



TAMIL NADU TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

**TENDER SPECIFICATION FOR
CLEARING OF LIGHT JUNGLE WEEDS IN AND AROUND
THE 110 KV YARD, OLD 230KV YARD AND NEW 230 KV
YARD AT 230 KV BASIN BRIDGE SUB-STATION IN
OPERATION CIRCLE/ CHENNAI SOUTH**

LIMITED TENDER SPECIFICATION NO. 05/ 2026-27

DT. 30.09.2026

DUE DATE: 14.10.2026

**OFFICE OF THE
EXECUTIVE ENGINEER/OPERATION
CMRL-Central
230 KV BASIN BRIDGE SUB-STATION
CHENNAI– 600012, TAMILNADU
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TAMILNADU TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LTD

1	Specification No.	EE/O/BBSS/ LT-05/2026-27, Dt. 30.09.2026.
2	Name of the Work	CLEARING OF LIGHT JUNGLE WEEDS IN AND AROUND THE 110 YARD ,OLD 230KV YARD AND NEW 230KV YARD AT 230 KV BASIN BRIDGE SUB-STATION.
3	Method of Tender	Limited tender System
4	Earnest Money Deposit	Rs. 1837/- (Rupees One thousand Eight hundred and Thirty seven only) by DD/NIFT/RTGS in favour of the SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER OPERATION CHENNAI SOUTH TANTRANSO
5	Due date and time for submission of EMD	14.00 Hrs. on 14.10.2026 (The EMD cover containing Original Receipt towards EMD (or) Original undertaking in lieu of EMD as per clause I of Section -II shall be submitted at the office of the Executive Engineer/Operation/CMRL Central at 230KV Basin Bridge SS before 14.00 hrs. on due date before closing of tender.
6	Due date and time for closing of submission tender	14.00 Hrs. 14.10.2026
7	Due date and time of opening of tender	15.00 Hrs. on 14.10.2026
	If the due date for opening of tender happens to be a declared holiday, then the tenders will be opened on the next working day.	
8	Documents to be submitted by the Tenderers	a. Schedule A b. DD/Receipt for having paid the EMD (or) Copy of Registration certificate or Entrepreneur Memorandum Part-II /Acknowledgement as proof of eligibility for exemption from payment of EMD along with undertaking in a non-judicial stamp paper of value not less than Rs 500./ and Audited copy of Profit & Loss account/ Balance Sheet.
9	Place of Submission of tender along with EMD	At the office of the Executive Engineer/Operation/ 230KV Basin Bridge SS
10	Clarification to be sought for from	Executive Engineer/Operation/Central CMRL at 230KV Basin Bridge SS
11	Place at which tenders will be opened	The Executive Engineer/Operation/ Central CMRL at 230KV Basin Bridge SS, Pulianthoppu, Chennai-600 012.
12.	Estimate Sanction number	SE/O/CNI/S/San.No.10/26 dt 28.09.2026

The tender documents submitted shall be in volumes with all the pages serially numbered.

TENDER DOCUMENTS ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE

TANTRANSCO

Detailed Estimate for clearing of Light Jungle weeds in and around the Old 230KV SS Yard and within the premises of Old 230KV Yard side at Basin Bridge 230KV substation.

SINo.	Description of work	Quantity	Rate in Rs.	Amount in Rs.
1.	Removal of light Jungle weeds in and around THE 110 YARD ,OLD 230KV YARD AND NEW 230KV YARD AT 230 KV BASIN BRIDGE SUB-STATION One time. (From October 26 – December 26)	20365 Square Mtr.		
Subtotal				
GST				

2. **BQR:** The bidders shall become eligible to bid on satisfying the following BQR & the required documentary evidence are to be submitted.

A) **Eligibility criteria for pre-qualification:**

The intending tenderer should furnish proof for having done similar works during last 5 years elsewhere in TANTRANSCO or in any Private sector or Government bodies.

The performance certificate from end users in support of above shall be attached With the offer.

- B) The scanned copy for having paid the Earnest money deposit through DD (or) RTGS/NEFT/ (or) Declaration for Exemption in case of SSI units should be kept in the outer cover along with Tender cover.

NOTE: The proof for the above BQR shall be submitted by the tenders during submission of tender, failing which their bid will be summarily to be rejected.

EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT

1. Tenderer should pay the specified amount towards Earnest Money Deposit as follows:
Earnest Money Deposit: **Rs. 1837** - (Rupees One thousand eight hundred and Thirty seven only).
2. The Earnest Money Deposit specified above should be remitted as On line payment in favour of **SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER OPERATION CHENNAI SOUTH TANTRANSCO** from any of the Nationalized / Scheduled /Foreign Banks with branches by NIFT / RTGS. The proof of receipt for having paid the E.M.D. shall be submitted.

3. The Earnest Money will not carry interest.
4. The Earnest Money Deposit will be refunded to the unsuccessful tenderer on application to the Executive Engineer/Operation/230KV Central CMRL SS after intimation of the Rejection / non acceptance of their tender is sent to them.
5. Cheque and bank guarantees will not be accepted towards Earnest Money Deposit and the tender shall be rejected if EMD is not paid in the prescribed manner.
6. Exemption based on the Permanent Earnest Money Deposit (P.E.M.D.) is not accepted.
7. The tenders are specifically requested to carefully go through the Paras 7 to 11 of this section in order to claim exemption from payment of EMD.

