## NATIONAL HIGHWAYS INFRA INVESTMENT MANAGERS PRIVATE LIMITED

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Request for Proposal ("RFP") issued by National Highways Infra Investment Managers Private Limited (NHIIMPL) for Selection of Vendor for Managed Services – IT Support for NHIIMPL, NHIT and SPVs under NHIT.

BID SUMMARY					
1.	Last date and time for receipt of Bidding Documents	29 <sup>th</sup> April 2024 up to 17:00 Hrs.			
2.	Date and Time of Opening of Bids	29 <sup>th</sup> April 2024 up to 18:00 Hrs			
3.	Place of opening of Bids	NHIIMPL – Unit 324, D21 Corporate Park, Sector 21, Dwarka, New Delhi.			

• Note: - Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders who choose to attend as above.

Tender Reference No. – NHIT/FY24-25/RFP Managed Services – IT Support

Date of Issue – 19.04.2024

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## **Disclaimer**

The information contained in this Request for Proposal ("RFP") or subsequently provided to Bidder(s), in documentary or any other form by or on behalf of NHIIMPL, NHIT and SPVs under NHIT by persons authorized to do so, is provided to the interested parties on the terms and conditions set out in this RFP and such other terms and conditions subject to which such information is provided.

This RFP is not an agreement and is neither an offer nor an invitation by NHIIMPL to interested parties who submit their quote (henceforth "Bidders") in response to this RFP. The purpose of this RFP is to provide Bidders with information that may be useful to them in preparing and submitting their proposals ("Proposal") for selection as **Managed Services – IT Support** for NHIIMPL, NHIT and SPV's Under NHIT as per notified norms.

NHIIMPL makes no representation or warranty and shall have no liability to any person or Bidder under any law, statute, rules or regulations or tort, principles of restitution or unjust enrichment or otherwise for any loss, damages, cost or expense which may arise from or be incurred or suffered on account of anything contained in this RFP or otherwise, including the accuracy, adequacy, correctness, completeness or reliability of the RFP and any assessment, assumption, statement or information contained herein or deemed to form part of this RFP or arising in any way from this process.

A Bidder must warrant that all the information provided by it to NHIIMPL at the time of application & subsequently, is true to the best of it's knowledge and belief, and specially warrants that it has duly complied with the provisions of laws applicable to it. Bidder indemnifies NHIIMPL from any liabilities arising out of error or default or negligence or contravention in regard to any of the applicable laws, including, but not limited to, submission of statutory forms & other such documents.

The issue of this RFP does not imply that NHIIMPL is bound to select any Bidder(s) or select any Bidder(s) for any project. NHIIMPL may accept or reject any proposal in its discretion and may ask for any additional information or vary its requirements, add to or amend the terms, procedure and protocol set out in RFP for bona fide reasons, which will be notified to all the Bidders invited to tender. Further NHIIMPL hereby reserves its right to annul the process or renegotiate the final offering at any time prior to issuance of Purchase Order without incurring any liability towards the Bidders.

The Bidders shall bear all costs associated with or relating to the preparation and submission of its Proposal including but not limited to preparation, copying, postage, delivery fees, expenses associated with any demonstrations or presentations which may be required by NHIIMPL, or any other costs incurred regarding or relating to its Bid. All such costs and expenses will remain with the Bidder and NHIIMPL shall not be liable in any manner for the same or for any other costs or expenses incurred by a Bidders in preparation or submission of the Bid, regardless of the conduct or outcome of this RFP and the related processes.

#### 1. Section 1 – Notice inviting Tender.

1.1. The National Highways Infra Investment Managers Private Limited (hereinafter referred to as "NHIIMPL") on behalf National Highways Infra Trust (hereinafter referred to as "NHIT"), invites bids from reputed parties for selection of vendor to provide Managed services- IT Support to National Highways Infra Investment Managers Private Limited (NHIIMPL), National Highways Infra Trust (NHIT), and/ or SPVs under National Highways Infra Trust. herein referred to as "Applicant"/" Bidder"

The Term Applicant / Bidder would be used interchangeably.

