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BID DOCUMENT

TENDER NO. IT-MS-2022-01

**Procurement of Managed Internet and WLAN Services at
PAF-IAST Hattar Boys Hostel**

**INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT
PAK-AUSTRIA FACHHOCHSCHULE: INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY
MANG, HARIPUR, KPK**

SUBMISSION OF BIDS: THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 2022 @ 11:30 AM

OPENING OF BIDS THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 2022 @12:00 PM

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SECTION 1. LETTER OF INVITATION

The Pak-Austria Fachhochschule: Institute of Applied Sciences & Technology (PAF- IAST), Haripur invites sealed bids from interested Reputed firms/ companies for the “Procurement of Managed Internet and WLAN Services at PAF-IAST Hattar Boys Hostel” in accordance with **KKPPRA Rule 14(2)b** “Single Stage, Two Envelope Procedure”.

Sr#	Description	Quantity
01	100 Mbps CIR bandwidth (Upstream & Downstream) at PAF-IAST Hattar Boys Hostel on fiber. With 99.986% uptime along with backup link for 3 years at minimum.	01
02	WLAN Managed Service Solution and Management at PAF-IAST Hattar Boys Hostel.	01

The bidder must be registered and duly recognized in Pakistan and be registered with FBR and KPRA for Tax purposes; possess Manufacturer’s status or Distributor/ Dealer status with authorization from Manufacturer/ Principal specific for this tender, with sufficient financial, technical, and human resources to take up the task assigned and complete the same within prescribed time limit on the finalization of contract with PAF-IAST.

Tender document containing instructions to bidders covering definitions, introduction/ background of the Project, scope of work, general terms and conditions, and special terms, procedure for submission of bids, opening of bid, evaluation criteria, technical specifications, functional requirements, and other related information, can be obtained against a written request on company’s letterhead, from Pak-Austria Fachhochschule: Institute of Applied Sciences & Technology, Haripur – Pakistan. Cost of the document is Rs. 2000/- Non-refundable (Stationery charges). Tender document can also be downloaded from <http://www.paf-iast.edu.pk/> free of cost, however, the Bid should also be submitted along with Pay Order/ Demand Draft of Rs. 2000/- (Stationery Charges). No bid will be accepted without Tender Document fee.

Bidder(s) interested in participating in the tender process are advised to submit their Bid Proposal(s), along with the Earnest Money amounting 2% of their Bid Value in the shape of CDR, in accordance with the instructions in this tender document. Bid Proposal(s) must reach PAF-IAST, Haripur on **Thursday the June 16, 2022, by 1130 hrs.** Any late Bid(s) shall not be accepted and returned unopened. Accepted Bids will be opened on the same day at 1200 hrs., in presence of bidders who chose to attend. In case of sudden holiday on bid opening day, bids will be opened on next working day. The Tender shall be executed in accordance with **KKPPRA Rule 14(2)b** “Single Stage, Two Envelope Procedure”. This advertisement is also available on PAF: IAST and KPPRA websites <http://www.paf-iast.edu.pk/> & <http://www.kkppra.gov.pk>

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SECTION 2. INSTRUCTION TO BIDDERS (ITB)

A. GENERAL TERMS	
1. Introduction	<p>1.1 Bidders shall adhere to all the requirements of this ITB, including any amendments made in writing by PAF-IAST. This ITB will be governed under Clause 14(b) "Single Stage, Two Envelope Procedure" of Public Procurement Regulatory Authority, Government of Pakistan.</p> <p>1.2 Any Bid submitted will be regarded as an offer by the Bidder and does not constitute or imply the acceptance of the Bid by PAF-IAST. The Institute is under no obligation to award a contract to any Bidder as a result of this ITB.</p> <p>1.3 PAF-IAST reserves the right to cancel the procurement process at any stage without any liability of any kind for PAF-IAST, upon notice to the bidders or publication of cancellation notice on PAF- IAST website.</p>
2. Fraud & Corruption, Gifts and Hospitality	<p>2.1 PAF-IAST strictly enforces a policy of zero tolerance on proscribed practices, including fraud, corruption, collusion, unethical or unprofessional practices, and obstruction of PAF-IAST vendors and requires all bidders/ vendors observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement process and contract implementation.</p> <p>2.2 Bidders/ vendors shall not offer gifts or hospitality of any kind to PAF-IAST staff members including recreational trips to sporting or cultural events, theme parks or offers of holidays, transportation, or invitations to extravagant lunches or dinners.</p> <p>2.3 In pursuance of this policy, PAF-IAST:</p> <p>(a) Shall reject a bid if it determines that the bidder is or has been engaged in any corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for the tender in question;</p> <p>(b) Shall declare a bidder ineligible, either indefinitely or for a stated period, to be awarded a contract if at any time it determines that the bidder is or has been engaged in any corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for, or in executing any contract; or counseling or canvassing staff or elected representatives; or engaging in collusion with other bidders.</p>
3. Eligibility	<p>3.1 A Bidder should not be suspended, debarred, or otherwise identified as ineligible by any Government/ Semi-government/ or any other international Organization. Bidders are therefore required to disclose to PAF-IAST whether they are subject to any sanction or temporary suspension imposed by these organizations.</p> <p>3.2 It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure that its employees, sub-contractors, service providers, suppliers and/ or their employees meet the eligibility requirements as established by PAF-IAST.</p>
4. General Terms	<p>4.1 The Bidder should be registered with FBR and KPRA for Sales Tax and Income Tax.</p> <p>4.2 The Bidder should have not been blacklisted by any Government/ semi Government organization.</p> <p>4.3 There should be no litigation against the bidder/ firm.</p>

B. PREPARATION OF BIDS		
5.	General Considerations	<p>5.1 In preparing the Bid, the Bidder is expected to examine the ITB in detail. Material deficiencies in providing the information requested in the ITB may result in rejection of the Bid.</p> <p>5.2 The Bidder will not be permitted to take advantage of any errors or omissions in the ITB. Should such errors or omissions be discovered, the Bidder must notify the Rector, PAF-IAST accordingly.</p>
6.	Cost of Preparation of Bid	6.1 The Bidder shall bear all costs related to the preparation and/ or submission of the Bid, regardless of whether its Bid is selected or not. PAF-IAST shall not be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the procurement process.
7.	Language	7.1 The Bid, as well as any, and all related correspondence exchanged by the Bidder and PAF- IAST, shall be written in the language(s) specified in the BDS.
8.	Documents Comprising the Bid	<p>8.1 The Bid shall comprise of the following documents and related forms of which details are provided in the BDS. All pages of the Bid shall be signed, stamped and properly paginated.</p> <p>a) Returnable Forms as referred in Section 6 shall be properly filled in Ink or Typed. Forms filled in using a pencil shall not be considered and substantiate the annulment of the Bid Proposal.</p> <p>b) Documents Establishing the Eligibility and Qualifications of the Bidder;</p> <p>c) Bid covering Technical Specifications in detail, and covering Price Schedule;</p> <p>d) Bid Security, if required by BDS;</p> <p>e) Any attachments and/ or appendices to the Bid.</p>
9.	Documents Establishing the Eligibility and Qualifications	9.1 The Bidder shall furnish documentary evidence of its status as an eligible and qualified supplier, using the Forms provided under Section 6 and providing documents required in those forms. In order to award a contract to a Bidder, its qualifications must be documented to PAF-IAST's satisfaction.
10.	Technical Bid Format and Content	<p>10.1 The Bidder is required to submit a Bid using the Standard Forms and templates provided in Section 6 of the ITB.</p> <p>10.2 Samples of items, when required as per Section 5, shall be provided within the time specified and unless otherwise specified by the Purchaser, at no expense to the Institute. If not destroyed by testing, samples will be returned at Bidder's request and expense, unless otherwise specified.</p> <p>10.3 When applicable and required in Section 5, the Bidder shall describe the necessary training program available for the maintenance and operation of the equipment offered as well as the cost to the Institute. Unless otherwise specified, such training as well as training materials shall be provided in the language of the Bid as specified in the BDS.</p> <p>10.4 When applicable and required in Section 5, the Bidder shall certify the availability of spare parts for a period of at least five (5) years from date of delivery, or as otherwise specified in this ITB.</p>
11.	Price Schedule	<p>11.1 The Price Schedule shall be prepared using the Forms provided in Section 6 of the ITB and taking into consideration the requirements in the ITB.</p> <p>11.2 Any requirement described in this ITB but not priced in the Price Schedule, shall be assumed to have been included in the prices of other activities or items, as well as in the final total price.</p>

