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REQUEST FOR TENDER (LIMITED TENDER ENQUIRY)

# FOR CYBERSECURITY AUDIT

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#### Section 1

#### 1. Introduction

#### 1.1. Invitation to Bidders

By way of this Request For Tender ('RFT') Document (hereinafter also referred to as 'the Bid Document' or 'the Tender Document') **ECGC Limited** (hereinafter referred to as 'ECGC'), a company wholly owned by Government of India and set up in 1957, invites competitive Bids from Service Providers (hereinafter referred to as ('the Bidder(s)'.) for "Cybersecurity Audit" as per scope of work defined in Annexure – I of this RFT.

The "Price/Commercial Bids" along with other documents would be received in physical form.

The Bidder(s) are advised to study the Tender Document carefully. Submission of Bids shall be deemed to have been done after careful study and examination of the Tender Document with full understanding of its implications.

Please note that all the required information asked needs to be provided. Incomplete information may lead to rejection of the Bid. The Company reserves the right to change the dates mentioned in this RFT Document, which will be communicated to the Bidder(s), and shall be displayed on ECGC's website. The information provided by the Bidder(s) in response to this RFT Document will become the property of ECGC and will not be returned. ECGC reserves the right to amend, rescind or reissue this RFT Document and all SUBSEQUENT amendments, if any. Amendments or changes shall be communicated directly and/or displayed at ECGC's website only.

# 1.2. Schedule of events

RFT Document Availability	The RFT Document will be shared		
	through mail to selective CERT-In		
	empaneled auditors and published on the		
	website of ECGC.		
Last date of submission of Bids	15/04/2021		
Pre-bid Queries (if any)	01-04-2021 to 12-04-2021		
Opening of Price/Commercial Bids	19/04/2021		
Contact Details:			
Chief Information Security Officer (CISO):	022-66590620/+91-8080138143		
Executive Officer (RMD): 022 -66590581			
Address for Communication and	CISO		
submission of Bid.	ECGC Limited, Express Towers,		
	10 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Nariman Point,		
	Mumbai – 400 021		
Telephone	022-66590620		
All correspondence / queries relating to	security@ecgc.in		
this RFT Document should be sent to /			
through following email ID only			

NOTE: Timelines are subject to change at the sole discretion of ECGC Ltd.

#### Section - 2

#### 2. Disclaimer

The information contained in this RFT Document or information provided subsequently to Bidder(s) in documentary form by or on behalf of ECGC, is provided to the Bidder(s) on the terms and conditions set out in this RFT document and all other terms and conditions subject to which such information is provided.

This RFT Document is neither an agreement nor an offer and is only an invitation by ECGC to the interested parties for submission of Bids. The purpose of this RFT Document is to provide the Bidder(s) with information to assist the formulation of their bids.

This RFT Document does not claim to contain all the information each Bidder may require. ECGC shall incur no liability under any law, statute, rules or regulations as to accuracy, reliability or completeness of this document. ECGC may in its absolute discretion, but without being under any obligation to do so, update, amend or supplement the information in this RFT Document.

ECGC reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this document at any stage without assigning any reason whatsoever. The decision of ECGC in this regard shall be final, conclusive and binding on all the parties. The information provided by the bidder in response to this document will become the property of ECGC and will not be returned. No contractual obligation whatsoever shall arise from the RFT process until a formal contract is signed and executed by duly authorized representatives of ECGC with the selected Bidder.

### 3. Instructions for Bidder(s)

#### 3.1. General Instructions

- 3.1.1 Before bidding, the Bidder(s) are requested to visit the ECGC website <a href="https://www.ecgc.in">https://www.ecgc.in</a> and also carefully examine the Tender Document and the General Terms and Conditions of the Contract (TCC) contained therein, and if there appears to be any ambiguity or discrepancy between any terms of the Tender Document and the Contract, they should immediately refer the matter to ECGC for clarifications.
- 3.1.2 The Bidder, for the purpose of making the Bid, shall complete in all respects, the form(s) annexed to the Tender Document, quote the prices and furnish the information/ documents, called for therein, and shall sign and date on each of the forms/documents in the space provided therein for the purpose. The Bidder shall affix its initial on each page of the Bidding Documents.
- 3.1.3 The Bid shall be signed by a person or persons duly authorized by the Bidder with signature duly attested. In the case of a body corporate, the Bid shall be signed by the officers duly authorized by the body corporate with its common seal duly affixed. In case of a consortium, the Bid shall be signed by the officer (s) so authorized by each consortium member and the Bid shall be affixed with the common seals of each member of the consortium.
- 3.1.4 The Bid shall contain the address, Tel. No., Fax No. and e-mail id, if any of the Bidder, for the purposes of serving notices required to be given to the Bidder in connection with the Bid.
- 3.1.5 The Bid form and the documents attached to it shall not be detached from one another and no alteration or mutilation (other than filling in all the blank spaces) shall be made in any of the forms or documents attached thereto. Any alterations or changes to the entries in the attached documents shall only be made by a separate covering letter otherwise it shall not be entertained for the Bidding process.
- **3.1.6** The Bidder, irrespective of its participation in the bidding process, shall treat the details of the documents as privileged, secret and confidential.
- 3.1.7 ECGC does not bind itself to accept the lowest of any Bid and has the right to reject any Bid without assigning any reason whatsoever. ECGC also reserves the right to re-issue the Tender Document.

- 3.1.8 The Bidder should ensure that there are no cuttings, over-writings, and illegible or undecipherable figures to indicate their Bid. All such Bids may be disqualified on this ground alone. The decision of ECGC shall be final and binding on the Bidder. The Bidder should ensure that ambiguous or unquantifiable costs / amounts are not included in the Bid, which would disqualify the Bid.
- **3.1.9** Each Bidder can submit only one Bid.
- **3.1.10** The Bidder should commit to provide the resources desired by ECGC for the entire duration of the engagement, at the agreed cost and terms and conditions.
- **3.1.11** Partial Bids will not be accepted and shall be rejected. Bidder(s) shall have to quote for the entire scope of work.
- 3.1.12 All rates and total amount should be written both in figures and in words and if there is any discrepancy between the two, the lowest amount will only be accepted.
- 3.1.13 No questions or items in the annexures shall be left blank or unanswered. Where you have no details or answers to be provided a 'No' or 'Nil' or 'Not Applicable' statement shall be made as appropriate. Forms with blank columns or unsigned forms will be summarily rejected.
- 3.1.14 Bids not confirming to the requirement of the RFT may not be considered by ECGC. However, ECGC reserves the right at any time to waive any of the requirements of the RFT.
- 3.1.15 Bids must be received by ECGC at the address specified, no later than the date& time specified in the "Schedule of Events" in Invitation to Bid.
- **3.1.16** ECGC is not responsible for non-receipt of bids within the specified date due to any reason including postal delays or holidays.
- **3.1.17** Any Bid received after the deadline for submission of Bids prescribed, will be rejected, and subsequently destroyed. No Bids shall be returned.
- 3.1.18 ECGC may, at its discretion, extend the deadline for submission of Bids by amending the appropriate terms and conditions in the Bid Document, in which case, all rights and obligations of ECGC and Bidders previously subject to the deadline will thereafter be subject to the extended deadline, which would also be advised to all the interested Bidders on ECGC's website.
- **3.1.19** ECGC reserves the right to accept or reject any Bid or to cancel the Bidding process and reject all Bids at any time prior to contract award, without incurring

- any liability to the affected Bidder or Bidder(s). All decisions taken by ECGC are binding and final.
- 3.1.20 ECGC reserves the right to verify the validity of bid information and reject any bid, where the contents are found incorrect whether partially or fully, at the time during the process of RFT or even after the award of the contract.
- **3.1.21** The bid is liable to be disqualified in the following cases:
  - i. Bid not submitted in accordance with RFT:
  - ii. Bid received in incomplete format;
  - iii. Bid is not accompanied by all requisite documents;
  - iv. Bid is received after the due date;
  - v. an unsolicited bid.
- **3.1.22** ECGC shall be under no obligation to accept the lowest or any bid received and shall be entitled to reject any or all bids without assigning any reason whatsoever.
- **3.1.23** The bids once submitted cannot be modified or altered.
- 3.1.24 The Bidder shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of its Bid, and ECGC will in no case be responsible or liable for these costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the Bidding process.

# 3.2. Scope of Work & Deliverables Timeline

The detailed Scope of Work and timeline for deliverables is defined in Annexure – 1 of this RFT.

#### 3.3. Professional Staffs

The selected bidder shall provide to ECGC a list of Professional Staffs along with their respective CVs mentioning their relevant experience as per Annexure 2. The said list along with the CVs shall be evaluated by ECGC and only those professional staffs shall work on the project as approved by ECGC.

#### 3.4. Queries:

The Bidder(s) having any doubt/ queries/ concerns with any clause of this document or selection process shall raise their concern within 7 days of release of RFT Document in the format annexed at Annexure – 3. ECGC will not be liable to accept or provide any explanation towards any doubt/ concerns later on whatever the same may be.

All the queries shall be communicated only through the e-mail id provided, security@ecgc.in the format provided in Annexure - 3.

ECGC would issue clarifications/ Amendments in writing via e-mail and will become part of RFT.