- **1.2.** Service Provider will be selected under Quality and Cost Based Selection Method as described in this RFP and in accordance with the practices of NHIT.
- **1.3.** Service Provider shall initially be appointed for a period of One year. Based on the performance of the Service Provider, NHIIMPL may extend the term of the Service Provider's appointment at its sole discretion.
- **1.4.** The RFP includes the following documents:
  - Section 1 Notice Inviting Tender
  - Section 2 Instructions to Bidders
  - Section 3 Technical Specification Questionnaire
  - Section 4 Form of Technical Proposal
  - Section 5 Form of Financial Proposal
  - Section 6 Undertakings
- 1.5. The RFP is uploaded on the website of NHIT at www.nhit.co.in.
- **1.6.** Brief Description of Bidding Process
- 1.6.1. NHIIMPL has adopted a two-stage evaluation process for selection of the Bidder(s) for award of the services: the technical bid (the "Technical Bid") and the financial bid (the "Financial Bid") containing the amount quoted by the Bidder shall be submitted in physical form in the prescribed format (To clarify, the documents should be serially numbered and hard/spiral bound) in the manner specified, and before the date and time specified herein.
- 1.6.2. Only those Bidders whose Technical Bids are found to be responsive and meeting the Minimum Eligibility Criteria (hereinafter referred to as "Technically Qualified Bidders") in terms of this RFP, shall be invited to participate in the opening of their Financial Bids. The Technically Qualified Bidders may send their authorized representatives along with authorization letter on the letter head of the bidder for participation in the opening of the Financial Bid. The date and time of opening of Financial Bids of such Technically Qualified Bidders, will be informed to them separately by NHIIMPL through email or uploaded on the NHIT website. The Financial Bids will be opened physically at the location provided in such communications. Only one representative of the Technically Qualified Bidder shall be allowed to attend the opening of the Financial Bids.
- 1.6.3. The Financial Bid of each technically qualified bidder shall be opened and evaluated.

**1.7.** Any queries or request for additional information concerning the RFP shall be submitted in writing and/or e-mail to the officer designated below. The envelope / email communication shall clearly bear the following identification/title:

"Queries/Request for Additional Information: RFP issued by National Highways Infra Investment Managers Private Limited for **Managed Services – IT Support** to National Highways Infra Investment Managers Private Limited (NHIIMPL), National Highways Infra Trust (NHIT), and/or SPVs under National Highways Infra Trust."

## 1.8. Address for Communication:

Chief Finance Officer,

National Highways Infra Investment Managers Private Limited,

Unit 324, D21 Corporate Park, Sector -21,

Dwarka, New Delhi, 110077

E mail: procurement@nhit.co.in

# 1.9. Schedule of Bidding Process:

The NHIIMPL shall endeavour to adhere to the following schedule: Any changes to the following schedule shall be informed to the Bidders through email communication.

S.No.	Description of Events	Timeline	
1	Last date for receiving queries from bidders	22.04.2024	
2	Pre-bid queries	By Email/Courier	
3	NHIIMPL's response to queries latest by	24.04.2024	
4	Bid due date (Last date for bid submission)	29.04.2024, 17:00 Hrs	
5	Opening of Technical bids	29.04.2024, 18:00 Hrs	
6	Letter of Award (LOA)	Will be intimated later	
7	Technical Presentation	Will be intimated later	
8	Validity of proposals	120 days from Bid Due Date	

#### 2. Section 2 - Instructions to Bidders

#### 2.1. Introduction:

About the company: Please refer our website www.nhit.co.in.

## 2.2. Proposal:

2.2.1. NHIIMPL on behalf of NHIT and its Subsidiaries seeks proposal for the appointment of the Service Provider. Detailed scope of work as given in Section 3 – Scope of Work of the RFP document ("Services").

