

Bharat Sanchar Nigam Ltd. (A Govt. of India Enterprise)

EoI for empanelment of

System Integrator for Establishment of
Customer's Private Network Establishment (CPNE)
on Turnkey basis through
System / Network Integrators (SIs)

Enterprise Business Cell, Telangana Telecom Circle



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NOTICE INVITING EOI (EXPRESSION OF INTEREST) For Empanelment of System Integrator for Customer's Private Network Establishment (CPNE) on turnkey basis through System / Network Integrators (Sis).

Sealed EOIs are invited by the Chief General Manager Telecom, Telangana Circle, Hyderabad-500001 on behalf of BSNL from eligible bidders for Empanelment of System Integrator for establishment and maintenance of Customer's Private Network. The empanelment shall be applicable for a period of five years.

| 1. | Name of Work | Empanelment of System Integrator for Customer's Private |
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| | | Network Establishment (CPNE) on turnkey basis through |
| | | System / Network Integrators (SIs) on non-exclusive |
| 2. | Cost of the form | Nil –Document placed in website to be submitted |
| 3. | Sale of form | Open Ended document, can be downloaded from Business Opportunities on <u>www.telangana.bsnl.co.in</u> |
| 4. | Last date and time of submission of applications (EOIs) | Open Ended |
| 5. | Receipt of EOIs | EOI Opening & Evaluation |
| | EOIs Received up to end of a quarter | System Integrator Policy is non-exclusive. Walk-in & open for all eligible categories. |

EOI documents should be submitted in a duly sealed cover with clear superscription "EOI for Empanelment of System Integrator" addressed to AGM (EB Gold-1), O/O CGMT, BSNL, Telangana Telecom Circle, Nampally Station Road, Abids, Hyderabad-500 001 along with the necessary documents.

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1. Introduction

- 1.1. Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) is one of the largest & leading public sector units providing a comprehensive range of telecom services in India. BSNL offers all kinds of telecommunication services like Basic (both fixed and wireless), Cellular, Data, National long distance, Internet etc. Keeping pace with the technological trend to provide latest and varied value added services to its customers, BSNL has deployed state of the art Multi Protocol Label Switching (MPLS) based Virtual Private Networks (VPN).
- 1.2. Growth in industrial and IT sectors in India during the last few years has created new business opportunities in the telecom sector. BSNL has leveraged its widespread telecom network resources in India to tap these business opportunities and provide customized network solutions and services to its clients. Enterprise Business Cell is formed in every circle of BSNL to undertake such new businessactivities in India.
- 1.3. The basic objective of this EOI is to enable BSNL to provide a complete end-to-end solution to its esteemed enterprise customers. BSNL intends to have a tie-up with System Integrators who can supply, configure, integrate and maintain Customer's End Equipments, their network on LAN / WAN etc. for the Data Services offered by BSNL. In case required, they will also do all the operations and maintenance activities related to customer end & co-ordination with concerned agencies.
- 1.4. Some of the Customers are also inviting bids through open tender for setting up of WAN for them. In order to acquire the new business, BSNL, Telangana Circlehas to participate and compete in the tender with other service providers. In such cases also BSNL requires services of System Integrator, who will be responsible to supply network equipments and related items, configuration and integration with existing network, operation, maintenance and support related to customers. The successful System Integrator should not enter into any agreement with other competitors of BSNL in this regard for the same work.
- 1.5. The System Integrators as per this EOI shall be categorized as National, Circle and Circle-Silver, BA-Silver System Integrators. While National System Integrators shall have presence throughout the country, the Circle and Circle-Silver System Integrator shall have presence in the State of Telangana and Bas.
- 1.6. The successful system integrator should enter into an agreement with BSNL Telangana Telecom Circle for establishment of WAN for implementation/installation on turnkey basis including supply, installation, integration and maintenance of networking equipment and related items.

2. Scope of Work

The General Scope of Work of System Integrators (SI) is given below, but not limited to as it depends on the requirement of the customer.

- 2.1. Design of the entire WAN, Supply, Configure, Installation, Commissioning of the required network components like Routers, Switches, Leased line Modems, servers and other items required for the provisioning of the requirements desired by the customer. If required by the customer, any existing LAN should be integrated with the proposed WAN.
- 2.2. SIs will also arrange to provide relevant equipment free of cost for demonstrating the capability of solution, if the same is required by the customer.
- 2.3. Provisioning of service to customer:
 - 2.3.1. BSNL and SI will jointly address the network requirements of the customeralong with any other services required by the customer.
 - 2.3.2. For providing last mile connectivity to the customer, SI will coordinate and pursue with concerned BSNL authorities as well as other agencies / Departments (Like regional offices of BSNL) to enable the same and complete the project in time.
 - 2.3.3. To get the commissioning reports signed by the customers.
 - 2.3.4. To give basic training to customer representatives at the sites regarding operation, testing and the configuration of equipment.
 - 2.3.5. To carry out the annual operation & maintenances such as with or without consumables, spares, testing instruments, installation jigs etc., certain quality of service is to be guaranteed. Imprest stock of consumables and spares needs to be maintained to ensure the committed uptime. Besides routine/ preventive maintenance and operations, such projects usually require up gradation of the maintained systems during the contract period.
 - 2.3.6. Also to provide necessary up gradation and modification on both softwareand hardware to meet the customer requirements from time to time.
- 2.4. The smooth functioning of the various applications and software provided by the customer should be ensured by the System Integrator.
- 2.5. Smooth Data connectivity between the WAN Connected Premises and the Central Location is to be ensured.
- 2.6. SI will also conduct technical seminar for BSNL Officers to make them conversantabout their product capabilities vis-à-vis customer requirement.
- 2.7. Maintenance, Support Services, Annual Maintenance Contract etc. in respect of equipments supplied to the customer.