# 3.5. Bidding process

- **3.5.1** The interested bidders (Service Providers) should submit their proposal in a sealed NON-WINDOW envelope superscripted with "Quotation for Cybersecurity Audit" form or via e-mail to security@ecgc due to force Majeure situation whichever is suitable.
- **3.5.2** The Bid shall be signed by the Bidder or a person or persons duly authorized to bind the Bidder to the Contract. The envelope shall:

Be addressed to ECGC at the said address given in Section 1.2; and

- a) Bear the Project Name
- **b)** The envelops shall contain completely filled documents in the following order:
  - (i) Annexure 2: Details of Professional Staff;
  - (ii) Annexure 4: Commercial Bid;
     Note: If sending via e-mail then it is mandatory for the price proposal to be a password protected document on the letter head of the bidding company
  - (iii) Annexure 5: Acknowledgment;
  - (iv) Annexure 9: Bank Details.
- **3.5.3** All envelopes should indicate the name and address of the Bidder on the cover.
- **3.5.4** If the envelope is not sealed and marked, ECGC will assume no responsibility for the Bid's misplacement or its premature opening.
- 3.5.5 Prices are to be quoted in Indian Rupees only in the format at Annexure 4.

- **3.5.6** Prices quoted should be exclusive of all Central / State Government levies, taxes (including Service Tax / GST) which will be deducted at source at applicable rates.
- 3.5.7 Prices quoted by the Bidder shall be fixed during the Bidder's performance of the Contract and shall not be subject to variation on any account, including exchange rate fluctuations, during the validity period of the contract. Taxes / Duties / Levies / Cess etc. levied by Central or State Governments, or Statutory, Quasi-Government Bodies, or Regulators may be charged as per actuals, and are allowed to be varied. A Bid submitted with an adjustable price quotation, other than exceptions specified herein, will be treated as non-responsive and shall be rejected.

## 3.6. Period of Validity of Bids

- 3.6.1 Bids shall remain valid for a period of 60 days from the date of opening of the Bid. The fees quoted shall remain firm and fixed during the currency of the Contract unless agreed otherwise by ECGC. Bidder shall not be entitled during this period to revoke or vary the content of Bid or any term thereof. In such case of making any variation subsequent to submission of bid, the offer shall be treated as "REJECTED".
- 3.6.2 In exceptional circumstances, ECGC may solicit the Bidder's consent to an extension of the period of validity of the Bid on the same terms and conditions. The request and the responses thereto shall be made in writing. At this point, a Bidder may refuse the request without risk of exclusion from any future RFTs or any debarment.
- 3.6.3 The Company reserves the right to call for fresh quotes any time during the validity period of the Bid, if considered necessary.

#### 3.7. Opening and evaluation of bids

- 3.7.1. Opening of Bids by ECGC
  - 3.7.1.1 ECGC reserves the right to open the Bids soon after their receipt from all the Bidder(s) without waiting till the last date as specified above and also the right to disqualify any or all Bidder(s) either on the basis of their responses, to all or some of the response sheets, or even any part thereof without assigning any reasons whatsoever.

- 3.7.1.2 ECGC will examine the Bids to determine whether they are complete, whether the required formats have been furnished, the documents have been properly signed, and that the Bids are generally in order.
- 3.7.1.3 Prior to the detailed evaluation, ECGC will determine the responsiveness of each Bid to the Bid Document. For purposes of these clauses, a responsive Bid is one, which conforms to all the terms and conditions of the Bid Document without any deviations.
- 3.7.1.4 Only those Bidders and Bids which have been found to be in conformity of the terms and conditions of RFT during the preliminary evaluation would be taken up by ECGC for further detailed evaluation.
- 3.7.1.5 Bidder(s) bidding in the process shall give as a part of the Bidding documents a statement on their letter head, as per the format provided under Annexure 5, that they have no objection with any clause of the Tender Document.
- 3.7.1.6 No Bidder shall contact ECGC on any matter relating to its Bid, from the time of opening of Price/Commercial Bid to the time the Contract is awarded.
- 3.7.1.7 Any effort by a Bidder to influence ECGC in its decisions on Bid evaluation, Bid comparison or contract award may result in the rejection of the Bidder's Bid and barring from any future RFTs / contracts / business with ECGC.
- 3.7.1.8 A maximum of two persons from each bidder can attend the bid opening. The bidders have to authorize two persons in format provided at Annexure 6 and inform ECGC in advance or attend via web-conferencing link as facilitated by ECGC Ltd.

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#### **Award of Contract**

The Bidder that bids the lowest commercial bid shall be awarded the Contract. However, ECGC shall be under no obligation to accept the lowest or any bid received and shall be entitled to reject any or all bids without assigning any reason whatsoever. ECGC Ltd. will notify the successful Bidder in writing, by letter or by email, that its Bid has been accepted. The notification of award will constitute the formation of the offer to contract. The selected Bidder should convey acceptance of the award of contract by returning duly signed and stamped duplicate copy of the award letter within seven working days of receipt of the communication. In case of a tie, the Bidder that conducted similar type of systems audit and cyber security testing in other Government undertakings/enterprises will be given preference. In case the selected Bidder fails to accept the award then the Bidder having the next lowest commercial bid among the Bidder(s) (other than the Bidder who has failed to accept the award) will be considered for the award and so on. The successful Bidder will have to execute a Service agreement within 15 working days of the award of Contract, which will be valid for the tenure as mentioned in this RFT Document. The selected Bidder shall execute (a) Principal Agreement (hereinafter to be referred as "PA"), the draft of the same is annexed herein below as Annexure - 7, which includes all the services and terms and conditions of the services to be extended by the selected Bidder as detailed herein and as may be prescribed or recommended by ECGC. ECGC reserves the right to alter / vary / amend / modify all or any of the terms set out in the said draft Agreement before the same is signed. The selected Bidder shall execute the PA within five working days from the date of notification about the final selection of the Bidder and (b) Non-disclosure Agreement, draft of the same is annexed at Annexure -8.

#### Section - 5

# 5. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (TCC)

#### 5.1 Definitions:

In this Contract, the following terms shall be interpreted as indicated:

- 5.1.1 "Service Provider" is the successful Bidder whose eligibility Bid has been accepted and gets the highest commercial score and to whom notification of award has been given by ECGC.
- 5.1.2 "The Services" means the scope of services which the Service Provider is required to provide ECGC under the Contract.
- 5.1.3 "The Contract" means the agreement entered into between ECGC and the Service Provider, and signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein;
- 5.1.4 "The Contract Price" means the price payable to the Service Provider under the Contract for the full and proper performance of its contractual obligations;
- 5.1.5 "TCC" means the Terms and Conditions of Contract;
- 5.1.6 "The Project/assignment" means Cybersecurity Audit.
- 5.1.7 "The Project Site" means designated locations of ECGC as may be specified in Purchase Order / Contract.

# 5.2 Payments

- 5.2.1 Payment shall be made in Indian Rupees.
- 5.2.2 Payment shall be made via electronic fund transfer only to the bank account specified, as per the form provided under Annexure -9, in the RFT response.
- 5.2.3 No payment shall be made in advance on award of the contract.
- 5.2.4 Payments shall be made only on receipt of invoice from the Service Provider, after completion of the scope of work to the satisfaction of ECGC Limited, on milestone basis.
- 5.2.5 All payments shall be subject to TDS and any other taxes as per the tax rules prevalent at the time of payment.
- 5.2.6 It may be noted that ECGC shall not pay any amount / expenses / charges/ fees / travelling expenses / boarding expenses / lodging expenses / conveyance expenses / out of pocket expenses other than the agreed amount as per the contract.
- 5.2.7 Any decrease in taxes must be passed on to ECGC.

# 5.2.8 Payment Milestones

Payment will be released according to deliverables mentioned in the table below:

S. No.	Deliverables	Payment as per
		Commercial Bid
1.	Final CISA signed Audit Reports Submission	65%
	(for all process audits A.1 and A.2 as described in	
	detailed Scope of Work)	
2.	Final VAPT Reports Submission	35%
	(Part B as described in detail Scope of Work)	

# 5.3 Damages/ Liability clause.

ECGC reserves the right to deduct from the total contract price to be paid to the Service Provider in such manner in the event of the following:

Reason	Delay of One	Delay beyond One week and
	Week	part thereof
Delay in	Caution Note	5% of the contract value, and
providing/ensuring		proportionally for the part of the
deliverables/ services		week.
beyond the agreed		Minimum 5%
timeline (delay		
attributable to the		
Bidder)		
Inordinate delay in	Caution Note	5% of the contract value, and
responding to the		proportionally for the part of the
references made by the		week.
ECGC (delay		Minimum 5%
attributable to the		
Bidder)		

# 5.4 Limitation of Liability

The aggregate liability of Bidder or ECGC in connection with this Agreement/ service contract, the services provided by bidder for the specific scope of work document, regardless of the form or nature of the action giving rise to such liability (whether in contract, tort or otherwise) and including any or all liability shall be the total bid amount.

# 5.5 Service Delivery Location

The major scope of work as mentioned above will be required to be delivered at ECGC onsite location at ECGC Limited, Express Towers 10<sup>th</sup> floor, Nariman point Mumbai – 400021. The Team would be required to travel and / or be posted at ECGC's Data Centre Site in Mumbai for work-related matters. The Team may also be required to travel for meetings with / discussions with / presentations to the different departments of ECGC for RFT scope etc. The Team may also visit the existing Data Centre and Disaster Recovery locations of ECGC to ascertain the inputs required for drawing out the specifications, if required.