#### 2.3. Clarification and Amendment of RFP Documents

- 2.3.1. Bidders may request for clarifications on any of the RFP documents up to the time mentioned in Section1. Any request for clarification must be sent in writing to NHIIMPL's address indicated in the RFP or by e-mail to procurement@nhit.co.in NHIIMPL will respond in writing, or by e-mail/ uploading responses on website or will send written copies of the response (including an explanation of the query but without identifying the source of inquiry) to all Bidders. Should NHIIMPL deem it necessary to amend the RFP as a result of a clarification, it shall do so following the established procedure and inform the Bidders of the same through written communication or by uploading it on the website of NHIT.
- 2.3.2. At any time before the submission of the Bids, NHIIMPL shall have the right to amend the RFP by issuing an addendum/ amendment in writing or by standard electronic means. The addendum/ amendment shall be uploaded on the website of NHIT at https://nhit.co.in which will be binding on all Bidders. To give Bidders reasonable time for considering the addendum/ amendment in their Bids, NHIIMPL may, if the addendum/ amendment is substantial, at its discretion, extend the deadline for the submission of Bids.
- 2.3.3. It will be the responsibility of the Bidders to keep track of any uploaded addendum/ amendment before submission of the Bid.

#### 2.4. Submission of Proposal:

- 2.4.1. The proposal shall be submitted as indicated below:
- 2.4.1.1. Envelope I, containing the Technical Bid of the Applicant. The proposal should be in the manner and format as prescribed in RFP Section 4 Form of Technical Bid.
- 2.4.1.2. Envelope II, containing the Financial Bid of the Applicant. The proposal should be in the manner and format as prescribed in Section 5 Form of Financial Bid. The financial proposal of only those Bidders shall be opened which meet the technical criteria. Please note that proposals with any conditionality will be summarily rejected.
  - 2.4.2. Proposals (i.e. the aforesaid two envelopes put in a single sealed envelope marked as "Bid Proposal for selection of vendor for Managed IT Services." should reach the undersigned, latest by date/time mentioned in the Section 1 Notice inviting Tender, in hard copies/in original and shall remain valid for 120 days thereafter. The proposal should be signed by the authorized

- signatory the Bidder, supported by the relevant authorization document. No Proposal will be entertained after the due time and date, as stated above. NHIIMPL shall not be responsible for any delay whatsoever in nature. The proposals received after the due time and date, will be summarily rejected.
- **2.4.3.** NHIIMPL reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the offers received without assigning any reason. For any clarification, you may feel free to contact the undersigned.

# 2.5. Modification/Substitution/Withdrawal of Bids:

- 2.5.1. The Bidder may substitute or withdraw its bid after submission prior to the Bid due date. No Bid shall be allowed to be substituted or withdrawn by the Bidder on or after the Bid due date.
- 2.5.2. Any alteration/modification in the Bid or additional information supplied after the Bid Due Date, unless the same has been expressly sought for by NHIIMPL, shall be disregarded.
- 2.5.3. Partial modification of the Bid is not allowed. The Bidder will have to submit the revised bid again in a sealed envelope, as per clause 2.4 above, mentioning "Revised Bid" on the top of the sealed envelope and the original bid envelope will be returned to the Bidder. No Technical or Financial Bid may be modified after the Bid Due Date. Withdrawal or modification of Technical or Financial Bids between the Bid Due Date and Expiration of Bid validity shall result into disqualification from the bidding process.

