

# NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF BIOMEDICAL GENOMICS

(An autonomous Institute of Dept. of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science & Technology, Govt. of India)

# TENDER DOCUMENT

**FOR** 

Supply & Installation of Confocal Microscope

March, 2020



# NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF BIOMEDICAL GENOMICS

#### **TENDER NOTICE**

(Tender No.: NIBMG/Procurement/ Confocal Microscope/2019-20/050, dated 03.03.2020)

The National Institute of Biomedical Genomics (NIBMG) is an Autonomous Institution established by the Government of India, under the aegis of the Department of Biotechnology. This is the first institution in India explicitly devoted to research, training, translation & service and capacity-building in biomedical genomics. It is located in Kalyani, West Bengal, India, about 50 km. from Kolkata.

NIBMG, Kalyani inviting bids from the Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEMs)/Authorized Distributors for supply and installation of a **Confocal Microscope**. The technical specifications and other details are given in the tender document.

S1. No.	Name of the Work	Time Limit	Estimated Cost (INR)	Earnest Money / Bid Security (INR)	Last date for i) submission & ii) opening of Technical bids
1	Confocal Microscope	8 weeks for Delivery and 2 weeks for Installation	1,80,00,000.00	3,60,000.00	(i)23.03.2020 at 02:00 PM (ii) 23.03.2020 at 04:00 PM

1. Intending Bidders may kindly visit the Institute website: www.nibmg.ac.in for downloading the tender documents and for other details.

#### 2. Eligibility Criteria:

- 2.1. The Bidder should be an Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM)/Authorized Dealer of a manufacturer who must have designed, manufactured, tested and supplied the equipment(s) similar to the type specified in the "Technical Specification". The Manufacturers' Authorization Form (Annexure \_II) must be enclosed with the technical bid.
- 2.2. The Indian Agent on behalf of the foreign principal should accompany the authorization letter from their principal.
- 2.3. Experience and Technical Capacity:
  - a) The models of Equipment / System offered should be installed and in successful operation in at least one organization in India as on date of Bid Opening.
- 2.4 An undertaking (self-certificate) is to be submitted that the Organization has not been blacklisted during last 3 years by any Central / State Government Department/Organization in the form as per Annexure-\_V.
- 3. The Bidder shall furnish documentary evidence and an undertaking in the form of a checklist to demonstrate that it meets the eligibility/requirement along with Technical Bid.
- 4. The bidders who do not fulfil the above Eligibility, Financial and Technical Qualification Criteria shall be rejected during the Evaluation of Technical Bid.

#### 5. Compliance/Deviation Statement

The supplier/bidder shall submit detail Para-wise compliance statement in tabular form giving full details of each parameter along with reasons for non-compliance, if any. The supplier shall also submit the details of references, reports etc. for each compliance giving name of technical manual, chapter number, page number and Para and shall provide a copy of each documents along with the technical bid. Silence on any Para will be considered as non-compliance. Also all the claims with respect to any specification shall be supported by print document along with bid document otherwise same may be treated as non-compliance.

- 6. All bids must be accompanied by a EMD/Bid Security as specified above in the form of demand draft in favour of National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, payable at Kolkata and must be delivered to the above office before the date and time indicated above. In the event of the date specified for bid receipt is declared as a closed holiday, the due date for submission of bids will be the following working day at the prescribed time.
- 7. No interest shall be payable on the earnest money deposited//bid security by the bidder. Tender Document without earnest money will be summarily rejected.
- 8. The address for submission of bids and for obtaining further information:

The Director, National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, PO: NSS Kalyani-741251. West Bengal, India

- 9. Tender in duplicate, will have to be submitted on or before 23.03.2020, 02:00 PM, in two parts Cover-I & Cover-II separately sealed and superscripted with the name and number of the Tender.
  - Cover-I: Cover-I shall contain Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)/Bid Security, Covering letter, Documents in support of fulfillment of eligibility criteria (Part-1).
  - Cover-II: Cover-II shall contain Price bid (Part-2) duly filled, in duplicate. No condition stipulated in Cover-II other than general rebates shall be accepted.
- 10. Cover-I of tenders will be opened on 23.03.2020at 04:00 PM in the office of National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, N.S.S. Campus, Kalyani 741 251, West Bengal, INDIA in presence of the bidders or their authorized representatives. Cover-II (Price Bid) of tenders, submitted by bidders who fulfill the eligibility criteria, will be opened on a subsequent date in the office of National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, NSS, Kalyani 741 251, West Bengal, INDIA in presence of authorized representatives of bidders, with prior notice to eligible bidders.
- 11. The Institute reserves the right to reject any or all of the tenders received without assigning any reason thereof.

Manager (Finance) for Director, NIBMG

# 1. Technical Specifications & Scope of Supply:

1.1 Supply & Installation of Confocal Microscope— Qty.1 No. as per specifications mentioned below:

High-resolution high-speed Confocal system, based on an inverted stand architecture microscope for colocalization, multi-well deep tissue imaging as well as time-lapse live cell imaging applications

Approximate Cost should include 3 yr Warranty and a manpower for 1 yr

#### **Pre-Requisites:**

The vendor must supply factory tested system with all necessary accessories. Complete system integration must be done with factory recommended and tested hardware and software components for ideal integration and smooth functioning of the system. The complete system configuration and performance must be certified and tested by the microscope manufacturer. The vendor would be responsible for the complete system installation, functioning and maintenance. System must be provided with a warranty of minimum three years on the complete system including computer and UPS. On-site operator must be supported by the vendor for one year.

**Essential Technical Specifications:** Technical specifications for fully motorized inverted microscope based confocal microscope for high-speed high-resolution imaging applications for macro to microscopic imaging.

#### **MICROSCOPE:**

#### • Frame:

- 1. Fully motorized rugged microscope body with a built-in Z motor with 15 nm or lower step size.
- 2. Frames with higher Z step size (>15 nm) must be quoted with suitable nose piece or stage top Piezo.
- 3. The motorized nosepiece must accommodate at least 6 objectives with an easy drainage facility to avoid cell culture dish leakage the optics.
- 4. All the microscope conditions must be displayed on the microscope body with LED display.
- 5. The system must have left side port for primary imaging camera for easy camera handling.
- 6. Must have a remote LCD touch screen panel or TAB to avoid vibrations during live cell imaging with options to have control of all the motorized functions including XY motorized stage.
- 7. Must be quoted with automated hardware-based focus drift maintaining setup using IR laser/ IR LED
- 8. Drift compensation must be possible through LCD Panel or TAB as well as imaging software and using Joy stick.
- 9. The light path selection must be 100/0, 0/100 and 50/50 or 20/80 between eye piece and camera port.