3. Eligibility Criteria of Network Integrators/System Integrators:

- a) A number of network/system integrators (SIs) may be keen to join hands with BSNL for participating against a specific tender or for requirements of WAN/ LAN/ IT Services, end user connected equipment (wired/wireless) like Wi-Fi, blue-tooth, IoT or non-IoT devices / CCTV etc. of the enterprise customers and for the projects BSNL needs to execute for various customers. Such Network Integrators/solution providers (SIs) can be empanelled by the Standing committee based on various factors such as past experience in Networking, Financial strength, their level of presence in the country. For Support Centers, applicant needs to give undertaking as per its category that SI shall work on PAN India (National SIs) or PAN Circle basis (Circle and Circle-Silver SIs) and PAN BA Basis for BA SIs as applicable, their tie-up with various Networking equipment suppliers etc. when any turnkey project is to be executed, bids can be obtained from these pre-qualified bidders and work awarded to any of them after following applicable selection procedure. The AMC can also be awarded to them for maintenance of end equipment at customer premises. The agreement/MOU can be made with/without supply of equipment.
- **b)** A model eligibility criterion for selection of network integrator is given below for reference: The Network Integrators shall be categorized as National System Integrators / Circle System Integrators / Circle-Silver System Integrators / BA System Integrators.

 Basic structure and scope would be as below:

Table- A - Model Eligibility Criterion:

| Category of SI | Basic Criteria | | Booking of Business | Delivery of Business | |
|----------------|-------------------------------------|------------|--|---|--|
| | Turnover | ₹ 20 Cr. | | | |
| N-4:1 | Experience | ₹ 10 Cr. | Any business of the | PAN India | |
| National | Performance Bank Guarantee (PBG) | ₹ 15 Lakh | Circle/Unit | FAIN IIIUIA | |
| | Turnover | ₹ 3 Cr. | | Anywhere in Home | |
| | Experience | ₹ 1.5 Cr. | Any business of the | Circle including adjoining Circles or any three Circles | |
| Circle | Performance Bank Guarantee (PBG) | ₹ 3 Lakh | Circle/Unit. | | |
| | Turnover | ₹ 20 Lakh | 1 | | |
| Circle- Silver | Experience | ₹ 10 Lakh | Circle with SI Component value up to | Anywhere in Home Circle or part of | |
| Circle-Silver | Performance Bank Guarantee (PBG) | ₹ 50,000/- | Do 50 lalch man musicat / | Home Circle. | |
| | Turnover | ₹ 10 Lakh | Any Business of the BA | Anywhere in Home | |
| BA Silver | Experience | ₹ 5 Lakh | with SI Component | BA Including | |
| DA SIIVEI | Performance Bank Guarantee (PBG) | ₹ 25,000 | value up to Rs. 25 lakh per project / Annum. | adjoining BAs or three BAs | |

Note: (i) **Turnover** = Average Annual Turnover for last two financial years as per P & L Account/ITR.

(ii) Experience = Experience in supply, installation, integration and maintenance of networking equipment / solutions/ services for WAN / LAN / IT Services, end user connected equipment (wired/wireless) like Wi-Fi, blue-tooth, IoT or non-IoT devices / CCTV etc. For this CA Certificate or Experience Certificates are to be submitted.

c) National SIs:

- (i) Once an SI is empanelled in National Category in any of the Circle, it will be deemed to be empanelled in other Circles also for projects having total SI Component values Rs.1Cr and above.
- (ii) Circles to invite quotes from all such National SIs along with their locally empanelled SIs through e-tendering. List of such National empanelled SIs shall be taken from EB Portal or any other subsequently available IT Tool.
- (iii) However, such National SIs shall be free to decide whether to work or not in Circles where the SIs have not empanelled (Other than Home Circle and Non-Consented Circles).
- (iv) A National SI can also get empanelled in other Circles with a consent letter (Appendix-A). In that case the concerned Circle(s) (Consented Circle/s) will invite bids for value below Rs.1Cr also from such National SIs.
- (v) National SIs empanelled at their initial/first empanelment Home Circle / Units are eligible for projects having SI Component values below Rs.1Cr also.
- (vi) National SIs will not be required to submit PBG of Rs. 15 Lakhs in Circles other than home Circle.

d) Circle SIs:

- (i) A Circle SI can become SI of any other Circle(s) of its choice on submitting a consent letter (Appendix-A) as above with an additional BG of ₹1 Lakh per Circle, provided such SI is meeting the SI eligibility criteria of that Circle(s).
- (ii) If a particular Circle, even with its best efforts, is not able to empanel, sufficient number of SIs, case for relaxing the eligibility conditions can be sent to Corporate Office for approval with due justifications and not on case-to-case basis.

e) Circle-Silver/BA SIs:

The eligibility criterion for Circle-Silver/BA category can be relaxed by CGMs for the applicants such as qualified Engineers, experienced telecom/IT professionals etc.