<p>12. Bid Security</p>	<p>12.1 A Bid Security shall be provided in the amount and form indicated in the BDS. The Bid Security shall be valid for the duration as referred in BDS.</p> <p>12.2 The Bid Security shall be included along with the Bid. If Bid Security not found in the Bid, the Bid shall be rejected.</p> <p>12.3 If the Bid Security amount or its validity period is found to be less than what is required, PAF-IAST shall reject the Bid.</p> <p>12.4 In the event an electronic submission is allowed in the BDS, Bidders shall include a copy of the Bid Security in their bid and the original of the Bid Security must be sent via courier or hand delivery as per the instructions in BDS.</p> <p>12.5 The Bid Security will be forfeited by PAF-IAST, and the Bid rejected, in the event of any, or combination, of the following conditions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) If the Bidder withdraws its offer during the period of the Bid Validity specified in the BDS, or; b) In the event the successful Bidder fails: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. to sign the Contract after PAF-IAST has issued an award; or ii. to furnish the Performance Security, insurances, or other documents that PAF-IAST may require as a condition precedent to the effectivity of the contract that may be awarded to the Bidder.
<p>13. Currencies</p>	<p>13.1 All prices shall be quoted in the currency indicated in the BDS. Where prices are quoted in different currencies, for the purposes of comparison:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) PAF-IAST will convert the currency quoted into the currency indicated in BDS, in accordance with the prevailing Inter Bank rate of exchange on the last day of submission of Bids; and b) In the event that PAF-IAST selects a Bid for award that is quoted in a currency different from the preferred currency in the BDS, PAF-IAST shall reserve the right to award the contract in the currency of PAF-IAST's preference, using the conversion method specified above.
<p>14. Joint Venture or Consortium</p>	<p>14.1 If the Bidder is a group of legal entities that will form or have formed a Joint Venture (JV), Consortium or Association for the Bid, they shall confirm in their Bid, if allowed in Bid Data Sheet, that : (i) they have designated one party to act as a lead entity, duly vested with authority to legally bind the members of the JV, Consortium or Association jointly and severally, which shall be evidenced by an intent letter or an Agreement among the legal entities duly notarized, and submitted with the Bid; and (ii) if they are awarded the contract, the contract shall be entered into, by and between PAF-IAST and the designated lead entity, who shall be acting for and on behalf of all the member entities comprising the joint venture.</p> <p>14.2 After the Deadline for Submission of Bid, the lead entity identified to represent the JV, Consortium or Association Or any change in the constitution of the JV, Consortium or Association shall not be altered without the prior written consent of PAF-IAST/ Procurement Committee.</p> <p>14.3 The lead entity and the member entities of the JV, Consortium or Association shall abide by the provisions of Clause 15 herein in respect of submitting only one Bid.</p> <p>14.4 The description of the organization of the JV, Consortium or Association must clearly define the expected role of each of the entities in the joint venture in delivering the requirements of the ITB, both in the Bid and the JV, Consortium or Association Agreement or Intent Letter. If allowed in this Tender document/</p>

	<p>RFP, all entities that comprise the JV, Consortium or Association shall be cumulatively subject to the eligibility and technical qualification assessment by PAF-IAST as defined in Section 4: Evaluation Criteria.</p> <p>14.5 A JV, Consortium or Association in presenting its track record and experience should clearly differentiate between:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Those that were undertaken together by the JV, Consortium or Association; and b) Those that were undertaken by the individual entities of the JV, Consortium or Association. <p>14.6 Previous contracts completed by individual experts working privately but who are permanently or were temporarily associated with any of the member firms cannot be claimed as the experience of the JV, Consortium or Association or those of its members, but should only be claimed by the individual experts themselves in their presentation of their individual credentials.</p>
<p>15. Only One Bid</p>	<p>15.1 The Bidder (including the individual members of any Joint Venture) shall submit only one Bid, either in its own name or as part of a Joint Venture.</p> <p>15.2 Bids submitted by two (2) or more Bidders shall all be rejected if they are found to have any of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) they have at least one controlling partner, director or shareholder in common; or b) any one of them receive or have received any direct or indirect subsidy from the other/s; or c) they have the same legal representative for purposes of this ITB; or d) they are subcontractors to each other's Bid, or a subcontractor to one Bid also submits another Bid under its name as lead Bidder; or some key personnel proposed to be in the team of one Bidder participates in more than one Bid received for this ITB process. This condition relating to the personnel, does not apply to subcontractors being included in more than one Bid.
<p>16. Bid Validity Period</p>	<p>16.1 Bids shall remain valid for the period specified in the BDS, commencing on the Deadline for Submission of Bids. A Bid valid for a shorter period may be rejected by PAF-IAST and rendered non-responsive.</p> <p>16.2 During the Bid validity period, the Bidder shall maintain its original Bid without any change, including the availability of the Key Personnel.</p>
<p>17. Extension of Bid Validity Period</p>	<p>17.1 In exceptional circumstances, prior to the expiration of the Bid validity period, PAF-IAST may request Bidders to extend the period of validity of their Bids. The request and the responses shall be made in writing and shall be considered integral to the Bid.</p> <p>17.2 If the Bidder agrees to extend the validity of its Bid, it shall be done without any change to the original Bid.</p> <p>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.</p>

<p>18. Clarification on ITB (from the Bidders)</p>	<p>18.1 Bidders may request clarifications on any of the ITB documents no later than the date indicated in the BDS. Any request for clarification must be sent in writing in the manner indicated in the BDS. If inquiries are sent other than specified channel, even if they are sent to a PAF-IAST staff member, PAF-IAST shall have no obligation to respond or confirm that the query was officially received.</p> <p>18.2 PAF-IAST will provide the responses to clarifications through the method specified in the BDS.</p> <p>18.3 PAF-IAST shall endeavor to provide responses to clarifications in an expeditious manner, but any delay in such response shall not cause an obligation on the part of PAF-IAST to extend the submission date of the Bids, unless PAF-IAST deems that such an extension is justified and necessary.</p>
<p>19. Amendment in ITB</p>	<p>19.1 At any time prior to the deadline of Bid submission, PAF-IAST may for any reason, such as in response to a clarification requested by a Bidder, modify the ITB in the form of an amendment to the ITB. Amendments will be made available to all prospective bidders.</p> <p>19.2 If the amendment is substantial, PAF-IAST may extend the Deadline for submission of Bid to give the Bidders reasonable time to incorporate the amendment into their Bids.</p>
<p>20. Alternative Bids</p>	<p>20.1 Unless otherwise specified in the BDS, alternative Bids shall not be considered. If submission of alternative Bid is allowed by BDS, a Bidder may submit an alternative Bid, but only if it also submits a Bid conforming to the ITB requirements. Where the conditions for its acceptance are met, or justifications are clearly established, PAF-IAST reserves the right to award a contract based on an alternative Bid.</p> <p>20.2 If multiple/ alternative bids are being submitted, they must be clearly marked as "Main Bid" and "Alternative Bid"</p>
<p>21. Pre-Bid Conference</p>	<p>21.1 When appropriate, a pre-bid conference may be conducted at the date, time and location specified in the BDS. All Bidders are encouraged to attend. Nonattendance, however, shall not result in disqualification of an interested Bidder. Minutes of the Bidder's conference will be disseminated on the procurement website and/ or shared by email as specified in the BDS. No verbal statement made during the conference shall modify the terms and conditions of the ITB, unless specifically incorporated in the Minutes of the Bidder's Conference or issued/ posted as an amendment to ITB.</p>
<p>C. SUBMISSION AND OPENING OF BIDS</p>	
<p>22. Bid Proposal Submission</p>	<p>22.1 The Bidder shall submit a duly signed and numbered all pages of the complete Bid in an Envelope sealed and marked as per ITB 22.6, and in accordance with KPPRA Rule 14(2)b.</p> <p>22.2 The Outer Envelope should contain Two (02) separate sealed envelopes, one of which comprising the Forms (A – F) and supporting documents in accordance with requirements in the BDS, shall be marked as "Technical Proposal". Whereas, the other envelope containing the Form G: Price Schedule Form shall be marked as "Financial Proposal".</p> <p>22.3 The Bid Security as referred in BDS must be placed in the "Financial Proposal" but in duly sealed envelope and marked as "Bid Security". However, an Affidavit stating that the Bid Security (without indicating the amount) has been placed in the Financial Proposal, should be enclosed in "Technical Proposal". Bid Security envelope will be opened with financial proposal of Technically qualified bidders.</p> <p>22.4 Bid can be delivered by courier/ hand delivered as specified in the BDS.</p>

