

Notice Inviting e-Tender

**Selection of Third-Party Organization for Quality Inspection and Testing of Fabric
for School Uniform Suiting, Shirting, Kameez and Dopatta for the
Academic Year 2026**

Tender Inviting Authority

**The Managing Director, Tantuja
The West Bengal State Handloom Weavers' Co-operative Society Ltd.
Tantuja Bhavan, No. 18/4, Block - DD, Sector - I,
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The West Bengal State Handloom Weavers' Co-Operative Society Ltd. (Tantuja) invites e-tenders in two parts (Technical Bid & Financial Bid) from experienced and bonafide Testing Agencies/Govt. Organization/Semi-Govt. Organization/Govt. Undertaking having valid NABL accreditation in testing various parameters of fabric, for Selection of Third-Party Organization for Testing and Quality Checking of the following items:

Package 1: Approximately 450 Lakh meters Shirting, Suiting, Kameez and Dopatta Fabric for the School Uniform Project for the Academic Year 2026 at Tantuja's Warehouse level and

Package 2: Approximately 450 Lakh meters Shirting, Suiting, Kameez and Dopatta Fabric for the School Uniform Project for the Academic Year 2026 at district level across the state of West Bengal

Participating firms should go through the terms and conditions and eligibility criteria carefully before submission of their bids. Any query/clarification etc. regarding the terms, condition, eligibility etc. other than financial information will be provided from this office in the Pre-Bid meeting.

Participating firms/organizations should quote their competitive price only in the BOQ of the e-tender and in no other place within the tender as it will invite disqualification. Such a quoted rate shall be valid for one year from the date of execution of the agreement. Any request for a change of rate after submission of the tender or within the validity period of tender shall not be considered under any circumstances.

Tender Information:

1. Intending bidder may download the tender document from the website <https://wbtenders.gov.in/nicgep/app> directly with the help of Digital Signature Certificate through e-Filing.
2. The e-tender is divided into two packages:
Package 1: Visual inspection and quality testing of the fabric delivered by local power loom units received in the regional warehouses of Tantuja

Package 2: Visual inspection of fabric delivered by Tantuja received at the central district fabric receiving centers across the state of West Bengal

Technical and Financial bids should be submitted for both the packages on the website <https://wbtenders.gov.in/nicgep/app> as per tender time schedule mentioned in the tender documents. Award of Contract will be to separate bidders, mechanism of which has been detailed in later parts of this tender document.

3. The technical document and financial bid will have to be submitted adhering to the deadline as per the table mentioned below:

Sl. No.	Particulars	Date & Time
1.	Date of uploading (publishing) of NIEt documents (Online)	19.08.2025 from 02:00 PM
2.	Start date for download of tender documents (Online)	19.08.2025 from 02:00 PM
3.	Bid submission start date (Online)	19.08.2025 from 02:00 PM
4.	Pre-bid meeting (Online through Zoom Meet)	02.09.2025 from 12:00 Noon Meeting ID: 882 7856 0194 Passcode: 892064
5.	End date for download of tender documents (Online)	10.09.2025 up to 02:00 PM
6.	Bid submission closing date (Online)	10.09.2025 up to 02:00 PM
7.	Date of opening of technical proposals (Online)	10.09.2025 at 04:00 PM
8.	Date of opening of financial proposals (Online)	To be notified later.
9.	Place for opening of technical & financial bid	Office of the Managing Director, Tantuja, 1st Floor, Tantuja Bhavan, Block-DD, No. 18/4, Sector-I, Bidhannagar, Kolkata - 700 064.

4. Earnest Money Deposit:

After logging in the tender portal <https://wbtenders.gov.in/nicgep/app>, prospective bidders shall have to deposit online an **Earnest Money of Rs. 1,50,000/- (Rupees one lakh fifty thousand only)** failing which the tender shall be summarily rejected.

This EMD challan shall form an essential document to be submitted with the tender. The deposited Earnest Money will not carry any interest. The EMD will be refunded automatically to the unsuccessful bidders from the system itself. EMD will be forfeited if selected bidder fails to deposit Security Deposit within stipulated period or fails to accept the Letter of Intent. EMD may also be forfeited if a bidder withdraws its bid during the period of Bid Validity or if a bidder breaches the terms and conditions of this tender.

