The pre-bid meeting for Rajasthan QST tender (2020-22) was held on 11.02.2020 at 3:00 PM under the chairmanship of Chairman & Managing Director, RSIC in the Board Room, RSIC, Udyog Bhawan, Jaipur.

The following participated in the meeting:-

RSIC Officials:

1. Dr. Akash Alha, CAO
2. Sh. Dinesh Sethi, OSD
3. Sh. Arvind Sharma, Manager
4. Sh. P.K. Jain, Co. Secretary
5. Sh. N.S. Katewa, Consultant
6. Sh. G.L. Sharma, Rajasthan, Jaipur
7. Sh. Sanjeev Sehgal, Jr. Manager
8. Smt. Shakun Sarasvat, Sr. Assistant

Potential Bidders:-

1. Sh. Hans Raj Prajapat
2. Sh. Nizzamudin
3. Sh. Ritesh Maheshwari
4. Smt. Neetu Kanwar
5. Sh. Shyam Sunder Sharma

No specific clarification was sought by the potential bidders for the tender document. However, it was apprised by Sh. Ritesh Mahaeshwari that he is not being able to take benefit of GST input on the licence fee being paid by him for Rajasthan, Jaipur Jewellery counter. Other parties informed that they are getting benefit of GST input on the licence fee of their QST counters. Sh. Ritesh was advised to consult Tax / Accounts section of RSIC for resolution of his issue.

Apart for the tender floated for QST counters, some other general suggestions were given by the potential bidders. After discussions, following decisions were taken for the same:-
1. RSIC may explore possibilities of establishing one premium brand café/ coffee shop/ restaurant on the ground floor/ atrium of Rajasthani Mall.
   (Action by: Co. Secy. / GAC section, RSIC)

2. RSIC may explore for bar coding of products of Rajasthani emporiums, e-billing and ERP for Rajasthani emporiums, Air Cargo, ICDs etc.
   (Action by: Systems section, RSIC)

3. RSIC may request RTDC to include Rajasthani Jaipur in their route map of Palace on Wheels & RTDC conducted tours.
   (Action by: Handicrafts section, RSIC)

4. RSIC may request GAD department, Govt. of Rajasthan to encourage visits of foreign delegates/ dignitaries to Rajasthani emporiums.
   (Action by: Handicrafts section, RSIC)

5. RSIC may explore with LIC & RRVUNL for providing more parking space to Rajasthani visitors.
   (Action by: Co. Secy. / GAC section, RSIC)

6. RSIC may contact leading hotels & FM channels for promotion of Rajasthani, Jaipur through discount coupons, radio spots/ jingles etc.
   (Action by: Handicrafts section, RSIC)

7. RSIC may take stern legal action against fake Rajasthani showrooms.
   (Action by: Legal section, RSIC)

8. RSIC may explore possibilities of opening new emporiums/ showrooms at tourist places.
   (Action by: Handicrafts section, RSIC)

9. It was requested by QST counter vendors that their tenure may be extended till finalization of new tender on existing commission rate and licence fee but without condition of pro rata minimum sales guarantee, due to their low sales turnover. Keeping in view the market scenario and for ensuring continuity of existing product range, their request was acceded to.
   (Action by: Handicrafts section, RSIC)

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

(Handwritten signatures)

(NS Katewa) Consultant

(Arvind Sharma) Manager

(Dinesh Sethi) OSD

(Akash Alha) CAO