	<p>22.5 The Bid shall be signed by the Bidder or person(s) duly authorized to commit the Bidder. The authorization shall be communicated through a document evidencing such authorization issued by the legal representative of the bidding entity, or a Power of Attorney, accompanying the Bid. There should not be errors and/ or over-writings. Corrections (if any) should be made clearly and initialed with dates.</p> <p>22.6 Bidders must be aware that the mere act of submission of a Bid, in and of itself, implies that the Bidder fully accepts the General Contract Terms and Conditions.</p> <p>22.7 Hard copy submission by courier allowed or as specified in the BDS shall be governed as follows:</p> <p>a) The signed Bid shall be marked "Original", and its copies marked "Copy" as appropriate. The number of copies is indicated in the BDS. All copies shall be made from the signed original only. If there are discrepancies between the original and the copies, the original shall prevail.</p> <p>(b) The Bid Proposals must be sealed and submitted in an envelope, which shall:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Bear the name of the Bidder; ii. Be addressed to PAF - IAST as specified in the BDS; and iii. Bear a warning not to open before the time and date for Bid opening as specified in the BDS. <p>If the envelope with the Bid is not sealed and marked as required, PAF-IAST shall assume no responsibility for the misplacement, loss, or premature opening of the Bid.</p>
<p>23. Deadline for Submission of Bids and Late Bids</p>	<p>23.1 Complete Bids must be received by PAF-IAST in the manner, and no later than the date and time, specified in the BDS. PAF-IAST shall only recognize the actual date and time that the bid was received by PAF-IAST.</p> <p>23.2 PAF-IAST shall not consider any Bid that is received after the deadline for the submission of Bids.</p>
<p>24. Withdrawal, Substitution, and Modification of Bids</p>	<p>24.1 A Bidder may withdraw, substitute or modify its Bid after it has been submitted at any time prior to the deadline for submission.</p> <p>24.2 A bidder may withdraw, substitute or modify its Bid by sending a written notice to PAF- IAST, duly signed by an authorized representative, including a Power of Attorney. The corresponding substitution or modification of the Bid, must accompany the respective written notice. All notices must be submitted in the same manner as specified for submission of Bids, by clearly marking them as "WITHDRAWAL" "SUBSTITUTION," or "MODIFICATION"</p> <p>24.3 Bids requested to be withdrawn shall be returned unopened to the Bidders, except if the bid is withdrawn after the bid has been opened.</p>
<p>25. Bid Opening</p>	<p>25.1 The Procurement Committee of PAF- IAST will open the Bid in the presence of Bidders' representative(s) who choose to attend.</p> <p>25.2 The Bidders' names, modifications, withdrawals, the condition of the envelope labels/ seals, the number of folders/ files and all other such other details as PAF- IAST may consider appropriate, will be announced at the opening. No Bid shall be rejected at the opening stage, except for late submissions, in which case, the Bid shall be returned unopened to the Bidders.</p> <p>25.3 In case of public holiday on bid opening day, bids will be opened on next working day.</p>

D. EVALUATION OF BIDS

26. Confidentiality	<p>26.1 Information relating to the examination, evaluation, and comparison of Bids, and the recommendation of contract award, shall not be disclosed to Bidders, even after publication of the contract award.</p> <p>26.2 Any effort by a Bidder to influence PAF-IAST in the examination, evaluation and comparison of the Bids or contract award decisions may, at PAF-IAST's decision, result in the rejection of its Bid and may subsequently be subject to consequences.</p>
27. Preliminary Examination	27.1 PAF-IAST shall examine the Bids to determine whether they are complete with respect to minimum documentary requirements, whether the documents have been properly signed, and whether the Bids are generally in order, among other indicators that may be used at this stage. PAF-IAST reserves the right to reject any Bid at this stage.
28. Evaluation of Eligibility and Technical Qualification	<p>28.1 Eligibility and Technical Qualification of the Bidder will be evaluated against the Minimum Eligibility/ Qualification requirements specified in the Section 4: Evaluation Criteria.</p> <p>28.2 In general terms, Bidders that meet the following criteria may be considered qualified:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) They are not included in the list of blacklisted or barred companies published on KPPRA website, federal or any provincial government department; b) They have a good financial standing and have access to adequate financial resources to perform the contract and all existing commercial commitments, c) They have the necessary experience, technical expertise, production capacity, quality certifications, quality assurance procedures and other resources applicable to the supply of goods and/ or services required; d) They are capable to comply fully with the General Terms and Conditions of Contract; e) They do not have a consistent history of court/ arbitral award decisions against the Bidder; and f) They have a record of timely and satisfactory performance with their clients.
29. Evaluation of Bid Proposals	29.1 The evaluation team shall review and evaluate the Bids on the basis of their responsiveness to the schedule of requirements and Technical Specifications and other documentation provided, applying the procedure indicated in the BDS and other ITB documents. When necessary, and if stated in the BDS, PAF- IAST may invite technically responsive bidders for a presentation related to their Bids. The conditions for the presentation shall be provided in the bid document where required.
30. Due diligence	<p>30.1 PAF- IAST reserves the right to undertake a due diligence exercise, aimed at determining to its satisfaction, the validity of the information provided by the Bidder. Such exercise shall be fully documented and may include, but need not be limited to, all or any combination of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Verification of accuracy, correctness and authenticity of information provided by the Bidder; b) Validation of extent of compliance to the ITB requirements and evaluation criteria based on what has so far been found by the evaluation team; c) Inquiry and reference checking with Government entities with jurisdiction on the Bidder, or with previous clients, or any other entity that may have done business with the Bidder; d) Inquiry and reference checking with previous clients on the performance on on-going or completed contracts, including physical inspections of previous works, as deemed necessary;

	<p>e) Physical inspection of the Bidder's offices, branches or other places where business transpires, with or without notice to the Bidder;</p> <p>f) Other means that PAF-IAST may deem appropriate, at any stage within the selection process, prior to declaring the Bidder as Qualified.</p>
31. Clarification of Bids	<p>31.1 To assist in the examination, evaluation and comparison of Bids, PAF- IAST may, at its discretion, request any Bidder for a clarification of its Bid.</p> <p>31.2 PAF- IAST's request for clarification and the response shall be in writing and no change in the prices or substance of the Bid shall be sought, offered, or permitted, except to provide clarification, and confirm the correction of any arithmetic errors discovered by PAF-IAST in the evaluation of the Bids in accordance with the ITB.</p> <p>31.3 Any unsolicited clarification submitted by a Bidder in respect to its Bid, which is not a response to a request by PAF-IAST, may not be considered during the review and evaluation of the Bids.</p>
32. Responsiveness of Bid	<p>32.1 PAF-IAST's determination of a Bid's responsiveness will be based on the contents of the bid itself. A substantially responsive Bid is one that conforms to all the terms, conditions, specifications and other requirements of the ITB without material deviation, reservation, or omission.</p> <p>32.2 If a bid is not substantially responsive, it may be rejected by PAF-IAST and may not subsequently be made responsive by the Bidder by correction of the material deviation, reservation, or omission.</p>
33. Right to Accept, Reject, Any or All Bids	<p>33.1 PAF-IAST reserves the right to accept or reject any proposal in response to the ITB, to render any or all of the proposals as non-responsive, and to reject all Proposals in response to the ITB at any time prior to award of contract, while assigning the reason(s) thereof.</p> <p>33.2 PAF- IAST shall not be obliged to award the contract to the lowest priced offer.</p>
34. Nonconformities, Repairable Errors and Omissions	<p>34.1 Provided that a Bid is substantially responsive, PAF-IAST may waive any nonconformities or omissions in the Bid that, in the opinion of PAF-IAST, do not constitute a material deviation.</p> <p>34.2 PAF-IAST may request the Bidder to submit the necessary information or documentation, within a reasonable period, to rectify nonmaterial nonconformities or omissions in the Bid related to documentation requirements. Such omission shall not be related to any aspect of the price. Failure of the Bidder to comply with the request may result in the rejection of its Bid.</p> <p>34.3 For the Price Schedule that are submitted, PAF-IAST shall check and correct arithmetical errors as follows:</p> <p>a) if there is a discrepancy between the unit price and the line item total that is obtained by multiplying the unit price by the quantity, the unit price shall prevail and the line item total shall be corrected, unless in the opinion of PAF-IAST there is an obvious misplacement of the decimal point in the unit price; in which case, the line item total as quoted shall govern and the unit price shall be corrected;</p> <p>b) if there is an error in a total corresponding to the addition or subtraction of subtotals, the subtotals shall prevail and the total shall be corrected; and</p> <p>c) if there is a discrepancy between words and figures, the amount in words shall prevail, unless the amount expressed in words is related to an arithmetic error, in which case the amount in figures shall prevail.</p>