5. Technical Bid Evaluation

A. Pre-qualification criteria and bid evaluation process: Package 1

- i. The intending firm/organization should have currently valid NABL accreditation as per ISO/IEC 17025:17 for the work. The intending firm should also have NABL accreditation for relevant tests necessary for the execution of the work, for their regional textile testing laboratory in the state of West Bengal
- ii. The intending firm/organization should have experience in testing fabric material, stitched uniform, clothing/garments for at least for 5 (five) years. This should be supported with Work Completion/Payment Certificate
- iii. The intending firms/organizations should have enough experienced fields Inspection Person and Laboratory Testing person in their organization.
- iv. The intending firms/organizations should have Valid GST Registration and valid PAN.
- v. **The intending firm/organization should have an average annual turnover of at least Rs. 1 Crore (Rupees One Crore only) for the last three financial years ending with 31st March 2025.**

- vi. The intending firm/organization should have positive net worth for the last three financial years ending with 31st March 2025.
- vii. Registration under Partnership Deed (for Partnership firm only) along with Power of Attorney to be submitted with the bid
- viii. The intending firm/organization should have infrastructure to carry out visual inspection and collect samples for laboratory testing on the same date as fabric receiving by Tantuja, even on weekly and calendar holidays
- ix. The bidder should submit all requisite documents in Technical Folder.
- x. The intending firm/organization should submit IT Return copies for the last three financial years ending with 31st March 2025
- xi. The bidder should submit Affidavit for not being blacklisted by any Government/Private Institution in Non-judicial stamp.
- xii. The bidder should categorically mention the quantity of School Uniform fabric which it can inspect/check per day for 8 hours, simultaneously at each of the warehouse points mentioned in this tender package
- xiii. The bidder shall deploy daily not less than sixteen (16) qualified technical experts, proportionately assigned across the designated godown inspection points and associated laboratory facilities in line with the minimum daily output required to complete inspection and laboratory testing of 450 lakh meters within 105 days. All such personnel shall possess verifiable qualifications and relevant experience covering both field inspection and laboratory testing in accordance with the standards and methods specified in this tender and shall be deployable flexibly between field and laboratory duties as operationally required. The technical bid shall provide detailed particulars of each proposed expert, evidencing their competence in both areas. The Tender Committee shall have sole discretion to assess the suitability of the proposed personnel; if found inadequate, the Tender Inviting Authority may reject the bid at the technical evaluation stage.
- xiv. Firms without their own Textiles Laboratory in the state of West Bengal will be disqualified at the Technical Bid evaluation stage
- xv. Scope of Work
 - a) Materials to be checked or inspected: The details of the materials required to be put into inspection and test along with specification are attached with this tender document, which may be changed as and when required.
 - b) Fabric inspection will be conducted in the presence of warehouse In-charge of Tantuja, designated officers of Tantuja and WBSRLM. The report should be countersigned by all.
 - c) Inspection for Quality Checking: The Tender Inviting Authority or his authorized representative shall have the right to visit the Laboratory of the Bidder at any stage.
 - d) Place of providing service towards visual inspection of fabric and collection of fabric sample for laboratory inspection:
 - Sukhchar, Dist. North 24 Parganas: Approximate quantity of fabric to be inspected and tested: 200 Lakh Meters
 - PRG, Dhatrigram, Dist. Purba Bardhaman: Approximate quantity of fabric to be inspected and tested: 200 Lakh Meters
 - Santipur, Dist. Nadia: Approximate quantity of fabric to be inspected and tested: 10 Lakh Meters
 - Tamluk, Dist. Purba Medinipur: Approximate quantity of fabric to be inspected and tested: 05 Lakh Meters
 - e) The final physical test report, along with the collected and laboratory tested fabric samples, clearly reporting conformity/non-conformity of the materials with respect to defined specifications should reach the office of the Managing Director, Tantuja, within 48 hours after collecting the samples from the warehouse point
 - f) The MIS format of inspection, in editable format, should also be mailed to the official email address of Tantuja on a weekly basis

- g) The inspection should separately report through official and proper channel of communication instances of three consecutive rejections of an item by the supplier
- h) Inspection and Testing Procedure:

Testing of materials will be done as per tests, standards and lot size specified below:

