

propose any alternative in the works specified in the said form of invitation to tender or in the time allowed for carrying out the work, or which contain any other conditions, will be liable to rejection. No printed form of tender shall include a tender for more than one work, but if contractor wish to tender for two or more works, they shall submit a separate tender for each.

The envelope containing the tender documents shall refer the name and number of the work.

6. All works shall be measured by standard instruments according to the rules.
7. Bidders shall provide evidence of their eligibility as and when requested by the Procuring Agency.
8. Any bid received by the Agency after the deadline for submission of bids shall be rejected and returned unopened to the bidder.

9. Prior to the detailed evaluation of bids, the Procuring Agency will determine whether the bidder fulfills all codal requirements of eligibility criteria given in the tender notice such as registration with tax authorities, registration with PEC (where applicable), turnover statement, experience statement, and any other condition mentioned in the NIT and bidding document. If the bidder does not fulfill any of these conditions, it shall not be evaluated further.

10. Bid without bid security of required amount and prescribed form shall be rejected.

11. Bids determined to be substantially responsive shall be checked for any arithmetic errors. Arithmetical errors shall be rectified on the following basis;

- (A) **In case of schedule rates**, the amount of percentage quoted above or below will be checked and added or subtracted from amount of bill of quantities to arrive the final bid cost.
- (B) **In case of item rates**, If there is a discrepancy between the unit rate and the total cost that is obtained by multiplying the unit rate and quantity, the unit rate shall prevail and the total cost will be corrected unless in the opinion of the Agency there is an obvious misplacement of the decimal point in the unit rate, in which case the total cost as quoted will govern and the unit rate corrected. If there is a discrepancy between the total bid amount and the sum of total costs, the sum of the total costs shall prevail and the total bid amount shall be corrected.
- (C) Where there is a discrepancy between the amounts in figures and in words, the amount in words will govern.