#### 2.6. Opening and Evaluation of the Bids:

- 2.6.1. The Technical Bids will be opened after the due date at the time prescribed in the RFP document in the presence of the Bidders who choose to attend. NHIIMPL will subsequently examine and evaluate the Bids in accordance with the provisions set out herein.
- 2.6.2. Financial Bid of non-responsive Bidders shall not be opened.
- 2.6.3. To assist in the examination, evaluation, and comparison of Bids, NHIIMPL may, at its discretion, ask any Bidder for clarification of its Bid. The request for clarification and the response shall be in writing or by e-mail, but no change in the price or substance of the Bid shall be sought, offered, or permitted except as required to confirm the correction of arithmetic errors discovered by NHIIMPL in the evaluation of the Bids.
- 2.6.4. The Bidders would be evaluated on the criteria mentioned in Section 4 of this RFP and shortlisted for the purpose of opening of their Financial Bids.
- 2.6.5. Except in case any clarification is asked by NHIIMPL, no Bidder shall contact NHIIMPL on any matter relating to its Bid from the time of the Bid opening to the time the contract is awarded. If any Bidder wishes to bring additional information to the notice of NHIIMPL, it should do so in writing at the address prescribed in the Notice Inviting Tender.
- **2.7.** Prior to evaluation of the Bids, the NHIIMPL shall determine as to whether each Bid is responsive to the requirements of this RFP document. A Bid will be declared non-responsive in case:
  - If a Bidder submits more than one Bid against this RFP.
  - The physical bid submissions are incomplete/ inadequate to the requirements of the RFP Documents.

- Documents are submitted loose. (To clarify, the documents should be serially numbered and be submitted in hard bound / spiral bound).
- If in case the Power of Attorney or the Authority Letter is not provided as per Paragraph 16 of this Section.
- If a Bidder submits a conditional Bid or makes changes in the terms and conditions given in this RFP document.
- Failure to comply with all the requirements of RFP document by a Bidder.
- If the Bid is not submitted in the formats prescribed in the RFP document.
- If any requisite document/ certificate is not in the prescribed format the same shall not be considered while evaluating the bids and the same may lead to Bid being declared as nonresponsive.
- If the envelope containing physical submission is not sealed and marked as prescribed in the RFP document.
- A Bid valid for a period of time shorter than prescribed in the RFP document.

#### 2.8. Conflict of Interest:

- 2.8.1. Bidders at all times shall provide professional, objective, and impartial advice and at all times hold the NHIIMPL, NHIT and SPVs under NHIT interest paramount, strictly avoid conflicts with other assignments or their own corporate interests and act without any consideration for future work, No two Bidders can have same constituents or any such arrangement pursuant to which any third party is in a position to have access to confidential information of each other.
- 2.8.2. NDA clause to be signed between NHIT entities and the vendor post release of the LOA.

## 2.9. Fraud & Corruption:

- 2.9.1. Bidders would be required to observe the highest standard of ethics during the selection and execution of such work NHIIMPL defines:
- 2.9.1.1. "Corrupt practice" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of anything of value to influence the action of a public official in the selection process or in contract execution; and
- 2.9.1.2. "Fraudulent practice" means a misrepresentation of facts in order to influence a selection process or the execution of a contract to the detriment of the NHIIMPL and includes collusive practices among bidders (prior to or after submission of proposals) and to deprive the NHIIMPL of the benefits of free and open competition.
- 2.9.2. NHIIMPL will reject a proposal for appointment if it determines that the bidder recommended for engagement has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent activities in competing for the work in question.
- 2.9.3. NHIIMPL will declare a bidder ineligible, either indefinitely or for a stated period of time, to be engaged if it at any time determines that the bidder has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in the bidding process for engagement for the subject work.
- 2.9.4. The bidder declared ineligible for corrupt and fraudulent practices by NHIIMPL in accordance with the above paras shall not be eligible for selection.