#### • Eyepieces:

1. A tiltable binocular observation tube with two 10X eyepieces with 22 FN or better.

#### • Condenser:

- 1. Must have a minimum 6 positions, motorized long working distance condenser with dedicated slots for DIC prisms for 10X, 20X, 40x, 50X/60X or equivalent and 100X Objectives.
- 2. It must have a motorized polarizer in the DIC optical path.

#### • XY stage:

- 1. Motorized linier encoded XY stage with holders for Slides, multiple 35 mm dishes and 60 mm dish, 96-Well plate, glass slides and T-25 culture flasks.
- 2. The XY motorized stage must be completely controlled by imaging software and the touch screen panel/TAB.

## • Focus maintenance device for long term imaging applications:

- 1. An IR LED based drift compensator (Definite focus. AFC/A control, ZDC or PFS) to retain the same focus position in real time for long-term time-lapse imaging in both cover glass and plastic bottom dishes must be quoted.
- 2. The system must be controlled by touch screen panel/TAB or from joystick control and the imaging software for drift free long-term time-lapse imaging. Multipoint imaging with independent Z offset for all Z positions must be available. Focus correction technology must be usable for Glass as well as Plastic dishes.

#### • On-stage incubator for live cell time-lapse imaging:

- 1. The dedicated on-stage incubator with 100% CO<sub>2</sub> inlet must be quoted.
- 2. Device must maintain 5% CO<sub>2</sub>, 95% Humidity and 37°C temperature for live cell imaging applications.
- 3. The CO<sub>2</sub> incubator must also accommodate multiple 35 mm dishes, or 60 mm dish, chamber slides and 96 well plates.
- 4. The System must also be provided with Digital Gas mixer for Hypoxia experiment.
- 5. The system must have touch panel control for all the parameters and real-time data log option with its dedicated software.
- 6. Must have the capability for future upgradation of perfusion experiments with in and out pump.
- 7. Must be quoted with all required accessories to make the system functional for time-lapse live cell imaging, including but not limited to CO<sub>2</sub> cylinder and compatible regulators.

#### • Objectives:

- 1. All objectives with 4X to 100X magnifications must have DIC components.
- 2. Confocal Grade Plan Apochromatic objectives for 3D organoids/drosophila or zebra fish deep tissue imaging must be quoted for live cell imaging in glass, plastic dishes or 96 well plates
- 3. Must include following objectives (Please specify in technical bid)
  - i. Plan Apo 4X or equivalent (NA-0.16 with WD 13 mm or better)
  - ii. Plan Apo 10X (NA-0.40 WD 3.1 mm or better)
  - iii. Long working distance High NA 20X (NA-0.7 WD 0.8 to 1.8 mm or better) with correction collar
  - iv. Plan Apo 30X/40X silicone or equivalent objective (NA-1.05, WD- 1.25, 0.8/0.3mm or better) with correction collar
  - v. 60X or equivalent oil emersion objectives (NA-1.42, WD 0.15mm or better)
  - vi. 100X oil emersion objectives (NA-1.45 WD 0.13 or better).

#### • Transmitted light source:

1. Bright LED for DIC and Bright Field applications.

Fluorescence source for wide-field imaging:

- 1. Must be able to cover spectrum for everyday fluorophores including but not limited to DAPI, CFP, Aqua, FITC, TRITC, TxRed, Cy5
- 2. The system must be supplied with LED Fluorescence light source. The system must offer precise control over wavelength irradiance and shuttering. Intensity adjustment of output in 1% steps, giving precise control.

# • Camera configuration:

- 1. One number of sCMOS camera must be provides
- 2. Camera must have 90% Quantum Efficiency or better with configuration equivalent to 6.5μm x 6.5μm Pixel Area, 2048 x 2048 array 4 Megapixel, 1.6e- Read Noise, 45,000e- Pixel Full Well, 35,000:1 Dynamic Range, 43.5fps @ 16-bit, 63fps @ 11-bit, air cooled up to -20 C (Please specify camera configuration in the technical bid)

#### **LASERS SET:**

- 1. All lasers must be latest solid state lasers with following laser wavelengths and powers.
  - a. 405 nm: 50 mW or better
  - b. 488 nm: 20 mW or better
  - c. 560 nm, 20 mW or better
  - d. 640 nm: 40 mW or better
  - e. 514 nm: 40 mW or better
- 2. Laser must be stable solid state laser controlled by AOTF or Direct Modulation for precise switching and swift selection of the desired laser lines. All the solid state lasers must have a minimum a life time of at least 10,000 hrs.
- 3. Mention the names of manufacturers of Lasers & Lasers Combiner. The Laser Combiner must be factory recommended and factory tested. Laser combiner from microscope manufacture will be preferred for better integration and smooth functionality of the system.
- 4. All lasers must be combined with high transmission beam splitters and delivered to the confocal scan head through high transmission efficiency optical fiber. The laser control must be through direct Modulation by high speed break out box for ultra-fast ON/OFF control and intensity modulation with individual laser lines, continuously variable (0 % 100 %, 1 % increments).

