

Pre bid Queries and Response for the project “Selection of Bidders for Supply of Filter papers for PM10 & PM2.5 in Chhattisgarh”

3) M/s KASLIWAL BROTHERS, RAIPUR

Sr. No.	Points of Clarification	CECB's Response
1	<p>Section III- Specification of Filter paper for PM 10 sampler EPM 2000 We recommend to add Trace metal analysis certificate since this has become mandatory for CPCB for elements like lead etc We also recommend that the product should be used by CPCB in the last 5 years. We recommend that the typical retention efficiency in air should be $\geq 99.99\%$ @ $0.3\ \mu\text{m}$. We recommend that the filters can be used at temperatures up to 550°C We recommend that each filter paper sheet should be individually numbered for rapid identification & recording.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Bidder should provide the Trace metal analysis certificate from the reputed labs like NPL/IIT/CSIR/ NABL accredited labs. ▪ Minimum 30% of the total Quantity of filter paper require by CECB of each filter paper must have supplied by the bidder to CPCB/SPCB/CSIR labs for last three consecutive financial years.
2	<p>Section IV-Specification for Filter paper for Pm 2.5 sampler Filter Paper for PM 2.5 We recommend that the filter should be USEPA approved/certified for ambient PM sampling. We recommend to add Trace metal analysis certificate since this has become mandatory for CPCB We recommend that each filter paper should be individually numbered for rapid identification & recording. Glass Micro Fibre Filter Paper GF/A We recommend to add the following points - Glass Microfiber filters should manufactured from 100% borosilicate glass.-This will help to sustain the temperature of $550\ \text{Deg.C}$ Filters should be binder free.- This will reduce the impurities in the filter paper. If there is some binder then the paper can be leached. These filers can be used at temperatures up to 550°C. The filter paper should be in a pack of 100.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Bidder should provide the Trace metal analysis certificate from the reputed labs like NPL/IIT/CSIR/ NABL accredited labs. ▪ The filter papers should be binder free. ▪ Minimum 30% of the total Quantity of filter paper require by CECB of each filter paper must have supplied by the bidder to CPCB/SPCB/CSIR labs for last three consecutive financial years.

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2) M/s MICRO SEPARATIONS, GHAZIABAD

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1	One order of filters papers e.g PM10 & PM2.5 filter (Glass Micro Fibre Filter & PTFE) should be supplied in Central pollution Control board/SPCB.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The bidder's Annual Business Turnover for last three financial years ie. 2016-17, 2017-18 & 2018-19 should not be less than Rs. 2 crores PA. ▪ Minimum 30% of the total Quantity of filter paper require by CECB of each filter paper must have supplied by the bidder to CPCB/SPCB/CSIR labs for last three consecutive financial years.
2	Filter should be tested by NPL/IIT/CSIR labs (show the authentication & quality of filter paper).	Agreed. Bidder has to submit the test certificate to show the authentication & quality of filter paper from NPL/IIT/CSIR/NABL accredited labs.
3	Minimum 30% of the total Quantity of filter paper require by CECB of each filter paper must have supplied by the bidder to CPCB/SPCB/CSIR labs for last three consecutive financial years.	<p>Agreed.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The bidder's Annual Business Turnover for last three financial years ie. 2016-17, 2017-18 & 2018-19 should not be less than Rs. 2 crores PA. ▪ Minimum 30% of the total Quantity of filter paper require by CECB of each filter paper must have supplied by the bidder to CPCB/SPCB/CSIR labs for last three consecutive financial years.

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1) M/s MINIPORE MICRO PRODUCTS, GHAZIABAD

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1	<p>As in the Eligibility Criteria the Bidder's prior experience of supplying quoted items is not checked. So we would make a request to your good self to examine the prior experience of the bidder of supplied similar products to CPCB/ SPCB or any government organization in the past for at least last 3 financial years. The Annual supply for last 3 years of Filter Papers to CPCB/SPCB should not be less than 50Lakhs/year as put in by other SPCBs and also added by CECB in last tender:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ In CECB Tender: Corrigendum dated 16.05.2018: Page 5 S. No. 15 The Bidder shall submit proof of supply to SPCB/CPCB in last three financial years showing annual supply of filter paper minimum 50 Lakhs per year. ▪ In APPCB Tender: Corrigendum Page 4: Total Value of Filter Paper supplied per year for last 3 years to any CPCB/SPCB should not be less than 50 Lakhs. ▪ In TSPCB Tender: Page No. 11, in Point no. 3. all other conditions are important. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The bidder's Annual Business Turnover for last three financial years ie. 2016-17, 2017-18 & 2018-19 should not be less than Rs. 2 crores PA. ▪ Minimum 30% of the total Quantity of filter paper require by CECB of each filter paper must have supplied by the bidder to CPCB/SPCB/CSIR labs for last three consecutive financial years.
2	<p>As seen in the other state pollution control boards, the evaluation of the bidder cannot be examined by the samples provided. As the defaulter bidders are purchasing good quality products from the market and supplying them as samples in their own packing.</p>	<p>Several random checking/testing of the filter paper will be conducted by CECB without any prior notification to bidder. If the bidder fails to show the quality of the filter supplied during the checking/testing, than each time 10% of the contract value will be charged as a fine to contractor.</p>
3	<p>Correction in tender document at page no. 22, Annexure – A- 1, Point – No- 4, where it is written Chemist/pharmacy. Kindly replace it with Company.</p>	<p>Agreed. The word Chemist/pharmacy at page no. 22, Annexure – A-1, Point – No- 4 may be read as Company.</p>