#### 5.6 Termination

In case of a breach (material in nature) under the Contract or any other subsequent documents containing obligations under the service agreement, ECGC shall notify the Service Provider and give a period of further maximum 7 days (total 14 days including caution period as mentioned at clause 5.1.4) to rectify the breach as to ECGC's satisfaction. In case the breach is not rectified to the ECGC's satisfaction, ECGC may terminate the contract.

ECGC shall not be obligated to pay the Service Provider for any such services performed or expenses incurred after the effective date of such termination.

## 5.7 Governing Law and Jurisdiction

The High Court of Bombay shall alone have jurisdiction for the purposes of adjudication of any dispute of differences whatsoever in respect of or relating to or arising out of or in any way touching the contract awarded or the terms and conditions of the Contract.

#### 5.8 Survival

The termination of the Contract shall not affect the rights of and or obligations of the Service Provider which arose prior to the termination.

# 5.9 Working on ECGC's Holiday

Request for permission for working on Saturday / Sunday / holidays if required, should be submitted 3 working days prior to the date of holiday, to respective locations head. The Service Provider should provide the visiting Team member's details in advance to respective offices. The Team Member shall visit at the scheduled date and time and show his identity card/ permission letter when asked for.

## 5.10 Force Majeure

Notwithstanding the provisions of Terms and Conditions of Contract, the Service Provider shall not be liable for liquidated damages, or termination for default, if and to the extent, that, the 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 Service Provider and not involving the Service Provider's fault or negligence and not foreseeable. Such events may include, but are not restricted to, acts of ECGC in its sovereign capacity, wars or revolutions, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, and freight embargoes.

If a Force Majeure situation arises, the Service Provider shall promptly notify ECGC in writing of such condition and the cause thereof. Unless otherwise directed by ECGC in writing, the Service Provider shall continue to perform its obligations under the Contract as far as is reasonably practical, and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not prevented by the Force Majeure event.

#### **5.11 Entire Agreement**

It is expressly agreed between the parties that the Contract, The Request for Tender (RFT) Document, any addendum or corrigendum issued thereafter and the complete Annexures thereto constitute the Entire Agreement between the Parties.

# 5.12 Rights of ECGC:

- 5.12.1 ECGC does not bind itself to accept the lowest quotation and reserves the right to reject any or all the quotations received, without assigning any reason thereof.
- 5.12.2 While processing the Bids, ECGC further reserves the right to delete or reduce any item or section contained in the Tender Document or in the Scope of Work without assigning any reason thereof.

# 5.13 Royalties and Patents

Any royalties or patents or the charges for the use or infringement thereof that may be involved in the contract shall be included in the price. Service Provider shall protect ECGC against any claims thereof.

## 5.14 Intellectual Property Right (IPR)

The Bidder shall provide Reports, Documents and all other relevant materials, artifacts etc. during the Assignments to ECGC Ltd. and ECGC Ltd. shall own all IPRs in such Reports, Documents and all other relevant materials, artifacts etc. All documents related to such shall be treated as confidential information by the Bidder. The ownership of all IPR rights in any and all documents, artifacts, etc. (including all material) made during the Term for Assignment under this Agreement will lie with ECGC Ltd.

### 5.15 Representation and Warranties

Service Provider servicing ECGC should comply with ECGC's Information Security policies in key concern areas relevant to the activity, the broad areas are:

- i. Responsibilities for data and application privacy and confidentiality.
- ii. Responsibilities on system and software access controls and administration.
- iii. Custodial responsibilities for data, software, hardware and other assets of Company being managed by or assigned to Service Provider.
- iv. Physical security of the Services / Equipment provided by the Service Provider.

Service Provider shall also be required to comply with statutory and regulatory requirements as imposed by various statutes, labour laws, local body rules, state and central Government Body statutes, and any other regulatory requirements applicable

on the Service Provider, and shall produce the same for records of ECGC Limited and
/ or its Auditors and / or its regulator.
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#### Section - 6

## Annexure - 1: Scope of Work & Deliverables Timeline

## **Background**

ECGC intends to undertake a review of its adherence to the regulatory requirements of Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) pertaining to Cyber Security.

# Current State of Information Technology (herein after referred as IT) In ECGC ECGC has the following IT applications in operation:

- 1. An Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) System, supporting all Core Insurance and non-core functions of ECGC, including Enterprise Accounting and MIS.
- 2.A Public Portal, catering to the general public, offering information on ECGC's products and services, public disclosures, and company information.
- 3. A Client Portal, catering to Exporter and Banker clients.
- 4. A Grievance Management Portal, IGMS, as mandated by the regulator IRDAI, to manage customer complaints.
- 5. A Treasury software system, supporting the Treasury operations of ECGC.
- 6. A RBI-NDS system for supporting the Treasury operations of ECGC.
- 7. An Enterprise Email solution for all employees.
- 8. A web content filtering solution for employee browsing needs and to filter against malware.
- 9. A messaging security solution to filter malware and spam in emails.
- 10. An Antivirus solution for all servers and employee PCs.
- 11. A patch management solution for servers and employee PCs.
- 12. An Active Directory solution for single sign on (partial) and managing group policies.
- 13. A biometric system for managing employee attendance / reimbursements.
- 14. A swipe card system for some employees for access control to some office.
- 15. A Hypervisor solution for managing virtualization.

The above applications are supported by a SAN-based storage solution, multiple switches, and firewalls (virtualized). ECGC employees are connected to the various applications via a MPLS VPN and freshly rolled out SD-WAN. All major systems / services used by employees are centralized. The management of the IT setup (DC & DRC) is outsourced to a third-party.

**Purpose of Audit** 

ECGC envisages a review of its processes and IT infrastructure with respect to the

following areas:

Review based on IRDAI Circular Ref No: IRDA/IT/GDL/MISC/082/04/2017 dated

07.04.2017 (Guidelines on Information and Cyber Security for Insurers)

2. ITGC (General Controls) Audit for IT systems handling Financial Information

3. Readiness towards the Investment Risk Management Systems and Processes of

**Insurance Companies** 

4. Vulnerability Assessment and Penetration Testing of IT Systems

The auditor shall also assist ECGC Ltd. in the following areas pertaining to the IRDAI

Circulars -

1. Adhering to changed or updated timelines of compliance

2. Adhering to further clarifications issued by IRDAI

3. Providing additional certification/s and clarifications as required by the IRDAI from

the cyber security auditor

The audit will include but not limited to the testing of Applications, review of Information

Security Policy & Procedures, Gap Assessment in IT security and Procedures,

Assessment of Network Security & Information Security solutions, Vulnerability and

Penetration testing, review of Data Centre including physical visits, compliance with

IRDAI, and submission of reports. The backbone IT infrastructure of the Company is

located at Mumbai and Data Centre at Faridabad.

Based on the approach mechanism and intended outcome the scope of work is

outlined into two parts-

Part A: Systems and Process Audits and

Part B: Technical Cybersecurity VAPT Audit

The bidder has to undertake the following process audits with respect to Governance,

Risk and Compliance under Part A

### A.1. Cybersecurity Audit

#### A.2. ITGC Audit

Following are key indicative but not exhaustive scope of work to be carried out by the selected Bidder -

## A.1. Cybersecurity Audit

Review based on IRDAI Circular (Guidelines on Information and Cyber Security for Insurers) Ref No. IRDA/IT/GDL/MISC/082/04/2017 dated 07.04.2017.

IRDAI's information and cyber security guidelines and Annexure A (control checklist) covering all of the below areas but not limiting to -

- 1. Enterprise Security
- 2. Information Asset Management
- 3. System acquisition, development and maintenance
- 4. Information Security Risk Management
- 5. Data & Communication Security
- 6. Application, Mobile & Cloud Security
- 7. Cyber Security
- 8. Platform / Infrastructure Security
- 9. Network & Endpoint Security
- 10. Cryptography & Key Management
- 11. Security Logging & Monitoring
- 12. Virtualization
- 13. Information System Audit
- 14. Organization of information security
- 15. Human resource security
- 16. Access Control
- 17. Cryptography
- 18. Physical Access and Environmental controls
- 19. Operations security
- 20. Communication Security
- 21. Information security in supplier relationships
- 22. Information security incident management

- 23. Compliance with legal requirements
- 24. Business Continuity Management
- 25. Compliance
- 26. Cloud Security
- 27. Information and Cyber Security Policy
- 28. Cyber Security Assurance Programme

#### A.2. ITGC Audit

Perform a review of the areas pertaining to IT General Controls and System readiness.

The bidder shall incorporate this audit activity in parallel to above process audit and submit a separate Report on the same.

The areas are as mentioned below, however they are not limiting to -

- 1. Change Management
- 2. IT Governance
- 3. IT Strategy
- 4. Security Policy, Procedures and Frameworks
- 5. Incident & Problem Management
- 6. Backup Management
- 7. Access Management
- 8. Patch Management
- 9. Physical & Environmental Control
- 10. IT security risk assessments
- 11. Functionality review
- 12. IT landscape review
- 13. Review of IT operations
- 14. Review of information security
- 15. Review of third party suppliers and outsourcing
- 16. Review of design of Business Continuity (BC) and Disaster Recovery (DR)
- 17. Review of IT operations
- 18. Conduct walkthroughs and reviews of identified in-scope controls pertaining to the review areas in scope
- 19. Conduct meetings with relevant stakeholders to understand the process of capacity planning for applications and IT infrastructure
- 20. Obtain and review relevant evidences for each control

- 21. Perform sample based testing where relevant
- 22. Identify and document control gaps
- 23. Discuss identified gaps with stakeholders
- 24. Present reports for each of the above areas
- 25. Discuss and finalize the risk register with the IT Security function head CISO
- 26. Suggest implementation guidelines based on the industry best standards & a prioritized roadmap to achieve the recommendations of the review report.

