

## **EMERGENCY TENDER NOTICE**

### **PURCHASE OF ADVANCE VERSION PCR KITS FOR TESTING THE VARIANTS OF CONCERN (VOCs) FOR COVID-19**

National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA), Islamabad invites sealed bids from well reputed firms registered with Income and Sales Tax departments for procurement of advance version PCR kits for testing the variants of concern (VOCs) including Alpha (UK), Beta (South African), Gamma (Brazilian) and Delta (Indian) and for real-time surveillance / monitoring and control of these variants in the country.

2. The bidding documents including instructions/ terms and conditions may be downloaded from NDMA's website: [www.ndma.gov.pk](http://www.ndma.gov.pk). Pay order of Rs. 2,000/- (Non-refundable) in favour of Director (Procurement), NDMA should be deposited at the time of submission of documents / bids as tender fee. Interested firms may drop their bids in PO Box No. 3356, Islamabad GPO before 1100 hours on 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 which will be opened on the same day at 1130 hours.

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1. **Tender Identification Number:** Tender No. 01/COVID-19/2021-22
2. **Title of Tender:** Purchase of Advance version for PCR Kits for testing the Variants of Concern (VOCs) for COVID Testing Machine / Kits
3. **Procuring Agency:** National Disaster Management Authority, Islamabad.
4. **Last date for Submission** (Technical & Financial both sealed separately): 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 at 1100 hours
5. **Technical & Financial Bids:**
  - a. Opening Date & Time of Technical Bid 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 at 1130 hours
  - b. Opening Date & Time of Financial Bid: After completion of Technical Scrutiny
6. **Opening Address:** Room No. 220-E, National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA), Islamabad.
7. **Method:** NDMA will follow **single stage two envelope procedure.**
8. **Period of Contract:** As per mutual agreement / satisfactory delivery.
9. **Rejection of Bids:** Bids on following accounts to be rejected: -
  - a. Incomplete and conditional bids will be rejected forthwith.
  - b. Bids received after due date & time of submission will not be accepted.
  - c. Black listed firm from any Ministry/Division/Department/Organization/Hospital/procuring agency of the Government of Pakistan whether it is permanent /temporary backlisting or currently black listed or in past.
10. **Applicant's Mandatory Qualifications / Prerequisites:**
  - a. Registered with Income and Sales Tax Department.
  - b. In case of authorized supplier / agent, certificate from original manufacturer will be required.
  - c. Preferably have 5 years relevant experience in the market.
  - d. An affidavit on stamp paper attested by notary public that the firm have never been black listed from any Ministry/Division/Department/Organization/Hospital/procuring agency of the Government of Pakistan whether it is permanent /temporary backlisting or currently black listed or in past.
  - e. Bank Statement FY 2020-21.



11. **Supporting Documents:** Following supporting documents are required: -
- a. Income Tax Registration Certificate.
  - b. Daily or monthly delivery capacity.
  - c. Company profile including proof of existence in particular business.
  - d. Details of past business experience with various clients to include quantities supplied.
  - e. List of other business and products if any.
  - f. Average holding level of product in the warehouse throughout the year.
12. **Quantity & Specification:** Quantity of items is at **appendix-A**. Specifications is at **appendix-B**. Items must be in accordance with given specification.
13. **Draft Contract Agreement:** Draft contract agreement is at **appendix-C**.
14. **Award of Contract / Supply Order:** Competitive bidding will be done through Single Stage Two Envelope procedure (Technical & Financial). Financial offer will be opened for those bids who technically qualified. The firm offering overall lowest bid against items of required quantity and specifications will be awarded the Contract / Supply Order. NDMA also reserves the right to open both technical and financial bids on the same day, if needs arise.
15. **Time of Delivery:** The selected firms would be liable to deliver their respective items within the stipulated time period. However, it may be noted that a very short time for the delivery will be given owing to possible emergence of 4<sup>th</sup> wave of COVID-19.
16. **Earnest Money:** The Firms are required to submit Earnest Money PKR 2% of their respective bid value in the name of Director (Procurement), NDMA in the shape of Bank Guarantee (No insurance guarantee), Pay Order /CDR. However, the same will be returned in case of rejection. **Cross cheque will not be entertained.**
17. **Payment Terms:** Payment will be processed after satisfactory delivery of the ordered items as per supply contract / agreement.



Quantity of Advance Version PCR Kits for Testing of VOCs

<b>SN</b>	<b>PCR Kits variant</b>	<b>Quantity (No of Tests)</b>	<b>Delivery</b>
1.	UK Variant	62,000	As per NDMA advice anywhere in Pakistan.
2.	Indian Variant	62,000	
3.	South African variant	35,000	
4.	Brazil variant	22,000	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>181,000 (Tests)</b>	

**Technical Specifications for VOCs real-time PCR detection kits**

1. The real-time PCR kits should detect SARS-CoV-2 variant specific mutations of Alpha (B.1.1.7), Beta (B.1.351), Gamma (P.1) and Delta (B.1.617.2). Preferably, spike gene mutation A570D for Alpha, D215G for Beta, T20N for Gamma and P681R for Delta.
2. The kit should contain positive controls for variant specific mutations.
3. The kits should be compatible with wide range of real-time PCR machines available across the country.
4. Pack Size Range: Preferably 100 Tests per kit.