The Small Scale Industrial units located within the State and Registered with the Tamil Nadu Small Industries Development Corporation or the National Small Industries Corporation (NSIC) or Holding Permanent Registration certificate from the District Industries centers of Directorate of Industries and Commerce in respect of those items for which the Registration Certificate has been obtained, Departments of the Government of Tamil Nadu and Undertakings and Corporations owned by the Government of Tamil Nadu, Labour Contract Co-operative Societies, Tiny Industries classified under SSI registered with the state of Tamil Nadu and Registration Certificate issued by Department of Industries and Commerce/ Government of Tamil Nadu, Small Scale Industrial units located outside the State and such of those units registered with National Small Industries Corporation in respect of the items manufactured by them are the only categories of institutions / industries exempted from the payment of Earnest Money Deposit. These firms shall produce their registration certificate showing the equipment /specified work which they are permitted to undertake and the period of validity of the certificate as proof of eligibility for exemption from payment of E.M.D./S.D. The registration should be valid for the entire period of currency of the contract.

Apart from the above, TANTRANSCO has the right to adopt any changes, based on the TANTRANSCO's Accounts Branch instructions, with regard to extending exemption from paying EMD.

8. Those Tenderers who are exempted from payment of E.M.D. shall furnish in lieu of EMD an undertaking in a non-judicial stamp paper of value not less than Rs.500.00 (Rupees Five Hundred only) to the effect to pay as penalty an amount equivalent to Security deposit/ EMD or an amount equal to the actual loss incurred whichever is less in the event of non-fulfilment or non- observance of any of the conditions stipulated in the contract consequent to such breach of contract. The State Government, Public Sector undertaking who are exempted from payment of EMD should also pay as penalty an amount equivalent to the amount fixed as security deposit in the event of non-fulfilment or non-observance of any of the conditions stipulated in the contract. **TENDERS RECEIVED WITHOUT THIS UNDERTAKING WILL NOT BE OPENED.**
9. Small Scale Industries shall submit duly attested Photostat copy of their Registration Certificate showing the subject materials specifying capacity which they are permitted to manufacture and the period of validity of the certificate as proof of eligibility for exemption from payment of EMD. Proof for exemption from payment of E.M.D./or receipt for having paid the E.M.D. shall be

furnished in an outer sealed cover. The tenders received without E.M.D./ proof for exemption from payment of E.M.D. are liable for rejection.

10. Those tenderers who are exempted from payment of E.M.D. shall enclose Photostat copy of their registration Certificate or Entrepreneur Memorandum Part-II and acknowledgement issued by District Industries Centers concerned for the Entrepreneur Memorandum Part-II along with the list of materials manufactured, duly attested by a Gazetted officer showing the subject materials with capacity which they are permitted to manufacture and the period of validity of the certificate as proof of eligibility for exemption from payment of EMD. On any account the Entrepreneur Memorandum Part-I and acknowledgement obtained for Part-I shall not be considered for extending exemption from paying Earnest Money Deposit.
11. Others viz Central, other State Government Departments, Undertakings, Corporations other than Tamil Nadu shall have to pay Earnest Money Deposit and Security Deposit.
12. **The submission of bid without the following, the offer will be SUMMARILY REJECTED.**
 - i) Receipt for having paid the EMD.
 - ii) The proof of exemption of EMD with an undertaking in lieu of EMD.
 - iii) Copy of Registration Certificate or Entrepreneur Memorandum Part-II/ Acknowledgement as proof of eligibility for exemption from payment of EMD along with undertaking in a non- judicial Stamp paper of value not less than Rs.500.00.
13. **The Earnest Money Deposit made by the Tenderer will be forfeited if: -**
 - a) he withdraws his tender or backs out after acceptance.
 - b) he withdraws his tender before the expiry of validity of the offer, the period specified in the Specification, or fails to remit the Security Deposit.
 - c) he violates any of the provisions of these regulations contained herein.
 - d) he revises any of the terms quoted during the validity period.
 - e) The documents furnished with the offer being found to be bogus or the documents contain false particulars, the Earnest Money Deposit paid by the tenderers will be forfeited with applicable GST, in addition to blacklisting them for future tenders/contracts in TANTRANSCO.

REJECTION OF TENDERS:

1. Tenders will be SUMMARILY REJECTED if
 - a) The EMD requirements are not complied with.
 - b) Tenders received from black listed firm or contractor.
 - c) The bidders should quote for the specified area. The offer of bidders who have quoted for lesser quantity than the prescribed shall be summarily rejected.
2. Tender is liable for rejection if:
 - a) not covering the supply of equipment/ materials with all accessories.with validity period less than that specified in this specification.
 - b) not in conformity with TANTRANSCO's Commercial (Section IV) terms.
 - c) not signed by the tenderer.

- d) Received from a tenderer who is directly or indirectly connected with Government service or Board Service or services of local authority
 - e) from any black listed firm.
 - f) from a tenderer whose past performance/ vendor rating is not satisfactory.
 - g) Offer received by Telex/Telegram/Email/ Fax.
 - h) not containing all the required particulars as per schedules I to VII.
 - i) received after due date & time.
 - j) received from consortium of SSI Units.
 - k) if the offer is made for the lesser quantity and not for the quantity tendered.
 - l) The tenderer should furnish the GS TIN Nos. along with the offer. The offer of the bidders who have not furnished the GS TIN Nos. in the offer will be liable for rejection.
 - m) If the offer is made for the part of the material and not the whole of the material covered under the specification
3. In the event of the documents furnished with the offer being found to be bogus or the documents contain false particulars, the EMD paid by the tenderers will be forfeited in addition to blacklisting them for future tenders /contracts in TANTRANSCO/ TANGEDCO.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

1. The bidder should have proven experience in successful completion of similar works in TANTRANSCO/TANGEDCO during last five years and aware about the live substation safety conditions to undertake the specified work.
2. The experience as the main contractor shall only be considered for satisfying the experience criteria specified above. The experience as a subcontractor shall not be considered for qualifying the experience criteria specified above and offer of such tenderers shall be summarily rejected.
3. The tenderer should possess valid ESI, and EPF for his (or) her workmen.
4. The tenderer should possess valid GST IN Registration.

