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Technical Evaluation Report for "Selection of Suitable Partner for Re-designing, Constructing and Equipping 5 Health Facilities into fully functioning FRUs in Meghalaya" by the Tender **Evaluation Committee** 

#### Important Dates:

SN	RFP Details	Date	Remarks	
1			The RFP was advertised in Local, Garo and	
	Advertised	9th June, 2023	English Newspaper and one National	
			Newspaper	
2	Extended Submission	15th July, 2023 by		
	Date	2:00 PM		
3	Opening of Technical	15th July, 2023 at		
	Proposal	2:30 PM		
4	Presentation	25-07-2023	9.30 Am to 10.00 Am	

#### **Objective of the Project:**

Maternal Health Division, Department of Family Welfare, Ministry of Health & Family, Government of India in 2004 had issued guidelines for operationalizing FIRST REFERRAL UNITS (FRUs) for strengthening Emergency Obstetric and Child Health care at the First Referral Units which are equipped to provide full range of Emergency Obstetric and New-born Care on a round-the-clock basis in addition to all emergencies that any hospital is required to provide. In the wake of increasing need to reduce maternal mortality rate, improving health interventions to hard-to-reach areas, improving health indicators and immunization in communities, setting up of FRUs has become extremely important.

NHM received a total of 3 Proposals (Technical & Financial in separate envelopes) for the above mentioned assignment, ie, 15th July, 2023. Only Technical Proposal was opened on the same date. Sealed Financial Proposals were kept separately until the opening of the Financial Proposal Date is announced.

SN	Name of Participant/ Firm		
1	M/s Sandor Medicaids Pvt Ltd, 8-2-326/5, Road No. 3, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad – 500034		
2	Shri. S.N. Beriwal, Howell Road, Laban, Shillong – 04, Meghalaya		
3	Arengh Medical Supplier, Lower Chandmari, West Garo Hills, Tura – 794001, Meghalaya		



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#### The 3 RFPs were jointly analyzed based on the below mentioned criteria as per RFP

SN	Criteria	Marks		
1	The Bidder has experience in health-related construction and	a. 03 – 05 years = 10 marks		
	designing works in minimum last three (3) years, prior to the	b. > 05-07 years = 12 marks		
	bid submission deadline in private or public sector	c. > 7 years= 15 marks		
	The Bidder has experience in supply of medical equipment in	d. 03 – 05 years = 10 marks		
	minimum last three (3) years, prior to the bid submission	e. > 05-07 years = 12 marks		
	deadline in private or public sector	f. > 7 years= 15 marks		
	Average Annual Turnover of the Organization in any three	a. Rs. 2 crores – Rs.5 crores =		
	financial years out of last five financial years ending March	10 marks		
13		b. > Rs. 5 crores - Rs.7 crores =		
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	12 marks		
	statement certified by a practicing Chartered Accountant shall	c. > Rs. 7 crores = 15 marks		
	also be considered acceptable.)	1000/ 15 000/ 10 500/ 5		
4	OEM Authorisation for Equipment	100% =15, 80%=10, 50%=5, <50%=0		
	A minimum number of two similar contracts (as per scope of	NO 70-0		
	work) that have been satisfactorily and substantially completed	a. Two Projects = 15 marks		
	as a prime contractor, joint venture member, management			
		b. > Two Projects = 20 marks		
	FY 22-23] prior to bid submission	·		
6	Detailed Project Presentation on the understanding of the			
	assignment, any pre-feasibility assessment conducted on field,			
	design & reorientation plan and execution methodology.	Full Marks – 20 marks		
	(Marks will be allotted to the bidders on the basis of their			
	presentation to the O/O Mission Director, NHM, and it shall be			
	based on the evaluation of the Department) maximum no of			
	slides should not exceed more than 5 slides with a maximum			
	time allotment of 15 minutes.			
	TOTAL	100		

- 1. On the basis of the first 5 criteria of the Evaluation, Shri. S.N. Beriwal's bid was rejected since he scored only 37. The committee decided not to invite them for the presentation since it would not have made any difference to their overall score since the minimum mark for qualifying technical was kept at 60 out of 100.
- 2. It was decided to invite only M/s Sandor Medicaids Pvt Ltd and Arengh Medical Supplier for giving a detailed presentation on the following parameters on 25th July, 2023 from 9:30 AM to 10:00AM.