Sl. No.	Description of Fabric Quality Parameters to be inspected	Standard Test method to be followed by the inspection agency	Frequency of testing
1.	Yarn count from Fabric	IS 3442 (1980) TC/LAB/TM-02 Ver 02:2014 (Kept in MSP)	Once per fabric lot - 50000 meter
2.	Ends per inch and Picks per inch (EPI and PPI)	IS1963:1961-RA2018 ISO 7211/2-1984(E) – RA2017	Once per lakh meter
3.	Fabric GSM (Grams per meter)	IS 1964:2001 – RA 2022 ISO 3801 – 1977 (E) – RA 2017	Once per lakh meter
4.	Fabric gradation by following 10-point system (VISUAL)	STANDARD 10-POINT METHOD	Once per 100000 meters
5.	Fabric Tensile strength	IS 1969 (Part 1): 2018 – RA 2022 ISO 13934 – 1: 2013 (E) – RA 2018	Once per lot
6.	Fabric Bursting Strength	IS 1966 – 1 (2009)	Once per lot
7.	Blend composition for binary mixture of polyester and cellulosic fibers	IS 3416: 1988 RA 2017 (Polyester & Cotton) (Polyester & Viscose)	Once per lakh meter
8.	Pilling Resistance (Martindale)	ASTM D 4970/4970 M-16	Once per lot
9.	Colour Fastness to Wash	IS 13025:1991 ISO 105- C10-2006	Once per lot
10.	Colour fastness to crocking	IS/ISO 105 X 12-2016 ISO 105 X 12-2016	Once per lot
11.	Colour fastness to Light	ISO 105-B04 IS/ISO 105: B01:2014	Once per lot
12.	Colour Fastness to Perspiration	IS/ISO 105 E-04-2008 RA 2019 ISO 105-E-04-2013 RA 2018	Once per lot
13.	Fabric Shrinkage (%)	IS 2977: 1989-RA 2020 AATCC-135-2004 AATCC-96-2004	Once per lot

Note: All mechanical tests to be carried out in standard atmospheric condition of 65% RH and 25 +/- 2-degree centigrade temperature.

xvi. Technical Bid Evaluation Criteria:

- a) Technical and financial bids will be opened and evaluated by a Tender Committee, constituted by the Dept. of MSME&T, Govt. of West Bengal.
- b) Documents as described in the Pre-Qualification Criteria Section of this tender, duly attested by the bidder, will be scrutinized and evaluated by the Tender Committee
- c) The tender inviting authority may summon the bidder for clarification/information or additional documents or original hard copy of any of the documents already submitted and if these cannot be produced within the stipulated time frame, their proposals will be liable for rejection.
- d) The Financial bid of only those bidders shall be considered who are technically qualified on evaluation according to the pre-qualification criteria and scoring minimum marks required as per QCBS mode as mentioned in this N.I.T. by the Tender Committee, formed for the purpose.
- e) The bidder is to quote the rate online only in the BOQ mentioned in the Financial Bid in this N.I.T.
- f) Rates to be quoted excluding GST.
- g) The Tender Inviting Authority will have the right to seek Rate Analysis from the bidder, in terms of cost of material, equipment and manpower required for the scope of work and the reply submitted by the bidder will be subject to satisfactory acceptance of the TIA and Tender Committee. An unreasonably high or low rate, according to the analysis and evaluation of the Committee, will lead to cancellation of the tender and applicable legal proceedings will be initiated against the bidder for vitiating the tender process
- h) **The Technical Bid Evaluation score (Tb)** will be assigned according to the factors mentioned below for **firms having their own Textiles Laboratory, that score a minimum of 50 marks out of 100 marks based on the following criteria which can** only be considered for selection at Technical Bid stage.

Sl. No.	Parameters	Marks
1.	NABL Accreditation for relevant tests	<p><u>Maximum 50 Marks</u></p> <p>i. Having more than 12 relevant NABL Accreditations for the tests and work mentioned in the Scope of Work section of this tender document: 50 marks</p> <p>ii. Having 10 - 12 relevant NABL Accreditations for the tests and work mentioned in the Scope of Work section of this tender document: 40 marks</p> <p>iii. Less than 10 relevant NABL Accreditations for the tests and work mentioned in the Scope of Work section of this tender document: 20 marks</p>
2.	Experience in Testing and Quality Checking of Textile/Fabric supported by Work Completion Certificate (Minimum 5 years required as per Pre-Qualification Criteria of this tender)	<p><u>Maximum 20 marks as follows</u></p> <p>i. More than 10 Work Completion Certificates, by furnishing not more than 2 Certificates for each year: 20 marks</p> <p>ii. 8 to 10 Work Completion Certificates, by furnishing not more than 2 Certificates for each year: 15 marks</p> <p>iii. More than 6 but less than 8 Work Completion certificates, by furnishing not more than 2 Certificates for each year: 10 marks</p> <p>iv. At least 5 to 6 years' experience, by furnishing not more than 2 Certificates for each year: 05 marks</p>