f) Detailed Eligibility and Operational Criteria of SI: (Table-B)

| SN | National SIs and Circle SIs | Circle-Silver SIs and BA- SIs | | |
|-------|---|--|--|--|
| (i) | SI or its parent company should be a company/LLP/Partnership firm, registered in India. | SI may be a company / LLP / Partnership firm / proprietor firm registered in India. | | |
| (ii) | The SI should have a valid GST registration ce | rtificate as applicable. | | |
| (iii) | The SI should have a valid GST registration certificate as applicable. A) SI shall be required to submit additional project-wise PBG value as per instructions issue from time to time. B) However, for the projects of Home Circle/BA only, no additional PBG shall be required to be submitted by the SIs till such time the main PBG submitted by the SI remains sufficient to take care of all the PO values cumulatively. C) The Home Circle/Unit would only be authorized to forfeit/withhold SI's PBG on the advict of any other Circle(s) based on the SIs performance, if any. D) In tender cases, SI shall submit EMD/PBG as per customer requirement on back-to-back basis. Also, CBB Cell Letter No 53/1/BFCI-BA/BG Limit Auth./2020-21, dated 28.08.202 & 53/1/BFCI-BA/BG Limit Auth./2022-23, dated 13.10.2022 or any latest instructions are to be referred in the subject matter. | | | |
| (iv) | 9,1 | SI shall have tie up and technical arrangement directly with the technology company or | | |

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| SN | National SIs and Circle SIs | Circle-Silver SIs and BA- SIs | |
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| | authorized channels that form the core building block for supply, installation, integration and maintenance of networking equipment/solutions/services for WAN/ LAN/ IT Services, end user connected equipment (wired/wireless) or related project implementation. The core building blocks may be classified as servers, computers, computer peripherals, routers, LAN Switches/hubs, firewall, leased line modems, ISDN backup devices, connectors, Wi-Fi, blue-tooth, IoT or | thorough its authorized dealer whose equipment has been used in delivery so as to ensure long term support to the core building block for supply, installation, integration and maintenance of networking equipment/ solutions/ services for WAN/ LAN/ IT Services, end user connected equipment (wired/wireless) or related project implementation. The core building blocks may be classified as servers, computers, computer peripherals, routers, LAN Switches/hubs, firewall, leased line modems, ISDN backup devices, connectors, Wi-Fi, blue-tooth, IoT or non-IoT devices, CCTV etc. and basic computer related software etc. | |
| (v) | OEM or its authorized channels of OEM stating | The SI should provide letters of support from OEM or through its dealer/associate stating that the solution/equipment will be supported at all standard platforms for minimum two years and as per customer requirement. | |
| (vi) | SI shall provide 24X7 help center either webbased or IVR based. SI shall ensure consultation, assistance and advice within four hours or as defined in SLA entered with customer. In other cases, complaint may be attended within eight hours. | SI shall maintain 24X7 help number. SI shall ensure consultation, assistance and advice within four hours or as defined in SLA entered with customer. In other cases, complaint may be attended within eight hours. | |
| (vii) | The technical team of SIs will assist BSNL in c customers and will be required to give joint pre | oming out with the cost- effective solution for the esentation with BSNL to customers. | |
| (viii) | The software up gradation for the first year sha will continue to provide up gradation on charge | ll be provided by the SI free of cost. However, SI eable basis for subsequent years. | |
| (ix) | SI shall support SLA requirements of BSNL customers and ensure its compliance. In case SLA commitments are not met, SI shall be responsible for payment of penalties, if any, imposed by the customer. | | |
| (x) | Validity of the empanelment agreement shall be Five years, with provision of renewal for another two years, based on performance. | | |
| (xi) | SI cannot be a TSP/ISP, and If any SI after registration becomes TSP/ISP then the SI agreement will be cancelled. Accordingly, previously empanelled SIs also to be reviewed. | | |
| (xii) | CPNE guidelines are meant for EB Customers only and not applicable for "Last Mile Connectivity" which requires laying of OFC, RF equipment etc. for BSNL's own Infrastructure. | | |

4. Other Terms and Conditions

- 4.1. The software upgradation shall be provided free of cost by SI for the minimum period of first year or for higher period which shall be agreed by BSNL and the SI on a project to project basis. However, SI shall continue to provide software up gradation on chargeable basis for subsequent years.
- 4.2. System Integrator will ensure availability of all spare parts for five years period.
- 4.3. <u>BG for Empanelment</u>: National, Circle and Circle-Silver, BA-Silver System Integrator shall submit Bank Guarantee (BG) of Rs 15 lakhs, Rs.3 lakhs, Rs.50,000/- and Rs 25,000/- respectively for five and half years from any scheduled bank for abiding by general rules of empanelment agreement. The refundable security deposit submitted at the time of application for empanelment would stand released thereafter.
 - BG should be submitted before signing the agreement on issue of letter of intent, forensuring full compliance of agreement conditions. Initially, the BGs shall be valid for at least five and half years from the date of issue of letter of intent and shall be renewedfrom time to time till six months beyond the expiry of agreement and till all outstanding dues to BSNL, if any, have been fully paid and its claims are satisfied ordischarged and also discharge of all responsibilities with regard to supply, configure and maintenance of customer end equipment for the full period of warranty / AMCas applicable. The validity of the BG will be six months more than the project duration. The Project duration includes warranty and AMC, if any required by the customer.
- 4.4. System Integrator should submit additional PBG of at least 5% of the P.O. value, or value as desired by the end customer whichever is higher, whenever a work is awarded to System Integrator valid for the duration required for the project. Alternatively, where no PBG is to be submitted by BSNL to customer, BSNL may allow at its discretion in situations if felt necessary for the recovery of 5% of PO value from running bills instead of PBG for works requiring PBG up to the amount mentioned inabove para 4.3 and will be refunded on completion of warranty period as required inthe concerned project.
- 4.5. System Integrator shall support SLA requirements of BSNL customers and ensure its compliance. In case SLA commitments are not met, System Integrator shall be responsible for payment of penalties, if any, imposed by the customer.
- 4.6. System Integrators shall carryout quarterly preventive visit to each WAN site or as per the customer requirement which will be notified in the terms and conditions for respective project.
- 4.7. The empanelment of System Integrators will be on a Non-exclusive basis. The agreement shall not restrict BSNL from contracting for identical or similar services from other person /party. Also BSNL intends to empanel multiple number of SIs throughthis present empanelment process. BSNL reserves the right to appoint any number of SIs in this category or sell directly or through other channels also. BSNL also reserves the right to create other categories of SIs to serve a particular segment of customers.

