



Prebid response dated 28-11-23			RFP - Managed file transfer Solution			
Sr. No.	Pg No	Point No	Tender Original Clause	Clarification	Request for Change / Modification / Addition / Deletion	BFSL Remarks
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7		16	Techno - Functional Specs	we may build archive folders in which files are automatically relocated by our proposed		okay
8		23	<p>Techno - Functional Specs</p> <p>The proposed solution should be able to restrict connection based on GEO location</p>	<p>We request BoB financial to please remove this clause as it is specific to an OEM, which is restricting us to participate in the RFP.</p> <p>We can restrict the users based on there system IP's</p>		Please be informed that Appendix 01 - Techno-Functional is a mandate requirement of BFSL. We will not be able to remove the clause or point but we will be scoring respective bidder according the features provided in the license.

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14			<p>File transfer will be only via desktop or between server-to-server ?</p>			<p>Via Desktop as well as server to server</p>

15			What will be the size of files getting transferred on daily basis and count of No. of Jobs daily/weekly/Monthly?			No Historical Details available.
16		54	The proposed solution should be able to integrate with Active Directory to import OU & Groups and internal user authentication	We understand this point is for user authentication only please confirm		Yes
17		51	The proposed solution support backup and restoration of all policies and database.	Does BOB financial have any existing backup solution?		Yes
18	6	RFP - Managed file transfer Solution 131023 - Point 11 Under the Table Given.	11. Bid Security (EMD) INR NIL	Under page 16 , clause 5.4 it asks for EMD whereas the table under Page 6 states EMD as Nil. Please clarify whether we have to Deposit EMD or Not.		NIL
19	2	Annexure 02 - Credential strengths - MFT	Bidder has to provide the experience certificate from the relevant Bank/FI as per the format specified in Appendix 10 – Experience format	Does the appendix needs to be in Bidder's Letter Head or it needs to be in Bank / FI letter head?		Bidders Letter head is okay
20	5	RFP - Managed file transfer Solution 131023 - Point 1.1 Under the Table Given.	Complete set of tender documents may be downloaded by eligible bidder from the website of the Company, the cost of tender document should be paid in the form of Bankers' Cheque / Demand Draft for NIL favouring BOB Financial Solutions Limited payable at Mumbai along with the bid responses.	Does pre qualified bidders bid for this RFP or anyone can?		Anyone can participate
21	31	RFP - Managed file transfer Solution 131023 - Point 8.0 Paymnet terms	The payment will be released as follows: 100% on successful deployment of tool / training and formal Signoff from BFSL. Support Cost shall be on a quarterly basis on completion of the quarter.	It is mentioned that contact will be for 3 years period. Will paymnet will be release after 3 years?	Can we have monthly or quaterly payment system?Please give clarification on this?	Ok for 100% upfront payment against perpetual license. For Implementation 30% payment on sharing the plan and approval of plan remaining 50% after completion of work last 20% after approval from IT rep. on completion of work. Support Cost will be quarterly advance.

22	35	RFP - Managed file transfer Solution 131023 - Point 9.5 Termination of Contract, point IV	Data Migration The selected Bidder will assist the company in migration exercise without any cost to the company.	What source and how much data ,we are anticipating to migrate.		Nil
23	1	Appendix 02 - Bill of Material 121023, Point 2	One time Implementation Cost	Is developement cost of all resources included in this? How should we send qoutation if suppose 8 resources workin on this project? Will it be a monthly bill of all those? Should we provide estimates hourly basis or lump sum of a task?	Please elaborate on this point.	This is all inclusive OTC till golive as per Scope of RFP. We would need commercial as per format provided.
24	15	Appendix 01 - Techno-functional Specs - Point no 15	The proposed solution should be able to send receive larger file (Minimum of 5 Gigabytes)	Is 5 GB maximum file size need to supported or it can go beyond that, if yes then what is max size limit?		File can be greater than 5GB
25	24	Appendix 01 - Techno-functional Specs - Point no 24	The proposed solution should be able to provide successful access audit, failed access, configuration change logs	Audit logs will be stored locally or need to transfer to anywhere else to BFSL central location or alerting system?		Logs will be stored locally
26	53	Appendix 01 - Techno-functional Specs - Point no 53	The proposed solution should be able to integrate with mail server for email alerts and scheduled reports.	Only email alerts will be send or text alert also need be send ?		Please be informed that Appendix 01 - Techno-Functional is a mandate requirement of BFSL. We will not be able to remove the clause or point we will be scoring respective bidder according the features provided in the license.
27	9	RFP - Managed file transfer Solution 131023 - Point 2.1 Under the Intent.	The implementation scope to start with (150 Users) / 100 concurrent connections (Download and Upload) but may need to be scaled up to (500 + Users) /300 + concurrent connections with unlimited storage links / user login.	Intial requirement is to start with (150 Users) / 100 concurrent connections (Download and Upload) but may need to be scaled up to (500 + Users) /300 + concurrent connections with unlimited storage links / user login but vendor is supposed to support for 3 years so we have any YoY growth estimation or (500 + Users) /300 + concurrent connections with unlimited storage links / user login is max we are looking for 3 years ?		no estimates available at the moment
28	11	Appendix 01 - Techno-functional Specs - Point no 11	The proposed solution should provide a mechanism to allow external entities to access and transfer files	Solution needs to support Web, desktop and APIs clients to connect external application and automated file transfer does it also need any mobile client		No