	34.4 If the Bidder does not accept the correction of errors made by PAF- IAST, its Bid shall be rejected.
35. Bidder Grievance	35.1 PAF- IAST's grievance readdress procedure provides an opportunity for appeal to those bidders or firms not awarded a contract through a competitive procurement process. In the event that a Bidder believes that it was not treated fairly, the Bidder may lodge a complaint to the PAF-IAST's Grievance Readdress Committee.
E. AWARD OF CONTRACT	
36. Evaluation	<p>36.1 PAF-IAST will conduct the evaluation solely on the basis of response to this tender received from the firms.</p> <p>36.2 Evaluation shall be undertaken in the following steps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Preliminary Examination including Technical Specifications and other compliances b) Arithmetical check and ranking of bidders who passed preliminary examination by price. c) Evaluation of prices <p>36.3 Price comparison shall be based on the landed price, including transportation, insurance and the total cost of ownership (including spare parts, consumption, installation, commissioning, training, special packaging, etc., where applicable)</p>
37. Integrity Pact	37.1 Bidders will also be required to submit a signed Integrity Pact on a stamp paper of appropriate value as part of their response. The text of Integrity Pact is available at Annex – I.
38. Award Criteria	<p>38.1 Prior to expiration of the period of Proposal validity, PAF-IAST shall award the contract to the Bidder that is found to be responsive to the requirements of the Technical Specifications and has offered the lowest price.</p> <p>38.2 PAF-IAST shall not be obliged to award the contract to the lowest priced offer, if the response is found deficient to the Technical Specifications and other compliances.</p> <p>38.3 In case of tie in Financial Bid Value, the Contract will be awarded to the bidder having closest match to the Technical Specifications.</p>
39. Contract Signing	<p>39.1 After the approval of any Work Award, a Contract Agreement on the stamp paper of appropriate value, shall be executed by PAF-IAST with Selected Bidder (i.e. Contractor) within 07 days from the date of issuance of Lol (Letter of Intent)/ Work Order.</p> <p>39.2 Failure to signing of Contract Agreement by the selected Bidder/ Firm with PAF-IAST within the stipulated time may constitute sufficient grounds for the annulment of the award, and forfeiture of the Bid Security, if any, and on which event, PAF- IAST may award the Contract to the Second highest rated or call for new Proposals.</p>
40. Right to Vary quantity at the Time of Award	40.1 At the time of award of Contract, PAF-IAST reserves the right to vary the quantity of goods and/ or services, without any change in the unit price or other terms and conditions.
41. Sample draft Contract	41.1 A sample draft Contract to be signed, containing applicable General Terms and Conditions can be found at Annex – II.
42. Performance Security	42.1 A performance security, if required in the BDS, shall be provided in the amount specified in BDS, well prior to the Contract signing by both parties. Where a performance security is required, the receipt of the performance security by PAF-IAST shall be a condition for rendering the contract effective.

43. Bank Guarantee for Advanced Payment	43.1 No Payment will be released in advance.
44. Liquidated Damages	<p>44.1 PAF-IAST shall apply Liquidated Damages for the damages and/ or risks caused to PAF-IAST resulting from the Contractor's delays or breach of its obligations as per Contract.</p> <p>a) In case of delay, the Procurement Committee, PAF-IAST reserves the right to impose a penalty not exceeding 10% of the total amount of the Contract Value at the rate as referred in the Sample Contract at Annexure – II.</p> <p>b) If the Contractor fails to complete work as per PAF-IAST requirement, the Rector, PAF-IAST reserves the right to reject it altogether or impose a penalty not exceeding 50% of the total amount of the Contract.</p> <p>c) If the Contractor fails to provide supplies/ services as per PAF-IAST requirements, PAF-IAST may forfeit his earnest money as well as Performance Security, and the work will be done at the risk and cost of Contractor.</p> <p>d) In case of any dispute, matter will be referred to Rector, PAF-IAST whose decision will be binding on both the parties.</p>
45. Force Majeure	<p>45.1 "Force Majeure" means an event which is beyond the reasonable control of a party and which makes a party's performance of its obligations under the Purchase Order/ Work Order/ Contract impossible or so impractical as to be considered impossible under the circumstances, and includes, but is not limited to, War, Riots, Storm, Flood or other industrial actions (except where such strikes, lockouts or other industrial issues are within the power of the party invoking Force Majeure), confiscation or any other action by Government agencies. In all disputes between the parties as to matters arising pursuant to this Purchase Order/ Work Order/ Contract, the dispute will be referred to Rector, PAF-IAST whose decision will be final.</p>
46. Delivery of Goods	<p>46.1 Contractor will be required to deliver the goods as per the Delivery Schedule referred in BDS without claiming any additional cost to the PAF-IAST at the designated site(s) and in quantities as referred in the Contract.</p>
47. Payment Provisions	<p>47.1 Payment will be made only upon PAF- IAST's acceptance of the goods and/ or services performed. The terms of payment shall be within thirty (30) days, after receipt of invoice, and certification of acceptance of goods and/ or services issued by the proper authority in PAF: IAST. Payment will be affected by bank transfer in the currency of the contract.</p> <p>47.2 The Contractor shall provide all necessary supporting documents along with GST invoice, delivery challan and any other relevant documents as required by the PAF- IAST.</p>

SECTION 3. BID DATA SHEET

The following data for the goods and/ or services to be procured shall complement, supplement, or amend the provisions in the Invitation to Bid. In the case of a conflict between the Instructions to Bidders, the Bid Data Sheet, and other annexes or references attached to the Bid Data Sheet, the provisions in the Bid Data Sheet shall prevail.

BDS No.	Ref. to Section.2	Data	Specific Instructions / Requirements
1.		Background	Pak-Austria Fachhochschule: Institute of Applied Sciences and Technology (PAF-IAST) is novel in its content and holistic in approach. The project concept is based on the slogan of “Skilling Pakistan” to create a high-quality technical education infrastructure. This unique educational institution in Pakistan closely collaborates with several institutions in Austria and China and award multiple foreign degrees. This is a historic and visionary initiative as it is probably the first time that an institution is established in Pakistan with many foreign universities giving degrees to students who study in it.
2.		Objective	The main objective of this Tender is to acquire the Managed Internet and WLAN services for PAF-IAST Hattar Boys Hostel.
3.		Scope of Work	<p>Scope of Work:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bidder is responsible to deliver, install, deploy and commissioning of equipment to provide managed internet and WLAN services in PAF-IAST Hattar boys’ hostel. • Bidder is responsible to install 100 Mbps CIR internet Link on fiber media with 99.986% services uptime and unlimited volume (upstream and downstream) at PAF-IAST hattar boys hostel. • Bidder is responsible to integrate the solution with PAF-IAST existing network in all aspects. (The detail of already installed equipment and proposed PAF-IAST network diagram is available at page no 36. • Bidder is responsible to add the APs and Cameras in NMS (Esight) and IVS. • Bidder is responsible to add the APs in Huawei’s WLAN (Access) controller
4.		Procurement Method	KPPRA Rule 14(2)b
5.	7	Language of the Bid	English
6.	14	Joint Venture/ Consortium	Allowed
7.	22, 23, 27	Submitting Bids for Parts or subparts of the Schedule of Requirements (partial bids)	The Procurement Committee shall consider the Bids on Turn-Key-Basis (i.e. all items required in each component and any other item(s) necessary to meet the scope of work) as referred in