The tenderer should furnish the self-attested documentary evidence for the above.

INSTRUCTION TO TENDERERS

This tender will be processed as per the provisions in the Tami Nadu Transparency in Tender Act 1998 and Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tender Rules 2000 and subsequent amendments thereof are applicable to this Tender.

1.0 SCOPE OF WORK

- i) The scope of work (described in Schedule-A) covers Clearing of Light Jungle weeds in and around THE 110 YARD, OLD 230KV YARD AND NEW 230KV YARD AT 230 KV BASIN BRIDGE SUB-STATION. **1 times within 3 months (From October 26 to December 26)**, with weed cutting machines and required tools and consumables from prospective tenderer's part. The extent of area to be cleared is given in the schedule. The authority deserves the right to increase the extent during the rate contract period.
- ii) The Clearing of Light Jungle weeds in and around the 110KV yard, 230 KV Old yard and 230KV new yard at Basin Bridge 230KV substation 1 times within 3 months has to be done from the date of intimation by the field engineer.

2.0 SUBMISSION OF TENDER OFFER:

- i) The tenderer is expected to examine all instructions, Schedules and Annexures detailed in the Specification and submit the Schedule of Prices and other required particulars in the Schedules and Annexures called for in this Specification, only as per the formats prescribed herein.
- ii) This limited Tender Offer consisting of Schedules should be filled up and signed by the Tenderer or any person holding Power of Attorney authorizing him to sign on behalf of the Tenderer before submission of the Tender. The date of signature should invariably be indicated.
- iii) In the event of tender being submitted by other than a firm, it must be signed by a partner (copy of partnership deed should be enclosed) and in the event of the absence of any Partner, it shall be signed on his behalf by a person holding a Power of Attorney authorizing him to do so, Certified copies of which shall be given.
- iv) Tender submitted on behalf of companies registered under the Indian Companies Act, shall be signed by person duly authorized to submit the tender on behalf of the company and shall be accompanied by certified true copies of the resolutions, extracts of the Articles of Association, special or general Power of Attorney etc. to show clearly the title, authority and designation of persons signing the tender on behalf of the company.

3.0 Modifications/Clarifications to Tender Documents:

- i) At any time after the commencement of Limited Tender and before the closing of the event, TANTRANSCO may make any changes, modifications or amendments to the tender documents and same will be intimated to the concerned Vendors through corrigendum.
- ii) In case any tenderer asks for a clarification to the tender documents before 48 hours of opening of tenders, the Executive Engineer/Operation/ Central CMRL at 230KV Basin Bridge SS will clarify the same.
- iii) No clarifications will be entertained after the opening of the tender.
- iv) All tender offers shall be prepared by typing or printing in the formats enclosed with this specification.
- v) It shall not contain interlineations, erasures or overwriting except as necessary to correct errors made by the tenderer. Such erasures or other changes in the tender documents shall be attested by the persons signing the tender offer.

4.0 QUOTATION OF RATES:

- i) Rates should be quoted in figures i.e., integers only.
- ii) Offers giving lump sum price, without giving their reasonable breakup as per details required in the attached Price Schedule-A shall be liable for rejection.
- iii) Rates should include the rates for all the consumables, laborer's etc. and no extra cost will be given from TANTRANSCO for any claim.

5.0 TENDER OPENING: OPENING OF BID

The Tender offers will be opened at 15.00 Hrs. on the date notified at the Office of the Executive Engineer / Operation / Central CMRL at 230KV Basin Bridge SS, Chennai-600012 in the presence of tenderer's authorized representative who may wish to be present on the date of opening.

OPENING OF THE PRICE BIDS:

The Price Bids shall be opened on the same date of tender opening, Bidders who satisfy the conditions both technically and commercially only will be considered.

6.0 EVALUATION AND COMPARISON OF TENDER OFFERS:

- i) The tender offers received will be examined to determine whether they are in complete shape, all data required have been furnished, properly signed and generally in order and conforms to all the terms and conditions of the specification without any deviation.
- ii) The offers of the bidders, who have stated to be previously weed/jungle removing contractor to TANTRANSCO will be considered for further evaluation, even though they have not submitted the copies of purchase orders or End User Certificate, etc., after ensuring with concerned purchase orders placing authorities.
- iii) For the purpose of evaluation of the tender offers, the following factors will be taken into account for arriving at the evaluated price:
 - The quoted price shall be corrected for arithmetical errors. In case of discrepancy between the prices quoted in words and in figures, lower of the two shall be considered. The rate of CGST, SGST and IGST as applicable both in percentage and amount shall be indicated in the offer.
 - The evaluated price shall be arrived in compliance with the provisions of GST on the Transaction value.
 - Since GST is enacted wherein all taxes & duties are subsumed, price evaluation shall be inclusive of applicable GST in all cases, i.e. even if the bidders are only within the state or bidders are within the State and outside TN.
- iv) The bid evaluation will be done as per Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tender Act 1998 and Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tender Rules 2000 and its subsequent amendments till date.

7.0 VALIDITY:

The tender offer shall be kept valid for acceptance for period of **90 days** from the date of issue of acceptance order. The offers with lower validity period are liable for rejection. Further, the tenderer shall agree to extend the validity of the Bids without altering the substance and prices of their Bid for further periods, if any, required by the TANTRANSCO.

8.0 RIGHTS OF THE TANTRANSCO:

Notwithstanding anything contained in this Specification, the TANTRANSCO reserves the rights:

- 8.1 To vary the extent finally ordered to the extent of 25% indicated in the Tender document.
- 8.2 To split the Tendered Quantity and place orders on one or more than one firm as per the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tender Rules 2000 since the tendered work is

so vital in nature and the failure in execution would affect the day to day work nature.

- 8.3 To recover losses, if any, sustained by TANTRANSCO, from the weed/jungle removing contractor who pleads his inability to remove weeds/Jungle and backs out Of his obligation after award of contract. The security deposit paid shall, be forfeited and not keeping up the time schedule.
- 8.4 To vary the completion period based on the requirement and contingencies at the time of placing the Rate contract.
- 8.5 To accept the lowest eligible tender.
- 8.6 To reject any or all the tenders or cancel without assigning any reasons there for.
- 8.7 To relax or waive or amend any of the conditions stipulated in the tender Specification wherever deemed necessary in the best interest of the TANTRANSCO.
- 8.8 The TANTRANSCO reserves the right to request for any additional information and also reserves the right to reject or accept the proposal of any tenderer, if in the opinion of the TANTRANSCO, the qualification data is incomplete or in the opinion of the TANTRANSCO the bidder is found not qualified to satisfactorily perform the contract.

9.0 SPECIAL CONDITIONS

- i. The work shall be taken up immediately after execution of agreement and completed without delay. Period of completion of works in all respects is stipulated as **90 days** from the date of execution of agreement. Normally no extension will be granted beyond the stipulated period.
- ii. Income Tax payable on the contract amount at the appropriate rate levied from time to time will be deducted from payment to be made to the contractor in accordance to the provisions of the Income Tax Act 1981 and amended from time to time.
- iii. Tamil Nadu Detailed Standard Specification and I.S. Specification will be followed wherever applicable and in cases not covered by the individual specification attached.
- iv. Any discrepancy between schedule and specifications will have to be referred to the competent authority and his decision will be final.
- v. All tools required for the works including safety appliances like boots, goggles, gloves must be provided by the contractor himself.
- vi. The contractor will have no claim for suspension of work due to any cause whatsoever or inadequate work for his labour force.
- vii. As the 230KV Basin Bridge Substation is an energized one connected to the national grid, the contractor should create awareness among the workers about the supply and to work with caution inside the yard.
- viii. The contractor should indemnify the Board that any excess payment that may be found to have been made as a result of incorrect calculation or any excess payment detected in the light of discrepancies noticed subsequently will be refunded by the contractor to the Board without any demur together with costs, if any incurred by the Board.
- ix. Duty passes shall be issued against the individual name of the contract labor's with proper requisition of the contractor and only those persons will be allowed to work.
- x. During the course of execution of work, if a person meets with an accident, the contractor is solely responsible to compensate the individual for loss and details to be reported to TANTRANSCO. Risk factor in any form inside the Substation is vested with the contractor only.
- xi. No damage should be caused to Board's property and equipment's during execution of work. In the event of any damage caused the same should be set right at the cost of the contractor.
- xii. If the Contractor does not carry out the work up to the entire satisfaction of the Engineer in charge, of the station, the contract will be liable for termination without any reasons therefor. Also the contract is liable for termination at any time during the period of the

contract without assigning any reasons there for.

- xiii. **The tenderer should inspect the site and make out thorough assessment of the nature of the work and satisfy him before tendering. Any representations at a later date under any circumstances will not be entertained.**
- xiv. The work should be done carefully and without hindrance to other works carried out by Board in that area.
- xv. The workers shall confine themselves to the areas for which the works contract has been awarded as specified by the Engineer.
- xvi. The contractor should provide adequate safety appliance, Personal protective equipment (PPE), Drinking water, sanitizer, food and other consumables for which no claim from TANTRANSCO can be made.
- xvii. The Contractor should take care and ensure that law and rules are not violated while carrying out the work either by himself or by his labour.

COMMERCIAL

1.0 SCOPE:

- i. The scope of work (described in Schedule-A) covers Clearing of Light Jungle weeds in and around THE 110 YARD ,OLD 230KV YARD AND NEW 230KV YARD AT 230 KV BASIN BRIDGE SUB-STATION. **1 time within 3 months(From October 26 to December 26)** ,with weed cutting machines and required tools and consumables from prospective tenderer's part. The extent of area to be cleared is given in the schedule. The authority deserves the right to increase the extent during the rate contract period.
- ii. The clearing of light jungle, weeds and shrubs has to be done 1 time within 3 months time at 230kV Basin Bridge SS.
- iii. The Clearing of Light Jungle weeds in and around the 110KV YARD ,OLD 230KV YARD AND NEW 230KV YARD AT 230 KV BASIN BRIDGE SUB-STATION. 1 times within 3 months has to be done from the date of intimation by the field engineer.

2.0 PLACING OF ORDERS:

- i. It is not binding on the TANTRANSCO to accept the lowest or any tender. TANTRANSCO reserves the right to split and place orders for the items with different tenderers and for revising the quantities at the time of placing the orders.
- ii. The TANTRANSCO reserves the right to vary the quantity finally ordered to the extent of 25% either way of the requirement indicated in the tender documents.
- iii. The award of contract will be issued to the successful tenderer with all TANTRANSCO's terms and conditions, duly indicating the approved unit rates. The approved rates will be FIRM and valid for 180 days from the date of receipt of award of contract.