## CONFOCAL SCAN HEAD AND DETECTION SYSTEM

- 1. High transmission efficiency optics for confocal system.
- 2. Scan head with dual imaging capability with conventional fluorescence imaging (filter/prism based/grating) and real time Confocal imaging
- 3. Scan head should have minimum 4 PMT detectors with independent intensity & gain control for 4 channel simultaneous image acquisition. All the 4 PMT should have spectral detection capability through precise grating/ prism. At least 2 PMT should be spectral GaAsP with high QE.
- 4. Computer controlled continuously variable single pinhole system, which should cover more area for higher brightness and without affecting sectioning performance.
- 5. The system should have two independent scanner. One galvano scanner with speed up to 4 to 16 fps at 512x512 and another resonant scanner with speed of minimum 30-40 frames per second at 512x512 at manufacturer's respective full field of view. The system should provide higher frame rate of minimum 400fps @ 512x32 at full field of view preferably.
- 6. The system should possess efficient dichroic mirror with low angle or similar technology for better transmission efficiency.
- 7. Minimum scan resolution of up to 4Kx4K with a scan field of 18mm or higher
- 8. Scan zoom of 1-40X or more continuous variable.
- 9. Transmitted light detector to be provided for capturing bright field and DIC images

#### **ANTI-VIBRATION PLATFORM, WORKSTATION and SOFTWARE:**

- **Anti-Vibration Platform**: Active antivibration table of appropriate size with holes assisted active noise less lab air compressor.
- Workstation: The system must be supplied with latest tried & tested computer system directly from the microscope manufacturing company or Branded system with configuration recommended by the microscope manufacturer. It must have at least the following specifications: Intel® Xeon® Processor E5-1620 or similar, Windows 10 Professional 64 bit with 64 GB DDR4 SDRAM, 8TB (SATA, 7200 rpm) HDD, NVIDIA Quadro K600 2GB) with Optical Drive, Key Board and Mouse and High resolution 30 inch LED/TFT monitor or better.

#### • Offline workstation:

- 1. At least one additional offline software with complete features as the main software with high end dedicated PC (Intel® Xeon® Processor E5-1620 or similar, Windows 10 Professional 64 bit with 64 GB DDR4 SDRAM, 8TB (SATA, 7200 rpm) HDD, NVIDIA Quadro K600 2GB) with Optical Drive, Key Board and Mouse and High resolution 30 inch LED/TFT monitor or better must be made available.
- 2. Identical imaging software must be installed on both main and offline workstations.
- 3. Must be quoted with word processing software and compatible anti-virus license.
- 4. A high-resolution hp laser jet color printer must be quoted.
- UPS: 15 KVA UPS with minimum 30 minutes Battery backup must be quoted

#### Confocal Software

- 1. Basic image acquisition, Complete microscope control, Scan head control and Laser control software
- 2. Saving of all instrument parameters along with the image for repeatable/reproducible imaging
- 3. Frame/line/lambda capturing, Z-Stack, Time series imaging capabilities
- 4. ROI bleach for FRAP experiments
- 5. FRET & FRAP Imaging as well as quantitative data analysis capability.
- 6. Co-localization analysis and volume rendering
- 7. Real time ratio-display
- 8. 2D deconvolution & 3D image reconstruction.
- 9. Software should be capable to record Live graphs of different Live cell imaging experiments as recorded data.
- 10. Diverse measurement and statistical processing
- 11. Multipoint time lapse imaging with 35mm dish as well as 96 well plate
- 12. Module to achieve XY resolution of approximately 140nm and Z resolution of approximately 300-350nm or better.

#### **GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS:**

- ✓ The Supplier should provide operator for one year with the system at no extra cost
- ✓ The system should come with three years warranty
- ✓ The vendors must submit both technical bid and price bid. Price bids of only those vendors will be opened who satisfies the criteria mentioned above
- ✓ All the specifications provided must have documentary evidence in company's brochure or website or any other authenticated company document
- ✓ Bidder must give compliance statement point wise showing/highlighting items part no/serial number as quoted in their quotation for comprehensive technical comparison
- ✓ Onsite training needs to be provided both for running the equipment and also to develop various applications
- ✓ A maximum down time of 48 hours will be allowed within which the company engineer must rectify the problem. If certain spares/parts need to be imported, the time needed to procure such items will be provided. However, the Instrument should have an uptime of

- about 95% considering 365 days, 24 hours. If the uptime is lower, then the warranty period shall be extended by the company for such time
- ✓ Minimum 3 performance certificate from reputed National Institutes of CSIR, ICMR, DBT etc. or Universities in India installed in last 2 years must be attached in the tender
- ✓ Bidders must clearly specify the after sales/service/application support capabilities.
- ✓ Latest model system available at the time of delivery meeting all the minimum criteria/ specifications must be provided by the company for the same cost.
- ✓ Provide all information as regards pre-installation requirements (i.e. room, environment) for installation.

#### **Confocal Imaging unit with built-in high sensitive detectors:**

- a) Laser point scanning and Confocal detection unit with 3 channel detectors for simultaneous detection of 3 fluorophores. Detectors should be capable of working in Intensity and Spectral mode. All three detectors should be high-sensitive GaAsP or better in the scan head for high-sensitive imaging.
- b) Scanner unit should have min laser ports for 4 lasers to be integrated with the system.
- c) Scan speed 8 fps or better @ 512x512 and improves to 250 fps@512X16 resolution.
- d) The scan field diagonal 16 mm or better. Scan rotation of minimum 200 degrees should be available in confocal mode.

# Solid State Laser module: 405nm, 488nm, 561nm, 640nm

All lasers should be connected to the scan head through fiber optic cable. Real ROI scan for FRAP, Photo activation/conversion experiments should be done by the offered system.

#### **Hardware based Super resolution Imaging:**

- a) Fully automated and motorized SR capabilities with suitable high-sensitive Detector for complete Visual Spectrum.
- b) Lateral resolution of 150nm or better and Axial resolution of at least 350 nm or better should be expected out of the system.
- c) Detection based on GaAsP high-sensitive detectors.
- d) Able to perform live cell SR Imaging with frame rates of 18 fps@512X512 or better in SR mode for all the laser lines.

#### **Widefield Illuminations (Reflected and Transmitted):**

- 1. LED illuminations for both fluorescence and Transmitted light applications
- 2. 7 LED wavelengths 385 nm, 420nm, 470 nm, 520 nm, 567nm, 592nm and 625 for fluorescence applications with dedicated Dichroic(s) and emission filter.
- 3. White LED for transmitted light applications for morphology imaging for DIC application for glass and plastic vessels.

#### Focus mechanism:

Automatic focus mechanism, continuous focus mechanism using IR LED and Hardware based drift compensator. Software auto focus. Various focus strategies using software and hardware as independently or in combination with Widefield and LSM.

#### **Camera for Widefield Imaging:**

Peltier cooled dedicated monochrome camera with chip size suitable sensor format for large area imaging with automatic hot pixels corrections. At least 6 MP full resolution, Bit depth 14 bit at 20fps speed with full resolution. Speed can be achieved at least 50 fps whenever required based on binning. System should have option for an additional camera port for future upgradation.