Sl. No.	Parameters	Marks
3.	Experience in providing consultancy in Testing and Quality Checking of Textile Fabrics supported by Work Completion Certificate	<u>Maximum 10 marks as follows</u> i. Having provided more than five consultations in the past 3 financial years: 10 marks ii. Having provided five or less than five consultations in the past 3 financial years: 05 marks
4.	Capacity of Testing and Quality Checking of Textile Fabrics/day of 08 hours.	<u>Maximum 10 marks as follows</u> i. Above 02 lakh meters/day: 10 marks ii. 01 lakh up to 02 lakh meters/day:5 marks
5.	Financial Strength in terms of average annual turnover for the last three financial years ending with 31.03.2025 (Minimum Rs. 1 (one) Crore required as per Pre-Qualification Criteria of this tender)	<u>Maximum 10 marks as follows</u> i. Having more than Rs. 2 Crore: 10 marks ii. Having between Rs. 1.5 Crore to Rs. 2 Crore: 07 marks iii. Having 1 Crore to 1.5 Crore: 04 marks

xvii. Financial Bid Evaluation

- a) In the first stage, offers will be evaluated against the stipulated eligibility criteria. Bidders not complying with the eligibility criteria will be rejected. Bidders, who comply with the eligibility criteria and evaluation criteria, will be shortlisted in technical evaluation.
- b) **Single rate shall be quoted in BOQ. The Evaluation process proposed for Financial Bid will be based on the following formula for determining the Financial Score:**
1. **Sf = 100 * Fm/F**
 2. Where Sf means financial score of the bidder, Fm means lowest price offered among all bids and F means the price offered by the bidder under consideration.

c) Selection of Agency/Contractor/Company/Firm as per QCBS Method

This shall be based on the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method where the Technical score (Tb) is given a weight of 0.7 i.e. (70%) and financial score is given a weight of 0.3 i.e. (30 %): Final Score of the bid = (0.7 x Tb) + (0.3 x Sf)

Where Tb is the Technical Score and Sf is the Financial Score of the bidder under consideration.

The bid with the highest final score calculated in this method shall be considered as the best value bid. In case of a tie, the bid that scored a higher Technical score (Tb) will be considered the best value bid and ranked as R1. Similarly other bids will be ranked as R2, R3...Rn.

B. Pre-qualification criteria and bid evaluation process: Package 2

Pre-qualification criteria

The technical bid for Package 2 will be opened after opening and evaluation of technical and financial bid for Package 1.

- i. The pre-qualification criteria for Package 2 will be inclusive of all the pre-qualification criteria for Package 1 but not limited to these.** Apart from the physical inspection under the Scope of Work stated below, Tantuja may request the inspecting agency to conduct laboratory testing of the inspected sample or any disputed fabric at the district level to ascertain blend composition, colour fastness, fabric strength etc. The inspecting agency, therefore, should match all the pre-qualifying criteria under Package 1 in terms of technical experts, standard and accreditation of their state-based laboratory, experience and other relevant conditions
- ii. The intending firm/organization should have infrastructure to carry out visual inspection and collect samples for laboratory testing on the same date of fabric receiving by district, even on weekly and calendar holidays
- iii. The bidder should submit all requisite documents in Technical Folder.
- iv. Bidder should categorically mention the quantity of School Uniform fabric which it can inspect/check per day of 8 hours, encompassing all the districts
- v. The bidder should be preferably able to deploy daily a minimum of 2 (two) technical experts for physical inspection at field level, i.e. at various district level fabric receiving centers, simultaneously for all the districts. This should be substantiated by submitting the detail list of employees the firm will depute at district level, along with their qualification and experience to execute the necessary inspection. It will be the sole discretion of the Tender Committee, formed for this purpose, to evaluate the competence of such personnel and if the Tender Committee finds the manpower unfit/incompetent to execute the contracted work, the Tender Inviting Authority will have the right to disqualify the bid at the technical bid opening stage.
- vi. Scope of Work
 - a) Materials to be checked or inspected: The details of the materials required to be put into inspection and test along with specification are attached with this tender document, which may be changed as and when required.
 - b) Inspection Parameters:
 - a. Weaving quality-missed end and pick, hole, tear, stain, reed mark
 - b. EPI, PPI
 - c. Texture and feel
 - d. Dimensions
 - e. GSM
 - f. Colour shade consistency (Districts will be provided with approved shade card)
 - c) Sampling Method (per IS 4905:2015):
 - a. Random sampling across batch
 - b. Sample size:
Lot size \leq 100 rolls: 5% sampling
Lot size 101 - 500: 3% sampling
Minimum: One meter per selected fabric type

