the Office of the Executive Engineer STD-IV, JPDCL, Kalakote.
I	Cost of e-Bid document	Rs. 500(Non-Refundable)
J	Amount of Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Rs. 20000

- The bidders need to submit the proof of purchase of e-Bid document as stated through Treasury Challan in favour of Executive Engineer, Sub Transmission Division-IV(JPDCL), Kalakote. The scanned copy of the Treasury Challan must be enclosed along with the e-Bid. For States other than UT of J&K, the Bidders shall have to pay the e-Bid document fee in the shape of Demand Draft (Non-refundable) payable in favour of the Executive Engineer STD-IV JPDCL Kalakote of any Nationalized Bank bank payable at Kalakote. The original demand draft shall be submitted in a separate envelope to the Office of the Executive Engineer, Sub-Transmission Division-IV (JPDCL) Kalakote and should reach at least one day before opening of commercial and technical e-Bid. The scanned copy of the Demand Draft must be uploaded along with the e-Bids.
- Bidders must quote for all the particulars of the item in the Technical Bid and in the price schedule/BOQ of financial bid. The bids of Bidders who will not quote for all the particulars for any item in technical and financial bids shall be liable to be rejected at the discretion of the Employer keeping in view the interest of the JPDCL.
- All the e-Bids must be accompanied by the scanned copy of EMD in the form of CDR/FDR/Bank Guarantee only from any Nationalized/Scheduled bank only pledged to Executive Engineer, Sub-Transmission Division-IV (JPDCL) Kalakote No Interest shall be payable on Earnest Money deposited with the Department.

 - Hard Copy of original instrument of EMD shall be demanded from the successful bidder(s) after the opening of the Financial e-Bids.
 - The date and time of opening of Financial-Bids shall be notified on Web Site <http://jktenders.gov.in>. This is conveyed to the technically qualified Bidders automatically through an e-mail message on their e-mail address. The Financial-bids shall be opened accordingly online on the same Web Site.

- The e-Bids will be electronically opened in the presence of Bidder's representatives, who choose to attend at the venue, date and time mentioned in the above table. An authority letter of Bidder's/OEM representative will be required to be produced.
- The JPDCL reserves the right to cancel any or all the e-Bids/ the e-Bid process without assigning any reason thereof if any major lapse/deviation is found. The decision of the JPDCL, will be final and binding.
- In the event of date specified for e-Bids opening being declared a holiday for JPDCL office then the due date for opening of e-Bids shall be the following working day at the appointed time and place.
- All the required documents excluding Price Schedule/BOQ should be uploaded by the e-Bidders electronically in the PDF format, whereas Price Schedule/BOQ should be uploaded electronically in the same BOQ sheet provided with the SBD.
- To participate in e-bidding process, Bidders have to get 'Digital Signature Certificate (DSC)' as per Information Technology Act-2000, to participate in online bidding.
Hard Copy of Cost of Tender Document must be delivered to the Office of the Executive Engineer, Sub-Transmission Division-IV (JPDCL) Kalakote in sealed cover at least one day before the scheduled date of opening of the commercial and technical e-Bids. The sealed cover shall be super scribed as "COST OF TENDER DOCUMENTS AGAINST e-NIT NO: STD-IV/JPDCL/05 of 2023 Dated: 04-05-2023"

Sd/
Executive Engineer,
STD-IV (JPDCL),
Kalakote

DIP/J-78-P
Dt: 06-04-2023

**Government of Jammu and Kashmir
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Subject:- Hiring of the services of Sweeper for maintenance of Media Complex, Jammu (Full Building) along with the Auditorium Hall, Lawns and Ground.

BID NOTICE

Bid for hiring of Housekeeping services are invited from eligible housekeeping agencies for housekeeping work inclusive of day to day cleaning on contract basis for Media Complex, Jammu (Full Building) along with the Auditorium Hall, Lawns and Ground for a period of one year with effect from 01-05-2023 and extendable up to maximum of six months subject to satisfactory performance and mutual consent.