# 2.10. Consortium of Bidders is not allowed.

# 2.11. Minimum Eligibility Criteria:

Sr.	Basic	Eligibility Criteria	Document to be
No.	Requirement		submitted
1	Legal Entity	The bidder should be a Legal Entity registered	Copy of Certificate of
		under the Companies Act, 2013 or the	Incorporation/Registration
		Companies Act, 1956 OR a Limited Liability	/Partnership deed
		Partnership (LLP) registered under the LLP Act,	
		2008 or Indian Partnership Act 1932.	
2	Office	The bidder must have a local office in India.	Copy of address proof
3	Turnover	The bidder should have average annual	Certificate from the
		turnover of at least 2.5 Cr in last three financial	Statutory Auditor /
		years. (FY 2021-2022 & 2022-2023, 2023-2024)	Chartered Accountant
4	Net worth	The bidder should have positive net worth as per	Certificate from the
		last three years audited financial report.	Statutory Auditor/
			Chartered Accountant
5	Blacklisting	The bidder should not be debarred/ blacklisted	Letter signed by the
		by any Government/PSU in India as on date of	Authorized in format given
		submission of the Bid.	in the RFP.
6	Legal	The bidder should not be subjected to any legal	Letter signed by the
		action for any cause in any legal jurisdiction in	Authorized Signatory
		the last five years.	
7	Capability	The bidder should have completed or be	Work Order / Completion
		currently executing works which is related to the	certificate from client
		IT/Cyber Security at CPSU/SPSU/Gov	along with the services
		companies/ Gov organizations/ regulatory	provided on company
		authorities.	letter head
8	Tax Payment	The bidder must have a valid GST Registration	Valid copy of the
		and PAN in India.	certificate
9	Empanelment	The bidder should be CERT-IN empanelled.	Copy of Cert-IN
			empanelment report
	Land Border	The bidder should not be from a country which	A declaration on letter
		shares a land border with India unless the bidder	head of bidder duly signed
		is registered with the Competent Authority (as	by Authorized Signatory
9		detailed in Office memorandum-	stating the following is to
		F.No.6/18/2019-PPD of Dept. of Expenditure,	be submitted:
		Ministry of Finance). Bidder from a country	"We have read the clause
		which shares land border with India means:	regarding restrictions on
			procurement from a

a. An entity incorporated, established, or registered in India; or
b. subsidiary of an entity incorporated, India. We established in India or
c. An entity substantially controlled through entities incorporated, established, or registered in India; or
registered

d. An entity whose beneficial owner is situated in India: or

e. An Indian (or other) agent of such an entity;

bidder of a country which shares a land border with India. We certify that we are not from such a country, or if from such a country, have been registered with the Competent Authority. We hereby certify that we fulfil all requirements in this regard and are eligible to be considered".

## 2.12. Dis-qualification Criteria:

The company may at its sole discretion and at any time during the evaluation of proposal, disqualify any respondent, if the respondent:

- 2.12.1. Submitted the proposal documents after the response deadline.
- 2.12.2. Made misleading or false representations in the forms, statements and attachments submitted in proof of the eligibility requirements.
- 2.12.3. Failed to provide related clarifications, when sought.
- 2.12.4. Respondent declared ineligible by CPSU/SPSU/Government companies/ Government organizations/ regulatory authorities for corrupt and fraudulent practices or blacklisted.

#### 2.13. Technical Evaluation Criteria:

- 2.13.1. Technical Evaluation shall be based on the Technical Bid submitted by the Bidders as per Section 4 Form of Technical Proposal.
- 2.13.2. The evaluation of the Technical Proposals shall be carried out on a maximum score of 70 as per the methodology mentioned in Section 4 Form of Technical Proposal. For the computation of combined score, the technical scores will be given a weightage of 70% as follows:
  Weighted technical scores (TS) = Total technical score x 1 Where Total technical score would be as computed under Section 4.
- 2.13.3. The Technical Proposal shall be submitted in physical form along with all supporting documentation/ information as mentioned along with the criteria.
- 2.13.4. The presentation need not be included in the Technical Proposal. The Presentation shall be made as per schedule communicated by NHIIMPL and a copy of presentation to be submitted on email at the time of presentation.

