

Tender No: - GMDC /Tadkeshwar/ Environment /02/2025-26

Request for Proposal “To cut down the standing wood trees, removing them and to purchase the wood extracted and to take them out from the 18.34 Ha of the lease area of the Tadkeshwar Lignite Mine of GMDC Ltd.”



**Gujarat Mineral Development Corporation Limited
Khanij Bhavan, 132-ft Ring Road, Gujarat University Ground,
Vastrapur, Ahmedabad- 380052**

June, 2025

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It is to inform to all interested bidders for participating in this E-Tender for “to cut down the standing wood trees, removing them and to purchase the wood extracted and to take them out from the 18.34 Ha of the lease area of the Tadkeshwar Lignite Mine of GMDC Ltd”.

Following details are given in the E-Tender for removal and purchase of wood. Interested bidders are invited to participate in the e-tender.

Sr. No.	Particulars	Details
01	Nature of Work	To cut down the standing wood trees, removing them and to purchase the wood extracted and to take them out from the 18.34 Ha of the lease area of GMDC Ltd.
02	Location of Work	Tadkeshwar Lignite Mine, GMDC Ltd., Tadkeshwar, Tal. Mandvi, Dist. Surat
03	Work Completion Period	Within 15 days from work order acceptance
04	Approximate Number of Trees	9,506 standing trees
05	Upset Price by Forest Department	₹ 24,21,005/- exclusive of GST
06	Cost of tender document / Tender Processing Fee	₹ 590/- (non-refundable, inclusive of applicable GST) only. Through NEFT / RTGS or through online payment gateway as per bank detail. Relaxation in terms of submission of Tender Processing Fee may be given to the bidder who is holding valid certificate issued under MSME Act, 2006 on the date of submission of the bid to this TENDER. Bank details: Bank Name: ICICI Bank, Ahmedabad Branch Account Number: 002405019379 IFS Code: ICIC0000024
07	Place to Obtain Tender	On company website https://www.gmdcltd.com . Interested Bidders can download the RFP documents from this website.
08	Tender Availability Period	02/06/2025 to 12/06/2025 (17.00 Hrs)
09	Last date of online submission of entire offer	13/06/2025 up to 17.00 Hrs
10	EMD (Earnest Money Deposit)	₹ 2,42,101/- Demand Draft in favour of Gujarat Mineral Development Corporation Limited payable at Ahmedabad / RTGS / NEFT as per below bank detail. Bank Name: ICICI Bank, Ahmedabad Branch Account Number: 002405019379

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		<p>IFS Code: ICIC0000024</p> <p>Relaxation in terms of submission of EMD may be given to the bidder who is holding valid certificate issued under MSME Act, 2006 on the date of submission of bid to this Tender.</p> <p>EMD will be converted into security deposit for successful bidder and will be refunded after successful completion of work without interest.</p> <p>For remaining bidders, EMD will be refunded without interest.</p>
11	<p>Submission of EMD, Tender Processing Fee and Techno-Commercial (Part-I) Bid in Physical form along with Supporting documents at below mentioned address</p>	<p>On or before 13/06/2025 till 17.00 hrs to GM (Environment), GMDC office situated at Khanij Bhavan, 132-ft. Ring Road, Gujarat University Ground, Vastrapur, Ahmedabad-380052, by Speed Post/ RPAD/ Hand delivery /Courier</p>
12	<p>Issue of Corrigendum to document, if required</p>	<p>As and when required till last date of submission</p>
13	<p>Date and Time of Tender Opening</p>	<p>16/06/2025 at 11:00 AM</p>
14	<p>Contact Numbers</p>	<p>Mr. Chirag A. Shah, GM (Environment)- 9909031790 Mr. P.S. Patel, Manager (Environment): 7069038884</p>

The proposal:

Gujarat Mineral Development Corporation Ltd (GMDC) is a leading Public Sector Mining and Minerals Company of Government of Gujarat with operational experience of over 60 years. GMDC's product portfolio spans across mining, value added products and power. Its power portfolio includes clean energy sources such as solar and wind besides thermal power.

Tadkeshwar Lignite lease area falls in Mandvi Taluka of Surat district of Gujarat State and is covered by the Survey of India, toposheet no. 46 G/3. Tadkeshwar village is located in the western part of this area adjacent to the lease boundary. The district head quarter Surat and taluka head quarter Mandvi are located at a distance of about 40 KM & 30 KM respectively.

The National Highway (NH48) which connects Mumbai and Ahmedabad passes on the western side of the lease area at about 11 KM. distance. The area is connected to NH 8 through state highway & district road. The area is easily accessible by road at all seasons. The broad gauge railway line connects Mumbai & Ahmedabad of western railway passes near to NH 48 and the nearest railway station KIM is 15 KM away from this area. The nearest Hajira port is located in SSW side of this area. This port is nearest to Surat City. The nearest airport is Surat which connects to major cities like Mumbai, Delhi, Ahmedabad etc. by flight. Vadodara City is located at a distance about 107 km northern side of the lease area.

