

**INDIAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE CULTIVATION OF SCIENCE
2A & 2B, RAJA S. C. MULLICK ROAD, JADAVPUR, CALCUTTA 700 032, INDIA**

Tender Notice No: SPEC/PCS/14/34 dated : 12/08/2014

Sealed limited tender in two bid system is invited from bonafide, resourceful and eligible manufacturers/exclusive distributors for “**UV-Visible Spectrophotometer**”.

Technical Bid of the tender should contain technical details and commercial terms and conditions and **Price Bid** should indicate group-wise price as mentioned in the Technical Bid where applicable. The Technical Bid and Price bid are to be submitted in two separately sealed envelopes distinctly marked accordingly and both to be put inside another envelope, which should be sealed and super scribed with tender notice no. and due date. The bidders may submit bids duly signed in their own letterheads.

Complete tender bids should reach the office of the **Spectroscopy Department, Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, 2A & 2B Raja S. C. Mullick Road, Jadavpur, Kolkata 700032** on or before the scheduled date & time specified below.

Tender Notice Number	SPEC/PCS/14/34 dated 12/08/2014
Last date and time of submitting tender	8th September, 2014 (11-00 AM)
Pre Bid Meeting	1st September, 2014 (3-00 P.M.)
Date and time of opening tender	8th September 2014 (3-00 P.M)
Place of opening Tender	Office, Department of Spectroscopy
Contact	sppcs@iacs.res.in

The **Technical bids** will be opened first to evaluate the technical specifications of the equipment there after the **Price bids** of only technically qualified bidders will be opened.

Technical Bid Evaluation:

The Technical Bids will be evaluated in the presence of the representatives of intending bidders who will be able to clarify technical aspects of their bids, if any, required by the technical evaluation team.

Opening of price bid

The Price Bids of the bidders qualifying the technical bid will only be opened, the date of which will be intimated to the short-listed bidders at their email addresses. The rest of the bids will stand rejected.

Please note that IACS will not provide any accommodation or expenses to any of the bidders for attending pre-bid meeting or opening of technical bids.

1. TECHNICAL BID:

The Technical Bid should contain technical specifications and kept in a separate envelope duly super scribed as Technical Bid on the outer side of the envelope as detailed above.

- Dual beam UV-Vis spectrophotometer required with central PC control using Windows based user interface
- Full wavelength range of the instrument to be covered using a single light source. Preferably High Throughput XENON LAMP
- SCAN speed should be very high.>15000nm/min preferable
- Czerny-Turner Monochromator
- Wave length Range: 190-1100nm
- 1.5nm or better spectral bandwidth
- Supplied with Scanning quantitative analysis facility oriented software
- Room light immunity to analysis

Warranty: Twelve months against any manufacturing defect.

Installation: Free of Cost

Training: Free of Cost

User list: The supplier should provide a list of current users (with contact no, Email address etc) for the quoted item in India.

Technical compliance chart should be provided in the following format*

Sr. No.	Tender specification	Your offered instrument specification	Extent of compliance

*Tender will not be accepted if the technical compliance chart is not provided following the above format

Service facility: Suppliers should mention their details of service setups which would be responsible for after sales support. Response time should be within 24 hours..

2. PRICE BID:

The price bid indicating price for the item (s) mentioned in the technical bid should be kept in a separate sealed envelope duly super scribed as “**PRICE BID**” on the outer cover of the envelope as already detailed above. The price bids of only technically qualified bidders will be opened and they will be intimated the date and time of opening at their email ids. Rest of the bids will stand rejected.

PRICE: Price to be quoted both on FOB/CIF basis. Name of the particular Port from where our authorized forwarder will lift the consignment must be mentioned clearly with FOB price.

3. PERFORMANCE SECURITY:

An Account Payee Demand Draft of 10% of the order value in the name of "Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science" is to be furnished by the successful bidder as "Performance Security" money in INR. Performance security money should remain valid for a period of 60 (sixty) days beyond the date of completion of all contractual obligations of the supplier including warranty obligations.

4. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Submitting Tender: The Tender must contain materials related to these specifications only. The technical bid should not have any mention of pricing. The prices should be inclusive of all charges (taxes/duties as applicable, shipping charges, delivery at site, installation etc.) with clearly indicated breakups. Tender sent through FAX or Email will not be accepted.
2. Incomplete & conditional tenders and tenders received after the due date will be summarily rejected without assigning any reasons thereof.
3. Tender Notice Number and tender for **UV-Visible Spectrophotometer** " should clearly be written on the envelope
4. At any time prior to the bid due date, IACS may, for any reason, whether at its own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by a prospective bidder during pre-bid meeting, modify the bidding documents. The amendment(s) will be notified on the Institute website.
5. Prospective bidders are advised to occasionally visit the website (www.iacs.res.in/tender) for any amendment.
6. Payment: 100% against delivery and successful installation or in advance for the foreign vendors subject to submission of performance guarantee by their Indian agents
7. Warranty: Minimum one year from the date of Installation.
8. Installation/Demonstration/Application Training at site: Free of cost by the supplier
9. Service facility: Suppliers should mention their details of service setups and Manpower in Kolkata would be responsible for after sales support. Response time should be within 24 hours.
10. Validity of tender: Tender submitted shall remain valid at least for three months from the date of opening the tender. Validity beyond three months from the date of opening of the tender shall be by mutual consent.
11. The tender should accompany a compliance chart.
12. The rate should be inclusive of all taxes, transportation etc. Nothing extra will be paid in addition to the quoted rate.
13. The model number, make, and a printed literature of the product shall submit positively.

14. Proposed delivery schedule should be mentioned clearly.
15. Manufacturers/exclusive distributors/vendors should have history of supplying this type of instrument to this or other Scientific Organizations.
16. Authorized Dealership Certificate is must in case of principal manufacturing company is not quoting directly.
17. Guarantee certificate, users manuals etc. are to be handed over to the user after successful commissioning of the system.
18. In the event of date being declared a closed holiday for purchaser's office, the due date for submission of bids and opening of technical bids will be the following working day at the appointed time.
19. In case of any dispute, the decision of the Institute authority shall be final and binding on the bidders.
20. For any clarification regarding technical specifications, etc. please send your queries to Dr. Prashant Chandra Singh at sppcs@iacs.res.in.
21. The Institute reserves the right to reject any or all of the tenders received without assigning any reason thereof.