## 2.14. Financial Proposal:

- 2.14.1. After the short listing of Bidders based on their Technical Proposal including the presentation, the Financial Proposals of only Technically Qualified Bidders would be opened. The Technically Qualified Bidders, if they so desire, may remain present at the time of opening of the Financial Proposals. The date and time of opening of the Financial Proposals would be shared with the Technically Qualified Bidders.
- 2.14.2. The Financial Proposal of the Technically Qualified Bidders will be given a weightage of 30%. The lowest price bid shall be given a financial score of 30 and the financial score of other bidders shall be made inversely proportionate to their prices as follows:
  The Lowest Financial Proposal ("LFP") will be given a Financial Score ("FS") of 30 points

### 2.15. Procedure for Selection of Consultant/Consultancy Firm:

FS (other bidders) =  $30 \times LFP / F$  (F= amount of Financial Proposal)

- 2.15.1. Post qualification of the minimum eligibility criteria, the bidder(s) will be selected under Quality and Cost Based Selection method as described in this section and in accordance with the practices of NHIPPL.
- 2.15.2. Proposals will finally be ranked according to their combined technical score (TS) and Financial Score (FS) as follows:

$$S = TS + FS$$

- 2.15.3. The combined score based on Quality and Cost Based System (QCBS) of technical and financial proposals will determine the H1, H2, H3 and so on. The bidder scoring the highest points/marks (H1) based on the above principles would be selected as the Consultant/Service Provider for Providing Services to Establish Technology Ecosystem.
- 2.15.4. NHIIMPL proposes to appoint one Service provider.
- 2.15.5. In case two or more Bidders have a tie in their combined scores, the relative rankings would be determined such that the Bidder with higher technical score (as computed in Section 4 (Technical Proposal) will get higher ranking.
- 2.15.6. Timelines & Payment Schedule: Payment shall be Invoice based and shall be made only post submission of invoice as per following milestones:

S.N.	Category	Milestone	Payment
1	Monthly Services	Monthly	100% of Monthly Cost

## 2.16. Documents to be submitted along with the Technical Bids:

- 2.16.1. Either power of attorney or an authority letter from Partner/ Board / Managing Committee of the Bidder entity should be provided for authentication of the authorized signatory signing the Biddocument.
- 2.16.2. Technical bid in the form provided in the RFP duly signed by the authorized representative of the bidder on all pages.
- 2.16.3. Detailed profile of the Bidder certified by Authorized Signatory of the Bidder

- 2.16.4. Documents in support of the claims of Bidder regarding eligibility/ experience duly signed by the authorized representative of the bidder on all pages. NHIIMPL may ask for 3rd. party certificates from the Bidder(s), at a later stage.
- 2.16.5. Undertaking in the format provided in the RFP duly signed by the authorized representative of the bidder on all pages.

#### 2.17. Financial Bids / Fees

- 2.17.1. The Bidder is required to submit financial proposal as per Section 5 Form of Financial Proposal.
- 2.17.2. The fee quoted should be unconditional.
- 2.17.3. Letter of Award (LoA) shall be issued from the respective entity and the respective entity shall pay the Service Provider the fees as per the Financial Proposal of the Bidder, as sole compensation for the performance of the Services.
- 2.17.4. The fees shall be payable as per payment schedule after submission of appropriate tax invoice.

## 2.18. Dispute Resolution:

Any dispute arising out of the RFP, which cannot be amicably settled between the parties, shall be referred to arbitration in accordance with the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 through a panel of three arbitrators, with each of NHIIMPL and the remaining disputing party(s) appointing one arbitrator and the two arbitrators so appointed appointing a third arbitrator. Provided that in the event that any disputing parties fail to appoint an arbitrator within 15 days from the dispute being referred to arbitration, the other parties shall be at liberty to appoint an arbitrator for such disputing party(s) and such appointment shall be final and binding on the other disputing parties. The venue of the arbitration shall be at New Delhi.

## 2.19. Governing Law and Jurisdiction

This RFP and the subsequent agreement between the parties shall be interpreted by and shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of India. The Courts at New Delhi, India shall have sole jurisdiction over all matters arising out of or relating to this agreement.