#### **Workstation:**

- 1. A high-end computer workstation with Xeon Quad-Core multilingual or similar platform.
- 2. At least 8 TB memory.
- 3. 1 GB graphics card
- 4. Trigger board μCon HS (PCI xPress)

Suitable anti vibration table with compressor should be provided for the system.

#### **System control and Imaging Software:**

- a) Software capable of controlling Motorized components of microscope, digital camera, confocal scan head, laser control and Image acquisition & processing for confocal and super resolution imaging.
- b) Saving of all system parameters with the image for repeatable/reproducible imaging.
- c) Line, curved line, frame, Z-stack, Time series imaging capabilities.
- d) Real ROI bleach for FRAP, Photo-activation/conversion experiments.
- e) Diffusion studies possible (FRAP, FRET imaging capability).
- f) Standard geometry Measurements like length, areas, angles etc. including intensity measurements.
- g) Advanced 3D image reconstruction with rendering from a Z-stack image series.
- h) Co-localization and histogram analysis with individual parameters.
- i) Spectral un-mixing with fingerprinting for separation of overlapping excitation/emission spectra of fluorophores.
- j) Deconvolution for Wide field Imaging as well as Confocal Imaging-available with the software.
- k) Mixed mode Image acquisition (WF + LSM + SR)
- 1) Additional Offline software for Image processing with dedicated PC and Monitor (same specs as main PC) should be part of the configuration.
- m) System must be compatible for multi-users.

#### Note:

- Bidders should clearly specify the after sales/service/application support capabilities.
- Warranty for the complete system must be minimum for 3 years from the date of installation.
- Provide all information as regards pre-installation requirements (i.e. room, environment) for system installation.
- Online UPS with at least 30 minutes of power backup for the complete system including lasers should be included in the supply.
- Detailed list of users of the system in India with contact details to be provided.
- One trained personnel for one year must be made available on site.

#### 1.2 On site Comprehensive Warranty:

- 1.2.1 The system should be warranted for a period of minimum 3 year (comprehensive warranty) from the date of successful installation and acceptance.
- 1.2.2 In case the Equipment / System remains non-operational for more than 7 days then warranty period will be extended for the equivalent period for which Equipment / System remained non-operational. Warranty extension in such case shall be done without prejudice to any other Term & condition of the contract.
- 1.2.3 A maximum down time of 48 hours will be allowed within which the company engineer must rectify the problem. If certain spares/parts need to be imported, the time needed to procure such items will be provided. However, the Instrument should have an uptime of about 95% considering

#### 2. Technical Bid

- 2.1. The bidder shall furnish, as part of its bid, documents establishing the bidders' eligibility to bid and its qualification to perform the contract if its bid is accepted.
- 2.2. The documentary evidence of the bidders qualification to perform the contract if the bid is accepted shall establish to the NIBMGs satisfaction that:
  - (a) The bidder meets the qualification criteria listed in bidding documents, if any.
  - (b) Bidder who doesn't manufacture the Equipment it offers to supply shall submit Manufacturers' Authorization Form using the form specified in the bidding document to demonstrate that it has been duly authorized by the manufacturer of the Equipment to quote and / or supply the Equipment.
- 2.3 Conditional tenders / offers shall NOT be accepted.
- 2.4 Documents Establishing Equipment Eligibility and Conformity to Bidding Documents
  - a) To establish the goods' eligibility, the documentary evidence of the goods and services eligibility shall consist of a statement on the country of origin of the goods and services offered which shall be confirmed by a certificate of origin at the time of shipment.
  - b) To establish the conformity of the goods and services to the specifications and schedule of requirements of the bidding document, the documentary evidence of conformity of the goods and services to the bidding documents may be in the form of literature, drawings and data, and shall consist of:
    - (i) A detailed description of the essential technical and performance characteristics of the goods;
    - (ii) A list giving full particulars, including available sources and current prices, of spare parts, special tools, etc., necessary for the proper and continuing functioning of the goods during the warranty period following commencement of the use of the goods by NIBMG in the Price- bid; and
    - (iii) An item-by-item checklist and an item-by-item commentary on the NIBMG's Technical Specifications demonstrating substantial responsiveness of the goods and services to those specifications or a statement of deviations and exceptions to the provisions of the Technical Specifications.

#### 3. Bid Security (BS) / Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)

3.1. The Bidder shall furnish, as part of its bid, a Bid security (BS) / Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) of amount as specified in NIT in the form of a Demand Draft drawn on any Scheduled / Commercial / Nationalized Bank in favour of the Director, The National Institute of Biomedical Genomics (NIBMG), payable at Kalyani/ Kolakta.

3.2
 a) The BS/EMD shall be submitted by the manufacturer or their specifically authorized dealer/bidder.

b) Bids submitted without BS/EMD will stand rejected. BS/EMD will not be accepted in the form of cash / cheque or any other form other than Demand Draft. No interest is payable on BS/EMD

3.3 The bid security is required to protect NIBMG against the risk of Bidder's conduct, which would warrant the Bid security's forfeiture.

#### 4. Time Schedule & Delivery Address:

- 4.1 8 (eight) weeks for delivery from the date of placement of orders and 2 (two weeks) for Installation and Commission.
- 4.2 Address for Delivery of Items: National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, PO:NSS, Kalyani 741251, West Bengal, India.

## 5. Terms of Payment

- 5.1. The method and conditions of payment to be made to the Supplier under this Contract shall be as follows:
- 5.2 100% percent of the Contract value shall be paid to the Supplier within thirty working (30) days after the date of the acceptance certificate issued by the Purchaser.
- 5.3 E-Payment: All payments, NIBMG prefers to make Electronic Transfers (RTGS) / (NEFT).
- 5.4 Payment shall be made in currency as indicated in the contract.
- 5.5 All payments due under the Contract shall be paid after deduction of statutory levies at source (like Income Tax, etc.), wherever applicable.

#### 6. **Penalty Clause:**

Subject to Clause on Force Majeure, if the Supplier fails to deliver any or all of the Goods or to perform the Services within the period(s) specified in the Contract, the Purchaser shall, without prejudice to its other remedies under the Contract, deduct from the Contract Price, as penalty, a sum equivalent to the one percentage of the delivered price of the delayed Goods or unperformed Services or contract value for each week or part thereof of delay until actual delivery or performance, up to a maximum deduction of the ten percentage. Once the maximum is reached, the Purchaser may consider termination of the Contract pursuant to Termination clause.

