

**Comparative Statement for Supply of Research Lab Equipment (Lot No. 4. Scanning Electron Microscope, SEM)**

Reference No. PAF: IAST-RLE-ITB-111-21 was advertised on June 26<sup>th</sup>, 2021 in national dailies (F/I) for the “Supply of Research Lab Equipment”. The Tender was advertised based on KPPRA Rule 6(2)(b) “Single Stage – Two Envelope”. However, as per Clause 27 & 28 of Tender document/ RFP, there were Preliminary Examination and Evaluation of Eligibility and Technical Qualification which were defined in Section 4: Evaluation Criteria. Moreover, as per Clause 38: Award Criteria of Tender document/ RFP, the Bid(s) will be declared as responsive and award the Contract to the Bidder that is found responsive to the requirements of the Technical Specifications and other Compliances and has offered the lowest price.

LOTS	Description	Quantity
LOT #4	Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM)	1

The following four bidders submitted their bids for **LOT # 4** against the tender as of above.

S.No.	Name of Firm/bidder	Eligibility	Qualification	Technical Specification Compliance	Remarks
1.	Prime Scientific	Eligible	Qualified	Qualified	<b>Responsive</b>
2.	Latif Brothers	Not eligible	Extension in Bid validity was provided only on CPT not on F.O.R		
3.	AMS	Eligible	Qualified	disqualified	<b>Non Responsive</b>
4.	Professional System	Not eligible	Does not meet the financial strength criteria		

The 04 bids received in response to Tender for Research Lab Equipment were evaluated. One bidder i.e. Professional systems did not meet the financial strength criteria and hence was found ineligible. M/S Analytical Measuring system (AMS) could not qualify technically due to small probe current and stage movement criteria. The bidders i.e., Prime Scientific was found eligible and qualified according to basic eligibility criteria of Tender document. M/S Latif Brothers provided the extension in Bid validity only on CPT basis, since the financial comparison would be based on bid submitted on F.O.R therefore, the bid of Latif Brothers would not be further evaluated, According to the section 2, (ITB) 17 (Extension in Bid validity Period)

17.2 If the Bidder agrees to extend the validity of its Bid, it shall be done without any change to the original Bid.

17.3 The Bidder has the right to refuse to extend the validity of its Bid, in which case, the Bid shall not be further evaluated.

**The financial bids of below bidder was opened on 31 March 2022.**

Bidder	Equipment Origin	Price Quote (PKR)	Price Quote (USD)	Remarks
Prime Scientific	USA	46,361,300	175,000	Responsive

M/S Prime Scientific is being recommended for the award of Tender for Lot# 4 SEM being Responsive, as per KPPRA Rule 9(4).

1. **Engr. Atta ULLAH**, Deputy Manager (Works), PAF-IAST, Member -----
2. **Mr. Sayed Ali Raza Shah**, Manager (IT), PAF-IAST, Member -----
3. **Dr. Sajjad ULLAH Jan**, Librarian PAF-IAST, Member -----
4. **Mr. Shoukat Hussain**, Director Finance, PAF-IAST, Member -----
5. **Prof. Dr. Sharifullah Khan**, Dean FECID, PAF-IAST Convener -----