In the southern-eastern part of this lease area (approx. 18.34 hectares), there are about 9,506 standing wood trees in the lease area which needs to be removed. Numbers of trees are approximate based on enumeration carried out by GMDC through Forest dept. which may vary.

GMDC is inviting E-tender for:

To cut down the standing wood trees, removing them and to purchase the wood extracted and to take them out from the 18.34 Ha of the lease area of the Tadkeshwar Lignite Mine of GMDC Ltd. Interested bidders must quote the price higher than the upset price fixed by the Forest Department- Mangrol Range, Distt: Surat.

Terms & Conditions of the tender:

1. Only those bidders who are dealing with wood and possess a valid PAN number will be eligible to participate in this E-Tender.
2. It is desirable that the bidders participating in the E-Tender has an experience of cutting of trees and purchase of wood.
3. The bidders participating in this E- Tender or their representatives must inspect the tree cutting site within the schedule time of the E-Tender. The inspection will be done in the presence of the GMDC's Tadkeshwar Project official, and the bidder must obtain the certificate of the site visit from the GMDC Tadkeshwar Project.
4. The bidders participating in the tender must offer a bid amount higher than the "upset price" determined by the Forest Department. The bidder offering the highest bid amount will be considered as successful bidder.
5. The successful bidder will be given the "Work Order" by GMDC Ltd. After accepting the Work Order, the successful bidder must deposit the full amount quoted by them in advance

via a demand draft or RTGS/NEFT to the GMDC's account within 03 days after acceptance of the work order.

6. The successful bidder will be responsible for paying all applicable taxes, duties, or any other charges related to the purchase/sale of wood.
7. After accepting the Work Order and deposition of full amount quoted by the successful bidder, they must begin the work of cutting and removing the trees within 3 working days and complete the entire work within 15 days which includes transportation of the wood outside the GMDC's Tadkeshwar Project lease area.
8. In the event of rain or any other natural calamities which is beyond the control of GMDC or the successful bidder then GMDC Project Authority will take the decision regarding the extension of the work period and this shall be binding the successful bidder. (The completion time can be extended depending on circumstances, as decided by the GMDC's Tadkeshwar Project Management.)
9. If the successful bidder fails to start or complete the work within the stipulated time frame, the Work Order will be canceled, and the security deposit will be forfeited. In such cases, further necessary action will be taken as per the GMDC's policy.
10. The EMD (Earnest Money Deposit) submitted by unsuccessful bidders will be refunded within the time frame as per GMDC policy without any interest.
11. If the H1 bidder (highest bidder) fails to deposit the required amount within 3 working days and does not begin the work, the EMD will be forfeited.
12. GMDC reserves the right to award the contract for cutting and removing wood to a single bidder or multiple bidders (in case of more than one bidder quote the same H1 rate), this will be decided by the GMDC Management.
13. The successful bidder shall be issued a necessary "Gate Pass" by GMDC Tadkeshwar Project to transport the wood outside the lease area.
14. The successful bidder shall abide and be responsible to comply the safety norms as per the Mine Act, Rules and Regulation etc.
15. All tools & tackles, labors, equipment's, vehicles, etc. to execute the contract are in the scope of the successful bidder. The contractor shall ensure that tools & equipment's are in healthy condition. The approach road (within the GMDC lease boundary) up to the tree cutting site will be provided by GMDC.
16. All cutting, removal and transportation of wood shall be carried out during day hours only.
17. After the commencement of the work, the successful bidder shall be solely responsible for the security of the entire wood, tools, tackles, etc in the said area.
18. Any disputes or difference of opinion between GMDC and Successful bidder arising out of the contract to the extent possible shall be settled amicably between the parties. If amicable settlement cannot be reached all the disputed issues shall be resolved through arbitration before a Sole Arbitrator appointed by GMDC management according to the provisions of The Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996. The place of arbitration shall be at Ahmedabad or any other place within state of Gujarat.
19. Work under the contract shall be continued by the successful bidder during arbitration proceedings unless GMDC shall order suspension thereof or any part thereof in writing or unless the matter in such work cannot possibly be continued unless the decision of the Arbitration proceedings is obtained.

PRICE BID FORMAT

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Sr. no.	Details	Estimated Trees nos.	Upset value as decided by Forest Department	The net amount payable by the interested bidder to the GMDC Ltd for the said work.
1	Regarding the work “ To cut down the standing wood trees, removing them and to purchase the wood extracted and to take them out from the 18.34 Ha of the lease area of the Tadkeshwar Lignite Mine of GMDC Ltd.”	9506	Rupee: 24,21,005	Rs. Rupees in the word –

Note:

- All expenses for the above said work shall be borne by the successful bidder.
- The cost for deployment of labors, equipment’s, supervision including other incidental expenses shall be borne by the successful bidder
- All taxes & duties as per the Government norms will be borne by the successful bidder.

Sign and Stamp of bidders/institutions

Name:

Address:

Mobile No: