

Further clarifications to the RFE for Consultants and Software Solution providers

In response to the queries received from various bidders on the applicability of certain clauses of the prequalification and technical evaluation criteria, the following clarifications are furnished.

For all bidders (all Tiers)

Sl No	Para no of the RFE	Particulars	Existing clause/provision	Clarification
1	5.1 (b)	Prequalification criteria	Sl No 3 of the table under the Prequalification criteria.	Bidders should have an average annual turnover of Rs 250 crore/125 crore/50 crore for Tier I, Tier II and Tier III bidders respectively over the three previous financial years (2007-08, 2008-09 and 2009-10). This is not a minimum requirement prescribed for every year.
2	5.2.1, 5.2.1 A and 5.2.1 B. 5.2.2, 5.2.2 A and 5.2.2 B	Technical evaluation	Section AI of the table under Technical evaluation	The citations showing demonstrating experience with Central/State Government is one of the requirements prescribed for technical evaluation, which would be accorded appropriate score (within the overall 24 points earmarked for this section AI). Bidders not possessing such experience with Central/State Government (either no experience or experience less than the prescribed number of assignments) will 'not receive any weightage/receive prorata weightage based on actual experience with State/Central Govt' out of the score assigned for experience with the Central/State Government.
	5.2.1, 5.2.1 A and 5.2.1 B. 5.2.2, 5.2.2 A and 5.2.2 B	Technical evaluation	Section AI of the table under Technical evaluation	It is clarified that citations (i.e experiences) required for the lower bands can be made good by providing extra citations in the higher bands. However, the opposite scenario is not acceptable. i.e the citations required to be furnished in the higher band (eg 3 citations to be provided in the highest band) cannot be made good by providing extra citations in the lower bands. Eg. A citation for the higher band say for Rs. 5 crore cannot be 5 citations of Rs. 1 crore.