# **Key Stages of all the three A.1 and A.2 Process based Audits:**

- 1. Kick-off Meeting & Stakeholder Identification
- 2. Audit Preparation on site & Related documentation to be shared
- 3. Audit Process
- 4. Prepare list of pre-requisites with respect to the above areas and share the same.
- Conduct walkthroughs and reviews of identified in-scope controls pertaining to the review areas in scope
- 6. Obtain and review relevant evidences for each control
- 7. Perform sample based testing where relevant
- 8. Present reports for each of the above areas
- 9. Identify and document control gaps
- 10. Discuss identified gaps with stakeholders
- 11. Provide GAP analysis report and recommendations to address the identified the gaps.
- 12. Suggest implementation guidelines based on the industry best standards & a prioritized roadmap to achieve the recommendations of the review report.
- 13. Create roadmap for addressing identified gaps with prioritization
- 14. Create roadmap and strategy to address all identified shortcomings.
- 15. Prioritize the solution w.r.t. organization's posture (Immediate measures/long term measures)
- 16. Recommend the best fit solutions & controls
- 17. In collaboration with ECGC IT staff, resolve all the gaps identified in the gap analysis, vulnerabilities found, additional vulnerabilities pointed out by ECGC and make ECGC ready for final audit.
- 18. Perform the final Audit in lines to above scope
- 19. Draft Audit Report Generation & Discussion

- 20. Final Audit Report Submission, Discussion (Three separate Audit reports signed by CISA Auditor shall be submitted for A.1 & A.2 respectively)
- 21. Finalize the prioritized implementation roadmap
- 22. Re-assessment of Cyber Maturity Rating Scale and Final Ratings post the Audits

# Part B: Technical Cybersecurity VAPT Audit

The bidder shall conduct technical testing on the IT Systems, OS, Applications and Network and report the vulnerabilities.

The scope of this Vulnerability Assessment – Penetration Testing Audit report is as below –

- 1. Internal Network Vulnerability Management
  - a. 8(switches, firewalls)
  - b. 57(internal IPs)
- External Black Box Network PT
  - a. 4(external IPs)
- 3. Web Application security testing (Black Box) must also include complete proof of exploit in all cases of all the reported vulnerabilities
- 4. Generate all security testing reports and provide recommendations.
- 5. Suggest the best possible patching and remediation for the identified vulnerabilities.
- 6. Discuss and document the management action plan with timeline to implement the recommendations on the same
- 7. In collaboration with ECGC IT staff, resolve all the gaps identified in the vulnerabilities assessment and penetration testing, and re-assess the vulnerability post closure of gaps.

#### NOTE:

- 1. The complete exercise including process audit and technical VAPT testing has to be done on premise at ECGC office only.
- 2. The bidder has to re-assess the existing Cyber Maturity Model-Rating score and provide the final ratings for current year, post the Audit.

THE OVERALL RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SERVICE PROVIDER IS TO ENSURE ECGC'S COMPLIANCE TO ALL REGULATIONS RELATING TO GUIDELINES ON INFORMATION AND CYBER SECURITY AS ISSUED BY IRDAI.

The Selected Bidder is expected to carry out its assignment with due diligence and in accordance with prevailing standards of the profession. The selected bidder has to make a project plan to deliver all Audit Reports within timelines and present the same to the ECGC Management. The bidder shall be free to merge common areas of review and carry-out sampling processes and walkthrough discussions in a non-repetitive manner.

The selected bidder shall be accountable and responsible for the services required to be performed and it shall not be an excuse that the employee/personnel or key person of the selected bidder committed mistakes or left the bidder during the continuance of the project as per this RFT or for any other reason whatsoever.

#### **Deliverables with Timelines**

SI. No.	Deliverables	Expected
		Timelines
Part A		
1.	Final Cybersecurity Audit Report	2-3 Weeks
2.	Final ITGC Audit Report	
Part B		'
4.	VAPT Security Testing Reports	1-2 Week/s

# List of Abbreviations used in the Scope of Work

S.No.	Abbreviation	Full Form / Remark
1.	ERP	ENTERPRISE RESOURCE PLANNING
2.	MIS	MANAGEMENT INFORAMTION SYSTEMS
3.	IGMS	INTEGRATED GRIEVANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
4.	NDS	NEGOTIATED DEALING SYSTEM
5.	SAN	STORAGE AREA NETWORK
6.	MPLS	MULTI-PROTOCOL LABEL SWITCHING
7.	VPN	VIRTUAL PRIVATE NETWORK
8.	SD-WAN	SOFTWARE DEFINED WIDE AREA NETWORK
9.	BC-DR	BUSINESS CONTINUITY – DISASTER RECOVERY
10.	ITGC	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY GENERAL CONTROLS
11.	IRMS	INVESTMENT RISK MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS
12.	IT	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
13.	URL	UNIFORM RESOURCE LOCATOR
14.	IRDAI	INSURANCE REGULATORY AND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF
		INDIA
15.	CISC	CORPORATE INFORAMTION SECURITY COMMITTEE
16.	VA	VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT
17.	PT	PENETRATION TESTING
18.	OS	OPERATNG SYSTEM
19.	DB	DATABASE SYSTEMS

## Annexure - 2: Details of Professional staff

# Details of Professional staff who will be engaged for the project

(Separate Sheet for every Staff member that is likely to be involved in the project)

- 1. Name of Employee
- 2. E-mail Id
- 3. Phone No. (Office)
- 4. Mobile No
- 5. Date since working in the Company/Firm
- 6. Professional Qualifications
- 7. Experience

Sr.	Details of similar work	Brief Details of services	Period:
No.	undertaken	undertaken in India/abroad	From-To
		and the Organization where	
		assignment was undertaken	
01			
02			
03			
04			

Annexure – 3: Queries Format

Sr No	Bidder	Page	Clause	Description in	Query
	Name	No.(tender	(tender	the tender	
		Ref)	Ref)	(tender Ref)	
1					
2					

Note: The queries may be communicated only through the e-mail id provided, <a href="mailto:security@ecgc.in">security@ecgc.in</a> Responses of queries will be uploaded on ECGC website or emailed to concerned bidder. No queries will be accepted on telephone or through any means other than e-mail. The queries shall be sent in .xls/.xlsx format in the above mentioned proforma.

#### Annexure - 4: Price / Commercial Bid Format

#### PRICE/COMMERCIAL BID FOR CYBERSECURITY AUDIT

(Must be submitted in the **sealed envelope** as mentioned above)

COMPANY NAME:ADDRESS:	
CONTACT PERSON:	 _

## We submit our Price/commercial bid (fees) for the proposed assignment as under:

Sr. No.	Milestone Description	Amount in INR
Part A		1
1.	Final Cybersecurity Audit Report to be submitted to	
	CISC and IRDAI	
2.	Final ITGC Audit Report to be submitted to CISC	
Part B	•	•
3.	Security Testing Reports	

## **Terms and Conditions:**

- 1) The above quoted fee is inclusive of all expenses excluding taxes.
- 2) We undertake to deliver all the deliverables as envisaged in the proposal / agreement and complete the assignment within the time frame stipulated in the RFT document.
- 3) ECGC Ltd will deduct tax (TDS) while releasing payment, if applicable as per the provisions of Income Tax Act, and all other applicable taxes, levies, cess etc.
- 4) ECGC reserves the right to negotiate and change the milestones / payment schedule / percentages with the successful bidder.

Signature of the Authorized Signatory of Company
Name:
Designation:
Contact no. (Mobile):
Email Id:
Company Seal:

# Annexure - 5: Acknowledgement

Date:

To,

Chief Information Security Officer

Risk Management Division,

ECGC Limited,

Express Towers, 10th Floor,

Nariman Point,

Mumbai - 400021

Dear Sir/Madam.

# Subject: Response to the Request for Tender for "CyberSecurity Audit"

- Having examined the Request for Tender Document including Annexures, the receipt of which is hereby duly acknowledged, we, the undersigned offer to provide services in accordance with the scope of work as stated in the RFT Document within the cost stated in the Bid.
- 2. If our Bid is accepted, we undertake to abide by all terms and conditions of this RFT.
- 3. We certify that we have provided all the information requested by ECGC in the requested format. We also understand that ECGC has the right to reject this Bid if ECGC finds that the required information is not provided or is provided in a different format not suitable for evaluation process for any other reason as it deems fit. ECGC's decision shall be final and binding on us.
- 4. We agree that ECGC reserves the right to amend, rescind or reissue this RFT Document and all amendments any time during the tendering.
- 5. We agree that we have no objection with any of the clauses and bidding process of this Tender Document.

Signature of the authorized Signatory of Company	
(Company Seal)	
Name:	
Designation:	
Contact No (Mobile):	Email ID :

# Annexure – 6: Format for Letter of Authorization (To be submitted on the Bidder's letter head)

To,
Chief Information Security Officer
Risk Management Division,
ECGC Limited,
Express Towers, 10 <sup>th</sup> Floor,
Nariman Point,
Mumbai - 400021
Letter Of Authorisation For Attending Bid Opening for Tender Ref: ECGC/Tender-04/IT/09/2019-20
The following persons are hereby authorized to attend the bid opening on(date) in the tender for "REQUEST FOR TENDER FOR CYBERSECURITY AUDIT" on behalf of M/S (Name of the Bidder) in the order of preference given below:
in/3 (Name of the bluder) in the order of preference given below.
Order of Preference Name Designation Specimen Signature
I .
II
(Authorized Signatory of the Bidder)
Date
(Company Seal)

- 1. Maximum of two persons can be authorized for attending the bid opening.
- 2. Permission for entry to the hall where bids are opened may be refused in case authorization as prescribed above is not submitted.