			Section – 5. Any item not quoted shall have reasonable grounds to reject the Bid, until and unless justified.
8.	20	Alternative Bids	Not Allowed.
9.	21	Pre-Bid conference	Thursday the June 09, 2022 on 11:30 am (PST) On Microsoft Teams Click here to join the meeting
10.	16	Bid Validity Period	180 days
11.	13	Bid Security/ Earnest Money (Refundable)	<u>Required in the amount of: 2% of the Total Bid Value amount.</u> In case of options, earnest money shall be based on the maximum quoted price amongst the options. <u>Acceptable Forms of Bid Security:</u> Denominated in Pak Rupees duly issued by a Pakistani Bank or branch of a Foreign Bank, in the form of CDR in favor of the Rector, PAF-IAST
12.	42	Liquidated Damages	Will be imposed as follows: Percentage of contract price per day of delay: as referred in Draft Contract Sample in Annexure – II.
13.	40	Performance Security	Within one week of issuance of Lol/ Purchase Order and well prior to the signing of Contract, as 10% of the Contract value in the shape of Insurance/ Bank Guarantee or Draft for the duration of Project implementation and issuance of Final Acceptance Certificate (FAC) by the PAF-IAST.
14.	12	Currency of Bid	Pakistani Rupees (PKR)
15.	31	Deadline for submitting requests for clarifications/ questions	5 days before the submission deadline
16.	31	Contact Details for submitting clarifications/ questions	Focal Person in PAF-IAST: Manager IT, Information Technology Department Pak Austria Fachhochschule: Institute of Applied Sciences Mang,Haripur, KPK Phone No.0995-931400 <u>Alternate Contact Address:</u> Assistant Manager Network, Information Technology Department Pak Austria Fachhochschule: Institute of Applied Sciences Mang,Haripur, KPK Phone No.0995-931404
17.	18, 19, and 21	Manner of Disseminating Supplemental Information to the ITB and responses/ clarifications to queries	Direct communication to prospective Bidders by email and/ or Posting on the PAF-IAST website: pmo-it@paf-iaست.edu.pk

18.	23	Deadline for Submission	Thursday the June 16, 2022 on or before 11:30 am (PST)					
19.	22	Number of Set(s) of Bid	Technical Proposal(s) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - One (01) Original - Soft copy of Technical Proposal in a USB Flash Drive Financial Proposal(s) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - One (01) Original 					
20.	22	Allowable Manner of Submitting Bids	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Courier/ Hand Delivery only					
21.	22	Bid Submission Address	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By Courier/ Hand Delivery Convener Procurement Committee, PAF-IAST, Mang, Haripur					
22.	22	Electronic submission (email) requirements	Not Allowed					
23.	25	Date, time and venue for the opening of bid	Date and Time: Thursday the June 16, 2022 at 12:00 PM Venue: Conference Room, PAF-IAST, Mang, Haripur					
24.	27, 36	Evaluation Method	Eligible and qualified bids meeting the PAF- IAST requirements and technically responsive as stipulated in this ITB					
25.		Evaluation Method for the Award of Contract	Lowest priced technically responsive.					
26.		Expected date for commencement of Contract	July 2022					
27.		Maximum expected duration of Contract	36 months					
28.	35	PAF: IAST will award the contract to:	One Bidder					
29.	39	Type and Contract Terms and Conditions that will apply	PAF-IAST General Terms and Conditions for Contracts for Goods and/ or Services as per Sample at Annex – II.					
30.	46	Delivery, Installation and Testing/ Training	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Enablement of Required Services</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>100 Mbps CIR Internet Link on Fiber Media</td> <td rowspan="2" style="text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;">6 Weeks</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Managed Internet and WLAN services at PAF-IAST Hattar Boys Hostel</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Enablement of Required Services	100 Mbps CIR Internet Link on Fiber Media	6 Weeks	Managed Internet and WLAN services at PAF-IAST Hattar Boys Hostel
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31.	47	Payment Schedule	Payment on Successfully deployed Managed Internet and WLAN services at Hattar Boys Hostel: 70% Payment on UAT: 30% (subject to Retention money or Insurance/ Bank Guarantee against 1 st year Warranty & Support Services)					

SECTION 4. EVALUATION CRITERIA

Preliminary Examination Criteria

Bids will be examined to determine whether they are complete and submitted in accordance with ITB requirements as per below criteria on a Yes/ No basis:

- Appropriate signatures
- Power of Attorney
- Minimum Bid documents provided
- Bid Validity
- Bid Security submitted as per ITB requirements with compliant validity period

Minimum Eligibility Criteria

Eligibility will be evaluated on a Pass/ Fail basis.

Technical qualification will be evaluated on Score basis. Bidder will require to secure at least **70 percent** to qualify. Scores against each of the parameters in Section I, II will be according to documents provided by the Bidder, whereas scores in Section III will be awarded by Technical Committee in response to Bidder's presentation.

ELIGIBILITY			
S. #	Subject	Criteria	Reference Returnable Form(s)
1.	Bidder's Status	Participating as <input type="checkbox"/> Individual Company <input type="checkbox"/> JV/ Consortium	Form B: Joint Venture/ Consortium/ Association Information Form
2.	Legal Status	Bidder is a legally registered entity in Pakistan. Bidder is also registered with FBR and KPRA for Income Tax and Sales Tax. Bidder must be Active Tax payers and Listed.	Form C: Bidder Information Form
3.	Location of Offices	Bidder has declared office(s) in Islamabad/ Rawalpindi/ Peshawar/ Lahore or in Haripur.	Form C: Bidder Information Form
4.	Principal(s)' Authorization	Bidder must be Authorized Partner/ Reseller/ Dealer for the supply and services of the quoted goods/ services	Form C: Bidder Information Form
5.	Principal's Local Presence & Parts' Availability	Principal should have local presence and registered office in Pakistan with the relevant sales, pre-sales and engineering staff and at least One warehouse by Principal/ Bidder in one of each major city and possesses parts availability within the country.	Form C: Bidder Information Form
6.	Company in Operation	Bidder (Lead Bidder) is in operation for at least Ten (10) years.	Form C: Bidder Information Form
7.	Financial Strength	Average annual turnover over last 3 years no less than Rs. 900 million.	Form D: Qualification Form
8.	Relevant Experience	Min. No. of Projects of similar nature/ value/ complexity in last 5 years (Completed or On-going)	Form D: Qualification Form Form E: Technical Proposal Form

		At least Ten (10) projects of Managed Internet, WLAN, Network Infrastructure completed across the country for well known government / semi government organization.	
9.	Eligibility	Bidder(s) is not suspended, nor debarred, nor otherwise identified as ineligible by any Government/ Semi-government/ Autonomous organization in Pakistan, in accordance with ITB clause 3. Non-Blacklisting certificate must be provided.	Form A: Bid Submission Form
10.	Bankruptcy	Bidder(s) has not declared bankruptcy, is not involved in bankruptcy or receivership proceedings, and there is no judgment or pending legal action against the vendor that could impair its operations in the foreseeable future.	Form A: Bid Submission Form
11.	Certificates and Licenses	Bidder(s) related: i Certificate of Registration of the business ii Certificate of Registration with FBR and KPRA for both Income and Sales Tax iii Certified Partner Status issued by Principal iv Supporting photos, data sheets, documents depicting usage scenarios of the proposed items.	Form C: Bidder Information Form