- 4.8. The empanelled System Integrator should necessarily submit the quote whenever called for. Even within short notice if the quote is called for, the same has to be giveneither through email or fax. In case, SI is not able to quote for any particular project, reasons for not quoting should be clearly submitted to BSNL, failure to submit thequote consecutively for three projects without proper reason may entail the removal of SI from empanelment and BG shall be forfeited.
- 4.9. The SI should supply the equipment with in a short period, which will be indicated in the PO on project to project basis. The delivery must be completed not later than the dates specified in the Purchase order. Extension will not be given except in exceptional circumstances. Should, however, deliveries be made after expiry of the contracted delivery period, without prior concurrence of the purchaser and be accepted by the consignee, such delivery will not deprive the purchaser of his right to recover liquidated damage as below.
 - a. Should the supplier fails to deliver the store or any consignment thereof within the period prescribed for delivery, the purchaser shall be entitled to recover 0.5% of the value of the delayed supply for each week of delay or part thereof for a period up to first Ten weeks and thereafter at the rate of 0.7% of the value of the delayed supply for each week of delay or part thereof for another TEN weeks ofdelay. In the case of package supply where the delayed portion of the supply materially hampers installation and commissioning of the systems, L/D chargesshall be levied as above on the total value of the concerned package of the purchase Order. Quantum of liquidated damages assessed and levied by the purchaser and decision of the purchaser thereon shall be final and binding on thesupplier. Further, the same shall not be challenged by the supplier either before Arbitration, Tribunal or before the Court. The same shall stand specifically excluded from the purview of the Arbitration clause, as such shall not be preferable to arbitration.
 - b. The above clause is a general one. However if BSNL is participating in any tender, the LD clauses as given in the tender document of the customer will be binding of the system Integrator and any liquidity damages arising out of late delivery during the performance of the contract which BSNL need to pay to the customer shall be borne by the system integrator, as per the customer tender document.
 - c. BSNL may also deduct the amount at actual which BSNL needs to pay to the customer on account of non-adherence to SLA from System Integrators from balance payment or SD/BG, if due to the failure on part of System Integrators, BSNL could not meet the SLA condition.
 - d. Without prejudice to its rights of any other remedy, BSNL may en cash Bank Guarantee in case of any breach in terms and conditions of the agreement by the System Integrator or in case of business loss suffered by BSNL due to failure of service on part of the System Integrator.
- 4.10. For a specific project, the selected SI shall give an undertaking to BSNL stating thatthey will not participate in the tender either directly / indirectly for the projects. If BSNL subsequently comes to know that the empanelled vendor/SI had participated in anytender either directly/indirectly, BSNL reserve the right to delete the name of the System Integrator from the list of empanelment, in addition to forfeiture of Security deposit/BG.
- 4.11. SI should give onsite warranty of twelve months from the date of commissioning. Warranty cost will be included in the cost of equipment. After warranty support, SIshould also provide

the AMC of the customer end equipment. Annual AMC chargesshould be quoted separately.

5. PROCEDURE FOR EMPANELMENT

- a) An initial screening of all the applications will be undertaken by Screening Committee.
- b) The Screening Committee, after evaluation of the all the applications, will recommend the names for empanelment.
- c) If required, the screening committee may forward the application for evaluation of the Standing Committee. Further, if required, the applicant may be called for presentation on a specified date, time and venue before the Standing committee. The presentation will comprised briefly on Company/firm Profile, Projects Undertaken for BSNL/ other organizations, companies, Agreements/Ties up with OEMs, Typical solution for Target Markets/ Customer requirements, Present & future Business opportunities in Odisha & BSNL etc.
- d) Letter of Intent will be issued to qualified applicant for submission of Performance Bank Guarantee and execution of empanelment agreement of System Integrator.
- e) After execution of agreement, letter of empanelment will be issued.

6. DURATION OF EMPANELMENT

The agreement of Empanelment shall be valid for a period of <u>FIVE YEARS</u> from the date of signing the Agreement unless revoked earlier for whatever reasons. If at any stage during the tenure of this agreement, it comes to the notice of BSNL, directly or through some other complaint, that the System Integrator had misrepresented the facts or submitted any false information or hidden any information, which could have affected the signing of this agreement with the System Integrator this agreement shall stand terminated immediately under intimation to the System Integrator.

Extension of Agreement: The period of agreement may be extended by BSNL beyond theinitial period of 5 years. The period of extension shall be two years at one time depending on satisfactory performance of the empanelled System Integrator.

