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Minutes of Pre-Bid Conference (PBC) held on 09-01-2024 for proposed procurement of "Supply, Installation and commissioning of TISSUE EMBEDDING STATION WITH COLD PLATE" –

Chairpersons / Members of the Technical Sub Committee (TSC) present during PBC including domain experts present during PBC:-

1. Dr N Narender Chairman
2. Dr.S Nishath Jain, Member
3. Dr.M S L Karuna, Member
4. IO/PL –Dr. C. Yogesh

Representatives of the following firm attended the PBC:

1. M/sEpredia (Indian Agent- Vision Diagnostic (India) Pvt Ltd, Ghaziabad)
2. M/sDiapath, (Indian Agent- M/s. Basil Biosolutions Bangalore)

The following points were discussed during the PBC:

Query raised by M/s. Epredia (Indian Agent- Vision Diagnostic (India) Pvt Ltd) and response of CSIR-IICT:

No Queries raised by Epredia (Indian Agent- Vision Diagnostic (India) Pvt Ltd)

Query raised by M/s. Diapath, (Indian Agent- M/s. Basil Biosolutions), and response of CSIR-IICT:

Query-1: Specification no:1 – Paraffin tank capacity should be should be changed from 4-5 Ltr to 4-6 Ltr.

IICT Response:**Agreed with modifications**,paraffin tank capacity of at least 4 Ltr

Query-2: Specification no:9 – The display with keypad should be changed to touch screen system.

Response: **Agreed with modifications**, The display with keypad or touch screen

Points clarified by CSIR-IICT Team during PBC:

The firm informed that they do not have problem with other points of tendered specifications and requirements. Participating bidders have been informed that points raised by them during PBC will be examined by CSIR-IICT's **Technical Sub Committee (TSC)** constituted for the purpose of procurement of said equipment and **post PBC changes** in tendered specifications and requirements to be agreed after due consideration of the same by TSC, if any, will be uploaded in **CPPP** as part of **revised/amended tendered specifications**.

Minutes of the PBC with changes agreed (if any) will be uploaded in due course at **CPPP** for information and reference of prospective bidders on or before **12-01-2024**. All bidders are requested kindly to take a note of changes in tendered specifications subsequent to PBC held today, i.e. 09-01-2024 before they start submitting their online bids through **CPPP**.

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Revised Specifications/Corrigendum

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1. Specification no. 1: It should be modular complete with microprocessor control consisting of heated paraffin station and separate cold plate and having paraffin tank capacity of at least 4 Ltr.
2. Specification no. 9: It should have LCD/LED Display with keypad or touch screen to set and display operating parameters like cryo chamber temperature, actual time, defrost time and section thickness.
3. Specification no.12 regarding the AMC is removed from the list
4. 12 months (one year) comprehensive onsite warranty should be provided from the date of successful installation and final acceptance of the supplied system by CSIR-IICT user.

All the other tender terms remains unchanged. Bidders may please submit their bids accordingly.

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Technical Specifications for Tissue Embedding Station with Cold Plate

1. It should be modular complete with microprocessor control consisting of heated paraffin station and separate cold plate and having paraffin tank capacity of at least 4 Ltr.
2. It should have a temperature setting ranging from 50°C to 75°C or better and temperature should be adjustable in 1°C increments
3. It should have 5 independent heating zones that is paraffin reservoir, mold warmer, cassette bath, work area & paraffin nozzle that are controlled through a microprocessor.
4. It should have a large storage tank with capacity at least 4ltr, the tank incorporates the filter which ensures continuous flow of paraffin from the tank.
5. It should have foot switch and/or push button-activated paraffin dispenser; wax reservoir filter should be available to prevent foreign bodies entering in to moulds; should have built-in forceps warmer to hold six forceps at a time.
6. It should have integrated cold spot to assist tissue orientation,
7. It should have high power LED Light the intensity of which can be adjusted as per requirement.
8. It should have a feature of Programmable ON/OFF for weekdays, work starting time, work end time
9. It should have LCD/LED Display with keypad or touch screen to set and display operating parameters like cryo chamber temperature, actual time, defrost time and section thickness.
10. The Cold plate unit should have large working surface, with constant temperature of -6°C to hold up to 70-80 standard cassettes
11. Certification: CE/WHO GMP/ISO 9001
12. Apart from the standard delivery, the additional accessories required are: i) magnifier
i) 200 nos. of metallic embedding moulds (100 standard (24 x 30 x 5 mm), 50 small (24 x 24 x 5 mm), 50 large (24 x 24 x 12 mm), ii) Electrically operated forceps – 1 no.
The prices of these should be included in the quotation.
13. The service support should be directly from the company from an experienced professional
14. Mandatory documentations required: The equipment should GLP compliant. Should provide documents in evidence of supplying to the GLP labs.
15. 12 months (one year) comprehensive onsite warranty should be provided from the date of successful installation and final acceptance of the supplied system by CSIR-IICT user.


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