QUALIFICATION					
S. #	Attribute	Description	Max. Score	Criteria	Returnable Form(s)
Section – I: General Corporate Profile			25		
12.	Bidder's Footprints	Number of offices/ services centers across the country	5	3+ offices fully operational for last five (05) year	Form C: Bidder Information Form
			3	2 – 3 offices fully operational for last five (05) year	
			1	< 2 offices fully operational for last five (05) year	
13.	Bidder's Human Resource Strength	Number of full-time employees (documentary proof required)	8	150+ employees with at least 20% Technical staff	Form C: Bidder Information Form
			6	100 – 150 employees with at least 20% Technical staff	
			3	50 – 99 employees with at least 20% Technical staff	
14.	Financial Standing	Annual Turnover averaged over last 3 years	7	2+ x Financial Strength	Form D: Qualification Form
			4	2 x Financial Strength	
			2	1.5 x Financial Strength	
15.	Annual Tax Paid (Principal & Bidder Individually) in Pakistan	Annual Tax Paid averaged over last 3 years	5	Rs. 100+ million or more	Form D: Qualification Form
			3	Rs. 51 – 100 million	
			2	Rs. 25 - 50 million	

Section – II: Business Profile			35		
16.	Relevant Experience	Project(s) of similar nature, value and/ or complexity completed/ on-going in last three (03) years	9	Min. No. of Projects + 5	Form D: Qualification Form
			7	Min. No. of Projects + 3	
			4	Min. No. of Projects + 2	
17.	Public Experience Sector	Project(s) delivered to/ on-going with government organizations during last three (03) years	9	5 Projects (each worth Rs. 25 million or more)	Form D: Qualification Form
			6	3 Projects (each worth Rs. 25 million or more)	
			4	2 Projects (each worth Rs. 25 million or more)	
18.	Education Experience Sector	Project(s) completed/ on-going at education institutions during last three (03) years	9	10+ Projects	Form D: Qualification Form
			6	7 - 10 Projects	
			4	3 - 6 Projects	
19.	Experience in Haripur	Project(s) completed in Haripur	8	2+ Project completed in Haripur/ Abbottabad	Form D: Qualification Form
			4	= < 2 Project completed in Haripur/ Abbottabad	
Section – III: Presentation on Project Proposal			40		
20.	Project Management Approach	Overall approach towards planning and implementing the project.	10	To be assigned by the Technical Committee	Form E: Project Proposal Form
21.	Project Management Plan	Overall approach towards after-sale support and services.	15	To be assigned by the Technical Committee	Form E: Project Proposal Form
22.	Value Added Services	Value added services offered by the bidder	15	To be assigned by the Technical Committee	Form E: Project Proposal Form
Grand Total			100		
Technical Evaluation		Bids shall be evaluated on both Eligibility and Technical Qualification Criteria. Bidders meeting the Eligibility Criteria and able to secure 70 percent in Technical qualification shall be declared as Technically Qualified Bidders for the next step, i.e. Opening of Financial Bid.			
Financial Evaluation		Detailed analysis of the price schedule based on requirements listed in Section 5 and quoted for by the bidders in Form G. Price comparison shall be based on the landed price, including transportation, insurance and the total cost of ownership (including spare parts, consumption, installation, commissioning, training, special packaging, etc., where applicable) Comparison with budget/ internal estimates. Tender will be awarded on least-cost basis .			

SECTION 5A: TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS OF THE REQUIRED SERVICES

Sr#	Description	Quantity
01	100 Mbps CIR bandwidth (Upstream & Downstream) at PAF-IAST Hattar Boys Hostel on fiber. With 99.986% uptime along with backup link for 3 years at minimum.	01
02	WLAN Managed Service Solution and Management at PAF-IAST Hattar Boys Hostel.	01

Note:

1. Bidder must provide the equipment details along with datasheet and quantity of the items against Serial #02.
2. PAF-IAST may re-adjust the quantity of the equipment provided by the bidder against serial #02
3. Bidder must handover the equipment to PAF-IAST after 3 years or before. (The installed equipment used in managed services will be sole property of PAF-IAST however; during the service period any change in the specification of hardware will be permitted by the PAF-IAST.
4. The Unit Price and Total Bid Price of the quoted items shall be indicated as per the given format in Form – G.

SECTION 5B: SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Standard

- The goods supplied against managed services solution must be capable of functioning properly under the climatic conditions of Haripur.
- The goods supplied against managed services solution shall not be reaching to their “End of Sale/ Life” in next five (05) years and “End of Support” in next five (05) years from the date of delivery. To this effect, Bidder(s) shall supply a Certificate from the Principal(s) for all the equipment.
- The bidder is responsible to integrate the goods supplied against managed services solution with PAF-IAST already installed equipment. If the supplied good is not capable to integrate, then it is bidder responsibility to change it accordingly.

Calibration of item/ equipment

- The supplier will install the good(s) against managed services solution in the presence and satisfaction of the Procurement Committee, if need be. In case of any defect in the supplied good(s) or if it is not in accordance with the desired specification(s), the goods will be changed by the supplier.

Warranty/ Guarantee

- The Supplier will give comprehensive onsite warranty/ guarantee that the goods/ stores/ articles would continue to conform to the description and quality as specified for a period of at least three (03) years, if acquired by PAF-IAST, from the date of delivery, installation and commissioning of the said goods/ stores/ articles/services.
- The Supplier shall also replace equipment, in case it is found defective which cannot be put to operation due to manufacturing defect, etc. In case of equipment specified by the Procurement Committee, the supplier shall be responsible from carrying out annual maintenance and repairs on the terms and conditions as may be agreed. The supplier shall also be responsible to ensure adequate regular supply of spare parts needed for a specific type of equipment whether under their annual maintenance and repairs contract or otherwise. In case of change of model, supplier will give sufficient notice to the Procurement Committee who may like to purchase spare parts from them to maintain the equipment in perfect condition.

Support Service

- The Supplier will also be responsible for post-commissioning Support Services as per the SLA during three years.
- The Supplier shall continue to provide Support Services in subsequent three years.

SECTION 6: RETURNABLE BIDDING FORMS / CHECKLIST

This section serves as a checklist for preparation of your Bid. Please complete the Returnable Bidding Forms in accordance with the instructions in the forms and return them as part of your Bid submission. No alteration to format of forms shall be permitted and no substitution shall be accepted.

Before submitting your Bid, please ensure compliance with the Bid Submission instructions of the BDS 22.

Bid Proposal:

Have you duly completed all the Returnable Bidding Forms?	
✦ Form A: Bid Submission Form	<input type="checkbox"/>
✦ Form B: Joint Venture/ Consortium/ Association Information Form	<input type="checkbox"/>
✦ Form C: Bidder Information Form	<input type="checkbox"/>
✦ Form D: Qualification Form	<input type="checkbox"/>
✦ Form E: Bid Proposal Form	<input type="checkbox"/>
✦ Form F: Specifications Compliance Form	<input type="checkbox"/>
✦ Form G: Price Schedule Form	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you provided the required documents to establish compliance with the evaluation criteria in Section 4?	<input type="checkbox"/>

FORM A: BID SUBMISSION FORM

(To be Submitted in an envelope duly sealed and marked as Technical Proposal)

Name of Bidder:	[Insert Name of Bidder]	Date:	Select date
ITB reference:	IT-MS-2022-01		

We, the undersigned, submit our Bid for the award of contract to supply the goods and related services required for [Insert Title of goods and services] in accordance with your Invitation to Bid No. [Insert ITB Reference Number]. We hereby submit our Bid, which includes this Bid proposal.

We hereby declare that our firm, its affiliates or subsidiaries or employees, including any JV/ Consortium/ Association members or subcontractors or suppliers for any part of the contract:

- a) is not under procurement prohibition by any of the Government/ Semi-government/ Autonomous organization;
- b) have not been suspended, debarred, sanctioned or otherwise identified as ineligible by any Organization in Pakistan;
- c) have not declared bankruptcy, are not involved in bankruptcy or receivership proceedings, and there is no judgment or pending legal action against us that could impair our operations in the foreseeable future;
- d) undertake not to engage in proscribed practices, including but not limited to corruption, fraud, coercion, collusion, obstruction, or any other unethical practice, with the PAF: IAST, and to conduct business in a manner that averts any financial, operational, reputational or other undue risk to the PAF: IAST.

We declare that all the information and statements made in this Bid are true and we accept that any misinterpretation or misrepresentation contained in this Bid may lead to our disqualification and/ or sanctioning by the PAF-IAST.

We offer to supply the goods and related services in conformity with the Bidding documents, including the PAF-IAST General Conditions of Contract and in accordance with the Schedule of Requirements and Specifications.