7. Method of Job Allocation:

- 7.1 When any project is to be executed, bids shall be invited through limited e-tendering from all the eligible vendors/Integrators for various types of procurements/solutions/services etc and work awarded to any of them following normal selection procedure.
- 7.2 SIs can also bring to BSNL its customers for providing networking requirement using BSNL's infrastructure. The following preference will be given to SIs who brings in the customers to BSNL,

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subject to their empanelment in desired category.

- 7.3 For business with SI Component >Rs.5 Lakh: SI to be given a choice if he is eligible and can meet the competition by way of providing "First Right of Refusal" at the L1 rates, determined by Limited e-Tendering method from the eligible sources.
- 7.4 In case the SI is non L1 and chooses not to accept L1 rates, the work will be awarded to L1 SI. In case L1 SI is not able to execute the work/ refuses to work, then he shall be debarred for one year to participate in tenders from the date of refusal, along with other penal actions under empanelment.
 - 7.5 The genuineness of rates however would continue to be vouched by the Circle Standing Committee.
- 7.6 Non-performance Clause
 - (i) Circles to review empanelment of all SIs dormant for the last two years. Meetings with all such SIs may be held at CGM level to resolve their issues, if any. However, if such SIs do not respond for the meeting or do not still show any interest towards BSNL Enterprise Business, their empanelment may be terminated as per the applicable covenants of the agreements. This action is to be taken by the Circle / unit who has empanelled such SIs.
 - (ii) To review the empanelment of those System Integrators who are dormant for the last two years and also compete directly or indirectly with BSNL. All such empanelment should be terminated following the due procedure by the Circle / unit who have empanelled such SIs in order to safeguard the BSNL's interests and to check leakage of rates/information during tendering process or otherwise and the depleting BSNL revenues.

8. PAYMENT TERMS & CONDITIONS

- a) Normally, all the offers to the customer will be in the name of BSNL and by the BSNL.
- b) The customer will make all payments towards project cost to BSNL.
- c) Back to back payment arrangement will be there from BSNL to System Integrator for procurement, installation, configuration, commissioning, O&M of the equipment at the customer sites.
- d) For each requirement of Customer's Private Network, BSNL will issue a purchase order (P.O.)/Work Order (W.O.) to SI containing details of equipment along with agreed price, terms & conditions.
- e) Payment to the System Integrator will be made in installments depending upon the payment that the BSNL will get from the Purchaser.
- f) The AMC payment, wherever entered will be made on quarterly basis and after the expiry of quarter subject to fulfillment of Service Level Agreement (SLA) andmaintenance schedule.
- g) Depending on customer, market position, BSNL will be charging a commission/profit margin on the SI invoices value.

9. SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION

- a) Eol document can be downloaded from web site www.telangana.bsnl.co.in
- b) The bidder shall duly filled in Annexure-I with documents as specified in it (documents should be placed by bidder as annexure-1 to 10 in properly sealed envelop) with signature and seal on each page. The copies of supportive documents/certificates should also be with signature and seal on each page.
- c) All costs & expenses associated with submission of application shall be borne by the company/firm submitting the application and BSNL shall have no liability in any manner in this regard or if it decides to terminate the process of short-listing for any reason whatsoever.
- d) The right to suspend the short-listing process or part of the process to accept or rejectany or all applications at any stage of the process and/or to modify the process or anypart thereof at any time without assigning any reason therefore is reserved by BSNLwithout any obligation or liability whatsoever.
- e) If any one of the above documents required to be submitted along with EOI is found wanting, the offer may be liable for rejection at that stage. However, BSNL may at its discretion call for any clarification regarding the documents submitted by the bidder. BSNL may also ask for submission of any additional/missing document within a stipulated time period. In such case(s), the bidder shall have to comply the BSNL's requirement within the specified time. In case of non-compliance to such queries, the EOI of the bidder will be out rightly rejected without entertaining further correspondence in this regard.

10. Check List:(for submission of EOI document):

a) Application form in Annexure-I with documents as per annexure-1 to annexure-10 Note: EOI document should be signed by all the pages and submit along with documents

Annexure-I

APPLICATION FOR EMPANELMENT OF SYSTEM INTEGRATOR (SI)

| 01 | | GENERAL INFORMATION |
|----|---|---------------------|
| O1 | Name the company/ | |
| | proprietorship/partnership | |
| | concern/Limited Liability Partnership | |
| 02 | (LLP)/Individual | |
| 02 | Type of Entity (company/proprietorship/partnership | |
| | concern/Limited Liability Partnership | |
| | (LLP)/Individual) | |
| 03 | Year of Incorporation as applicable | |
| 04 | Application for Category : National SI | |
| | / Circle SI / Circle Silver/ | |
| 05 | Registered Office: | |
| a) | Address of the Registered office | |
| b) | Website Address | |
| c) | Phone No. | |
| d) | FAX NO. | |
| e) | Contact Person Name | |
| f) | Designation | |
| g) | Mobile No. | |
| h) | Email address | |
| 06 | Head office in Telangana : | |
| a) | Address for communication | |
| b) | Contact Person | |
| c) | Name | |
| d) | Designation | |
| e) | Phone No. | |
| f) | FAX NO. | |
| g) | Mobile No. | |
| h) | Email address | |
| 07 | Are you Associated with BSNL recently or in | |
| | the past, if so, please attach copy | |
| 08 | of appointment of empanelment. | |
| 00 | Infrastructure facility available with the System Integrator: | |
| a) | Whether IT and Sales/ Marketing Dept. Exists. | |
| | | |
| b) | Whether sufficient skilled personsworking | |
| | to meet the project's | |
| | requirement (Particularly for local headoffice) | |
| c) | Details of team members for necessary | |
| | co-ordination with BSNL. | |

d) Whether the company / proprietorship etc has letter of support from OEMs (Original Equipment Manufacturer) or its authorized channels If so attach the list in detail Whether the entity is be a direct owner of e) technology or have a direct teaming agreement with each oftechnology companies that form core of building block of WAN or related project implementation. Whether company / proprietorship etcis a ISO f) 9001:2000 or above certified No. of clients' companies empanelled with for g) similar type of works No. of companies tied up with for equipment h) procurement, supply etc Any other relevant information insupport of i) above subject.

