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CENTRAL BUREAU OF COMMUNICATION
Soochna Bhawan, Phase 5, C.G.O. Complex, New Delhi-110003

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ADVISORY

Subject: Clarifications / Modifications regarding the RFPs for engagement of agencies / vendors for Mobile Performing Vans and Mobile Theatre Vans for disseminating information about Government's schemes, programmes, initiatives etc. by CBC.

The RFPs with regard to the engagement of agencies / vendors for Mobile Performing Vans and Mobile Theatre Vans for disseminating information about Government's schemes, programmes, initiatives etc. by CBC was floated on 11.04.2023. In this regard, a pre-bid briefing regarding Mobile Performing Vans as scheduled in the RFP was held on 17.04.2023 at 3:00 pm and Mobile Theatre Vans as scheduled in the RFP was held on 18.04.2023 at 3:00 pm at Conference Hall, 2nd floor, Soochna Bhawan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003.

After the discussions held during the pre-bid meeting, following advisory / clarifications are being incorporated in both the RFPs after the approval of the competent authority. The agencies / vendors are requested to file their bids according to the below mentioned clarifications:

1. As per point no. 12 of Part I : Earnest Money Deposit (page no. 5) of both the RFP may be read as follows:

	Earlier Text	Revised Text
Point no. 12 of Part I : Earnest Money Deposit (page no. 5) of the RFP	Earnest Money Deposit: Bidders are required to submit Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) for an amount of Rs.1,00,000/- (One Lakh Rupees) along with their bids for Performing Mobile Vans. The EMD may be submitted in the form of an Account Payee Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque in favour of Pay and Accounts Officer, CBC or Bank Guarantee from any of the Public Sector Banks or a private Sector Bank	12. Earnest Money Deposit: Bidders are required to submit Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) for an amount of Rs.1,00,000/- (One Lakh Rupees) along with their bids for Performing Mobile Vans. The EMD may be submitted in the form of an Account Payee Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque in favour of Pay and Accounts Officer, CBC or Bank Guarantee from any of the Public Sector Banks or a private Sector Bank authorized to conduct government

	<p>authorized to conduct government business as per Annexure-III. EMD is to remain valid for a period of forty-five days beyond the final bid validity period. EMD of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned at the earliest after expiry of the final bid validity and latest on or before the 30th day after the award of the contract.</p>	<p>business as per Annexure-III. EMD is to remain valid for a period of forty-five days beyond the final bid validity period. EMD of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned at the earliest after expiry of the final bid validity and latest on or before the 30th day after the award of the contract.</p> <p>Agencies that furnish a MSME certificate with their bids shall be exempted from the payment of EMD as per the Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs), 2012.</p>
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The said provision stands incorporated on the CPP Portal as during uploading of RFP such option was available.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority

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19/04/2023
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