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Drug Tender (Round - VII)

-Technical Core Committee Meet-

Minutes of the Meeting of the Core Committee for Technical Bid Evaluation of Drug Tender (Round-VII) held on 29.1.2010 in Conference Hall, State Health Society, Bihar, Sheikhpura, Patna.

Members Present in the Core Committee-

1. Dr. A. K. Jha, Dy. Director, Health, Representative of Director -in- Chief, Health Services, Bihar- Chairman
2. Dr. D.K.Raman, Additional Director, Health Services, Bihar - Member
3. Dr. S. K. Shahi, Medical Superintendent, IGIMS, Patna - Member
4. Sri J. P. Singh, State Drugs Controller, Bihar, Patna - Member
5. Sri Nausad Haider, Procurement Specialist, UNICEF, Bihar, Patna - Member
6. Dr. V. S. Raghuvanshi, State Programme Officer, UNFPA, Bihar, Patna - Member

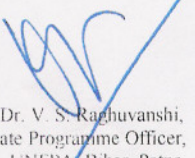
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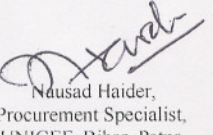
Bids for Drug Round-VII in four different categories i.e. A, B, C & D altogether were invited by a single tender notice from *eligible direct Pharmaceutical Manufacturers/Direct Importers for rate contracting of Drugs, other equipments/disposable material etc.* Advertisement were taken out in Hindustan (Bihar), Dainik Jagran (Bihar) Hindustan Times (Delhi), Times of India (Patna, Mumbai, Ahmedabad), The Statesman (Kolkata), Indian Express (Mumbai), Business Standard (Chennai, Hyderabad), Gujarat Samachar (Gujrat), Sandesh (Gujrat) dated 3.10.2009. The last date for submitting tender was 30.10.2009, 12:00 Noon. Category wise list of drugs and tender condition was made available on the website -<http://shsbihar.org>. Prebid meeting of interested bidders was held on 14.10.2009.

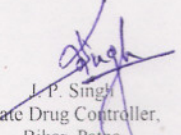
Altogether Ninety Five (95) technical with financial bids, in separate sealed envelopes were received by the last date of receiving tenders i.e 30.10.2009. Technical bids of all four categories A,B,C,D were opened by the Core Committee on 30.10.2009: 2PM in presence of bidders or their authorized representatives.

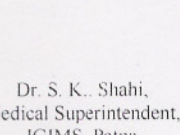
Separate comparative chart of the technical bid for all four categories were prepared by the Licensing Authority and Drugs Inspector deputed at SHSB for the purpose by the office of State Drug controller, Bihar. On the basis of Comparative Chart, technical evaluation was done by the Core Committee in its meeting held on 15.12.2009.

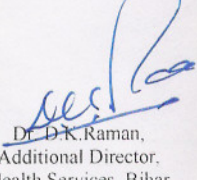
As resolved in the meeting of Core Committee held on 15.12.2009 that some of the bidders have not submitted each and every required documents/papers as mentioned in "Submission Requirement" column of Tender Notice with their Technical Bid, bid rejection on these ground shall not fulfill our mission of Drug Rate contract, as terms of Drug rate contract of Round-V is valid till 31.3.2010 only. In such circumstances drug rate contract of drug tender round VII have to be completed before 31.3.2010 Otherwise after 31.3.2010 there will be crisis of drugs in the Hospitals/Health Institutions. Therefore, it was decided in the meeting held on 15.12.2009 that in public interest and to achieve our mission & Goal of Drug Rate Contract. So one opportunity should be given to those firms who have not submitted some of the required documents/papers along with their tender bid to submit the relevant required documents within 10 days from the date of issue of the letter in this regard. Accordingly, those companies were given an opportunity to submit the same latest by 19.1.2010 at 5PM vide SHSB's letter no 13923 to 13946, 13960 to 14005 dt. 8.1.2010. Resolution taken by the Core Committee in the meeting dated 15.12.2009 was put on the SHSB's website- www.statehealthsocietybihar.org for information of the bidders.

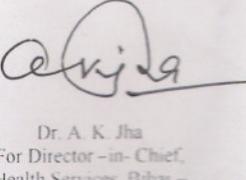

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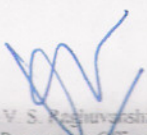

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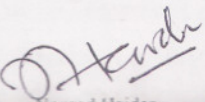

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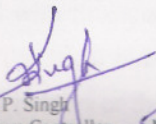
Based on additional requisite documents/papers received from bidders in response to the information made available on the SHSB website and SHSB's letter no 13923 to 13946, 13960 to 14005 dt. 8.1.2010, the final separate comparative chart of technical bid was prepared for all four categories by the Licensing Authority and Drugs Inspector deputed at SHSB.

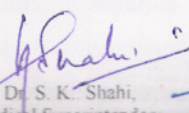
The comparative chart prepared by Licencing Authority and Drug Inspector deputed at SHSB and the documents/papers submitted by the firms were scrutinized and evaluated by the Core Committee members under the Chairmanship of the Representative of Director-In-chief, Health Services, Bihar in this meeting.

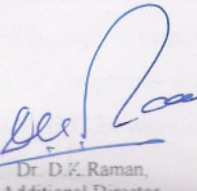
During the evaluation of the documents by the members of the Core Committee it was also found that some reputed firms like Cadila Pharmaceuticals, Aventis Pharma, Johnson & Johnson, Elder Pharmaceuticals, Concept Pharmaceuticals, Bengal Chemicals and Pharmaceuticals etc. who have not submitted the requisite documents/papers, core committee members felt that they are reputed firms so the core committee resolved that these firms should be given again opportunity to submit requisite documents and papers within ten days positively and for this these firms be informed telephonically by the SHSB. The committee further resolved that the members of the Core committee shall meet again after a week to take further decision on the basis of the submitted papers and documents and the papers have not been scrutinized and evaluated due to voluminous documents. The committee also resolved that no further time will be granted to any firm to produce the required paper and documents after this and in the next meeting the members of the Core Committee will take final decision on all technical bids.

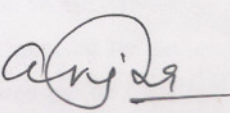

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