# 3. Section 3 – Technical Specification

## 3.1. Introduction:

NHIIMPL is looking for a Vendor to provide the **Managed Services - IT support** at its Location/s (including Toll Plazas, under SPVs of NHIT). This section contains the Scope of Work for the services that needs to be delivered.

## 3.2. Location:

All the Offices (and Equipment contained) of NHIIMPL and the Toll Plaza Under SPVs of NHIT.

## 3.3. Scope of Work shall include:

## 3.3.1. Network Consultancy

- Review of Current Network Setup and Network Device Configuration
- Review of Firewall Rules and Design
- Recommendation against Current Gaps
- Implementation of changes as per business requirement
- Design and Support of Building LAN/WIFI Setup at Locations

## 3.3.2. Security Framework:

- Design/Modification of Security Framework in line with industry best practices.
- Creation of Policies and Procedure Documents as per Framework
- Implementation of Security Framework.

## 3.3.3. Security Assessment:

- Infrastructure Configuration (frequency to be decided as per business requirements)
- Application VA/PT / API Testing (frequency to be decided as per business requirements)
- Cloud Security Posture Assessment (frequency to be decided as per business requirements)
- Internal Audits to check compliance to Security Policies and Procedures.

## 3.3.4. Monitoring and Operations:

- Design of a Monitoring Setup for Network Devices
- Design and Implementation of a Central Log Server
- Governance of Day-to-Day Operational Tickets and issues
- Analyse data to identify trends to help management make informed decisions.

## 3.3.5. Design & Technology Roadmap:

- · Gathering of Business Requirements
- Evaluate the current applications, OS and hardware wrt to business requirement.
- Suggest and support in the optimization of existing systems wherever possible.
- Propose the possible solutions that will compliment/Replace the existing systems to meet the business requirements.
- Help in Drafting Technical Specifications for Proposal/RFP for IT systems.
- Support the Technical Evaluation of Proposed solutions.

#### 3.3.6. Process and SOP

Documentation and Implementation of Standard IT Processes

## 3.3.7. Cloud Setup

- Design of Cloud Setup in-Line with Business Requirements
- Support in Setup and Troubleshooting for any operational issues.

#### 3.3.8. Continuous Improvement:

- Regular Audit to verify the compliance to policies and Procedure.
- Incorporate feedback and lessons learned to modify the current IT Framework.

# 4. Section 4 – Form of Technical Proposal (On the letter head of the bidder)

#### 4.1. General Information

- 4.1.1. Profile of the Service Provider with full particulars of the constitution, ownership, and business activities of the prospective Service Provider.
- 4.1.2. Commitment(s) which shall act either as a constraint or as a conflicting interest in the proposed assignment (if any).

## 4.2. Technical Information

## 4.2.1. Technical Evaluation Criteria:

Technical Evaluation shall be based on the Technical Bid submitted by the Bidders and the presentation made by the Bidder and shall be carried out on a maximum score of 70 as per the details/break up brought out hereunder.

Sr.	Criteria	Compliance	Max	Document to be
No.	Criteria	Compliance	Marks	submitted
1	Experience	Min 1 Project – 10 Marks	30	Valid Copy of
	(Sec 2.11 (7))	Additional 1 mark for each additional		Completion certificates
		Project		or PO/WO
2	Experience in	Team should have the Experience of	10	Completion Report
	Toll Plaza	providing IT Audit at Toll Plaza		
		2 Assignments – 5 marks		
		1 additional mark for each additional		
		assignment		
3	Certification	The Team engaged in project should	5	Copy of the
		have at least one of following		Certifications
		Certifications or Equivalent:		
		1. CCNP		
		2. CISSP		
		3. CISA		
		4. RHCE		
4	Organization	Technical Expertise of the Organization	25	Technical Presentation
	Expertise			
	Total			

4.2.2. The Technical Proposal shall be submitted along with all relevant proofs and supporting documentation/information for each response.