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#### 1) Understanding of the Assignment:

- (a) Please articulate your understanding of the overall objective of this assignment
- (b) Describe your perception of the desired outcomes and deliverables.

#### 2) Pre Feasibility Assessment Conducted on Field:

- (a) Present the results of any pre-feasibility studies or assessments you have conducted on the project site or relevant areas.
- (b) Discuss the key findings and how they have influenced your project plan, designing and reorientation plan (if any).

#### 3) Execution Methodology:

- (a) Detail the step-by-step approach you intend to follow during project execution.
- (b) Highlight key milestones, timelines, and resource allocation.
- 3. Over and above the given criteria and on the basis of the presentation given by the two potential firms, the committee also meticulously reviewed the entire proposal, drawings, methodology, adherence to equipment requirement and other relevant suggestions by the vendor that aligns with the project requirements through the presentation and the materials submitted. The accompanying drawings were also thoroughly examined.
- 4. Furthermore, the committee also took into account the valuable insights and recommendations provided by both the vendors. These suggestions were critically evaluated to gauge their potential in enhancing the proposal's overall quality and efficacy. The committee members weighed each vendor's input in the context of the project's unique requirements, striving to ensure that the final decision would lead to the most favorable outcomes. An analysis of strengths and weaknesses of both the firms are listed below:

SN	Firm Name	Strengths	Weakness
		1. Proactive approach of	
Ш		visiting all five health facilities	
Ш		and conducting a thorough	
Ш		assessment. This hands-on	
Ш		evaluation indicates their	
Ш		commitment to understanding	
Ш		the specific needs and	
Ш		challenges of each facility,	
Ш		which is crucial for tailoring	1. Finalization of a Local Contractor:
		solutions accordingly.	The lack of a finalized local contractor

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Deep Understanding of for construction raises concerns about the Assignment: The vendor's the vendor's ability to efficiently strong grasp of the project's manage on-site operations. Engaging requirements showcases their a local contractor can often lead to expertise in the field. Their insmoother project execution, local depth understanding ensures expertise, and better integration with that they are well-equipped to regional regulations and practices. Medicaids Pvt address the complexities and 2. Extended Project Timeline: The intricacies of the assignment vendor's request for a 4-month effectively. completion time frame instead of the 3. Adherence to NABH desired 3 months indicates a potential Guidelines and Redesign delay in project delivery. Proposals: The focus on Incomplete Equipment adhering to NABH guidelines Certifications: The vendor has only highlights the vendor's provided certificates for 24 out of the dedication to delivering quality 34 listed equipment items. healthcare infrastructure. Moreover, their emphasis on redesigning all facilities to meet these standards demonstrates their commitment to providing stateof-the-art and compliant OTs and FRUs 1. Local Registered Supplier with Vast Experience: The fact that the vendor is a local registered supplier with Lack of Clarity on Air Filtration extensive experience in both provide clear and satisfactory construction and supplying medical equipment to government hospitals is a up OTs raises concerns about their major advantage. Their local presence ensures better understanding of crucial safety and

coordination and understanding of regional regulations and requirements. Moreover, their vast experience implies a well-

Compliances: The vendor's inability to explanation regarding the adherence to air filtration compliances for setting hygiene measures. This lack of clarity of the concept defeats the purpose of setting up a standard OT as per NABH OT Guidelines which is the main focus point of NHM. The vendor is also

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established track record and familiarity with best practices, increasing the likelihood of successful project execution. visiting all five health facilities and conducting a thorough assessment. This hands-on evaluation indicates their commitment to understanding the specific needs and challenges of each facility. which is crucial for tailoring solutions accordingly. Submission of OEM Certificates: The vendor's for all 34 listed equipment is a significant strength. These certificates validate the authenticity and quality of the equipment, assuring that the reliable and compliant machinery. 3. Commitment to Timely

Project Completion: The vendor's commitment to completing the project within the desired 3-month timeline, barring unforeseen circumstances, is a notable strength.

depending on the inputs to be provided by a Hospital Consultant which they are proposing to hire.

