

APEX TELE-INFRA LIMITED

(A Govt. of India Enterprise)

Regd. Office: Apex Bhawan, Janpath, New Delhi - 110001

NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT)

Name of Work:

Supply, Transportation, and Unloading of 33kV and 11kV Grade XLPE Insulated Power Cables and Copper Earthing Cables for Phase-IV Network Expansion.

Tender Reference No: APEX/PROC/UG-CABLES/2025/112

Date of Issue: December 10, 2025

Mode of Tender: e-Tendering (Two Bid System)

Estimated Cost: INR 2.45 Crores

Issued By:

Deputy General Manager (Procurement)
Network Systems Unit, Apex Tele-Infra Ltd.
Email: procurement@apextel.in

1 SECTION 1: NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT)

Sealed tenders are invited under the **Two Bid System** (Technical Bid & Commercial Bid) from eligible manufacturers/bidders for the following work:

Particulars	Details
Tender Reference No.	APEX/PROC/UG-CABLES/2025/112
Name of Work	Supply of Power and Earthing Cables for UG Network
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	INR 5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakhs Only) via DD/BG
Tender Fee	INR 5,900/- (Inclusive of GST) - Non-refundable
Bid Validity	180 Days from the date of opening of Technical Bid
Delivery Period	60 Days from date of Purchase Order (PO)
Last Date of Submission	January 05, 2026 up to 15:00 Hrs
Date of Opening (Tech Bid)	January 05, 2026 at 15:30 Hrs

Note: MSME/NSIC registered units are exempted from payment of Tender Fee and EMD upon submission of valid registration certificates.

2 SECTION 2: INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

2.1 2.1 Submission of Bids

The tender shall be submitted in two separate sealed envelopes as follows:

- Envelope A (Technical Bid):** Shall contain EMD, Eligibility Documents, Technical Specifications compliance, and Un-priced Commercial Bid. **No price details shall be mentioned in this envelope.**
- Envelope B (Financial Bid):** Shall contain the Price Schedule only as per Annexure-V.

2.2 2.2 Eligibility Criteria

- Turnover:** Average Annual Financial Turnover during the last 3 years, ending 31st March of the previous financial year, should be at least **30%** of the estimated cost.
- Experience:** Experience of having successfully completed similar works (Supply of HT/LT Cables) during the last 7 years ending last day of month previous to the one in which applications are invited.
- Solvency:** Solvency Certificate from a Nationalized/Scheduled Bank for a value not less than 40% of the estimated cost.

2.3 2.3 Clarification of Tender Documents

A prospective bidder requiring any clarification of the tender documents may notify the Purchaser in writing or by email at the address indicated in the NIT. The Purchaser will respond to any request for clarification received earlier than 7 days prior to the deadline for submission of bids.

3 SECTION 3: GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC)

3.1 3.1 Force Majeure

If at any time, during the continuance of this contract, the performance in whole or in part by either party of any obligation under this contract is prevented or delayed by reasons of any war, hostility, acts of public enemy, civil commotion, sabotage, fires, floods, explosions, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, lockouts, or acts of God (hereinafter referred to as "events"), provided notice of the happening of any such event is given by either party to the other within 21 days from the date of occurrence thereof, neither party shall by reason of such event, be entitled to terminate this contract nor shall either party have any claim for damages.

3.2 3.2 Liquidated Damages (LD)

In the event of the Supplier's failure to have the stores ready for delivery by the time or times respectively specified in the letter of acceptance or contract, the Purchaser may withhold any payment until the whole of the stores have been fully supplied and delivered and may deduct or recover from the Supplier as liquidated damages (and not by way of penalty) a sum at the rate of **0.5% (Half Percent)** of the price of any stores which the Supplier has failed to deliver as aforesaid for each and every week or part of a week during which the delivery of such stores may be in arrears where delivery thereof is accepted after expiry of the aforesaid period, subject to a maximum of **10% (Ten Percent)** of the total contract value.