3.0 PRICE:

The Tenderers are requested to quote **for cost there on for complete work, employing labour for weed cutting machine and disposing the removed weeds and shrubs from the Substation premises, the hire charges for weed cutting machine for removing the light jungle and for the required consumables.**

- a) The details of price shall be entered in the appropriate boxes provided in Schedule A.
- b) GST. (Percentage and amount).

The bidders are requested to quote FIRM price only and variable price will not be accepted.

4.0 PERMANENT ACCOUNT NUMBER AND GSTIN NUMBER:

- i. The tenderer shall indicate the Permanent Account Number and shall attach the PAN copy and GSTIN of the firm with proof along with the tender.
- ii. The Tenderer should quote their rates taking into account the Goods and Service Tax relief available to them on account of duty paid for procurement of materials under Central Government and State Government scheme.

- iii. It is the responsibility of the Tenderer to make sure about the correct rates of tax leviable on the materials at the time of tendering. If the rates assumed by the Tenderers are less than the current rates prevailing at the time of tendering, the TANTRANSCO will not be responsible for the mistake.
- iv. The tenderer should quote their rates taking into account the (Input Tax Credit (ITC) relief available to them on account of GST already paid.
- v. The successful tenderer shall give an undertaking to the effect that if lower prices are offered to anyone else during the period of one year from the date of order, the same benefit shall be passed on to TANTRANSCO.

5.0 GOODS AND SERVICE TAX:

- i. The tenderers who opt for Composition Scheme shall submit the documentary evidence for having registered under Composition scheme and shall not claim GST in their Invoices.
- ii. The bidders should have registered under GST Act and furnish GSTIN. In the event of contractor is within TN, SGST & CGST shall apply and if the contractor is outside TN, IGST shall apply.
- iii. The Goods and Services Tax will be paid extra as applicable. The amount of CGST, SGST, and IGST as applicable shall be indicated in percentage payable and amount separately in the tender offer.
- iv. The TANTRANSCO has been registered as a dealer under GST Act 2017 (Registration No. 33AADCT4780AFZA). The GST Registration No of TANTRANSCO (for TDS) is 33CHET12024F1DI.
- v. In case of delayed work, the GST prevailing on the date of actual work or on the last day of the contractual work contract period whichever is LESS will be admitted. For both the cases, the supplier shall furnish documentary evidence while submitting the bills for payment.
- vi. It is the responsibility of the tenderer to make sure about the correct rates of GST leviable on the material at the time of tendering. If the rates assumed by the Tenderer are less than the current rates prevailing at the time of tendering, the TANTRANSCO Ltd will not be responsible for the mistake. If the rates assumed by the tenderer are higher than the current rates prevailing at the time of tendering, the rate prevailing at the time of tendering will only be paid.
- vii. Any increase in GST rate consequent to the contractors coming into different slab during the execution of the contract shall have to be taken into account and the all-inclusive firm price shall be quoted accordingly by the Tenderers. Any Variation in GST rate due to statutory Variation within the work contract period shall be considered by the TANTRANSCO Ltd.
- viii. GST @ 18% or as applicable from time to time will be applied and recovered on LD, forfeiture of EMD/SD. GST recovery on above is eligible for Input Tax Credit (ITC).
- ix. Tax Deducted at Source (TDS):
TDS on GST @ 2% or as applicable from time to time will be deducted on the taxable value for the private agencies.
TDS under GST will not be deducted in respect of the supply of Goods and Services of both from Public Sector Undertaking (i.e) any company in which not less than 51% of paidup share capital held by the Central Govt. or by any State Govt. Or Governments or partly by the Central Govt. and partly by one or more State Govt. and includes the company which is subsidiary of such a Government company.

6.0 RATES:

The contractor / firm should closely note all the specification clauses which govern the rates while he is tendering. The rates accepted **shall remain FIRM** for the entire duration of contract or any extension thereof. **The rates quoted should be inclusive of all incidental expenses for carrying out subject work. All the expenses to be incurred by contractor are required to be included to the extent they are charged for to**

arrive the contract value i.e. transaction value. The applicable GST shall be worked out on the transaction value only.

The benefit of Input Tax Credit (ITC) if any availed by the bidder shall be passed on to TANTRANSCO while quoting the price.

7.0 SCHEDULE FOR QUANTITIES:

- i. Only one schedule is enclosed to this tender specification and the rates should be written both in words and figures. The tenders shall be submitted in the same format without any alteration to the schedule.
- ii. The rate quoted in the schedule accompanying the tender shall be written legibly and free from errors, overwriting or conversion of figures, corrections, where unavoidable it should be made by crossing out, initialing, dating and rewriting. If any difference or corrections are noted, the rates given in the word / figures which is advantageous to the TANTRANSCO (i.e.) least offer only will be taken for consideration for the particular item of work.
- iii. The bid evaluation shall be done as per Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act 1998 and Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tender Rules 0.

iv. Since GST is enacted wherein all taxes & duties are subsumed, price evaluation shall be inclusive of applicable GST in all cases, i.e. even if the bidders are only within the State or bidders are within the State and outside TN.

8.0 PERIOD OF CONTRACT:

The period of contract is **Three months** for Clearing of Light Jungle weeds in and around the 110KV yard, Old 230KV yard and New 230KV Yard at Basin Bridge 230KV substation from the date of execution of agreement.

9.0 INSURANCE:

Contracting firms shall arrange insurance for the men and materials being supplied by them, through any of the Nationalized Insurance Companies. It will be the responsibility of the tenderer to make good the shortages and other losses in transit, free of cost, lodge and recover claim from insurance Under-writers/Carriers and accident for workers.