# Annexure – 7 SERVICE AGREEMENT

This **SERVICE AGREEMENT** ("**Agreement**") is made and entered into on this the [•] day of [•] Two Thousand and Twenty [\_\_\_/[\_\_]/2021), BY AND BETWEEN:

**ECGC Ltd.**, a Public Sector Enterprise wholly owned by Government of India, having its registered office at 10th Floor, Express Tower, Nariman Point, Mumbai – 400021 (hereinafter referred to as the "**Company**", which term shall, unless repugnant to the context or meaning thereof, be deemed to mean and include its successors-in-interest and permitted assigns), of the ONE PART;

#### AND

**SERVICE PROVIDER**, a company incorporated under the Indian Companies Act, 1956, having its registered office at '-- '(hereinafter referred to as the "**Service Provider**", which term shall, unless repugnant to the context or meaning thereof, be deemed to mean and include its successors-in-interest and permitted assigns), of the OTHER PART.

Company and the Service Provider shall hereinafter jointly be referred to as "Parties" and individually as a "Party"

#### WHEREAS:

- 1. The Company is, *inter alia*, engaged in the business of providing export credit insurance to Indian exporters;
- 2. The Service Provider is, *inter alia*, involved in the business of providing Cybersecurity Services.
- 3. The Company floated Request For Tender (Limited Tender Enquiry) having reference: **ECGC/Tender-05/RMD/03/2020-21** (hereinafter referred to as "the said RFT") (Attached as Annexure I to this Agreement).

4. The Service Provider has become the successful bidder in the said RFT and the Company has selected the Service Provider to conduct cybersecurity audit and the Service Provider has agreed to provide the services, as they have the required skills and personnel and Non-Disclosure Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants, terms and conditions and understandings set forth in this Agreement, the Parties with the intent to be legally bound hereby agree as follows:

#### 1. APPOINTMENT & SCOPE OF SERVICES

- 1.1. The Company hereby appoints the Service Provider to provide the 'Services' clearly set out under the 'Statement of Work' as per Annexure I here to with effect from ......... ("Effective Date") and the Service Provider hereby agrees to provide the Services in accordance with the terms and conditions set out below.
- 1.2. The Service Provider, acting as an independent contractor, shall provide the Services ("Services") and the Deliverables ("Deliverables"), if any, as more particularly set out in Statement of Work hereto.
- 1.3. The Statement of Work shall specify the Services, which shall include, but shall not be limited to, applicable fees, term or duration for which Services shall be provided, specifications, service levels, and project timelines, as well as any requirements that are in addition to this Agreement, such as specific project milestones, acceptance criteria or other quality and warranty considerations. The Statement of Work shall further delineate the rights, duties, and obligations of the Parties related to the particular Service.

# 2. FEES AND PAYMENT TERMS

- 2.1. The fees payable for the Services provided herein and the terms and procedure for payments thereof are set forth in the relevant **Statement of Work**.
- 2.2. The price mentioned are exclusive of all the taxes and duties as applicable, which shall be borne by the Company at actuals as on the date of invoice.

- 2.3. All the payments would be against the submission of the invoices to the Company along with the relevant supporting documents, if any.
- 2.4. All invoices shall be paid within 30 days from the date of receipt or as per the payment terms agreed in the relevant **Statement of Work**.

#### 2.5. Payment Milestone:

Payment will be released according to deliverables mentioned in the table below:

S. No.	Deliverables	Payment as per
		Commercial Bid
1.	Final CISA signed Audit Reports Submission	65%
	(for all process audits A.1 and A.2 as described in	
	detailed Scope of Work)	
2.	Final VAPT Reports Submission	35%
	(Part B as described in detail Scope of Work)	

#### 3. SERVICE PROVIDER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

- 3.1. The Service Provider shall be responsible for:
  - 3.1.1. providing the materials (if any), documentation, analysis, data programs and Services to be delivered or rendered hereunder, of the type and quality as specified in the relevant **Statement of Work.**;
  - 3.1.2. Complying with Company's internal guidelines, instructions, manuals, scrutiny lists, procedures, further specifics and requirements ("Guidelines") in relation to the Services, as may be provided in writing by the Company to the Service Provider. However, in the event there is a conflict between the guidelines and the terms set out in the Agreement, the terms set out in the Agreement shall prevail;
  - 3.1.3. Supervising and controlling its personnel deployed (If any) at the Company's premises for providing the Services; and
  - 3.1.4. Complying with all applicable laws in the course of providing the Services.
  - 3.1.5. Any other responsibilities that may arise during the performance of the services as mentioned in **Statement of Work**.

#### 4. COMPANY'S RESPONSIBILITIES

- 4.1. The Company, on its part, shall be responsible for:
  - 4.1.1. Providing the necessary assistance for delivery of Services at offsite or at its premises including by way of providing the necessary equipment, media, supplies and such other facilities as set out in relevant **Statement of Work**.
  - 4.1.2. Ensuring the security and safety of the Service Provider's personnel and Service Provider Equipment, deployed at the Company's premises;
  - 4.1.3. Providing access to the Service Provider's personnel to the different parts of the Company's premises, personnel and various systems of the Company, including computers, servers, networks as may be required for the purpose of providing the Services;
  - 4.1.4. Ensuring that all policies and procedures of the Service Provider are complied with in the course of availing of the Services and all applicable laws are duly complied with in the course of availing of the Services; and
  - 4.1.5. Performing all other acts as may be necessary to enable the Service Provider to efficiently provide the Services.

#### 5. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

- 5.1. All the manuals, guidelines, documents etc. provided by Client/company shall be treated as Confidential information by the Service Provider.
- 5.2. Service Provider shall retain all rights, title, interest including intellectual rights in and to the methodologies, procedures, techniques, ideas, concepts etc. embodied in the deliverables, developed or supplied in connection with this Agreement.
- 5.3. The Service Provider shall own the copyright and all other intellectual property rights that vest in the Services and the Deliverables, if any, provided therewith, including any pre-existing intellectual property of the Service Provider that may be incorporated therein for the purpose of providing the Services and Deliverables, if any.
- 5.4. The Service Provider hereby grants to the Company, a non-exclusive, non-transferable license to use its intellectual property for the limited purpose of availing of

the Services and using the Deliverables for the Company's own purposes for which they were delivered. The Company shall ensure that it and its employees do not and shall not permit others to use, copy, adapt, alter, modify, merge, reverse engineer and/or create derivative works of the Services, Service Provider documents/ Equipment and/or the Deliverables, if any, provided in the course of providing the Services, or any portion thereof or commercially exploit the same.

- 5.5. It is however hereby clarified that if the Deliverables incorporate any pre-existing intellectual property rights of the Company the rights therein shall continue to vest with the Company.
- 5.6. For the sake of clarity parties agree and specifically provide that the service provider shall retain full rights and ownership of all Service Provider Certifications, Service Provider Software / Products, including any new release (s) and upgrade(s) thereof
- 5.7. A party shall not to directly or indirectly, use any of the other party's trademarks, trade names, service marks and logos in any manner, except as permitted by the other party in writing.

### **6.** Damages/ Liability clause

The company reserves the right to deduct from the total contract price to be paid to the Service Provider in such manner in the event of the following:

Reason	Delay of One Week	Delay beyond One week and part thereof
Delay in Providing /ensuring deliverables / services beyond the agreed timeline (delay attributable to the service provider)	Caution Note	5% of the contract value, and proportionally for the part of the week.  Minimum 5%
Inordinate delay in responding to the references made by the company(delay attributable to the service provider)	Caution Note	5% of the contract value, and proportionally for the part of the week.  Minimum 5%

#### 7. INDEMNITY AND LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

- 7.1. Defaulting party shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the other from and against any and all liability, losses, costs and expenses (including reasonable attorneys fees) relating to or arising out of the breach of this Agreement, the negligence or willful misconduct of defaulting party, or its employees or agents. Service Provider shall however not be liable for any loss or damage arising from reliance on any information or materials supplied by Company or any third party on behalf of the Company, or for any inaccuracy or other defect in any information or materials supplied by the Company or any third party on behalf of the Company.
- 7.2. Notwithstanding anything stated herein, neither party shall be liable to the other for any indirect, incidental, consequential, special or exemplary or other damages, including but not limited to loss of business, profits, information, business interruption and the like, suffered by the other or any third party under or in pursuance of the terms hereof, howsoever arising, whether under contract, tort or otherwise, even if advised about the possibility of the same.
- 7.3. Except for breach of Confidentiality and Infringement of Intellectual property rights under this agreement, each party's total liability for any damages, losses, costs, liabilities arising out of or in connection with this Agreement whether under contract, tort or otherwise shall not exceed an amount equivalent to the total fees paid by the Company to the Service Provider under this Agreement.

#### 7.4. Limitation of Liability

The aggregate liability of Bidder or ECGC in connection with this Agreement/ service contract, the services provided by bidder for the specific scope of work document, regardless of the form or nature of the action giving rise to such liability (whether in contract, tort or otherwise) and including any or all liability shall be the total bid amount.