3.3 3.3 Arbitration

In the event of any question, dispute or difference arising under this agreement or in connection therewith (except as to the matters, the decision to which is specifically provided under this agreement), the same shall be referred to the sole arbitration of the CMD, Apex Tele-Infra Ltd. or some other person appointed by him. The award of the arbitrator shall be final and binding on the parties.

3.4 3.4 Integrity Pact

The Bidder shall sign and submit the **Pre-Contract Integrity Pact** (Annexure-II) along with the Technical Bid. Bids without a signed Integrity Pact shall be summarily rejected.

4 SECTION 4: TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

All items must be ISI marked and conform to the latest relevant IS specifications.

1. Item 1: 33kV XLPE Cable (3 Core x 400 sq.mm)

- Voltage Grade: 33kV (E).
- Conductor: Stranded Compacted Circular Copper (Class 2).
- Insulation: XLPE (Cross Linked Polyethylene).
- Armouring: Round Galvanized Steel Wire (GSW).
- Sheath: FRLS (Flame Retardant Low Smoke) PVC, Black color.
- Reference Standard: IS 7098 Part-2.

2. Item 2: 1.1kV LT Cable (4 Core x 16 sq.mm)

- Voltage Grade: 1.1kV.
- Conductor: Aluminium.
- Insulation: PVC Type A.
- Armouring: Flat Steel Strip.
- Reference Standard: IS 1554 Part-1.

3. Approved Makes:

- Polycab / Havells / KEI / Finolex / Universal / RPG or approved equivalent.

5 SECTION 5: BILL OF QUANTITIES (PRICE BID)

(To be submitted in a separate sealed envelope)

S.No	Item Description	Unit	Qty	Rate	Amount
1	Supply of 33kV (E), 3C x 400 sq.mm Copper Conductor, XLPE Insulated, Armoured, FRLS Cable.	Mtr	1500		
2	Supply of 1.1kV, 4C x 16 sq.mm Aluminium Conductor, PVC Insulated, Armoured Cable.	Mtr	5000		
3	Supply of 1.1kV, 4C x 10 sq.mm Aluminium Conductor, PVC Insulated, Armoured Cable.	Mtr	2000		
4	Earthing Cable: 35 sq.mm Cu Single Core (Green/Yellow).	Mtr	3500		
5	Straight Through Joint Kit for 33kV 3C x 400 sq.mm Cable (Heat Shrink type). Make: Raychem/3M.	Nos	25		
Total Basic Value:					
GST @ 18%:					
Grand Total (FOR Destination):					

ANNEXURE - I: NON-BLACKLISTING DECLARATION

(To be submitted on Non-Judicial Stamp Paper of Rs. 100/-)

To,
The Deputy General Manager,
Apex Tele-Infra Ltd., New Delhi.

Subject: Declaration regarding Non-Blacklisting/Debarment

Dear Sir,

We hereby declare that our firm/company, M/s _____, has not been blacklisted, debarred, or put on holiday list by any Central/State Government Department, Public Sector Undertaking, or Autonomous Body in India as on the date of submission of this bid.

We further understand that if this declaration is found to be false at any stage, our bid/contract shall be liable for cancellation, and our EMD/Performance Security shall be forfeited.

Signature of Authorized Signatory

Name: _____
Designation: _____

Seal of the Firm: _____

ANNEXURE - II: BID SECURING DECLARATION

(For MSME/Start-up Exempted Bidders)

I/We, the undersigned, declare that:

I/We understand that, according to your conditions, bids must be supported by a Bid-Securing Declaration.

I/We accept that I/We may be disqualified from bidding for any contract with you for a period of two years from the date of notification if I am/We are in a breach of any obligation under the bid conditions, because I/We:

1. have withdrawn/modified/amended, impairs or derogates from the tender, my/our Bid during the period of bid validity specified in the form of Bid; or
2. having been notified of the acceptance of our Bid by the purchaser during the period of bid validity (i) fail or reuse to execute the contract, if required, or (ii) fail or refuse to furnish the Performance Security, in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Signature of Authorized Signatory

Date: _____