- i) The contractor should take "Accident Risk Insurance Policy" before taking over the site for taking up the work and also to satisfy, that the policy/policies is/are kept in force till the contract is completed and the works are taken over by the TANTRANSCO, on the issue of completion certificate.
- ii) Recoveries will be made from contractor's bills for any liability for the accidents and refund of the same considered later after the claims is fully settled by the Insurance authorities.

10.0 PAYMENT:

- i. Payment will be made in O/o Deputy Financial Controller/CEDC/Central /Chennai at the office of SE/CEDC/Central/Chennai within reasonable time after submission of the bills in complete shape. The Bank charges involved in making the payment will be deducted to the account of the Tenderer.
- ii. The bills in triplicate in complete shape for the works completed have to be submitted to the Executive Engineer/Operation /230KV Basin Bridge SS and the corresponding payment will be made by Deputy Financial Controller/GCC I/Chennai within reasonable time.
- iii. Payments will not be made for the work during transit. All left out areas shall be cleared by the contractor free of charge.
- iv. For the work done within the contractual period:
100% of the All-inclusive price will be paid within a reasonable time after the work done and submission of bills with required documents after deducting recoveries, if any.
- v. For the work done beyond the contractual period if accepted by the contractor 100% of

the all-inclusive price of the materials after deducting the appropriate amount of LD will be paid within a reasonable time after completion of work and submission of bills with required documents after deducting recoveries, if any.

- vi. For the delayed payments, if any, TANTRANSCO will not pay any interest on any account.
- vii. In cases of delayed completion of work, it will be accepted subject to the following conditions.
 - a) There should be no declining trend in prices.
 - b) Payment will be released as per the recent order rates or lowest rates obtained during the recent tenders opened subject to levy of liquidated damages for belated work.
 - c) TANTRANSCO reserves the right to accept or reject the delayed work without assigning any reason there for and take action as per the other terms and conditions of this specification.
100% payment for the bill claimed will be made only after the approval of the Executive Engineer/ Operation/230KV Central CMRL SS and on receipt of the contractor's bills in triplicate, by the DFC at the office of Superintending Engineer/CEDC/Central, Chennai after deducting the appropriate amount of LD.
- viii. The bills for payment will be passed only after the approval of the following:
 - a) Security Deposit cum Performance Guarantee for 5% value of the order.
 - b) K2 Agreement
 - c) Statutory Compliance Clearance Certificate.
- ix. The contractor shall carry out the work after executing the agreement with the Executive Engineer/ Operation / 230KV Basin Bridge SS, Chennai-12. If the contractor does the work without the prior approval of the concerned authority, then the authority shall not be responsible for any demurrage or wharf age or both and only the contractor should bear any expenditure arising out of such unapproved work.

11.0 SECURITY DEPOSIT CUM PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE:

- i. The Successful tenderer will have to furnish 5% of order value (All-inclusive price) as Security Deposit cum Performance Guarantee (including Earnest Money Deposit remitted) in the form of DD drawn in favour of **SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER OPERATION CHENNAI SOUTH TANTRANSCO**, payable at Chennai.
- ii. The successful tenderer will have to furnish the Security Deposit cum Performance Guarantee **within 7 days from the date of receipt of award of work**. The security deposit cum performance Guarantee will not carry any interest. **In the event of failure to remit security deposit within the prescribed period, EMD shall be forfeited and order will be cancelled. The award will be made to L2 tenderer.**
- iii. Failure to comply with the terms regarding Security Deposit Cum Performance Guarantee set out in the contract order within the stipulated time by the successful tenderer will entail in the cancellation of the contract without any further reference to the contractor.
- iv. The Security Deposit Cum Performance Guarantee will be refunded to the contractor after the completion of the entire work as mentioned in the scope of the work. Claim has to be made for the refund of Security Deposit Cum Performance Guarantee.
- v. If the TANTRANSCO incurs any loss or damages on account of breach of any of the clauses or any other amount arising out of the contract becomes payable by the contractor to the TANTRANSCO, then the TANTRANSCO will in addition to such other dues that he shall have under the law, appropriate the whole or part of the security deposit cum Performance Guarantee and such amount that is appropriated will not be refunded to the contractor.
- vi. **In the event of failure to remit security deposit within the prescribed period, EMD will be forfeited and the Work Order will be cancelled. The work order will be issued to L2 tenderer.**

12.0 COMPLETION OF WORKS:

- i. At the time of issuing acceptance order, based on the requirements and contingencies, TANTRANSCO has right to advance/postpone the work Schedule at the time of placing contract Order. Liquidated damages clause shall apply for belated completion. The period of completion is four months from the date of the execution of agreement.
- ii. TANTRANSCO reserves the right to cancel the order if the work was not carried out as per work schedule. TANTRANSCO also reserves the right to cancel the order if the work schedule is not kept up, without any further notice to the contractor.
- iii. To ensure quality without any interruption, TANTRANSCO reserves the right to place orders on more than one tenderer.
- iv. The TANTRANSCO will be at liberty to cancel the contract if the work is not made as per the time schedule specified, notwithstanding its right to claim liquidated damages for the belated completion of work. The defaulting contractors will be liable to pay to the TANTRANSCO in addition to the liquidated damages for delay.
- v. The actual date of completion of contract will be reckoned as the date of handing over the work area in complete shape after clearing of all the weeds and shrubs if any, for the purpose of calculation of liquidated damages in respect of the work.
- vi. The schedule for work period will not normally be extended. Hence, all efforts shall be taken to deliver and completely clear the light jungle and to remove weeds/ shrubs in and around 110KV yard, Old and New 230KV yard at Basin Bridge 230KV SS within the contractual period.

