

MINUTES OF PRE-BID MEETING FOR HOSTING COLOCATION FACILITY FOR DATA CENTRE

RFP Ref.: LIC/CO/IT-DT/PVM/COLOCATION/2024-25/1 dated 12.08.2024 Co-Location: Navi Mumbai / MMR and

RFP Ref.: LIC/CO/IT-DT/PVM/COLOCATION/2024-25/2 dated 12.08.2024 Co-Location: Bengaluru

The pre-bid meeting for aforesaid 2 RFPs was held on **20.08.2024 at 11.00 a.m.** at 3rd Floor, Conference Hall, IT/DT Department, Jeevan Seva Annex, Santacruz (West), Mumbai.

Following representatives from prospective bidders attended pre-bid meeting in person:

Sl. No.	Name of the person	Name of the organization
1	Mr. Akash Sinha	Sify Corp
2	Mr. Virendra Singh	Ctrls
3	Mr. Avaneesh Tiwari	Global data Centre
4	Mr. Anil Gawli	Webworks
5	Mr. Kaushal Vedant	Webworks
6	Mr. Chandan Gupta	Webworks
7	Mr. Dinesh Baskaran	Yotta

Following representatives from prospective bidders attended pre-bid meeting through Webex meeting link:

Sl. No.	Name of the person	Name of the organization
1	Mr. Rohit Boralkar	Sify Corp
2	Mr. Ravi	Ctrls
3	Mr. Akash Sidhwani	STTE
4	Mr. Venu Manohar	NTT
5	Mr. Amol	NTT
6	Mr. Vishal Pawale	ESDS
7	Mr. Sameer	Yotta

8	Ms Khushboo Shah	Cyfuture
9	Mr. Palagiri Mohammed	Cyfuture
10	Mr. Rohan Tiwari	NTT
11	Mr. Rahul	Yotta
12	Ms Pooja Kale	ESDS
13	Mr. Avadut	ESDS

Attendees in person

(LIC of India)

1. Mr. Satyawan Mahankal (Secretary, IT/SD)
2. Mr. Pramod Kumar (Project Leader/Dy. Secretary, IT/SD)
3. Mrs. Vaishali Walawalkar (Deputy Secretary, IT/DT)
4. Mr. John Varghese (Asstt. Secretary, IT/SD)
5. Mr. Nilesh Soman (Asstt. Secretary, IT/SD)

Attendees through Webex

(LIC of India)

1. Mr. Diwakar Shrimali (Asstt. Secretary, IT/DT)
2. Mr. Parag Deshmukh (AO, IT/SD)

Mr. Satyawan Mahankal, Secretary (IT/SD) welcomed all participants. Thereafter, Mr. Pramod Kumar gave detailed information about SOW, Eligibility Criteria, Technical evaluation etc. related to RFPs floated on 12.08.2024 for hosting LIC's infrastructure at proposed Data Centre at Navi Mumbai/MMR location and at Bengaluru location. All other officials from LIC also gave additional inputs.

Some of the prospective bidders already submitted pre-bid queries as per the given in the RFP. As per RFP, prospective bidders are allowed to submit queries till 21.08.2024.

Following are some of the important points covered in the pre-bid meeting:

- 1) Clarifications were shared for pre-bid queries submitted by some of the prospective bidders through mail and also for queries asked during pre-bid meeting.
- 2) Urgency of procurement of desired rack space was informed to the participants and it was informed to them that due to urgency, **no extension for submission of bids will be given to prospective bidders.**
- 3) Regarding RFP terms and conditions, prospective bidders are advised to be guided by RFP.

The representatives from prospective bidders were satisfied about clarifications given by LIC for their queries asked during pre-bid meeting and assured that they will submit additional queries as per format till 21.08.2024 as mentioned in the RFP.

The pre-bid meeting ended at 1.00 p.m. with vote of thanks.