- **Unclear Equipment Proposals:** 2. Local Proactive approach of Although OEM certificates were submitted, the vendor failed to clearly specify which equipment was being proposed for the project. This lack of clarity could lead to misunderstandings and difficulties in evaluating the suitability and compatibility of the equipment with the project's requirements.
- Limited Redesigning Proposals: The absence of major redesigning proposals for any of the five health submission of OEM certificates facilities, despite submitting AutoCAD designs, suggests a lack of innovation and problem-solving in their lapproach.
- Insufficient Description of Guideline Adherence in Drawings: The healthcare facilities will receive vendor's failure to provide a clear description of how their drawings adhere to relevant guidelines raises doubts about their attention to detail and compliance with industry regulations.
  - Recommended for construction of new building units (G+1)
- 5. On the basis of the above observations made by the committee, following points are allotted to each of the firms:
  - a. M/s Sandor Medicaids Pvt Ltd 71 out of 100. Technical Score with 80% weightage makes it 57.
  - b. Arengh Medical Supplier 74 out 100. Technical Score with 80% weightage makes it 59.

#### (Detail Scoring is attached at ANNEXURE1)

6. The evaluation committee, having found both firms to be technically qualified, recommends proceeding to open the Financial Bids of both parties. However, the committee strongly advises conducting a meticulous evaluation of the Financial Bids to ensure alignment between the equipment lists proposed by both firms and the specific requirements of NHM. This thorough assessment is essential to prevent any potential confusions during the issuance of Work Orders and the signing of the Agreement at a later stage.

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#### **ANNEXURE 1**

	RFP for Selection of Suitable Partner for Re-designing, Constructing and Equipping 5 Health Facilities into fully functioning FRUs in Meghalaya			Participating Firms		
			1	2	3	
SI no	Criteria	MARKS	SN BERIWAL	ARENGH	SANDOR	
1	The Bidder has experience in health related construction and designing works in minimum last three (3) years, prior to the bid submission deadline in private or Public sector	a. 03 – 05 years = 10 marks b. > 05-07 years = 12 marks c. > 7 years= 15 marks	12	15	10	
2	The Bidder has experience in supply of medical equipment in minimum last three (3) years, prior to the bid submission deadline in private or public sector	a. 03 – 05 years = 10 marks b. > 05-07 years = 12 marks c. > 7 years= 15 marks	0	15	10	
3	Average Annual Turnover of the Organization in any three financial years out of last five financial years ending March 2023(In case where audited result for the last preceding financial year is not available, provisional/unaudited financial statement certified by a practicing Chartered Accountant shall also be considered acceptable.)	a. Rs. 2 crores – Rs.5 crores = 10 marks b. > Rs. 5 crores - Rs.7 crores = 12 marks c. > Rs. 7 crores = 15 mark	15	15	15	
4	OEM Authorisation for Equipment	100% =15 ,80%=10, 50%=5	10	15	5	
5	A minimum number of two similar contracts (as per scope of work) that have been satisfactorily and substantially completed as a prime contractor, joint venture member, management contractor or sub- contractor in last five years [FY 17-18 to FY 22-23] prior to bid submission	a. Two Projects = 15 marks b. > Two Projects = 20 marks	0	0	15	
6	Detailed Project Presentation on the understanding of the assignment, any pre-feasibility assessment conducted on field, design & reorientation plan and execution methodology. (Marks will be allotted to the bidders on the basis of their presentation to the O/O Mission Director, NHM, and it shall be based on the evaluation of the Department) maximum no of slides should not exceed more than 5 slides with a maximum time allotment of 15 minutes.	Full Marks – 20 marks	0	14	16	
	GRAND TOTAL	100	37	<b>7</b> 4	71	
	80%	80	29.6	59.2	56.8	

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