#### 8. WARRANTY & WARRANTY DISCLAIMER

- 8.1. The Service Provider hereby warrants that the Service Provider shall provide the Services in accordance with **Statement of Work** and that in the course thereof, it shall exercise the same degree of professional competence, care, skill, diligence and prudence as is normally exercised by professionals in the Service Provider's field.
- 8.2. Subject to Clause 7.1 above, the Service Provider does not warrant that the Services will be free of errors or will be uninterrupted. The Service Provider specifically

disclaims all other warranties and indemnities, whether express, implied or statutory, including without limitation, any warranty of merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose or any other warranty arising from the course of performance or course of dealing.

#### 9. TERM, RENEWAL AND TERMINATION

- 9.1. The term of this Agreement shall be for a period of 6 months ("**Term**"), commencing from the Effective Date.
- 9.2. In case of a breach (material in nature) under the Contract or any other subsequent documents containing obligations under the service agreement, the Company shall notify the Service Provider and give a period of further maximum 7 days (total 14 days including caution period of 7 days) to rectify the breach as to the Company's satisfaction. In case the breach is not rectified to the Company's satisfaction, the Company may terminate the contract.
- 9.3. Upon expiry or termination of this Agreement the Service Provider shall be entitled to payment of fees for the portion of the services delivered till the last date of termination.

#### 10. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

- 10.1. The RFT along with the bid and its Annexure shall be considered as part of this Agreement as Annexure A and B.
- 10.2. The letter of award of contract shall be Annexure C.
- 10.3. The Non-Disclosure Agreement is attached as Annexure D with this Agreement. The company and the Service Provider are bound by the terms of the Non-Disclosure Agreement
- 10.4. All notices, requests, demands or other communications which are required to be given pursuant to the terms of this Agreement shall be in writing addressed to the above mentioned addresses and will be deemed to have been duly given when received. The notices shall be sent to the addresses as set forth above and to the attention of the signatories of this Agreement, or to such other addresses or individual(s) as the Parties may mutually agree in writing from time to time.

- 10.5. If either party is prevented from performing any obligation under this Agreement (excluding payment obligations) by causes beyond its control, including labor disputes, civil commotion, war, governmental regulations or controls, casualty, inability to obtain materials or services or acts of God, such defaulting party will be excused from performance for the period of the delay and for a reasonable time thereafter.
- 10.6. During the term of this agreement and one year thereafter, the parties shall not solicit, encourage or attempt to solicit, induce or encourage, either directly or indirectly, any of the party's personnel or employee for employment, unless prior written permission is obtained from the other party; provided however, that the foregoing shall not apply to the hiring of employees who respond to Internet or other advertisements of general circulation not specifically targeted to such employees.
- 10.7. The relationship between Company and Service Provider is solely that of an Independent contractor and the relationship is on a principal-to-principal basis. Nothing in this Agreement, and no course of dealing between the parties, shall be construed to create an employment or agency relationship or a partnership between a party and the other party or the other party's employees or Clients or agents
- 10.8. This Agreement shall not be assigned by either party without the prior written consent of the other party.
- 10.9. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, such provision will be struck from the Agreement and the remaining provisions of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.
- 10.10. No failure on the part of any party to exercise or delay in exercising any right hereunder will be deemed a waiver thereof, nor will any single or partial exercise preclude any further or other exercise of such or any other right.
- 10.11. Termination or cancellation of this Agreement for any reason shall not release either party from any liabilities or obligations set forth in or arising from this Agreement which remain to be performed or by their nature would be intended to be applicable following any such termination or cancellation.
- 10.12. This Agreement along with the said RFT, bids and other annexures constitutes the entire agreement between parties relating to the subject matter hereof and supersedes

any prior proposals, understandings, correspondence or other documents exchanged between the parties prior hereto. This Agreement can be modified, supplemented or amended only by a written agreement executed by both parties.

- 10.13. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of India and shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts in Mumbai.
- 10.14. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, which together will constitute one instrument.

#### 10.15. Force Majeure:

Notwithstanding the provisions of Terms and Conditions of Contract, the Service Provider shall not be liable for liquidated damages, or termination for default, if and to the extent, that, the 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 Service Provider and not involving the Service Provider's fault or negligence and not foreseeable. Such events may include, but are not restricted to, acts of ECGC in its sovereign capacity, wars or revolutions, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, and freight embargoes.

If a Force Majeure situation arises, the Service Provider shall promptly notify ECGC in writing of such condition and the cause thereof. Unless otherwise directed by ECGC in writing, the Service Provider shall continue to perform its obligations under the Contract as far as is reasonably practical, and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not prevented by the Force Majeure event.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have set and subscribed their respective hands unto this Agreement on the day and date first set out hereinabove.

For and on behalf of	For and on behalf of
ECGC Ltd.	SERVICE PROVIDER
the "Company" aforesaid,	the "Service Provider" aforesaid,
through its authorised signatory	through its authorised signatory
_	_
NAME : Shashank P. Bajpai	NAME:
DESIGNATION: CISO	DESIGNATION:
WITNESSES:	
1.	2.

#### Annexure - A

#### Scope of Work & Deliverables Timeline

#### **Background**

ECGC intends to undertake a review of its adherence to the regulatory requirements of Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) pertaining to Cyber Security.

# Current State of Information Technology (herein after referred as IT) In ECGC ECGC has the following IT applications in operation:

- 16. An Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) System, supporting all Core Insurance and non-core functions of ECGC, including Enterprise Accounting and MIS.
- 17. A Public Portal, catering to the general public, offering information on ECGC's products and services, public disclosures, and company information.
- 18. A Client Portal, catering to Exporter and Banker clients.
- 19. A Grievance Management Portal, IGMS, as mandated by the regulator IRDAI, to manage customer complaints.
- 20. A Treasury software system, supporting the Treasury operations of ECGC.
- 21. A RBI-NDS system for supporting the Treasury operations of ECGC.
- 22. An Enterprise Email solution for all employees.
- 23. A web content filtering solution for employee browsing needs and to filter against malware.
- 24. A messaging security solution to filter malware and spam in emails.
- 25. An Antivirus solution for all servers and employee PCs.
- 26. A patch management solution for servers and employee PCs.
- 27. An Active Directory solution for single sign on (partial) and managing group policies.
- 28. A biometric system for managing employee attendance / reimbursements.
- 29. A swipe card system for some employees for access control to some office.
- 30. A Hypervisor solution for managing virtualization.

The above applications are supported by a SAN-based storage solution, multiple switches, and firewalls (virtualized). ECGC employees are connected to the various applications via a MPLS VPN and freshly rolled out SD-WAN. All major systems / services used by employees are centralized. The management of the IT setup (DC & DRC) is outsourced to a third-party.

**Purpose of Audit** 

ECGC envisages a review of its processes and IT infrastructure with respect to the

following areas:

5. Review based on IRDAI Circular Ref No: IRDA/IT/GDL/MISC/082/04/2017 dated

07.04.2017 (Guidelines on Information and Cyber Security for Insurers)

6. ITGC (General Controls) Audit for IT systems handling Financial Information

7. Readiness towards the Investment Risk Management Systems and Processes of

**Insurance Companies** 

8. Vulnerability Assessment and Penetration Testing of IT Systems

The auditor shall also assist ECGC Ltd. in the following areas pertaining to the IRDAI

Circulars -

4. Adhering to changed or updated timelines of compliance

Adhering to further clarifications issued by IRDAI

6. Providing additional certification/s and clarifications as required by the IRDAI from

the cyber security auditor

The audit will include but not limited to the testing of Applications, review of Information

Security Policy & Procedures, Gap Assessment in IT security and Procedures,

Assessment of Network Security & Information Security solutions, Vulnerability and

Penetration testing, review of Data Centre including physical visits, compliance with

IRDAI, and submission of reports. The backbone IT infrastructure of the Company is

located at Mumbai and Data Centre at Faridabad.

Based on the approach mechanism and intended outcome the scope of work is

outlined into two parts-

Part A: Systems and Process Audits and

Part B: Technical Cybersecurity VAPT Audit

The bidder has to undertake the following process audits with respect to Governance,

Risk and Compliance under Part A

#### A.1. Cybersecurity Audit

#### A.2. ITGC Audit

Following are key indicative but not exhaustive scope of work to be carried out by the selected Bidder -

#### A.1. Cybersecurity Audit

Review based on IRDAI Circular (Guidelines on Information and Cyber Security for Insurers) Ref No. IRDA/IT/GDL/MISC/082/04/2017 dated 07.04.2017.

IRDAI's information and cyber security guidelines and Annexure A (control checklist) covering all of the below areas but not limiting to -

- 29. Enterprise Security
- 30. Information Asset Management
- 31. System acquisition, development and maintenance
- 32. Information Security Risk Management
- 33. Data & Communication Security
- 34. Application, Mobile & Cloud Security
- 35. Cyber Security
- 36. Platform / Infrastructure Security
- 37. Network & Endpoint Security
- 38. Cryptography & Key Management
- 39. Security Logging & Monitoring
- 40. Virtualization
- 41. Information System Audit
- 42. Organization of information security
- 43. Human resource security
- 44. Access Control
- 45. Cryptography
- 46. Physical Access and Environmental controls
- 47. Operations security
- 48. Communication Security
- 49. Information security in supplier relationships
- 50. Information security incident management

- 51. Compliance with legal requirements
- 52. Business Continuity Management
- 53. Compliance
- 54. Cloud Security
- 55. Information and Cyber Security Policy
- 56. Cyber Security Assurance Programme

#### A.2. ITGC Audit

Perform a review of the areas pertaining to IT General Controls and System readiness.