Bidders have to deposit the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) of requisite amount, if applicable, as per bid details on GeM portal in the form of Demand Draft drawn on any scheduled Bank pledged to Accounts Officer, Directorate of Information - J&K as security to undertake contractual obligations: However, exemption where ever applicable, if any, under rules shall be acceptable to the department.

The interested bidders should upload Bid form duly filled and signed along with scanned copies of all the relevant certificates, documents, etc. in support of their technical bids duly signed on the GEM portal within the stipulated time and last date of BID.

Bid Documents are also available for thorough perusal of the interested bidders on the office website <https://jkdirinf.jk.gov.in>

DIP/J-198/23
Dt: 8-4-2023

Sd/
(Akshay Labroo) IAS
Director Information

**OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE
ENGINEER MAHORE IRRIGATION
DIVISION DHARMARI**

NOTICE INVITING TENDER
E-NIT No. 03 of 2023-24 Dated: 07/04/2023
Executive Engineer Mahore Irrigation Division
Dharmari on behalf of Lt. Governor of Union Territory of J&K, invite tenders by e-tendering mode from approved and eligible registered contractor's upto 1800 Hrs on 14/04/2023 for the following work.

S. No	Name of Work	Est Cost (in lacs)	Cost of document (in Rs.)	Earnest Money (in Rs.)	Time Allowed for complete Job	Time and date of opening of Technical Bid	Class of Contr.
1	Balance work for Remedial Improvement of Lower Gajore Khul from RD (in to 330m at spots under NABARD)	88.75	2000/-	177500/-	06 Months	15/04/2023 (1300 hours)	A

- Date of Publishing from 07/04/2023
- The Bidding documents can be downloaded from the website <http://jktenders.gov.in> from 1000 Hrs from 07/04/2023 to 14/04/2023 (1800 Hrs).
- The Bids shall be deposited in electronic format on the website <http://jktenders.gov.in> from (1000 Hrs) on 07/04/2023 to 14/04/2023 upto (1800 Hrs). The technical bids received will be opened at (1300 Hrs) on 15/04/2023/ on line.
- The complete bidding process will be on line.
- Technical bids of bidders shall be opened on line in the office of Executive Engineer Mahore Irrigation Division Dharmari on 15/04/2023 at (1300 Hrs)
- The Technical Bid shall contain Qualifying documents i.e. Card of Registration, Cost of tender document, Earnest Money and other relevant documents required. This technical bid will be in .pdf format.
- Tender documents can be seen at and downloaded from the website <http://jktenders.gov.in>. Tender documents contain qualifying criteria for bidders, specifications, conditions etc.
- The site for the work is available
- Bid security/ Earnest money will have to be in form of CDR/FDR and shall have to be valid for 10 months or more after last date of receipt of Bid. The cost of downloaded tender documents shall be in form of treasury challan/ receipt.
- After opening of the Financial Bid the Lowest Bidder shall submit the original documents in respect of cost of tender Documents, EMD and relevant technical bid documents etc in the office of the Executive Engineer Mahore Irrigation Division Dharmari, within two days. If the office happens to be closed on the date of receipt as specified, the EMD Documents fee will be received on the next working day at the same time and venue.
- Financial Bids will be opened in the office of the Executive Engineer Mahore Irrigation Division Dharmari (notified later). If the office happens to be closed on the date of opening of the bids as specified, the bids will be opened on the next working day at the same time and venue.
- The bid for the work shall remain open for acceptance for a period of 90 days from the date of opening of bids. If any bidder/tenderer withdraws his bid/tender before the said period or makes any modifications in the terms and conditions of the bid, the said earnest money shall stand forfeited.
- No Engineer of Gazetted rank or other Gazetted Officer employed in Engineering or Administrative duties in an Engineering Department of the State Government is allowed to work as a Contractor for a period of two years after his retirement from Government service, without permission of the Government. This contract is liable to be cancelled if either the contractor or any of his employees is found any time to be such a person who had not obtained the permission of the Government as aforesaid before submission of the tender or engagement in the Contractor's Service.
- Other details can be seen in the bidding documents.