- 4.2.3. The Bidders would be required to make a presentation of their Technical Proposal, as brought out at table above, for the proposed transaction, Virtual/at the premises of NHIIMPL, Unit 324, D21 Corporate Park, Sector-21, Dwarka, New Delhi -110077. The time of the presentation will be separately intimated to the Bidders through e-mail in due course.
- 4.2.4. Presentation to also include Proposed Team Structure (Max 4 People) mentioning the experience and skillset of each resource.
- 4.2.5. If there are Any Assumptions or Exclusions, they should be listed out so in technical Proposal.
- 4.2.6. The Bidder should have a minimum technical score of 40 marks as per their Technical Bid submitted. The financial bid of only those bidders shall be opened who score minimum 40 qualifying marks."

# 5. Section 5 - Form of Financial Proposal

(On the letter head of the Bidder)

Financial Proposal From (Name & Address of the bidder)

То

Chief Financial Officer

National Highways Infra Investment Managers Private Limited,

Unit 324, D21 Corporate Park, Sector 21,

Dwarka, New Delhi 110077

Sub: Request for Proposal ("RFP") issued by National Highways Infra Investment Managers Private Limited (NHIIMPL) for the selection of Vendor to Provide Managed Services – IT Support

Financial offer on firm basis must be submitted in the following manner (as given below): -

We, Quote below our Fees for supply of licenses and implementation of solution as under:

S. No.	Particulars	Monthly Fees	Qty.	Unit	Amount in INR (Exclusive of GST)
1	Monthly Cost		12	Month	
	Total (in Words)				

- **5.1.** Quotes should be exclusive of GST which shall be paid extra (as applicable from time to time).
- **5.2.** All payments are subject to TDS, if any, applicable as per the law in force.
- **5.3.** In the event of any discrepancy in between figures and words, the amount quoted in words will be considered.
- **5.4.** NHIIMPL, NHIT, SPVs under NHIT reserve the right to Terminate the services on 1 month notice at any time without the obligation to provide a reason for same.
- **5.5.** NHIIMPL, NHIT, SPVs under NHIT reserves the right to pause the engagement in the duration of the contract subject to maximum gap of 03 months.

Name & Signature of Consultant Authorized Signatory

# 5.6. Note for Bidder

- 5.6.1. Minimum amount of fee to be quoted is Rs. 1.
- 5.6.2. All the sums payable shall be subject to deduction of applicable taxes.
- 5.6.3. On payment milestones payment would be released less the GST component.
- 5.6.4. The GST component would be released on production of proof of payment.

## 6. Section 6 – Undertakings

(On the letter head of the bidder)

To be provided with the financial bid.

We undertake that: -

- **6.1.** We have a valid registration certificate, issued by the Competent Authorities.
- **6.2.** We have not been blacklisted or declared as ineligible to act as Consultant/ Consultancy Firm by the Central Government, the State Government or any public undertaking, autonomous body, authority by whatever name called under the Central or the State Government.
- **6.3.** The proposal submitted hereunder shall remain valid for a period of at least 120 days from the last date for submission of proposal.
- **6.4.** No other cost/ expenses/taxes/levies shall be payable by NHIIMPL, NHIT and SPVs under NHIT except mentioned in financial proposal.
- **6.5.** Submission of the proposal by the Bidder shall constitute acceptance by the Bidder of all the terms and conditions mentioned in this Request for Proposal. In the event of any contraction in the terms and conditions as mentioned in RFP, NHIIMPLs decision shall prevail.

We accept all the terms & conditions as mentioned in the RFP. In the event of any contradiction in the terms and conditions as mentioned in the RFP and our proposal/ offer to NHIIMPL, the NHIIMPL's decision shall prevail.

Date & Place:

Signature(s) and name(s) of Authorized Signatory with Seal