The bidder shall incorporate this audit activity in parallel to above process audit and submit a separate Report on the same.

The areas are as mentioned below, however they are not limiting to -

- 27. Change Management
- 28. IT Governance
- 29. IT Strategy
- 30. Security Policy, Procedures and Frameworks
- 31. Incident & Problem Management
- 32. Backup Management
- 33. Access Management
- 34. Patch Management
- 35. Physical & Environmental Control
- 36. IT security risk assessments
- 37. Functionality review
- 38. IT landscape review
- 39. Review of IT operations
- 40. Review of information security
- 41. Review of third party suppliers and outsourcing
- 42. Review of design of Business Continuity (BC) and Disaster Recovery (DR)
- 43. Review of IT operations
- 44. Conduct walkthroughs and reviews of identified in-scope controls pertaining to the review areas in scope
- 45. Conduct meetings with relevant stakeholders to understand the process of capacity planning for applications and IT infrastructure
- 46. Obtain and review relevant evidences for each control

- 47. Perform sample based testing where relevant
- 48. Identify and document control gaps
- 49. Discuss identified gaps with stakeholders
- 50. Present reports for each of the above areas
- 51. Discuss and finalize the risk register with the IT Security function head CISO
- 52. Suggest implementation guidelines based on the industry best standards & a prioritized roadmap to achieve the recommendations of the review report.

#### **Key Stages of all the three A.1 and A.2 Process based Audits:**

- 23. Kick-off Meeting & Stakeholder Identification
- 24. Audit Preparation on site & Related documentation to be shared
- 25. Audit Process
- 26. Prepare list of pre-requisites with respect to the above areas and share the same.
- 27. Conduct walkthroughs and reviews of identified in-scope controls pertaining to the review areas in scope
- 28. Obtain and review relevant evidences for each control
- 29. Perform sample based testing where relevant
- 30. Present reports for each of the above areas
- 31. Identify and document control gaps
- 32. Discuss identified gaps with stakeholders
- 33. Provide GAP analysis report and recommendations to address the identified the gaps.
- 34. Suggest implementation guidelines based on the industry best standards & a prioritized roadmap to achieve the recommendations of the review report.
- 35. Create roadmap for addressing identified gaps with prioritization
- 36. Create roadmap and strategy to address all identified shortcomings.
- 37. Prioritize the solution w.r.t. organization's posture (Immediate measures/long term measures)
- 38. Recommend the best fit solutions & controls
- 39. In collaboration with ECGC IT staff, resolve all the gaps identified in the gap analysis, vulnerabilities found, additional vulnerabilities pointed out by ECGC and make ECGC ready for final audit.
- 40. Perform the final Audit in lines to above scope
- 41. Draft Audit Report Generation & Discussion

- 42. Final Audit Report Submission, Discussion (Three separate Audit reports signed by CISA Auditor shall be submitted for A.1 & A.2 respectively)
- 43. Finalize the prioritized implementation roadmap
- 44. Re-assessment of Cyber Maturity Rating Scale and Final Ratings post the Audits

#### Part B: Technical Cybersecurity VAPT Audit

The bidder shall conduct technical testing on the IT Systems, OS, Applications and Network and report the vulnerabilities.

The scope of this Vulnerability Assessment – Penetration Testing Audit report is as below –

- 8. Internal Network Vulnerability Management
  - a. 8(switches, firewalls)
  - b. 57(internal IPs)
- External Black Box Network PT
  - a. 4(external IPs)
- 10. Web Application security testing (Black Box) must also include complete proof of exploit in all cases of all the reported vulnerabilities
- 11. Generate all security testing reports and provide recommendations.
- 12. Suggest the best possible patching and remediation for the identified vulnerabilities.
- 13. Discuss and document the management action plan with timeline to implement the recommendations on the same
- 14. In collaboration with ECGC IT staff, resolve all the gaps identified in the vulnerabilities assessment and penetration testing, and re-assess the vulnerability post closure of gaps.

#### NOTE:

- 1. The complete exercise including process audit and technical VAPT testing has to be done on premise at ECGC office only.
- 2. The bidder has to re-assess the existing Cyber Maturity Model-Rating score and provide the final ratings for current year, post the Audit.

THE OVERALL RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SERVICE PROVIDER IS TO ENSURE ECGC'S COMPLIANCE TO ALL REGULATIONS RELATING TO GUIDELINES ON INFORMATION AND CYBER SECURITY AS ISSUED BY IRDAI.

The Selected Bidder is expected to carry out its assignment with due diligence and in accordance with prevailing standards of the profession. The selected bidder has to make a project plan to deliver all Audit Reports within timelines and present the same to the ECGC Management. The bidder shall be free to merge common areas of review and carry-out sampling processes and walkthrough discussions in a non-repetitive manner.

The selected bidder shall be accountable and responsible for the services required to be performed and it shall not be an excuse that the employee/personnel or key person of the selected bidder committed mistakes or left the bidder during the continuance of the project as per this RFT or for any other reason whatsoever.

#### **Deliverables with Timelines**

SI. No.	Deliverables	Expected
		Timelines
Part A		
1.	Final Cybersecurity Audit Report	2-3 Weeks
2.	Final ITGC Audit Report	
Part B		
4.	VAPT Security Testing Reports	1-2 Weeks

# List of Abbreviations used in the Scope of Work

S.No.	Abbreviation	Full Form / Remark
20.	ERP	ENTERPRISE RESOURCE PLANNING
21.	MIS	MANAGEMENT INFORAMTION SYSTEMS
22.	IGMS	INTEGRATED GRIEVANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
23.	NDS	NEGOTIATED DEALING SYSTEM
24.	SAN	STORAGE AREA NETWORK
25.	MPLS	MULTI-PROTOCOL LABEL SWITCHING
26.	VPN	VIRTUAL PRIVATE NETWORK
27.	SD-WAN	SOFTWARE DEFINED WIDE AREA NETWORK
28.	BC-DR	BUSINESS CONTINUITY – DISASTER RECOVERY
29.	ITGC	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY GENERAL CONTROLS
30.	IRMS	INVESTMENT RISK MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS
31.	IT	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
32.	URL	UNIFORM RESOURCE LOCATOR
33.	IRDAI	INSURANCE REGULATORY AND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF
		INDIA
34.	CISC	CORPORATE INFORAMTION SECURITY COMMITTEE
35.	VA	VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT
36.	PT	PENETRATION TESTING
37.	OS	OPERATNG SYSTEM
38.	DB	DATABASE SYSTEMS

#### Annexure - 8

#### Non-Disclosure Agreement Format

This confidentiality and non-disclosure agreement is made on the.......day of......, 20..... BETWEEN (Bidder), (hereinafter to be referred to as "------") (which expression shall unless repugnant to the subject or the context mean and included its successors, nominees or assigns) a company incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956 and having its principal/registered office at ..................(address).

AND ECGC LIMITED (hereinafter to be called "ECGC") (which expression shall unless repugnant to the subject or the context mean and included its successors, nominees or assigns) having its Registered Office at 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, Express Towers, Nariman Point, Mumbai 400 021 on the following terms and conditions:

WHEREAS, in the course of the business relationship between the aforesaid parties, both the parties acknowledge that either party may have access to or have disclosed any information, which is of a confidential nature, through any mode and recognize that there is a need to disclose to one another such confidential information, of each party to be used only for the Business Purpose and to protect such confidential information from unauthorized use and disclosure;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises contained herein, the adequacy and sufficiency of which consideration is hereby acknowledged and agreed, the parties hereby agree as follows:—

This Agreement shall apply to all confidential and proprietary information disclosed by one party to the other party, including information included in the caption 'Definitions' of this Agreement and other information which the disclosing party identifies in writing or otherwise as confidential by the disclosing party to the receiving party. ("Confidential Information"). Information may be in any form or medium, tangible or intangible, and may be communicated/disclosed in writing, orally, electronically or through visual observation or by any other means to one party (the receiving party) by the other party (the disclosing party).

#### 1. Definitions

(a) CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION means all the information of the Disclosing Party which is disclosed to the Receiving party pursuant to the business arrangement whether oral or written or through visual observation or in electronic mode and shall include but is not limited to trade secrets, know-how, techniques, processes, plans, algorithms, software programs, source code, business methods, customer lists, contacts, financial information, sales and marketing plans techniques, schematics, designs, contracts, financial information, sales and marketing plans, business plans, clients, client data, business affairs, operations, strategies, methodologies, technologies, employees, subcontractors, the contents of any and all agreements, subscription lists, customer lists, photo files, advertising materials, contract quotations, charity contracts, documents, passwords, codes, computer programs, tapes, books, records, files and tax returns, data, statistics, facts, figures, numbers, records, professionals employed, correspondence carried out with and received from professionals such as Advocates, Solicitors, Barristers, Attorneys, Chartered Accountants, Company Secretaries, Doctors, Auditors, Surveyors, Loss Assessors, Investigators, Forensic experts, Scientists, Opinions, Reports, all matters coming within the purview of Privileged Communications as contemplated under Indian Evidence Act, 1872, legal notices sent and received, Claim files, Insurance policies, their rates, advantages, terms, conditions, exclusions, charges, correspondence from and with clients/ customers or their representatives, Proposal Forms, Claim-forms, Complaints, Suits, testimonies, matters related to any enquiry, claim-notes, defences taken before a Court of Law, Judicial Forum, Quasi-judicial bodies, or any Authority, Commission, pricing, service proposals, methods of operations, procedures, products and/ or services and business information of the Disclosing Party.