| PART | C: APPLICATION DETAILS | | |
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| SI No. | Required Information | Indicative Documents to be attached in Annexure | Enclosed (Yes/No) |
| 1. | Name and address of the Person Signing the document | i) In case of Company: a) Power of Attorney attested by Notary b) Copy of the board Resolution certified by the Company secretary for appointing the Power of Attorney. ii) In other cases: Credential of person signing the document (attach the documents) | |
| 2. a | Whether the company is a public limited or a Private limited company or proprietorship , registered in India | a) A Corporate brochure of the company. b) Certificate of Incorporation c) Memorandum and Article of Association d) Details of Directors e) Annual report for last 2 financial years | |
| b. | Area of business: | In case of proprietorship/others: Details of | |

| | IT/Networking | Proprietorship/others with proof of registration or applicable documents. (attach the documents). | |
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| 3. a | a direct owner of technology or have a direct teaming agreement or have a tie up and technical arrangement directly with the technology company or thorough its authorized dealer for the core building block for WAN/LAN. | Letters from OEM (Original Equipment Manufacturer) or its authorized channels or its dealer/associate stating that they will support the product/solution through the System Integrator for the next two years. (Attach details as per Format A) (attach the documents). | |
| | Letter of Support from OEM or its authorised channels or its dealer/associate | | |
| 4. | ISO 9001:2000 or higher certification for services | Copy of the ISO Certification document. (attach the documents) | |
| 5. | Turnover for last twoyears | Average Annual Turnover for last two finanacial years as per Profit and Loss Account statement certified by Chartered Accountant / ITR copies. (attach the documents) | |
| 6. | Experience. | a) P O copies b) Satisfactory Completion Certificate from the end Customer (Attach details) | |
| 7. | GST Registration No. | Copy of the GST Registration (attach the documents) | |
| 8. | Income TAX PAN No. | Copy of PAN (attach the documents) | |

| 9. | Acceptance of all | A copy of the EOI document signed, in the bottom | |
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| | terms and conditions | of all pages as a token of acceptance of | |
| | in the EOI | all terms and conditions. | |
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| | | (attach the documents) | |
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All documents should be signed and stamped by the authorized signatory of the bidder ineach page of the document submitted.

I/we hereby certify that all the particulars given above are correct and true to the best ofmy knowledge.

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| Authorized Representative) | |
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Note:

- 1) If needed, the bidder can use separate sheets for explaining the above points.
- 2) BSNL reserves the rights to verify the facts given by the bidder, with the authorities, ifso required.

FORMAT-A (FOR OEM DETAILS)

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| Sl No | Equipment/SW | Name of the OEM or its authorised channel or dealer (s) with whom direct teaming agreement exists/from whom Letterof Support available | HQ of the OEM or its authorised channel or dealer | No. of Years of Support available from current year | Whether Authorization from OEM or its authorised channel or dealer attached. |
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| 1. | Router | | | | |
| 2. | Switch | | | | |
| 3. | Leased line Modem | | | | |
| 4. | Optical Customer | | | | |
| | Premises Equipments | | | | |
| | (CPE) | | | | |
| 5. | Radio Modem | | | | |
| 6. | Media Converter | | | | |
| 7. | Server | | | | |
| 8. | Firewall | | | | |
| 9. | Video Conferencing | | | | |
| | Equipment | | | | |
| 10. | NMS | | | | |
| 11. | UPS | | | | |
| 12. | Stabilizer | | | | |
| 13. | N/w Rack | | | | |
| 14. | Cable & connector:- | | | | |
| | UTP / Fibre etc. | | | | |
| 15. | Computers | | | | |
| 16. | Computer peripheral | | | | |
| 17. | Dialup modem | | | | |
| 18. | ISDN device | | | | |
| 19. | EPABX | | | | |
| 20. | VOIP Gateway | | | | |
| 21. | V-Mux | | | | |
| 22. | Basic computer | | | | |
| | related software | | | | |

Note: The bidder may add any other items/specifications etc in additional rows/columns.

FORMAT-B

(Experience of WAN implementation on turnkey basis)

| Sl.No | Information required | Details |
|-------|--|---------|
| 1. | Name of the Bidder | |
| 2. | Name of the Project | |
| 3. | P.O Date | |
| 4. | Commissioning Date | |
| 5. | Role of the Bidder | |
| 6. | Number of Geographically separated WAN Nodes | |
| 7. | Value of the Project | |
| 8. | Contact details of the Customer | |
| 9. | Brief Description of the Project & Scope of Work (Implementation, Operation and Maintenance) | |
| 10. | Testimonial Attached on Satisfactory Completion of the Project | |

FORMAT-C

(Number of Support Centers)

| Sl. | Name of the Town/City | Postal address | Name of the Contact | Fixed Telephone |
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| No | | | Person | Number, Fax No, Email |
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AGREEMENT

Annexure-II

| THIS AGREEMENT made on thisday of | _, 20_, at Hyderabad between BharatSancha | ar |
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| Nigam Limited having its Regd. Office at Bharat Sanchar E | Bhawan, Harish Chandra Mathur Lane, Janpat | h, |
| New Delhi – 110001 (hereinafter referred to as "BSNL") which | expressionshall include its successors and assign | ns |
| on] the one part and | | |
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| M/s | (hereinafter referred to a | as |
| "System Integrator") which expression shall include its successor | rs and assigns on the other part. | |
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| WHEREAS BSNL intends to empanel System Integrators for | r establishment and maintenance of customize | b |
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private Wide Area Network (WAN) at client's premises.