DIP/J-191/23
Dated: 08/04/2023
(Er. Kishore Kumar)
Executive Engineer
Mahore Irrigation Division
Dharmari

Create wild life sanctuary

On Udhampur-Kainthgali hilly road (North-west of Distt HQ Udhampur from about 10 kms onward) there is a 7 kms long idle road stretch passing through dense chir forest cover on both sides from Krimachi-Mansar to vill Pangara-Mali. On the last km of the curly stretch only 2/3 house holders agricultural lands are connected with it. Whereas, rest of the length is totally idle.

In view of the wilderness of the road and dense forest cover all around a noble idea surfaced in my mind that on both the sides of this road wild life Sanctuary/Sanctuaries should be created. In the vacant or thin spots of the area new plantations and seed sowings are also imperative to convert those spots into thick forests. Being not only an ardent lover but worshipper of all the constituents of Mother Nature, I state here that at least the local wild life, including birds, would surely find their home safer and worth living due to Wild life sanctuary.

Besides, the devastating forest fire which is the permanent feature of this belt during both the dry seasons of the year would also extinguish for ever. It should be underlined that the green lush forest cover density is decreasing here very fast due to frequent forest fires. The old trees are vanishing and new ones are burnt in the bud. The forest fires damages caused to the wild life, environment and human race at large are known to all . If the noble idea of wild life sanctuary is implemented here the existing forest cover would get much needed protection and promotion as it used to be in the olden times 'Rakh system. The provision of such a nature would instantly fetch the desired results of protection, preservation and promotion of wild life and environment. Mere fencing of forest cover is not sufficient. Moreover, the Sanctuary provision would also generate employment avenues for locals especially youth.

Apart from above, the wild life sanctuary feature would certainly be an additional ideal, re-creational and inspirational attraction for the pilgrim-visitors of ancient Pandava Temples Krimachi, exquisite Aap Shambu Shiva caves Mounq-ri and Sankri Dev Asthan Meer.

Swantantira Dev Kotwal
Distt Court Complex, Udhampur

Pay compensation to farmers

Untimely and heavy rains during the last over a fortnight and upto 5th April have played merry hell with the poor farmers again. When the wheat crop was nearing ripening and all the relevant fruit plants/trees such as mango, peach, summer apple and leechi etc were in full blossom, untimely rains accompanied with wind and hailstorms have hit the crops hard. Mango is more than 90 per cent destroyed whereas other fruit bearing plants have suffered no less. Starting from last year's cattle 'Mouth & Foot Disease' resulting into milch cattle going dry/die despite govt advisories and medical help followed by no rains when needed for the growth of crops and later untimely and heavy downpour with hail and windstorms have severely effected the fruits and crops. When such adversaries fall upon the farmers, Govt and its agencies do come forward to help. This is the general impression of the farmers and their sustenance hope. But this time govt hasn't come forward to address to their losses. When contacted, Revenue Authorities stated that they haven't got any instructions from top. Hence on behalf of farmers Lt Governor Manoj Sinha is requested to intervene and issue necessary instructions to the agriculture and horticulture depts to do the needful i.e. asses the losses and ensure necessary compensations paid earliest to keep the hopes of farmers alive. The LG is also requested to decentralize the powers of assessing such crop damages and timely paying compensations to minimize sufferings of the farmers in future as a matter of Govt policy.

Th. K P Singh
Chairman DSS Kisan Sabha

Raise Medical Allowance

Raising of Medical Allowance has remained long standing demand of UT employees and pensioners. The Lieutenant Governor UT was time and again approached for this matter but till date no action has been taken. The meager sum of Rs 300/ MA does not suffice the medical exigencies, of the Govt employees and pensioners in today's world of rising prices and high inflation. The senior citizens are worst sufferers because of their multiple health related problems. The need of the hour is to raise Medical Allowance to Rs 1000 at par with Central Govt employees in order to ease the problem of employees and pensioners.

S N Raina
Jammu

CDS Gen Chauhan reviews operational situation along LAC in Sikkim sector

NEW DELHI, Apr 9: Chief of Defence Staff Gen Anil Chauhan carried out a comprehensive review of overall security situation along the Line of Actual Control (LAC) with China in the Sikkim sector amid the lingering border row in eastern Ladakh.

