

Pre-bid Queries Response for Tender no. TPSODL/OT/2022-23/056- SITC of DC Leaf Switch at PAN TPSODL

Sl. No.	RFP Document Reference(s) & Section	Page No.	Content of RFP requiring Clarification(s)	Points of Clarification	TPSODL Response
1.	7.2 Delivery Terms:	14	The devices shall be delivered within 3 weeks of issuance of Release Order.	We request you to kindly amend this clause as: Delivery shall be completed within 8-10 weeks of issuance of Release Order.	8-10 weeks
2.	ANNEXURE-II / Technical Specification / Technical Specifications For Leaf Switch, with 48 x1/10/ 25G + 8 x QSFP28 Ports	16	2.2 The Switch should have forty Eight (48x1/10/25G SFP28) and 8x 40/100G QSFP28 ports with modules (10G SFP : 30 Nos & 40G QSFP : 06 Nos from day one). The 100G ports should be breakout capable and support multirate speeds of 10/25/40/100G	We request you to kindly change this clause as: Kindly change to forty-Eight (48x1/10/25G SFP28) and 4x 40 & 4 x 40 ports from day one. The 100G ports should be breakout capable and support multirate speeds of 10/25/40/100G	no change
3.	ANNEXURE-II / Technical Specification / Technical Specifications For Leaf Switch, with 48 x1/10/ 25G + 8 x QSFP28 Ports	16	1.2 Device should support integration of Spine Switchs (Extreme Networks, SLX 9250-32C) .	We request you to kindly amend this clause as: Device should support integration of Spine Switchs (Preffered makes: Extreme Networks, Cisco, Alcatel etc) .	no change
4.	ANNEXURE-II / Technical Specification / Technical Specifications For Leaf Switch, with 48 x1/10/ 25G + 8 x QSFP28 Ports	17	5.3d VRF Lite and Multi-VRF	We request you to kindly change this clause as: 5.3d Multi-VRF	no change
5.	ANNEXURE-II / Technical Specification / Technical Specifications For Leaf Switch, with 48 x1/10/ 25G + 8 x QSFP28 Ports	18	7.2h GRPC Streaming protocol	We request you to kindly remove this clause.	no change
6.	ANNEXURE-II / Technical Specification / Technical Specifications For Leaf Switch, with 48 x1/10/ 25G + 8 x QSFP28 Ports	18	7.3h Strict Priority (SP), Deficit Weighted Round-Robin (DWRR)	We request you to kindly change this clause as: 7.3h Strict Priority (SP)	no change
7.	1.1 EMD	4	Rs.50,000/- for Other State MSME Registered Bidder.	As per Govt. Guideline all MSME Vendors are eligible for 50% on EMD or Waiver, Kindly request change this Clause.	As per tender 9.4 Preferential norms for procurement from MSMEs registered in the State of Odisha "iv. Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) - EMD shall be exempted for MSME registered in the State of Odisha. However, Bidder shall be barred to participate in the tendering process for a period of 2 years in case it backs out post award of the contract." Your company is not registered as MSME in the state of Odisha so Kindly submit the EMD.
8.	7.2 Delivery Time	13	The devices shall be delivered within 3 weeks of issuance of RO.	The delivery would be accepted within 16-20 weeks after Receiving the RO. Due to globally Shortage of Components device Manufacturing is Impact Badly. We request you to change this clause.	8-10 weeks
9.	7.3 Payment Terms:	13	Post submission of an error-free and verified invoice (s) from EIC, payment shall be released within 45 days.	Being MSME we request you, the payment shall be released within 30 days against successful delivery and acceptance of Material.	As per Tender
10.	2.2 Architecture & Port Density	16	The Switch should have forty Eight (48x1/10/25G SFP28) and 8x 40/100G QSFP28 ports with modules (10G SFP : 30 Nos & 40G QSFP : 06 Nos from day one).	DAC/AOC Cable will be required to provide the connectivity from spine to leaf & leaf clustering , 3 Nos. of DAC/AOC cables will be required per switch, please share the required cable length.	10-15 mtr