29	33	Appendix 01 - Techno-functional Specs - Point no 24	The proposed solution should support configurable data retention policy (Minimum of 6 Months)	Is there estimation for max volume for a particular time to be supported and what is YoY growth expected for storage?		Retention is limited to logs
30	33	Appendix 01 - Techno-functional Specs - Point no 24	The proposed solution should support configurable data retention policy (Minimum of 6 Months)	What to do if file uploaded but never downloaded, will that have a retention period and will get deleted automatically after that?		Retention is limited to logs
31	6	10 & 11	10. Bid document cost (non-refundable) INR NIL 11. Bid Security (EMD) INR NIL	The tender document showcases Bid Document cost & EMD fees chargeable whereas here under clause 10 & 11 it is showing NIL.	Request you to kindly provide clarification with applicable	No Bid Document Fee EMD fees are applicable
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33	23-25	6.9 & 6.10	6.9 Submission of Bids 6.10 Overall Bid	The bid submission mode is Online while it has been specified in the same clause that the documents should be sealed in Envelopes	Request you to kindly provide clarification with applicable	Online through e-auctioning platform. Kindly refer Addendum.
34	Appendix 01 - Techno-functional Specs	29	The proposed solution should provide anti-tamper evident log	Solution maintains the logs. However are there any specific logs you wish to maintain?		Solution should be capable of maintaining logs from compliance perspective and requirements from regulatory body.
		35	The proposed solution should ensure the password are not stored and cannot be retrieved from browser	is there any vulnerability notified before? Can you elaborate more on this requirement?		No Details available.
		37	The proposed solution should have option of storing the data and link for specific time and it should remove / deleted after the time / activity.	While this requirement can be achieve via implementation, can you provide some information about specific time or adhoc file transfer requirement you have?		This will be both planned and adhoc requirement
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53	Annexure 1	4	Minimum 1 client from BFSI / Pvt Sector where MFT is implemented in last 5 years.	Please accept the PO from OEM as well	Minimum 1 client from BFSI / Pvt Sector where MFT is implemented in last 5 years from Bidder/OEM.	No change
54	The proposed solution should be able to restrict the file transfer based on file extension and file classifications		10	For File Classification based restriction, DLP Integration will be required. File Restriction will takes place as per security policies setup in DLP.	Do you have DLP Solution which can be integrated with MFT or Do you want us to propose DLP Solution along with MFT?	DLP Solution is in place
55	The proposed solution should be able to scan for malware before transmission			DLP Integration required	Do you have DLP Solution which can be integrated with MFT or Do you want us to propose DLP Solution along with MFT?	DLP Solution is in place
56	The proposed solution should be able to restrict connection based on GEO location			Whitelisting and Blacksliting is available IP Based not Geo Location Based in MFT Solution	Is GEO Location Must to Have?	Please be informed that Appendix 01 - Techno-Functional is a mandate requirement of BFSI. We will not be able to remove the clause or point but we will be scoring respective bidder according the features provided in the license.

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59	The proposed solutions server infrastructure should be horizontally scalable; additional infrastructure/hardware can be added to support higher usage and high availability including DR				Do you required solution to be deployed in DR?	Not Required
60	The proposed solution should have time based access control for external entities	10	Y	Users can be disabled automatically by setting and expiration date in configuration. For file access expiration workspcace module can be deployed which controls access for those files only.	Workspace Licenses are users based. How many users will need workspace licenses.	It should be part of standard offering
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