- d) Reporting:
- i. Photos of inspected samples will be saved in cloud/shared drive with date-time stamp
 - ii. Jointly inspected sample register, countersigned by Tantuja and WBSRLM/DLMC, will be maintained at district level
 - iii. Sample retention period: Minimum 6 months
- e) A physical copy of the test report, along with the inspected fabric samples, clearly reporting conformity/non-conformity of the materials with respect to defined specifications should reach the office of the Managing Director, Tantuja, within 48 hours after collecting the samples from the district level
- f) The MIS format of inspection, in editable format, should also be mailed to the official email address of Tantuja on a weekly basis
- g) The inspection should separately report instance of three consecutive rejections of an item by one supplier
- vii. **Place and approximate quantity of fabric to be inspected:**

District	Tentative Point of Checking	Approximate Quantity to be Inspected (Lakh Meter)
Alipurduar	DRDC OFFICE	5.00
Bankura	ONDA, INDAS, PATRASAYAR, SARENGA, CHHATNA, KHATRA,	8.00
Birbhum	SURI, RAMPURHAT, NALHATI	10.00
Coochbehar	SADAR, DINHATA, MEKHLIGANJ, MATHABHANGA, TUFANGANJ	13.00
Dakshin Dinajpur	BALURGHAT	8.00
Hooghly	CHANDANNAGAR	20.00
Howrah	DUMURJOLA STADIUM, DOMJUR, AMTA, BAGNAN	20.00
Jalpaiguri	DRDC OFFICE	7.00
Jhargram	DRDC OFFICE	5.00
Kolkata	KMC	10.00
Malda	DRDC OFFICE	26.00
Murshidabad	SADAR, LALBAG, JANGIPUR, KANDI, DOMKOL	43.00
Nadia	KRISHNANAGAR, TEHATTA, RANAGHAT, CHAKDAHA	25.00
North 24 Parganas	DEGANGA	35.00
Paschim Bardhaman	KANKSA, BARABANI, ASANSOL	11.00
Paschim Medinipur	DRDC OFFICE	21.00
Purba Bardhaman	BARSULL	21.00
Purba Medinipur	D.M OFFICE, TAMLUK, BHAGAWANPUR, NANDIGRAM, KHEJURI, EGRA, CONTAI	24.00
Purulia	BAGHMUNDI, DULMI, PURULIA, ARSHA, JHALDA-2, MANBAZAR-1, MANBAZAR-2, RAGHUNATHPUR	13.00
Siliguri	BAGRACOURT	3.00
South 24 Parganas	BISHNUPUR-1, CANNING, DIAMOND HARBOUR, KAKDWIP	45.00
Uttar Dinajpur	RAOGANJ, ISLAMPUR, CHAKULIA	21.00

viii. **The quoted rate must be inclusive of all charges, including but not limited to travel, food, lodging, incidental, report generation, and administrative overheads. No separate reimbursement will be made. Bidders must assess the logistical demands of each district and factor them into their rate. Only applicable GST will be payable at the quoted rate.**

