

**Government of India
Ministry of External Affairs
(Diaspora Engagement Division)**

**Kartavya Bhawan-03, New Delhi
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CORRIGENDUM-III

Tender reference number Q/DE/11014/05/2024(A) and Tender Id. 2026_MEA_893685_1 dated 02.02.2026

Subject: Request For Proposal (RFP) for selection of an IT company for Design, Development maintenance and updation of a new website for Pravasi Bharatiya Divas (PBD) Convention.

In partial modification of the RFP bearing Tender id. 2026_MEA_893685_1 dated 02.02.2026, the following amendments may kindly be noted:

Request for Proposal (RFP):

Mandatory Security Features point 11: The selected agency shall be responsible for provisioning, hosting, operating, and maintaining the portal on infrastructure hosted on a MeitY empanelled Cloud Service Provider (CSP) with data centers located in India. The agency has to give support to the Division for hosting and deployment of the web portal and application. After development, the agency has to get the security audit of source code from a CERT-In empanelled agency. Security Audit and SSL have to be implemented on the portal domain/URL for 2 years.

Turnover (Para 6.1.3): The Bidder's turnover should be more than Rs. 75,00,000/- (Rupees Seventy Five Lakh Only) average over the last five years among FYs viz., 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24, 2024-25 and 2025-26. A certificate to this effect from Chartered Accountant must be submitted. In case of MSMEs/ Startups/ SHGs, the quantum of turnover per annum will be relaxed to the extent of Rs. 49,00,000/-.

Financial Stability (Para 6.1.4): Bidder should have a positive net worth for any of five years among these financial years 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24, 2024-25 and 2025-26.

Work Record & Minimum Workforce: (Para 6.1.7): The Bidder should have completed at-least 5 orders for website development during the past five years i.e., 2021 – 2026, with valuation of each order not less than Rs. 7,00,000/-.

Earnest Money Deposit (Para 6.1.8): Bidders are required to submit bid Security of Rs 5,00,000/- (Earnest Money Deposit) without which 'Financial Bid' will not be opened.

Technical proposal (Para 7.1.3): The agency should hold a valid CMMI level 5 certificate or a CMMI level 3 plus an **ISO 27001:2022**. The certification is to be valid at least till go-live.

Document Proof: Copy of valid CMMI certification and ISO 27001-2022 to be submitted only if the bidder has a CMMI level 3 certification. CMMI certificate should be issued from the CMMI Institute only.

Technical proposal (Para 7.1.4): Proof of Agency's turnover for any of the 5 years among FYs viz., 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24, 2024-25 and 2025-26.

Document/Proof: A certificate to this effect from Chartered Accountant in original must be submitted. Copies of Income Tax Returns for any of the 5 years among FYs 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24, 2024-25 and 2025-26.

Technical proposal (Para 7.1.7)- Document/Proof: Copies of purchase orders in any of the five years among FYs 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24, 2024-25 and 2025-26 and linked satisfactory completion certificates may be submitted as supporting documents.

The amendments are mandatory requirements for qualification of the bid documents. Interested bidders may kindly like to revisit their bids.

(BY ORDER)