#### 7. Price Bid / Financial Bid:

7.1. The bidder shall complete the Price Bid/Financial Bid Form and the appropriate Price Schedule form as given in as Annexure in the bidding documents. These forms must be completed without any alterations to its format and no substitutes shall be accepted. All blank spaces shall be filled in with the information requested. The Bid Form and the appropriate Price Schedule form shall be submitted in accordance with bidding documents.

#### 7.2. **Bid Prices:**

- 7.2.1. The Bidder shall indicate on the appropriate price schedule form, the unit prices and total bid prices of the Goods / Services it proposes to supply / to provide (render) under the contract.
- 7.2.2. Prices indicated on the price-schedule form shall be entered separately in the following manner:

- 7.2.3. For Equipment manufactured within India:
  - i) The price of the goods quoted Ex-works including taxes already paid.
  - ii) GST and other taxes which will be payable on the goods if the contract is awarded.
  - iii) The charges for inland transportation, insurance and other local services required for delivering the goods at the desired destination as specified in the price schedule form.
  - iv) The installation, commissioning and training charges including any incidental services, if any.
- 7.2.4 For Equipment manufactured abroad:
  - i) The price of the Equipment, quoted on FCA (named Airport abroad) or FOB (named port of shipment), as specified in the price schedule form.
  - ii) The charges for insurance and transportation of the Equipment to the port / place of destination.
  - iii) The agency commission charges payable to Indian agent in Indian rupees, if any.
  - iv) The installation, commissioning and training charges including any incidental services, if any.
- 7.2.5 The terms FOB, FCA, CIF, CIP etc shall be governed by the rules prescribed in the current edition of the Incoterms published by the International Chambers of Commerce, Paris.
- 7.2.6. Orders for Imported Equipment need not necessarily be on FOB / FCA basis rather it can be on the basis of any of the Incoterms latest edition as may be amended from time to time by the ICC or any other designated authority and favourable to NIBMG.
- 7.2.7. Wherever the price quoted on FOB / FCA and CIF / CIP basis are the same, the Contract would be made on CIF / CIP basis only.
- 7.2.8. Where there is no mention of packing, forwarding, freight, insurance charges, taxes etc. such offer shall be rejected as incomplete.
- 7.2.9. The price quoted shall remain fixed during the contract period and shall not vary on any account.
- 7.2.10. All lots and items must be listed and priced separately in the Price Schedules. If a Price Schedule shows items listed but not priced, their prices shall be assumed to be included in the prices of other items. Lots or items not listed in the Price Schedule shall be assumed to be not included in the bid.
- 7.2.11. The purchases made by NIBMG for scientific purpose are exempt from excise duty, Custom Duty is charged at a concessional rate and GST is charged at 5% as follows:
  - i) Excise Duty: NIBMG is exempted from payment of Excise duty vide Govt. Of India Notification No.10/97-Central Excise dated 1<sup>st</sup> March, 1997;
  - ii) Custom Duty: NIBMG is exempted from payment of Custom Duty vide Govt. Of India Notification No.51/96-Customs dated 23<sup>rd</sup> July, 1996

- iii) GST: NIBMG is charged 5% GST on all scientific purchases of equipment and consumables vide notification no. 45/2017-Central Tax (Rate) dated 14.11.2017.
- 7.2.13 In case of imports, the freight & insurance will be paid by the NIBMG, as the consignments are to be shipped through NIBMG nominated Freight Forwarder unless otherwise mentioned specifically.
- 7.2.14 Prices shall be quoted in Indian Rupees for offers received for supply within India and in freely Convertible foreign currency, such as USD, UKP, Euro, Yen, CAD, in case of offers received for supply from foreign countries.
- 7.2.15 Conversion to Single Currency: To facilitate evaluation and comparison, NIBMG will convert all bid prices expressed in the amounts in various currencies in which the bid prices are payable to Indian Rupees at the selling exchange rates prevalent on the date of opening of the Price Bids in case of two-bid. For this purpose, exchange rate notified in www.xe.com or www.rbi.org or any other website would be used by the NIBMG.
- 8. The Bidder is expected to examine all instructions, forms, terms, and specifications in the bidding documents. Failure to furnish all information required by the bidding documents or submission of a bid not substantially responsive to the bidding documents in every respect will be at the Bidder's risk and may result in rejection of its bid.
- 9. At any time prior to the due date for submission of bids, NIBMG may, for any reason, whether at its own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by a prospective bidder, modify the bidding documents by amendment.
- 10. All prospective bidders who have down loaded the Tender Document should surf our website from time to time to know about the changes / modifications in the Tender Document. The changes / modifications would also be hosted on the website of NIBMG and all prospective bidders are expected to surf the website before formulating and submitting their bids to take cognizance of the amendments.
- 11. In order to allow prospective bidders reasonable time to take the amendment into account while formulating their bids, the NIBMG, at its discretion, may extend the due date for the submission of bids and host the changes on the website of the NIBMG.
- 12. The bid prepared by the Bidder, as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the bid exchanged by the Bidder and the NIBMG, shall be written in English language only especially when the details are technical.
- 13. The successful Bidder's bid security will be discharged upon the Bidder furnishing the Performance Security, without any interest. Alternatively, the BS could also be adjusted against Performance Security, if it is paid through Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque.
- 14. The bid security may be forfeited:
  - a) If Bidder withdraws or amends or modifies or impairs or derogates its bid during the period of bid validity specified by the Bidder on the Bid Form;

OF

- b) In case of successful Bidder, if the Bidder fails to furnish order acceptance within 15 days of the order or fails to sign the contract and / or fails to furnish Performance Security within 21 days from the date of contract / order.
- 15. Bids shall remain valid for minimum of 180 days after the date of bid opening prescribed by the NIBMG. A bid valid for a shorter period shall be rejected by NIBMG as non-responsive.
- 16. Any interlineations, erasures or overwriting shall be valid only if they are initialed by the person or persons signing the bid.