13.0 LIQUIDATED DAMAGES:

The work as specified should be guaranteed by the contractor under the Liquidated Damages Clauses given below:

- a) If the contractor fails to complete the work with materials within the time specified in the indent or any extension thereof, TANTRANSCO shall recover from the contractor as liquidated damages, a sum of half a percent (0.5%) of the All-inclusive cost of work with materials for each completed week of delay. The total liquidated damages shall not exceed ten percent (10%) of the work contract. The actual date of completion will be, reckoned as date of completion of work for this purpose. Liquidated damages will be done for the belated work. It is the responsibility of the contractors in time to keep up the work schedule in time.
- b) If work to be rendered against the Contract is made by the contractor beyond the period of contract period stipulated in the indent and if they are accepted by the TANTRANSCO, such acceptance is without prejudice to the TANTRANSCO's rights to levy liquidated damages for the delay in supply.
- c) The TANTRANSCO will also be at liberty to cancel the order if work is not completed as per the delivery/work schedule specified in the indent, notwithstanding its rights to claim liquidated damages for the belated work outstanding to be done as on the date of cancellation.
- d) The contractors are liable to pay the amount of loss sustained by the TANTRANSCO in the event of non-execution of orders, if any placed on them either in full or part to the satisfaction of the TANTRANSCO under the terms and conditions of contract and in the event of awarding the work on some others at a higher price.
- e) Tenderers not giving clear and specific acceptance to the above clauses are liable for rejection.
- f) If there is any downward trend in prices on account of belated work, the tenderers have to accept the same with the levy of liquidated damages, for belated completion of work.
- g) The defaulting contractors will be liable to pay to the TANTRANSCO in addition to Liquidated Damages for delay, the actual difference in price wherever TANTRANSCO orders the delayed work to be done/completed by other agencies at a higher cost.

14.0 FORCE MAJEURE:

The contractor shall not be liable for delay in performing his obligations resulting directly or from any force majeure conditions herein defined as:

- a) Any cause which is beyond the reasonable control of the contractor as the case may be natural phenomena, such as floods, drought, earthquakes and epidemics.
- b) Act of any Govt. Authority, domestic or foreign, such as wars declared or undeclared quarantines, embargoes licensing control on production or distribution restrictions.
- c) Accident and disruptions such as fire, explosion, increase in power cut with respect to date of tender opening, breakdown of essential machinery or equipment etc.
- d) Strikes, slow down, and lockouts.

e) Failure or delay in the contractor's execution of work due to force majeure causes enumerated at 'a' to 'd' above shall be considered, provided the contractor produces documentary evidence to show that there was no other alternative source of supply available to him or if available the lead time required was likely to be longer than the duration of the force majeure at the normal source of supply. All the provisions of this clause shall apply whether the disruption cause is total or partial in its effect upon the ability of the contractor to perform.

NOTE: The cause of force majeure condition will be taken into consideration only if the contractor notifies within 7 days from the occurrence of such eventualities. The purchaser shall verify the facts and grant such extension as the facts justify. For extension due to force majeure conditions, the contractor shall submit his representation with documentary evidence for scrutiny by the purchaser and decision of the purchaser shall be binding on the firm.

Provided that if the performance in whole or part by the contractor on any obligation under this contract is prevented or delayed by reasons of any eventuality for a period exceeding 60 days, the TANTRANSCO may at its option terminate the contract by a notice in writing. The Power cut shall not be considered under force majeure condition. The period of extension shall be decided only by the authority who placed the order, after verifying the evidence for the cause of delay.

15.0 GUARANTEE:

All area should be cleared up to the level of satisfaction of the field engineer without any area omission. No specific guarantee clause envisaged as the work nature is eradication of weeds/scrubs.

16.0 WORK SCHEDULE INSTRUCTIONS:

The details of work schedule will be furnished by the Executive Engineer/ Operation / 230KV Basin Bridge Substation.

17.0 LOSS OR DAMAGE:

- i. TANTRANSCO is not responsible for the occurrence of damage to contractor's equipment at site.
- ii. The contractor shall during the progress of the work, properly cover up and protect the worker from injury and shall take every reasonable, proper, timely and useful precaution against accident or injury to the same, from any cause and shall be and remain answerable and liable for all accidents or injuries there to which until the same, of occasioned by the acts or commissions of the contractor or his workmen or his subcontractor.
- iii. All the losses and damages to the equipment either in service or released equipment or new equipment kept in the yard for erection, arising from such accident or injuries as aforesaid shall be made good in the most complete and substantial manner by the contractor and at

the sole cost of the contractor and to the reasonable satisfaction of the Engineer. Failure to comply with the terms regarding security deposit set out in the purchase Order within the stipulated time by the successful tenderer will result in the cancellation of the purchase order with forfeiture of EMD without any further reference to the suppliers and order will be made to L2 tenderer. Belated payment of SD shall not be accepted.

18. K2 AGREEMENT

If the successful tenderer fails to execute necessary K2 Agreement within 15days on Rs.200/-Non-judicial stamp paper after his tender is accepted, the Earnest Money deposited will be forfeited. His backing out will be noted while considering any of his future tenders.

19. INDEMNITY BOND:

The successful tenderer should furnish the indemnity bond in a Non judicial stamp paper to a value of Rs.500/- in the following form before taking up the work.

I/We _____(contractor) do hereby indemnify the Executive Engineer/ Operation/ 230KV Basin Bridge SS. Chennai.12 against any damages, injury to person or equipment's or propertyresulting from any accident and agree to apply provisions of Workmen's compensation act and take steps to properly insure against any claims there under.