ix. **Technical Bid Evaluation Criteria:**

- a. Technical and financial bids will be opened and evaluated by a Tender Committee, constituted by the Dept. of MSME&T, Govt. of West Bengal.
- b. Documents as described in the Pre-Qualification Criteria Section of Package 2, duly attested by the bidder, will be scrutinized and evaluated by the Tender Committee
- c. The tender inviting authority may summon the bidder for clarification/information or additional documents or original hard copy of any of the documents already submitted and if these cannot be produced within the stipulated time frame, their proposals will be liable for rejection.
- d. The Financial bid of only those bidders shall be considered who are technically qualified according to the pre-qualification criteria and scoring minimum marks required as per QCBS mode as mentioned in this N.I.T. by the Tender Committee, formed for this purpose.
- e. The bidder is to quote the rate online only in the BOQ mentioned in the Financial Bid in this N.I.T.
- f. Rates to be quoted excluding GST.
- g. The Tender Inviting Authority will have the right to seek Rate Analysis from the bidder, in terms of cost of material, equipment and manpower required for the scope of work and the reply submitted by the bidder will be subject to satisfactory acceptance of the TIA and Tender Committee. An unreasonably high or low rate, according to the analysis and evaluation of the Committee, will lead to cancellation of the tender and applicable legal proceedings will be initiated against the bidder for vitiating the tender process
- h. **The Technical Bid Evaluation score (Tb)** will be assigned according to the factors mentioned below:

Sl. No.	Parameters	Marks
1.	Availability of human resources with sufficient knowledge and background in textile/fabric inspection and testing under the payroll, who can be simultaneously mobilized across the districts for executing the work as specified under this Package	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Maximum 100 Marks</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. More than 40 such employees: 100 marks ii. More than 30 and up to 40 such employees: 90 marks iii. More than 20 and up to 30 such employees: 70 marks iv. More than 10 and up to 20 such employees: 50 marks

xiv. **Financial Bid Evaluation**

In the first stage, offers will be evaluated against the stipulated eligibility criteria. Bidders not complying with the eligibility criteria will be rejected. Bidders, who comply with the eligibility criteria and evaluation criteria, will be shortlisted in technical evaluation. The evaluation for shortlisting may include getting opinions from the previous clients and visiting their projects, if necessary.

Single rate shall be quoted in BOQ. The Evaluation process proposed for Financial Bid will be based on the following formula for determining the Financial Score:

$$Sf = 100 * Fm / F$$

Where Sf means financial score of the bidder, Fm means lowest price offered among all bids and F means the price offered by the bidder under consideration.

Like Package 1, the bid for Package 2 will be evaluated as per Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method where the Technical score (Tb) is given a weight of 0.7 i.e. (70%) and financial score is given a weight of 0.3 i.e. (30%). Final Score of the bid = $(0.7 \times Tb) + (0.3 \times Sf)$

Where Tb is the Technical Score and Sf is the Financial Score of the bidder under consideration.

The Total Technical Bid Score under Package 2 will be the Technical Bid Score under Package 1 added with the Technical Bid Score under Package 2. Therefore, if a bid is rejected at technical bid stage for Package 1, such a bid will not be eligible for Package 2.

The bid with the highest final score calculated in this method shall be considered as the best value bid. In case of a tie, the bid that scored a higher Technical score (Tb) will be considered the best value bid and ranked as R1. Similarly other bids will be ranked as R2, R3...Rn.

6. Other important terms and conditions applicable for both Package 1 and Package 2

a. Selection of bidder and Award of Contract

The R1 bidder for each Package will be awarded the contract for that Package. If the same bidder is ranked R1 for both Packages, they will be required to choose one Package to execute. The contract for the remaining Package will be awarded to the R2 bidder, who must execute the work at a price equal to the lower of the financial rates quoted by R1 and R2 for that Package.

b. Bid Validity: Bid shall remain valid for a period not less than one year from the last date of submission of Financial Bid. No escalation or price adjustment will be allowed under any circumstances.

c. The agreement signed with the successful bidder/s may be extended to six (06) months on the same terms and conditions and by mutual consent between the bidder and the purchaser.

d. Purchaser's right to vary quantities: The Purchaser reserves the right to increase or decrease by up to 25 percent of the quantity of fabric, within the scope of supply/requirement of fabric for the stipulated academic year, without any change in unit price or other terms and conditions.

e. Failure to Agree with the Terms and Conditions of the Contract shall constitute sufficient grounds for the rejection of the bidder's proposal or cancellation of the Work Order to the selected bidder or termination of the Contract executed, as the case may be and in such an event Tantuja shall be entitled to forfeit the EMD or PBG and blacklist the selected bidder, as may be applicable.

