

Government E-tendering System

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO BIDDERS ON e-Tendering

Government of Orissa has successfully rolled out the e-bid submission Tendering System through its web site <http://mcl.ori.nic.in/nicgep/app>. Tenders of various Departments have been uploaded, their bids submitted and the same have been opened on line. Bids for various tenders published in the web site of Government Departments can be submitted online by enrolling with the above mentioned web site. The web site currently has a provision to accept bids submitted manually. However even for manually submitted bids, online enrollment of the bidder is necessary.

The bidders can enroll themselves on the website <http://mcl.ori.nic.in/nicgep/app> using the option "Click here to Enroll". This enrollment is free at this point of time. Possession of a Valid Class II Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) in the form of smart card/e-token in the Company's name is a prerequisite for registration and participating in the bid submission activities through this web site. Digital Signature Certificates can be obtained from the authorized certifying agencies, details of which are available in the web site <http://mcl.ori.nic.in/nicgep/app> under the link "Information about DSC".

The web site also has user manuals with detailed guidelines on enrollment and participation in the online bidding process. The user manuals can be downloaded for ready reference. Queries pertaining to the e-Tendering system may be addressed to the E-tender Cell by sending an E-Mail to mgr1-sys.mcl@nic.in. Vendors can also attend the **training/familiarization programme** on the e-tendering system conducted periodically by the Government of Orissa in association with NIC.

Advantages of E-Tendering System

The bidders will be able to see the status of the tenders for which they have submitted quotes in different stages and would also be informed of the status by E-Mail. For the bidders who have registered themselves on the website through the "**Stay Updated**" option, information of all the tenders for which they are interested to participate will be sent by E-Mail.

Please note that all the departments of Government of Orissa are gradually switching over to e-Tendering system in a phased manner. All the tenders in future will be issued only through the e-Tendering system and only registered vendors will be allowed to participate in the tendering process.

In view of the stated advantages, vendors are hereby requested to register in the e-Tender web site with their DSC and a copy of the enrollment details may be sent by E-Mail to the mail address mgr1-sys.mcl@nic.in without fail.

Administrator,
eTendering System