Our Bid shall be valid and remain binding upon us for the period specified in the Bid Data Sheet.

We understand and recognize that you are not bound to accept any Bid you receive.

I, the undersigned, certify that I am duly authorized by [Insert Name of Bidder] to sign this Bid and bind it should PAF- IAST accept this Bid.

Name: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

Signature: _____

[Stamp with official stamp of the Bidder]

FORM B: JOINT VENTURE/ CONSORTIUM/ ASSOCIATION INFORMATION FORM

(To be Submitted in an envelope duly sealed and marked as Technical Proposal, if applicable and allowed)

Name of Bidder:	[Insert Name of Bidder]	Date:	Select date
ITB reference:	IT-MS-2022-01		

To be completed and returned with your Bid if the Bid is submitted as a Joint Venture/ Consortium/ Association.

No	Name of Partner and contact information <i>(address, telephone numbers, fax numbers, e-mail address)</i>	Proposed proportion of responsibilities (in %) and type of goods and/or services to be performed
1	[Complete]	[Complete]
2	[Complete]	[Complete]
3	[Complete]	[Complete]

Name of leading partner (with authority to bind the JV, Consortium, Association during the ITB process and, in the event a Contract is awarded, during contract execution)	[Complete]
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We have attached a copy of the below referenced document signed by every partner, which details the likely legal structure of and the confirmation of joint and severable liability of the members of the said joint venture:

Letter of intent to form a joint venture **OR** JV/Consortium/Association agreement

We hereby confirm that if the contract is awarded, all parties of the Joint Venture/Consortium/Association shall be jointly and severally liable to PAF: IAST for the fulfillment of the provisions of the Contract.

Name of partner: _____	Name of partner: _____
Signature: _____	Signature: _____
Date: _____	Date: _____
Name of partner: _____	Name of partner: _____
Signature: _____	Signature: _____
Date: _____	Date: _____

FORM C: BIDDER INFORMATION FORM

(To be Submitted in an envelope duly sealed and marked as Technical Proposal)

Name of Bidder:	[Insert Name of Bidder]	Date:	Select date
ITB reference:	IT-MS-2022-01		

Legal name of Bidder	[Complete]
Legal address & Branch Offices	[Complete]
National Tax Number (NTN)	[Complete]
Sales Tax Number (STRN)	[Complete]
Year of registration	[Complete]
Location of Office(s)	[Complete]
Principal(s) Office Address in Pakistan	
Warehouse Address in Pakistan	
Bidder's Authorized Representative Information	Name and Title: [Complete] Telephone numbers: [Complete] Email: [Complete]
Are you a PAF – IAST registered vendor?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, [insert PAF- IAST vendor number]
Countries of operation	[Complete]
No. of full-time employees	[Complete]
No. of Technical Staff	[Complete]
Quality Assurance Certification (e.g. ISO 9000 or Equivalent) (If yes, provide a Copy of the valid Certificate):	[Complete]
Competency Certifications (e.g. Huawei CSP Level-3 or equivalent) (If yes, provide a Copy of Certificate)	[Complete]
Does your Company hold any accreditation such as ISO 14001 or ISO 14064 or equivalent related to the environment? (If yes, provide a Copy of the valid Certificate):	[Complete]

<p>Does your Company have a written Statement of its Environmental Policy? <i>(If yes, provide a Copy)</i></p>	<p>[Complete]</p>
<p>Does your organization demonstrates significant commitment to sustainability through some other means, for example internal company policy documents on women empowerment, renewable energies, education, vocational trainings, social responsibility towards people with Special needs, or membership of trade institutions promoting such issues</p>	<p>[Complete]</p>
<p>Contact person that PAF: IAST may contact for requests for clarifications during Bid evaluation (Only Lead Bidder)</p>	<p>Name and Title: [Complete] Telephone numbers: [Complete] Email: [Complete]</p>
<p>Please attach the following documents:</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Company Profile, which should not exceed fifteen (15) pages, including printed brochures and product catalogues relevant to the goods and/ or services being procured. 2. Proposed timetable for delivery, installation and commissioning plan for the required and quoted items to PAF – IAST after the award of Contract. 3. Certificate of Registration of the business. 4. Certificate of Registration with FBR 5. Principals’ Authorization Letter in favor of Bidder to participate in this Tender. 6. Certified Partner Status evidence 7. A proofing document confirming supply of same or similar items pertaining to each Components, of this magnitude to various clients/ customers in Pakistan. 8. Proven records of no less than the required Projects of similar nature/ value/ complexity in which delivery and services were extended. 9. Full detailed description of the specifications of the proposed items in addition to catalogues clearly showing the proposed specifications responding to the requirements. 10. Supporting photos of the proposed items. 11. Quality certifications: ISO 9001:2015 12. Information Security Management certification: ISO 27001:2013 13. Latest Audited Financial Statements (Income Statement and Balance Sheet) including Auditor’s Report for the past (3 years).

(To be submitted in an envelope duly sealed and marked as Technical Proposal)

Name of Bidder:	[Insert Name of Bidder]	Date:	Select date
ITB reference:	IT-MS-2022-01		

PREVIOUS RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Please list all Projects successfully completed in the last 3 years, covering following aspects;

- a) Scope of the projects/ assignments.
- b) Activities performed for the successful completion (or on-going) of the project.
- c) Support Services Contracts in hand with SLA for the supplied goods.

List only those assignments for which the Bidder was legally contracted or sub-contracted by the Client as a company or was one of the Consortium/ JV partners. Assignments completed by the Bidder’s individual experts working privately or through other firms cannot be claimed as the relevant experience of the Bidder, or that of the Bidder’s partners or sub-consultants, but can be claimed by the Experts themselves in their CVs. The Bidder should be prepared to substantiate the claimed experience by presenting copies of relevant documents and references if so requested by PAF- IAST.

Project name & Country of Assignment	Client & Reference Contact Details	Contract Value	Period of activity and status	Types of activities undertaken

Bidders may also attach their own Project Data Sheets with more details for assignments above.

HISTORY OF NON-PERFORMING CONTRACTS

<input type="checkbox"/> Non-performing contracts did not occur during the last 3 years			
<input type="checkbox"/> Contract(s) not performed in the last 3 years			
Year	Non- performed portion of contract	Contract Identification	Total Contract Amount (current value in US\$)
		Name of Client: Address of Client: Reason(s) for non-performance:	

FINANCIAL STANDING

Annual Turnover for the last 3 years	Year	PKR
	Year	PKR
	Year	PKR
Latest Credit Rating (if any), indicate the source		

Financial information (in PKR equivalent)	Historic information for the last 3 years		
	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
	<i>Information from Balance Sheet</i>		
Total Assets (TA)			
Total Liabilities (TL)			
Current Assets (CA)			
Current Liabilities (CL)			
	<i>Information from Income Statement</i>		
Total / Gross Revenue (TR)			
Profits Before Taxes (PBT)			
Net Profit			
Current Ratio			

Attached are copies of the audited financial statements (balance sheets, including all related notes, and income statements) for the years required above complying with the following condition:

- a) Must reflect the financial situation of the Bidder or party to a JV, and not sister or parent companies;
- b) Historic financial statements must be audited by a certified accountant;
- c) Historic financial statements must correspond to accounting periods already completed and audited. No statements for partial periods shall be accepted.

TAX PAYMENT STANDING

Annual Tax Paid by the Bidder

Annual Turnover for the last 3 years	Year	PKR
	Year	PKR
	Year	PKR

FORM E: TECHNICAL PROPOSAL FORM

(To be submitted in an envelope duly sealed and marked as Technical Proposal)

Name of Bidder:	[Insert Name of Bidder]	Date:	Select date
ITB reference:	IT-MS-2022-01		

The Bidder’s Bid should be organized to follow this format of the Technical Bid Proposal. Where the bidder is presented with a requirement or asked to use a specific approach, the bidder must not only state its acceptance, but also describe how it intends to comply with the requirements. Where a descriptive response is requested, failure to provide the same may be viewed as non-responsive.