#### 17. Submission of Bids:

17.1 Tender in duplicate, will have to be submitted on or before 23.03.2020 by 02:00 PM in two

parts – Cover-I & Cover-II separately sealed and superscripted with the name and number of the Tender.

- 17.1.1. Cover-I: Cover-I shall contain Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)/Bid Security, Covering letter, Documents in support of fulfillment of eligibility criteria (Part-1):
  - a) Covering letter as per Annexure I
  - b) Manufacturer's Authorization Form (if applicable) as per Annexure II
  - c) The Company profile as per Annexure III
  - d) Performance Statement Form as per *Annexure-IV*
  - e) Non Black List Certificate as per Annexure-V
  - f) Details of Support Centers as per Annexure VI
  - g) Warranty compliance statement in Annexure VII
  - h) Technical Documentation (Product Brochures, leaflets, manuals)
  - i) Technical Compliance / Deviation Statement including checklist
- 17.1.2. Cover-II: Cover-II shall contain Price bid (Part-2) as per *Annexure-IX* duly filled, in duplicate. No condition stipulated in Cover-II other than general rebates shall be accepted.
- 17.2 The address for submission of bids:

The Director,
National Institute of Biomedical Genomics,
PO: NSS,
Kalyani-741251.
West Bengal, India

## 18. Opening of Bids:

- 18.1 Cover-I of tenders will be opened on 23.03.2020 by 04:00 PM in the office of National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, PO: NSS, Kalyani 741 251, West Bengal, INDIA in presence of the bidders or their authorized representatives.
- 18.2 Cover-II (Price Bid) of tenders, submitted by bidders who fulfill the eligibility criteria, will be either opened on a subsequent date in the office of National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, PO: NSS, Kalyani 741 251, West Bengal, INDIA in presence of authorized representatives of bidders, with prior notice to eligible bidders.

#### 19. Late Bids:

- 19.1 Any bid received by NIBMG after the due date & time for submission of bids prescribed by . NIBMG will be rejected.
- 19.2 Such tenders shall be marked as late and not considered for further evaluation. They shall not be opened at all and be returned to the bidders in their original envelope without opening.
- 19.3 A Bidder may withdraw, substitute, or modify its Bid after it has been submitted by sending a written notice in accordance tender terms duly signed by an authorized representative, and shall include a copy of the authorization in accordance tender terms. Envelopes shall be superscripted with "WITHDRAWAL".
- 20. The successful bidder should submit Order acceptance within 15 days from the date of issue of Purchase Order, failing which it shall be presumed that the vendor is not interested and his bid security is liable to be forfeited.

#### 21. Performance Security:

Within 21 days of receipt of the notification of award / Purchase Order the Supplier shall furnish Performance Security for the amount equivalent to 10% of the total order value valid for the time 60 days after the warranty period.

22. NIBMG will shortlist technically qualifying Vendor and the commercial offers of only these Vendor will be opened. After opening Commercial Offers of the shortlisted Tenderers, if there is a discrepancy between words and figures, the amount indicated in

words will prevail.

- 23. NIBMG reserves the right at the time of Contract award to increase or decrease the quantity of goods and services originally specified without any change in unit price or other terms and conditions.
- 24. NIBMG reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, and to annul the bidding process and reject all bids at any time prior to award of Contract, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected Bidder or Bidders.

#### 25. Shipment advice and shipping documents for imported equipment/article:

- 25.1. Shipment Advice: The shipment details and a set of copy of all shipping documents may please be sent to us as well as to our custom clearing agent sufficiently ahead in order to avoid delay in custom clearance and any damage to the Consignment. Please ensure that all shipping documents mentioned below in original reaches to us prior to the arrival of the consignment at Kolkata Airport/Seaport in order to clear the consignment from the Customs Authority without paying any demurrage charges. The demurrage and other related charges, if any, due to negligence on your part would be borne by you.
- 25.2. Shipping Documents: At least 4 copies with original of all shipping documents including invoice, delivery Challan /packing list, weight list (both net & gross), Country of Origin certificate issued by a Chamber of Commerce, insurance documents, pre-shipment inspection certificate [to be issued by the Manufacturer or Beneficiary for item(s) certifying that "the goods conform to the specifications and quality in order No. (Mentioning the Purchase Order No. & Date) of National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, Kalyani" etc. should be sent along with the consignment.
- **26.** NIBMG also reserves the right to cancel the order in the event of one or more of the following circumstances:
  - a) Delay in delivery and installation beyond a period of 8 weeks from the date of issue of Purchase order.
  - b) Serious discrepancy in equipment noticed during the pre-dispatch inspection, if any.
  - c) Breach by the tenders of any of the terms and conditions of the tender.
  - d) Any action by the vendor which is in breach of contract, law or accepted practices in commercial transactions.
  - e) If the Vendor goes into liquidation voluntarily or otherwise.
- 27. In addition to the cancellation of purchase order, NIBMG reserves the right to forfeit the Performance guarantee/EMD submitted to NIBMG by the Vendor and delisting the vendor.
- **28.** During warranty period, vendor will bear sole responsibilities for delivering spare parts; NIBMG will not provide any document for the delivery of spare parts.
- **29.** Company should hold a training workshop at NIBMG after installation of the equipment. Also, company should provide the complete address of their training center in India (if any).

#### 30. <u>Confidentiality:</u>

- 30.1. Information relating to the examination, evaluation, comparison, and post qualification of bids, and recommendation of contract award, shall not be disclosed to bidders or any other persons not officially concerned with such process until Award of the Contract.
- 30.2. Any effort by a Bidder to influence NIBMG in the examination, evaluation, comparison, and post qualification of the bids or contract award decisions may result in the rejection of its Bid.