Gen Chauhan was apprised about Indian Army's operational readiness in the region by senior military commanders during his visit to headquarters of the Army's Trishakti Corps at Sukna in West Bengal.

The Chief of Defence Staff (CDS) paid a two-day visit to North Bengal region that concluded on Sunday.

The Defence Ministry said Gen Chauhan visited an Air Force Station and forward areas in North Bengal along with General Officer Commanding of Trishakti Corps.

"He reviewed the progress of infrastructure development and operational and logistics preparedness in the area," the ministry said.

The CDS also interacted with the troops deployed in the remote areas and appreciated their high morale and professionalism.

The ministry said Gen Chauhan also visited the headquarters of Trishakti Corps at Sukna where he was briefed on the operational situation along the Northern borders in Sikkim.

"He commended the formation for ensuring force preservation while also reaching out to assist the civil administration and local population in times of natural disasters like the recent avalanche in East Sikkim," the ministry said in a statement.

It said the CDS asked the formation to focus on training hard and remain vigilant at all times.

"He also emphasised that soldiers must keep themselves abreast with latest trends in information technology, emerging cyber threats and counter measures," the ministry said. (PTI)

Private helicopter crashes in Nepal

KATHMANDU, Apr 9: A chopper belonging to the private helicopter service provider Heli Everest that had gone out of contact on Sunday morning was found crashed in West Central Nepal's Dhaulagiri, without any casualty as the pilot and the lone passenger onboard were rescued, officials said.

The chopper, which flew at 11.1 am on Sunday, had gone out of contact after it was hit by strong winds. (PTI)

**OFFICE OF THE GENERAL MANAGER
CATTLE FEED PLANT J&K STATE AGRO INDUSTRIES
BARI BRAHMANA, JAMMU (J&K)**

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SHORT TERM TENDER NOTICE

e-NIT No.-: 01/ 2023-24 of Cattle Feed Plant dated 06-04-2022

Tenders are invited by the General Manager, Cattle Feed Plant, J&K State Agro Industries, Bari Brahmana, Jammu J&K State, by e-tendering mode on item rate basis from approved and manufacturers / suppliers for the various items of raw material for manufacturing of Cattle Feed.

S. No.	Name of Work	Tender Inviting Authority	Earnest Money (in Rs.)	Time allowed for Completion of order	Last Date & Time for on line submission of tender	Period of EMD, cost of tender documents shall be submitted	Time & Date of opening of tender	Class of Supplier
1	Supply of Raw Material for Cattle Feed	G.M CFP	5000.00	30 Days	20/04/2022 4 pm	2 pm	24/04/2022 11 am	Eligible Manufacturers / Suppliers

DIP/J-103-P/23
Date: 08-04-2023

Delay in compassionate appointments under SRO 43

It is very disheartening that the cases under SRO 43, where provision to appoint one member of the family whose bread earner dies while on duty exists, aren't sympathetically dealt with. Consequently, many genuine cases remain unsettled for several years and the bereaved families who lost their earning hand pass through indescribable hardships. Widows and orphans of the deceased are thus left on the mercy of God. It is mockery of justice and morality that the departments concerned where one had been serving and died untimely and suddenly become silent spectators instead of active participant in their sorrow and bereavement.

We are in a welfare state and its moral duty of every concerned to ensure such cases are settled on priority basis. The LG of UT of Jammu and Kashmir Manoj Sinha is requested to get such delayed cases unearthed and directions be passed to all the departments to ensure speedy settlement of such cases.

Keshwa Nand Sharma
Salehri (Sunder Bani)

Plea to Deputy Commissioner Kathua

This is to draw the attention of Deputy Commissioner Kathua regarding non functioning of some officers from their headquarters offices. The details of non functioning officers from their offices is as under:

That the BDO Lohai Malhar, CDPO Lohai Malhar, ZEO Malhar may be directed to work from their headquarters Lohai and Malhar regularly, as many officials or officers do not bother

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to attend office and work from offices from Billawar. This matter has already been brought into your notice ,verbal directions were issued but of no use. Now official directions may please be issued with a warning.