AND WHEREAS the said System Integrator who is having all the wherewithal is hereby empanelled as **National / Circle / Circle-Silver** System Integrator (*strike out which ever is notapplicable*) to undertake all such jobs as and when assigned by BSNL on the terms and conditions as set out in this agreement.

WHEREAS both the parties to the Agreement agree to the following terms and conditions:

- **1.** The System Integrator shall nominate the team, their name(s), address (es) and telephone nos. (Residence included) for better co-ordination.
- 2. The System Integrator shall make available the complete contact address of its Directors and local heads as applicable to BSNL.
- **3.** BSNL being a service organization, many of the requirements could be of emergencynature. The agencies have to respond to such demands despite holidays/beyond officehours.
- **4.** Mere empanelment does not confer automatic rights to a System Integrator to secure/procure jobs.
- **5.** BSNL will not pay any extra charges related to presentation at BSNL and customer premises and training to client's representatives for operation & maintenances.
- **6.** The turnkey projects will involve supply, execution and O&M subcontracts. Therefore at the project proposal preparation stage itself, back up offers from the prospective subcontractors should be obtained. The needed agreements should be signed immediately on award of the contract. These agreements should clearly define the deliverables, terms, schedules, penalties, and guarantees so as to protect the BSNL'sinterests.
- **7.** BSNL shall invite sealed quotations/bids/Proposals from empanelled SIs for various typesof projects related to Customer's Private Network for finalization of the rates. The quotation/bid/Proposal shall specify validity of the prices, delivery period, penalty, AMC etc. The rates for such project costs shall

be finalized after observing all the formalities. Depending upon the requirements, order could be placed on the empanelled SIs at the finalized rates. However, before placement of Purchase Order, the prices may be negotiated taking into account the reasonableness with reference to prevailing market price.

- **8.** For participation in Projects through open tender, in order to be competitive, standingcommittee can further negotiate the rates with the empanelled vendors.
- **9.** It may not be possible to fix the prices of all the items as depending upon the requirement of the customers, there may be slight variations in the specifications. BSNL could negotiate the prices of such items with these selected vendors place orders onany of the empanelled vendor at negotiated price.
- **10.** In a situation when the customer desires to expand the existing network, the procurement of add on equipment becomes proprietary in nature. Keeping in view therequirement of the customer and the fact that ultimately the customer will be paying for the cost of equipment, the BSNL may finalize the prices of proprietary equipment after negotiations.

11. Process and Payment Terms

- i. Normally, all the offers to the customer will be in the name of BSNL and by the BSNL.
- ii. The customer will make all payments towards project cost to BSNL.
- iii. Back to back payment arrangement will be there from BSNL to System Integrator for procurement, installation, configuration, commissioning, O&M of the equipment at the customer sites.
- iv. For each requirement of Customized WAN solution, BSNL will issue a purchase order (P.O.) to SI containing details of equipment along with agreed price, terms & conditions.
- v. Payment to the System Integrator will be made in installments depending upon the payment that the BSNL will get from the Purchaser.
- vi. The AMC payment, wherever entered will be made on quarterly basis and after the expiry of quarter subject to fulfillment of Service Level Agreement (SLA) and maintenance schedule.
- vii. Depending on customer, market position, BSNL will be charging a commission on the SI invoices value.

| 12. The ter | rms and conditions in the EOI document No | _shall form a part of this | | |
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| 13. Comm | encement & Duration: | | | |
| a. | This agreement shall commence from the for a periodof five years up to | Day of | , 20 | |

b. BSNL may extend, if deemed expedient, the period of agreement by TWO YEARS at one time depending on satisfactory performance of the empanelled system integrators.

Dated at Hyderabad 02.02.2024

14. Modifications in terms: Any changes in the terms and conditions contained herein shallhave effect only prospectively, and shall be valid only if recorded in writing and signedby the authorized officers of the BSNL and the SI.

15. Termination:

- a. Either party may terminate this agreement by giving three months notice in writing to the other. The obligations of the parties shall continue during the noticeperiod.
- b. However, if the services of the System Integrator are not found satisfactory, BSNL shall have the right to cancel the contract at any time without assigning any reason and without any financial compensation to the SI.