f. Currency: All the contracts should be based on Indian Rupees only.

g. The bidder shall, as a condition of contract award, deposit a performance security amounting to three percent (3%) of the respective work package's taxable value.

h. Payment Provisions. Payment will be released, subject to successful completion of obligation under the Contract and to the satisfaction of the Tender Inviting Authority.

i. Conflict of Interest: The selected bidder shall not receive any remuneration in connection with the assignment except as provided in the contract. The consultant and its affiliates shall not engage in consulting activities that conflict with the interest of the client under the contract and shall be excluded from downstream supply of goods or construction of works or purchase of any asset or provision of any other service related to the assignment other than a continuation of the "Services" under the ongoing contract. It should be the requirement of the consultancy contract that the consultants should provide professional objective and impartial advice and always hold the client's interests, without any consideration for future work, and that in providing advice they avoid conflicts

with other assignments and their own corporate interests. The selected Bidder/Consultants shall not be hired for any assignment that would conflict with their prior or current obligations to other clients, or that may place them in a position of being unable to carry out the assignment in the best interest of the Tender Inviting Authority

j. **Professional Liability:** The selected bidder is expected to carry out its assignment with due diligence and in accordance with prevailing standards of the profession.

k. **Applicable Law and Settlement of Disputes**

The contract will be governed by the laws of India for the time being in force and shall be subjected to the exclusive Jurisdiction of the Courts of Kolkata only. All legal proceeding arising out of this Tender document shall be subjected to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Courts at Kolkata only. in the event of any dispute or difference of opinion or difficulty arising out this Tender document regarding any stipulation therein or in respect of any matter relating thereto, the same shall be settled between the parties amicably failing which either party will be at liberty to refer the matter to the competent court of law within the jurisdiction of Kolkata for proper adjudication of the matter.

l. **Arbitrations:** Save and except the specific provisions contained herein above, all disputes and differences arising out of or in any way touching or concerning this contract whatsoever (except as to any matter the decision of which is expressly provided in the contract) shall be referred to the sole arbitration of any person, who is mutually agreed upon as the Sole Arbitrator, by both the Purchaser/Tender Inviting Authority and the Supplier/Selected Bidder.

m. **Force Majeure :** Neither party to this Contract, i.e. the Tender Inviting Authority nor the selected bidder(s), shall be liable to the other for delays in performance or failure to perform its obligations under this contract, other than obligations to pay money, occasioned in whole or in part by force majeure, acts of God, fire, governmental act, epidemic or government lockdown, war, civil commotion, destruction of plant, any government act, law or regulation compliance with any governmental request which is beyond control of any party.

n. **Amendment of RFP**

At any time prior to the last date of submission of bids, The West Bengal State Handloom Weavers' Cooperative Society Ltd for any reason, whether at its own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by a prospective bidder, may modify the bid documents by way of an amendment or addition. Such modification shall be deemed to form an integral part of the tender. Any such communication shall be posted on the Portal, and bidders are requested to visit the Portal for updates.

o. The Tender Inviting Authority reserves the right to reject the contract, without assigning any reason, at any stage prior to entering into Agreement with the bidder.


Managing Director, Tantuja

Annexure: Format of Declaration

Sl. No.	Description	Information	
01	Name of the Applicant / Firm / Organization		
02	Nationality		
03	Address	Regd. Office	
		Head Office	
		Laboratory	
04	Contacts	Telephone/Mobile No.	
		Fax No.	
		e-mail address	
05	NABL accreditation Details to be provided or each test specified under the Scope of Work of this tender	NABL Certificate No.	
		Issue date	
		Valid up to	
		Field of accreditation	
		Whether accredited for testing of clothing.	Yes / No
06	Other Details	PAN No.	
		GST Registration No.	
07	Constitution of Firm / Organization	(Mention whether Government, Semi-Government, Government Undertaking, Public Limited, Private Ltd. Company, Sole Proprietorship or Partnership Firm), No. of Technical Person.	
08.	Turnover and Net Worth (for the last three financial years, ending with 31 st March 2025, to be certified by CA)		

I, Sri/Smt.
on behalf of
(Name of firm/Organization) do hereby declare that I have carefully gone through the tender document and the above information as given above is true to the best of knowledge.

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