SECTION 1: Qualification, capacity and expertise

- 1.1 Bidder’s general organizational capability: management structure, financial stability and project financing capacity, project management controls, extent of work to be subcontracted (if so, provide details).
- 1.2 Bidder’s relevance of specialized knowledge and experience on similar engagements done in the region/ country. Bidder should submit a detailed description of the projects executed (quantities, value, beneficiary)
- 1.3 Manufacturer’s strengths covering the regional/ global market presence, hi-tech products portfolio, manufacturing capacity, R&D activities resulting in national and international patents, quality control and assurance practices, and international certifications in relevant areas.

SECTION 2: Management Structure and Key Personnel

- 2.1 Describe the overall management approach toward planning and implementing the project. Include an organization chart for the management of project describing relationship of key positions and designations.
- 2.2 Provide CVs for key personnel that will be provided to support the implementation of this project using the format below. CVs should demonstrate qualifications in areas relevant to scope of goods and/or services.

FORMAT FOR CV OF PROPOSED KEY PERSONNEL

Name of Personnel	[Insert]
Position	[Insert]
Nationality	[Insert]
Language proficiency	[Insert]
Education/Qualifications	<i>[Summarize college/university and other specialized education of personnel member, giving names of schools, dates attended, and degrees/qualifications obtained.]</i> [Insert]
Professional certifications	<i>[Provide details of professional certifications relevant to the scope of goods and/or services]</i> † Name of institution: [Insert] † Date of certification: [Insert]
Employment Record/ Experience	<i>[List all positions held by personnel (starting with present position, list in reverse order), giving dates, names of employing organization, title of position and location of employment.]</i> [Insert]

I, the undersigned, certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the data provided above correctly describes my qualifications, my experiences, and other relevant information about myself.

SECTION 3: Scope of Supply, Technical Specifications and Training(s)

This section should demonstrate the Bidder's responsiveness to the specification by identifying the specific components proposed (if different from the mentioned products/ models), addressing the requirements, as specified, point by point; providing a detailed description of the essential performance characteristics proposed; and demonstrating how the proposed bid meets or exceeds the requirements/specifications. All important aspects should be addressed in sufficient detail.

SECTION 4: Registration & Certifications

This section should demonstrate the Bidder's responsiveness towards its registration with the relevant national body and international organizations Certifying the bidder's qualifications with respect to Quality and Project Management.

- 4.1 Provide a copy of valid Certificate issued by International Organization for Standardization certifying the bidder's compliance and practices towards quality management principles and standards in their offered products/ solutions and services.
- 4.2 Provide a copy of valid Certificate issued by International Organization for Standardization certifying the bidder's compliance and practices towards information security management principles and standards in their offered products/ solutions and services.

SECTION 5: Warranty and Support Services

This section should demonstrate the Bidder's responsiveness to the post-commissioning warranty and support services of the goods supplied, addressing the requirements, as specified, point by point; providing a detailed description of the essential performance characteristics proposed; and demonstrating how the proposed bid meets or exceeds the requirements. All important aspects should be addressed in sufficient detail.

FORM F: SPECIFICATIONS COMPLIANCE FORM

(To be submitted in an envelope duly sealed and marked as Technical Proposal)

Name of Bidder:	[Insert Name of Bidder]	Date:	Select date
ITB reference:	IT-MS-2022-01		

The Bidder's Bid should be organized to follow this format of the Technical Bid Proposal. Where the bidder is presented with a requirement or asked to use a specific approach, the bidder must not only state its acceptance, but also describe how it intends to comply with the requirements. Where a descriptive response is requested, failure to provide the same may be viewed as non-responsive.

Goods and services to be Supplied <i>(based on the Technical Specifications provided in Section 5a & Section 5b)</i>		Your response Compliance with specifications	
		Comply (Yes/ No) <i>(If No, indicate discrepancies)</i>	Quoted Specifications
Required Items		Offered Items	
Procurement of Managed Internet and WLAN Services at Hattar Boys Hostel			
1.	100 Mbps CIR bandwidth (Upstream & Downstream) at PAF-IASST Hattar Boys Hostel on fiber. With 99.986% uptime along with backup link for 3 years at minimum.		(Bidders are required to attach Compliance Comparison Sheet supported by Product Data Sheet against the Specifications provided in Section – 5)
2.	WLAN Managed Service Solution and Management at PAF-IASST Hattar Boys Hostel.		

FORM G: PRICE SCHEDULE FORM

(To be Submitted in a separate and sealed envelope duly marked as Financial Proposal)

Name of Bidder:	[Insert Name of Bidder]	Date:	Select date
ITB reference:	IT-MS-2022-01		

[The Bidder is required to prepare the Price Schedule following the below format. The Price Schedule must include a detailed cost breakdown of all goods and related services to be provided.]

We, the <<Name of Bidder>>, hereby submit our Financial Bid for the Supply of Items as below. We assure you of our full compliance to the required specifications, delivery schedule and other terms without any deviation and/ or reservations. We reiterate our acceptance to the terms and conditions of the RFP. Our Financial proposal as below is submitted for your kind consideration;

<u>S. No</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>One Time Cost (OTC)</u>	<u>Monthly Recurring Cost (MRC)</u>	<u>Total Price without Taxes for 3 Years</u> (MRC*36)+OTC	<u>Total Price inclusive of all applicable Taxes for 3 Years</u>
<u>1</u>	100 Mbps CIR bandwidth (Upstream & Downstream) at PAF-IAST Hattar Boys Hostel on fiber. With 99.986% uptime along with backup link for 3 years at minimum.				
<u>2</u>	WLAN Managed Service Solution and Management at PAF-IAST Hattar Boys Hostel.				

Total Bid Value in Figures (Inclusive of all applicable taxes for 3 years). _____

Total Bid Value in Words (Inclusive of all applicable taxes for 3 years). _____

Name & Designation of Authorized Person: _____

Signature: _____ (Please affix company stamp here)

Note: Quoted price must be inclusive of all taxes and duties.

The Bidders will be required to submit the below text on stamp paper after filling in the details and duly signed as well as stamped, as part of their Technical Proposal.

DECLARATION OF FEES, COMMISSION AND BROKERAGE ETC
PAYABLE BY THE SUPPLIER OF GOODS, SERVICES & WORK IN CONTRACTS WORTH
RS. 10.0 MILLION OR MORE

(To be filled by the bidder as a part of technical proposal)

Contract Number: _____ Dated: _____

Contract Value: _____

Contract Title: _____

_____ hereby declare that it has not obtained or induced the procurement of any contract, right, interest, privilege or other obligation or benefit from Government of Pakistan or any administrative subdivision or agency thereof or any other entity owned or controlled by it (GoP) through any corrupt business partner.

Without limiting the generality of the forgoing, _____ represents and warrants that it has fully declared the brokerage, commission, fees etc. paid or payable to anyone and not given or not given or agreed to give and shall not give or agree to give to anyone within or outside Pakistan either directly or indirectly through any nature or juridical person, including its affiliate, agent, associate, broker, consultant, director, promoter, shareholder, sponsor or subsidiary, any commission, gratification, bribe, finder's fee or kickback, whether described as consultant fee or otherwise, with the object of obtaining or inducing the procurement of a contract, right, interest, privilege or other obligation or benefit in whatever from GoP, except that which has been expressly declared pursuant hereto.

_____ certifies that it has made and will make full disclosure of all agreements and arrangements with all persons in respect of or related to the transaction with GoP and has not taken any action or will not take any action to circumvent the above declaration, representation or warranty.

_____ accept full responsibility and strict liability for making any false declaration, not making full disclosure, misrepresenting facts or taking any action likely to defeat the purpose of this declaration, representation and warranty. It agrees that any contract, right, interest, privilege or other obligation or benefit obtained or procured as aforesaid shall, without prejudice to any other right and remedies available to GoP under any law, contract or other instrument, be voidable at the option of GoP.

Notwithstanding any rights and remedies exercised by GoP in this regard, _____ agrees to identify GoP for any loss or damage incurred by it on account of its corrupt business practices and further pay compensation to GoP in an amount equivalent to ten times the sum of any commission, gratification, bribe, finder's fee or kickback given by _____ as aforesaid for the purpose of obtaining or inducing the procurement of any contract, right, interest, privilege or other obligation or benefit in whatsoever from GoP.

[Buyer] [Seller / Supplier]

ANNEX – II: DRAFT CONTRACT SAMPLE

Available at PAF: IAST website at <http://www.paf-iastr.edu.pk/downloads>