16. Arbitration:

That in case of any dispute or differences, breach & violation relating to the terms of the Agreement, the said matter or dispute, difference shall be referred to sole arbitration of Chief general Manager (CGM) of BSNL, Telangana Telecom Circle or any other personappointed by him That the award of the arbitrator shall be final and binding on both the parties. In the event of such Arbitrator to whom the matter is originally referred to isbeing transferred or vacates his office on resignation or otherwise or refuses to do work or neglecting his work or being unable to act as Arbitrator for any reasons whatsoever, the CGM, BSNL, Telangana Telecom Circle shall appoint another person to act as Arbitrator in the place of outgoing Arbitrator and the person so appointed shall be entitled to proceed further with the reference from the stage at which it was left by hispredecessor. The System Integrator will have no objection in any such appointment, that arbitrator so appointed is employee of BSNL. The said Arbitrator shall act under the Provisions of the Arbitration and conciliation Act, 1996 or any statutory modification orreenactment there of or any rules made there of.

| IN WITNESSETH whereof the parties written. | have put their hand on this Agreement on the day and yearfirst above |
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| BSNL WITNESSES: | SYSTEM INTEGRATOR through its authorized representative |

Annexure-III FORMAT OF THE BANK GUARANTEE

No: TSCO-12(15)/27/2023-EB G/

(To be typed on Rs.100/- or as applicable non-judicial stamp paper)

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| | ur of the BSNI | Bank hav | ving its office | | | | | | | |
| decid | ded to give the | guarantee a | s hereinafter o | contained: | | | | | | |
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| 3. | We, the Bank further agree that the guarantee shall come into force from the date hereof and shall remain in full force and effect for the period up to |
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| 4. | The Bank further agrees that the BSNL shall have the fullest liberty without the consent of the Bank and without affecting in any way the obligations hereunder to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said agreement or to extend the time for performance of the said agreement from any of the powers exercisable by BSNL against the System Integrator and to forebear to enforce any of the terms and conditions relating to the said agreement and the Bank shall not be relieved from its liability by reason of such failure or extension being granted to System Integrator or through any forbearance, act or omission on the part of BSNL or any indulgence by BSNL to System Integrator or any other matter or thing whatsoever which under the law relating to sureties would but for this provision have the effect of relieving or discharging the guarantor. |
| 5. | The Bank further agrees that in case this Guarantee is required for a larger period and it is not extended by the Bank beyond the period specified above in Clause 3, the Bankshall pay to BSNL on written demand by BSNL having to demand the payment of thesaid sum of Rs. (Rupees only) on the last day on which the Bank Guarantee is due to expire. |
| 6. | Notwithstanding anything herein contained; |
| (a) | The liability of the Bank under this guarantee is restricted to Rs/- (Rsonly) and it will remain in force for a period of days i.e. up to |
| (b) | The guarantee shall stand completely discharged and all rights of the BSNL under this Guarantee shall be extinguished if no claim or demand is made on us is writing on or before |
| 7. | The Bank guarantees under its constitutional power to give this guaranteeand_who have signed it on behalf of the Bank have authority to do so. |

(Authorized Signature of the Bank Official)
Power of Attorney Number:

Annexure-IV

CERTIFICATE

| I/ We |
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| I/We hereby also confirm that we shall notify BSNL, Telangana Telecom Circle immediately, if we register our organization as a Telecom Service Provider (TSP)/ Internet Service Provider (ISP). |
| I/We also understand that BSNL has the right to terminate our SI Empanelment on its discretion, if we have registered our organization as a Telecom Service Provider (TSP) / Internet Service Provider (ISP). |
| Name : Signature : Stamp Place &Date : |

Dated at Hyderabad 02.02.2024

Appendix-A Self Declaration / Letter of Intent and Consent For the Empanelment of existing System Integrators in other Circle/Units

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SUBJECT: Request for additional Empanelment in other Circle by National SI/Circle SI:

As per the "Guidelines on Customer's Private Network Establishment (CPNE) on Turnkey basis through System / Network Integrator (SIs)" of BSNL for providing turnkey solutions to its enterprise customers the existing System Integrators (SI) may request for the empanelment in other Circles. In this regard, it is submitted,

- (i) That, my firm/organisation/company, ------(herein after called applicant), is already empanelled as a System Integrator in (Name of Home Circle)------Circle as National/Circle Level System Integrator.
- (ii) That, the applicant is interested to get empanelled as SI in your Circle also.
- (iii) That, the applicant is eligible under this policy to be empanelled as National/Circle SI.
- (iv) That, the applicant on appointment as SI, would abide by the procedure as decided from time to time by BSNL and its officers in executing the network assignments as approved for the purpose.
- (v) It is declared that the intended additional empanelment in your Circle would not affect the quality and speed of the works in my existing empanelled Circle.
- (vi) It is well understood, that Enterprise Business leads are of utmost importance and have got commercial value for BSNL and would not be mis-utilised in any form which may be detrimental to the Business interests of BSNL.
- (vii) That the quotes given by me against the queries of BSNL would be firm and to be abided by me.
- (viii) That, the acceptance of my offer against any goods or services would be at the sole discretion of BSNL and my Company would have no claim or right on any business.
- (ix) That all the terms and conditions as applicable to me in my home Circle of empanelment would be enforceable in your Circle mutatis mutandis.
- (x) That, the policy is non exclusive in nature and the applicant can't claim any right to any business, customer, area or product etc.
- (xi) That, the applicant is aware of the additional empanelment is mutual and can be cancelled by either side on a due notice as per policy of BSNL.
- (xii) The applicant authorises existing Home Circle Head to have lien on the BG submitted by me for any non performance committed in your Circle. For this purpose CGM of home Circle would act as per the advice of your Circle.
- (xiii) The applicant is well aware that if at any stage/juncture it is established that the applicant as SI has misrepresented BSNL and acted in a manner detrimental to the business interests of BSNL, BSNL would be free to make good its losses from the applicant without prejudice to any other legal remedies it may have.

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