#### 31. Termination:

The Purchaser may, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of contract, by written notice of default sent to the Supplier, terminate the Contract in whole or part:

- (a) If the Supplier fails to deliver any or all of the Goods within the period(s) specified in the contract;
- (b) If the Supplier fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the Contract;
- (c) If the Supplier, in the judgment of the Purchaser has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent or collusive or coercive practices on Fraud or Corruption in competing for or in executing the Contract.
- **32.** Force Majeure: The vendor shall not be liable for forfeiture of its performance security, liquidated damages or termination for default, if and to the extent that it's delay in performance or other failure to perform its obligations under the contract is the result of an event of force Majeure. For purposes of this Clause, "Force Majeure" means an event beyond the control of the Vendor and not involving the vendor's fault or negligence and not foreseeable. Such events may include, but are not limited to, Acts of God or of public enemy, acts of Government of India in their sovereign capacity, acts of war, acts of NIBMG in fires, floods and freight embargoes. If a Force Majeure situation arises, the Vendor shall promptly notify NIBMG in writing of such conditions and the cause thereof within twenty calendar days unless otherwise directed by NIBMG in writing, the Vendor shall continue to perform its obligations under the Contract as far as it is reasonably practical, and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not prevented by the Force Majeure event. In such a case, the time for performance shall be extended by a period(s) not less than the duration of such delay. If the duration of delay continues beyond a period of three months, NIBMG and the vendor shall hold consultations with each other in an endeavor to find a solution to the problem. Notwithstanding above, the decision of The Director, National Institute of Biomedical Genomics shall be final and binding on the vendor.
- 33. Governing Language: The Contract shall be written in English language which shall govern its interpretation. All correspondence and other documents pertaining to the Contract, which are exchanged by the parties, shall be written in the English language only.
- **34.** Applicable Law / Jurisdiction: The Contract shall be interpreted in accordance with the laws of the Union of India and all disputes shall be subject to Kolkata jurisdiction .

Please sign each and every page of the tender document and the declaration mentioned in the next page as a token of having accepted the terms and conditions mentioned therein.

I/we submit this tender after reading the tender notice and instructions, contained herein and accepted by me/us.

	Signature of the Authorised Signatory
Date:	(With seal)
Place:	
Name:	
Address:	
Mobile Number:	

The Director,
NIBMG, Kalyani,
India
Dear Sir/Madam,

Place:

Subject: SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION Qty-01 Confocal Microscope

With reference to the above tender, having examined and understood the instructions, terms and conditions forming part of the tender, we hereby enclose our offer for the supply of the following items as detailed in your above referred tender.

Basic Item No.	Item Description	Make & Model

We further confirm that the offer is in conformity with the terms and conditions as mentioned in your above referred tender. We also understand that NIBMG is not bound to accept the offer either in part or in full and that NIBMG has right to reject the offer in full or in part without assigning any reasons whatsoever.

We enclose for A/C payee Demand Draft/	Banker's	Cheque	favouring	National	Institute o
Biomedical		•	C		
Genomics issued by	Bank,			Branch, a	and payable
Kalyani, West Bengal towards Earnest Money					
Deposit.					
				You	urs faithfully
				Authorise	ed Signatorie
		(Nar	ne & Design	nation) (Co	ompany Seal
Date:					

# **Manufacturer's Authorization Form**

No	Dated
The Director	
The Director NIBMG	
Kalyani	
. <b>,</b>	
Dear Sir,	
Tender Reference	
We	who are established and reputable manufacturers
having factories at	and do hereby
authorize M/s	(Name and address of Agent/Dealer) to offer their quotation,
negotiate and conclude the contract with y	ou against the above invitation for tender Offer.
	warranty as per terms and conditions of the tender and the fered against this invitation for tender offer by the above firm.
Yours faithfully,	
Authorised	
Signatories (Name &	
Designation) Date:	
for and on behalf of M/s	
(Name of manufacturer)	
(Company Seal)	

Note: This letter of authority should be on the letterhead of the manufacturing concern and should be signed by a competent person of the manufacturer.

# **Company Profile**

- 1. A statement on the Company letterhead duly stamped and signed by authorized signatories certifying that the Company has not been blacklisted by any Government, non-Government agency or Public Sector organization in last three years.
- 2. Details filled in this form must be accompanied by sufficient documentary evidence, in order to verify the correctness of the information.

S. No.	Item	Details
1.	Name of Company	
2.	Mailing Address	
3.	Telephone and Fax numbers	
4.	Date of registration of the Company	
5.	Year of commencement of Business	
6.	Name and designation of the person authorized to make commitments to the	
	Institute	
7.	Contact details of the person authorized	
	to make commitments to the Institute	
8.	Turnover of the company (not of group)	
	2016-2017	
	2017-2018	
	2018-2019	
9.	Profit of the company (not of group)	
	2016-2017	
	2017-2018	
	2018-2019	
10.	GST Number	
11.	PAN Number	

12.	Service Tax No.	
12.	Professional Tax Registration No.	
14.	Whether direct manufacturer or	
	authorized dealers	
15.	Brief Description of after sales service	
	Facilities available with the vendor.	
	(Annexure-VI)	
	vide supporting decuments for all gradents	

Note: Please provide supporting documents for all credentials

(Signature)

(Name & Designation)

Date:

Place:

# **Annexure-IV**

# PERFORMANCE STATEMENT FORM

Details of similar equipment / systems supplied & installed during past 3 years in India & Abroad

NT C.1 T.		
Name of the Firm		

Order Placed by (full address of Purchaser)
Order No. and date
Description and quantity of Ordered equipment
Value of order
Date of completion of deliver as per contract
Date of actual completion of delivery
Remarks indicating reasons for late delivery, if any
Has the equipment been installed/working satisfactory? (Attach a certificate from the purchaser / Consignee)
Name of Contact person along with Telephone No., FAX No. and e-mail address

Signature and Seal of the manufacturer/Bidder
Place:
Date :

# Annexure-V

# Non-Black listing Self Certificate

This is to certify that M/s	_has not been blacklisted by any Central / State
Government Department / organization in last 3 years.	
	Authorised Signatory
	Name:
	Designation:

# **Details of Support Centres /after sales service facilities**

Name of the	Vendor	

S.No.	Place	Own Office/ Franchise	Postal Address	Contact Person & Contact details	Number of Service Personnel	Service Facilities available (Describe in detail)

(Signature)

(Name &

Designation) Date:

Place:

# **Warranty Compliance Statement**

The Director
National Institute of Biomedical Genomics
Kalyani
West Bengal
D = 0.
Dear Sir,
Subject: SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF Qty-01 Confocal Microscope
This bears reference to our quotation Dated
Ref.
We warrant that everything to be supplied by us shall be brand new, free from all defects and faults in material, workmanship and manufacture and shall be of the highest grade and quality and consistent with the established standards for materials specification, drawings or samples if any, and shall operate properly. We shall be fully responsible for its efficient operation.  Alternative equipment shall be provided free of cost to the Institute within two weeks in case of major defects arising in the existing equipment/machine in the comprehensive warranty period of 3 year from the date of installation of the equipment.  A maximum down time of 48 hours will be allowed within which the company engineer must rectify the problem. If certain spares/parts need to be imported, the time needed to procure such items will be provided. However, the Instrument should have an uptime of about 95% considering 365 days, 24 hours. If the uptime is lower, then the warranty period shall be extended by the company for such time
Yours faithfully
(Signature)
(Name & Designation)
(Name & Designation)
Date:

1)

2)

3)

Place:

# **Format of Performance Bank Guarantee**

# SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF Qty-01 Confocal Microscope

## WHEREAS

The National Institute of Biomedical Genomics located at Kalyani, West Bengal (hereinafter called the Institute) has invited tenders for **SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION** Qty-01 Confocal Microscope at National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, Biomedical Genomics Center, Kolkata, West Bengal on the terms and conditions mentioned in the tender document.

1.	It is one of the terms of invitation of tenders that the tenderer shall furnish a Performance Bank
	Guarantee for a sum of Rs/ (Rupees only).
2.	M/s, (hereinafter called as Tenderer), who are our constituents
	intend to submit their tender for the said work and have requested us to furnish performance bank
	guarantee to the Institute in respect of the said sum of Rs (Rupees only).
	NOW THIS GUARANTEE WITNESSETH
1.	We (NAME OF THE BANK) do hereby agree with and undertake to the National
	Institute of Biomedical Genomics, their Successors, Assigns that in the event of the National Institute of
	Biomedical Genomics coming to the conclusion that the Tenderer have not performed their obligations
	under the said conditions of the tender or have committed a breach thereof, which conclusion shall be
	binding on us as well as the said Tenderer, we shall on demand by the National Institute of Biomedical
	Genomics, pay without demur to the National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, a sum of Rs.
	/(Rupees
	only) or any lower amount that may be demanded by the National Institute of Biomedical Genomics. Our
	guarantee shall be for the due performance of the obligations of the Tenderer under the said Conditions,
	provided, however, that our liability against such sum shall not exceed the sum of Rs.
	/(Rupees
	only).

2. We also agree to undertake to and confirm that the sum not exceeding Rs
/(Rupees only) as aforesaid shall be paid by us without any demur or protest, merely
on demand from the National Institute of Biomedical Genomics on receipt of a notice in writing stating
the amount is due to them and we shall not ask for any further proof or evidence and the notice from the
National Institute of Biomedical Genomics shall be conclusive and binding on us and shall not be
questioned by us in any respect or manner whatsoever.
We undertake to pay the amount claimed by the National Institute of Biomedical Genomics within a
period of one week from the date of receipt of the notice as aforesaid.
period of one week from the date of receipt of the notice as aforesard.
We confirm that our obligation to the National Institute of Biomedical Genomics under this guarantee
shall be independent of the agreement or agreements or other understandings between the National
Institute of Biomedical Genomics and the Tenderer.
This guarantee shall not be revoked by us without prior consent in writing of the National Institute of
Biomedical Genomics.
We hereby further agree that
Any forbearance or commission on the part of the National Institute of Biomedical Genomics in
enforcing the conditions of the said agreement or in compliance with any of the terms and conditions
stipulated in the said tender and/or hereunder or granting of any time or showing of any indulgence by
the National Institute of Biomedical Genomics to the Tenderer or any other matters in connection
therewith shall not discharge us in any way our obligation under this guarantee. This guarantee shall be
discharged only by the performance by the Tenderers of their obligations and in the event of their failure
to do so, by payment by us of the sum not exceeding Rs/(Rupees only).
Our liability under these presents shall not exceed the sum of Rs/(Rupees/
only).
Our liability under this agreement shall not be affected by any infirmity or irregularity on the part of our
said constituents in tendering for the said work or their obligations thereunder or by dissolution or change
in the constitution of our said constituents.
This guarantee shall remain in force up toprovided that if so desired by the National
Institute of Biomedical Genomics, this guarantee shall be renewed for a further period as may be
indicated by them on the same terms and conditions as contained herein.
Our liability under this presents will terminate unless these presents are renewed as provided hereinabove
on theor on the day when our said constituents comply with their obligations, as to
which a certificate in writing by the National Institute of Biomedical Genomics alone is the

3.

a)

b)

c)

d)

e)

conclusive proof whichever date is later. Unless a claim or suit or action is filed against us within six months from that date or any extended period, all the rights of the National Institute of Biomedical Genomics against us under this guarantee shall be forfeited and we shall be released and discharged from all our obligations and liabilities hereunder.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of

Bank.

Authorised official.

Date:

Place:

(NB: This guarantee will require stamp duty as applicable and shall be signed by the official whose signature and authority shall be verified).

# PRICE BID FOR SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF Qty-01 Confocal Microscope

# TO THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF BIOMEDICAL GENOMICS (Integration price components)

**Vendor Name & Address:** 

Landed / Supply Price

To,

The Dire	ctor	
National	Institute of Biomedical Genomi	cs
Kalyani		
West Ber	ngal	
Price Br	eak-up for Integration (Install	ation & commissioning) for Qty-01 Confocal Microscope at
National	Institute of Biomedical Genomi	ics as per the scope identified in the bidding documents.
Name	of the Bidder:	
Tender	Reference No:	
Date	:	
	Description	
	Make	
	Model No.	
	Part No.	
	Price Quoted in	
	(Name of the Currency)	
	Basic Price	
	Freight/Transportation, Insurance etc.	
	GST/Service Tax/Other Taxes (Please specify)	
	Other Charges (Please specify)	

Destination Basis/ Unit.	
Quantity	
Value=Landed/Supply Price	
x	
Quantity	

(Signature)

(Name & Designation)

Date:

Place:

**N.B:-**Price should be entered in the above format only & do not attach any other sheet along with this format. This document should be submitted in the letterhead of the vendor and submitted in a separate sealed envelope superscripted "Commercial Offer/Price Bid **Qty-01 Confocal Microscope** at National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, Tender Notice No. **NIBMG/Procurement/Confocal Microscope/2019-20/050, dated 03.03.2020.**