That the BDO and CDPO Duggan also do not work from their office headquarters from Block Duggan and work from Bani, they also be directed to attend office and ensure working from their office headquarter Duggan.

That BDO Duggan was directed to ensure working from Panchayat Ghar Bhatoti during block Devis meeting conducted under your guidance. BDO Duggani also works from Mandli and not from headquarter Duggani. People face lot of difficulties in getting many works done and are befooled by these officers and officials.

It is, therefore, requested to please issue necessary written directions to all these officials to ensure regular working from their original headquarters and stop befooling innocent poor and rural people further. If the functioning is not started by these officers from their block headquarter offices along with staff , people would protest, and the responsibility would be of the administration. Hope genuine and burning demands would be given top priority and action initiated against officers for their non functioning from their headquarters offices.

Amar Nath Thakur
Sangathan Mantri AAP Rural
District Kathua

Release 4 percent DA

It is a welcome step that the Central Government has released four percent DA for the Central Government employees wef January 1st 2023.

Even Ladakh Administration has also released the 4 percent DA in favour of the Ladakh Government employees wef January 1st 2023 .

But the Jammu and Kashmir UT Government has not released the 4 percent DA in favour of its employees wef January 1st 2023 till today .

Therefore, it is requested to the Jammu and Kashmir UT Government headed by the Lt. Governor to kindly release the same at the earliest.

Ashok Koul Lalpuri
Member Pensioners
Association J and K UT, Jammu

PM Modi visits church on Easter

NEW DELHI, Apr 9: Prime Minister Narendra Modi visited the Sacred Heart Cathedral Church here on Sunday on the occasion of Easter.

An official video showed him greeting priests and worshippers, and he later joined them as they offered prayers on the auspicious day.

Modi's visit to the church is imbued with political significance as well, as the ruling BJP has been actively wooing Christians, with the prime minister himself underlining the

minority community's growing connect with the party by citing its poll successes in Goa and recent wins in two northeastern states.

These regions have a large Christian population.

Earlier in the day Modi tweeted, "Happy Easter! May this special occasion deepen the spirit of harmony in our society. May it inspire people to serve society and help empower the downtrodden. We remember the pious thoughts of Lord Christ on this day." (PTI)

Himanta says he will file defamation case against Rahul over his 'Adani' tweet

GUWAHATI, Apr 9: Assam Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma on Sunday said he will file a defamation case against Congress leader Rahul Gandhi over a tweet that linked him to the Adani group.

Addressing a press conference here, Sarma said the defamation case will be filed after Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to Guwahati on April 14.

"Whatever Rahul Gandhi tweeted, it's defamatory. We will respond after the PM leaves the state," he said.

"Definitely, a defamation case will be filed in Guwahati," he added.

Gandhi on Saturday took a swipe at some leaders who have quit the Congress in recent years and some of whom have joined the BJP as he kept up his offensive against the government over the Adani issue.

"They hide the truth, that's why they mislead everyday! The question remains the same - whose Rs 20,000 crore benami money is in Adani's companies?" Gandhi asked in a tweet in Hindi, sharing an image with 'Adani' written as an acronym of sorts with letters of the names of the leaders.

He cited the names of Ghulam Nabi Azad, Jyotiraditya Scindia, Himanta Biswa Sarma, Kiran Kumar Reddy and Anil K Antony in his tweet. After quitting the Congress, Azad formed his own party, while the rest joined the BJP. Scindia is now a Union minister and Sarma the chief minister of Assam.

Quoting Gandhi's tweet, Sarma had earlier tweeted, "It was our decency to have never asked you, on where have you concealed the proceeds of crime from the Bofors and National Herald Scams. And how you allowed Ottavio Quattrocchi to escape the clutches of Indian justice multiple times. Any way we will meet in the Court of Law (sic)."

PM Modi will visit Guwahati to attend a host of programmes, including the state's attempt to create a record on Bihu with over 11,000 dancers and drummers. (PTI)