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Notice Inviting Quotation

Quotations are invited for printing and publishing of the catalogue on 'Pictorial Memoirs of Nineteenth-Century India' under a Two-Bid system i.e. a Technical Bid and a Financial Bid. The printer will be provided ready to print file and one digital print sample proof. The printing specifications are as follows:

Title	: 'Pictorial Memoirs of Nineteenth-Century India'
Publisher	: National Museum Institute
No. of Pages	: 450 Pages+8 Ends+1 Dust Jacket+Hard Case Cover With PLC
Number of colour images	: 250
Size	: 240 mm x 300 mm (W x H) Finished
Color	: Text + End: 4 + 4 + Aquas Coating (throughout four color)
Cover	: Raised Screen Printing on Front
Paper	: Text + End: 130 Gsm / Matt Art Paper
1 Dust Jacket	: 170 Gsm / Matt Art Paper
Cover	: Good Quality Cloth Pasted On 2.4mm Mill Board
Number of printed copies	: 1000
Input	: Ready to Print file & One Digital Print Sample Proof
Fabrication	: Outer Cover Raised Screen Printing
Binding	: Section Sewing Hard Case Binding With Head & Tail Band
Packing	: Individual Shrink Wrapped

The Quotation/Tender Committee will open the Technical Bid(s) first and shortlist suitable bids after assessing them on the basis of the criterion laid down. After than Financial Bid(s) will be opened only for the shortlisted tenderers to finalize the tender.

The criteria for the technical bids should also include along with other conditions, as follows:

1. Experience in printing Art Books for more than 15 years;
2. Experience in printing Art Books with cultural institutions;
3. Ability to use 4-colour printing;
4. Wide marketing and a worldwide distribution network;
5. The selected bidder is to print the catalogue within 15 days from issuing the order, failing which NMI may withdraw the right(s) for the printing of the book from the selected bidder;

The tenderer should be financially sound. Interested printer/publisher may send their quotations to the **Registrar, National Museum Institute, first floor, Janpath, New Delhi-110011** through registered speed post in a sealed envelope super scribed with the title "Printing of Pictorial Memories of Nineteenth-Century India". The last date of receiving the quotations through speed post is **07-01-2021, 5:00 pm**. This Institute reserves the right to accept/reject any or all quotation(s) without assigning any reason/notice thereof.

(Dr Praduman K. Sharma)
Registrar