20. JURIDICION FOR LEGAL PROCEEDINGS:

No suit or any proceedings regard to any matter arising in any a spec under this contract shall be instituted in any court in the say City Court at Chennai or the court of Small Causes at Chennai. It is agreed to, that no other court shall have jurisdiction, to entertain suit or proceedings, even-though the part of cause of action might arise within their jurisdiction. In case of any part of the cause of action might arise within the jurisdiction of any court of Tamil Nadu State and rest within the jurisdiction of courts outside. Tamil Nadu and not in the court of Chennai City, then it is agreed to, between two parties that such suits or proceedings, shall be instituted with in the State of Tamil Nadu and no other court outside the State of Tamil Nadu shall have jurisdiction, even though any part of the cause of the action might arise within the jurisdiction of such court.

The successful tenderer shall furnish an undertaking in a non- judicial stamp paper of Rs.200/- for agreeing to the above condition.

21.0 RESPONSIBILITY:

The Tenderer is responsible for completion of work within four months in the destination station satisfactorily. All risks connected with the tendered work should be borne by the contractor.

22.0 FAILURE TO EXECUTE THE CONTRACT:

Contractors failing to execute the order placed on them to the satisfaction of the TANTRANSCO under the terms and conditions set forth therein, will be liable to make good the loss sustained by the TANTRANSCO, consequent to the placing of fresh orders elsewhere at higher rate, i.e. the difference between the price accepted in the contract already entered into and the price at which fresh orders have been placed. This is without prejudice to the imposition of penalty under the Liquidated Damages clause.

23.0 NON-ASSIGNMENT:

The contractor shall not assign or transfer the contract or any part thereof without the prior approval of the authority.

24.0 EFFECTING OF RECOVERIES:

Any loss, arising due to non-fulfilment of this contract or any other contract, will be recovered from the Security Deposit held and / or any other amount due to the contractor from the TANTRANSCO from this Contract as well as from other contracts.

25.0 RECOVERIES OF DUES:

The TANTRANSCO is empowered to;

- i) Recover any dues against this contract in any bills/Security Deposit/ Earnest Money Deposit due to the contractor either in this contract or any other contract with TANTRANSCO.
- ii) Recover any dues against any other contracts of the contractor with TANGEDCO/TANTRANSCO, with the available amount due to the contractor against this contract.

26.0 CONSUMABLES:

It is the responsibility of the tenderer to make his own arrangement to procure the necessary consumables required for the work and availing tools and plants required for the work.

27.0 INCOME TAX PERMANENT ACCOUNT NUMBER, TIN NUMBER, EPF & ESI No:

The tenderers should furnish the permanent Account number issued by Income tax Department with the Tender. The tenderer shall furnish the GST, TIN Number, EPF & ESI number along with the proof in the tender.

28.0 ARBITRATION ACT NOT TO APPLY:

The TANTRANSCO will not accept any arbitration in case of disputes arising in any respect under this contract. Any dispute arising out of this contract shall not be subject to arbitration under the provisions of Arbitration and Conciliation Act 1996 in the event of any dispute between the parties.

29.0 PAST PERFORMANCE:

The intending tenderers shall furnish the documentary evidence with details of work Awarding Orders executed during the last one year in the proforma enclosed in the Tender Specification as per Schedule-C. The details furnished by the tenderers shall be incomplete shape and if it is found that any information is found omitted, suppressed, incomplete or incorrect, the same will be taken note of while dealing with the tenders in future.

30.0 QUANTITY ALLOCATION:

At the time of issuing contract for the materials and work, TANTRANSCO reserves the right to allocate the work after ensuring the capacity, ability of supply, work offered and past performance.

GENERAL.

1.0 SCOPE :

The scope of work (described in Schedule-A) covers Clearing of Light Jungle weeds in and around THE 110 YARD ,OLD 230KV YARD AND NEW 230KV YARD AT 230 KV BASIN BRIDGE SUB-STATION.**1 time within 3 months(From October 26 to December 26)** ,with weed cutting machines and required tools and consumables from prospective tenderer's part. The extent of area to be cleared is given in the schedule. The authority deserves the right to increase the extent during the rate contract period. The clearing of light jungle, weeds and shrubs in and around THE 110 YARD ,OLD 230KV YARD AND NEW 230KV YARD AT 230 KV BASIN BRIDGE SUB-STATION. has to be done from the date of intimation by the field engineer.

2.0 LOCATION: 230KV Basin Bridge SS, TANTRANSCO, Pulianthope, Chennai – 600 012.

3.0 SCHEDULE: The Price bid may be sent or handed over to the office of the Executive Engineer/ Operation /230KV Central CMRL **at 230KV Basin Bridge SS, TANTRANSCO,** Pulianthope, Chennai – 600 012 before the due date and time.

GENERAL CONDITION:

- a) All other technical specification, not specifically covered by this individual specification, the Tamil Nadu practice shall be followed.
- b) All works shall be carried out with skilled workers. The work shall be done as per IS code in practice.
- c) The machines/materials to be used for the work shall be got approved by the Executive Engineer/ Operation /230KV Basin Bridge SS well before the commencement of work.
- d) The work shall be carried out strictly as per safety norms without causing any damages to other structures. If any damage caused to the existing structures, the same to be rectified by the contractor at his own cost and to the satisfaction of Engineer in charge of work.

Executive Engineer/
Operation 230KV Central
CMRL 230 KV Basin
Bridge SS,
Chennai-600012.

Copy submitted to the Superintending Engineer/Operation/South/ Taramani/Chennai-113
Copy to The Accounts Officer, O/o SE/Operation/South/Chennai
It is requested to be present during the opening of tenders.