The above definition of Confidential Information applies to both parties equally; however in addition, without limitation, where the Disclosing Party is the ECGC, no information that is exempted from disclosure under section 8 or any other provision of Right to Information Act, 2005 shall at any time be disclosed by the Receiving Party to any third party.

(b) MATERIALS means including without limitation, documents, drawings, models, apparatus, sketches, designs and lists furnished to the Receiving Party by the Disclosing Party and any tangible embodiments of the Disclosing Party's Confidential Information created by the Receiving Party.

#### 2. Covenant Not To Disclose

The Receiving Party will use the Disclosing Party's Confidential Information solely to fulfil its obligations as part of and in furtherance of the actual or potential business relationship with the Disclosing Party. The Receiving Party shall not use the Confidential Information in any way that is directly or indirectly detrimental to the Disclosing Party or its subsidiaries or affiliates, and shall not disclose the Confidential Information to any unauthorized third party. The Receiving Party shall not disclose any Confidential Information to any person except to its employees, authorized agents, consultants and contractors, on a need to know basis, who have prior to the disclosure of or access to any such Confidential Information agreed in writing to receive it under terms as restrictive as those specified in this Agreement.

In this regard, any agreement entered into between the Receiving Party and any such person/s shall be forwarded to the Disclosing Party promptly thereafter. Prior to disclosing any Confidential Information to such person/s, the Receiving Party shall inform them of the confidential nature of the information and their obligation to refrain from disclosure of the Confidential Information. The Receiving party shall use the same degree of care in safeguarding the Confidential Information as it uses or would use in safeguarding its own Confidential Information, and shall take all steps necessary to protect the Confidential

Information from any unauthorized or inadvertent use. In no event shall the Receiving Party take all reasonable measures that are lesser than the measures it uses for its own information of similar type. The Receiving Party and its Representatives will immediately notify the Disclosing Party of any use or disclosure of the Confidential Information that is not authorized by this Agreement. In particular, the Receiving Party will immediately give notice in writing to the Disclosing Party of any unauthorized use or disclosure of the Confidential Information and agrees to assist the Disclosing Party in remedying such unauthorized use or disclosure of the Confidential Information.

The Receiving Party and its Representatives shall not disclose to any person including, without limitation any corporation, sovereign, partnership, company, Association of Persons, entity or individual-

- (i) the fact that any investigations, discussions or negotiations are taking place concerning the actual or potential business relationship between the parties,
- (ii) that it has requested or received Confidential Information, or
- (iii) any of the terms, conditions or any other fact about the actual or potential business relationship.

This confidentiality obligation shall not apply only to the extent that the Receiving Party can demonstrate that:

- (a) the Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party is, or properly became, at the time of disclosure, part of the public domain, by publication or otherwise, except by breach of the provisions of this Agreement; or
- (b) was rightfully acquired by the Receiving Party or its Representatives prior to disclosure by the Disclosing Party;
- (c) was independently developed by Receiving Party or its Representatives without reference to the Confidential Information; or
- (d) the Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party is required to be disclosed by a Government agency, is the subject of a subpoena or other legal or demand for disclosure; provided, however, that the receiving party has given the disclosing party prompt written notice of such demand for disclosure and the receiving party reasonably cooperates with the disclosing party's efforts to secure an appropriate protective order prior to such disclosure.
- (e) is disclosed with the prior consent of or was duly authorized in writing by the disclosing party.

#### 3. Return of the Materials

Upon the disclosing party's request, the receiving party shall either return to the disclosing party all Information received as Confidential Information or shall certify to the disclosing party that all media containing such Information have been destroyed. Provided, however, that an archival copy of the Information may be retained in the files of the receiving party's counsel, solely for the purpose of proving the contents of the Information.

#### 4. Ownership of Confidential Information

The Disclosing Party shall be deemed to be the owner of all Confidential Information disclosed by it or its agents to the Receiving Party or its agents hereunder, including without limitation all patents, copyright, trademark, service mark, trade secret and other proprietary rights and interests therein, and Receiving Party acknowledges and agrees that nothing contained in this Agreement shall be construed as granting any rights to the Receiving Party, by license or otherwise in or to any Confidential Information. Confidential Information is provided "as is" with all faults.

By disclosing Information or executing this Agreement, the disclosing party does not grant any license, explicitly or implicitly, under any trademark, patent, copyright, mask work protection right, trade secret or any other intellectual property right.

In no event shall the Disclosing Party be liable for the accuracy or completeness of the Confidential Information. THE DISCLOSING PARTY DISCLAIMS ALL WARRANTIES REGARDING THE INFORMATION, INCLUDING ALL WARRANTIES WITH RESPECT TO INFRINGEMENT OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS AND ALL WARRANTIES AS TO THE ACCURACY OR UTILITY OF SUCH INFORMATION. Execution of this Non-Disclosure Agreement and the disclosure of Information pursuant to this Agreement does not constitute or imply any commitment, promise, or inducement by either party to make any purchase or sale, or to enter into any additional agreement of any kind.

#### 5. Remedies for Breach of Confidentiality

- 1. The Receiving Party agrees and acknowledges that Confidential Information is owned solely by the disclosing party (or its licensors or agents) and that any unauthorized disclosure of any Confidential Information prohibited herein or any breach of the provisions herein may result in an irreparable harm and significant injury and damage to the Disclosing Party which may be difficult to ascertain and not be adequately compensable in terms of monetary damages. The Disclosing Party will have no adequate remedy at law thereof, and that the Disclosing Party may, in addition to all other remedies available to it at law or in equity, be entitled to obtain timely preliminary, temporary or permanent or mandatory or restraining injunctions, orders or decrees as may be necessary to protect the Disclosing Party against, or on account of, any breach by the Receiving Party of the provisions contained herein, and the Receiving Party agrees to reimburse the reasonable legal fees and other costs incurred by Disclosing Party in enforcing the provisions of this Agreement apart from paying damages with interest at the market rate prevalent on the date of breach to the Disclosing Party.
- 2. The Receiving Party agrees and acknowledges that any disclosure, misappropriation, conversion or dishonest use of the said Confidential Information shall, in addition to the remedies mentioned above, make the Receiving Party criminally liable for Breach of Trust under section 405 of the Indian Penal Code.

#### 6. Term

This Agreement shall be effective on the first date written above and shall continue in full force and effect at all times thereafter. This Agreement shall however apply to Confidential Information disclosed by the Disclosing Party to the Receiving Party prior to, as well as after the effective date hereof. The Receiving Party acknowledges and agrees that the termination of any agreement and relationship with the Disclosing Party shall not in any way affect the obligations of the Receiving Party in not disclosing of Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party set forth herein. The obligation of non-disclosure of Confidential Information shall bind the parties, and also their successors, nominees and assignees, perpetually.

#### 7. Governing Law & Jurisdiction

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed with solely in accordance with the laws of India in every particular, including formation and interpretation without regard to its conflicts of law provisions. Any proceedings arising out of or in connection with this Agreement shall be brought only before the Courts of competent jurisdiction in Mumbai.

#### 8. Entire Agreement

This Agreement sets forth the understanding between the parties as to the subject-matter of this Agreement and supersedes all prior representations, discussions, and negotiations whether oral or written or electronic. This Agreement may be amended or supplemented only in writing that is signed by duly authorized representatives of both parties.

#### 9. Waiver

No term or provision hereof will be considered waived by either party and no breach excused by the Disclosing Party, unless such waiver or consent is in writing signed by or on behalf of duly Constituted Attorney of the Disclosing Party. No consent or waiver whether express or implied of a breach by the Disclosing Party will constitute consent to the waiver of or excuse of any other or different or subsequent breach by the Receiving Party.

#### 10. Severability

If any provision of this Agreement is found invalid or unenforceable, that part will be amended to achieve as nearly as possible the same economic or legal effect as the original provision or will be struck off and the remainder of this Agreement will remain in full force.

#### 11. Notices

Any notice provided for or permitted under this Agreement will be treated as having been given when (a) delivered personally, and/or (b) sent by confirmed telecopy/fax, and/or (c) sent by commercial overnight courier with written verification of receipt, and/or (d) mailed postage prepaid by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, and/or (e) by electronic mail, to the party to be notified, at the address set forth below or at such other place of which the other party has been notified in accordance with the provisions of this clause. Such notice will be treated as having been received upon actual receipt. Provided always that notices to the ECGC shall be served on the Risk Management Division (RMD) in the ECGC's Head Office at Mumbai by Registered post & email.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF THE PARTIES HERE TO have set and subscribed their respective hands and seals the day and year herein above mentioned.

a) SIGNED SEALED & DELIVERED BY THE b) SIGNED SEALED & DELIVERED BY THE WITHIN NAMED INSURANCE COMPANY WITHIN NAMED (BIDDER)

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In the presence of	In the presence of
Witness : 1	Witness : 1
Witness: 2	Witness: 2

## Annexure - 9 : Bank Details

Sr No	Description	Details
1	Name of the Bank	
2	Address of the Bank	
3	Bank Branch IFSC Code	
4	Bank Account Number	
5	Type of Account	

Signature of the authorized Signatory of Company
(Company Seal)
Name:
Designation:
Contact No (Mobile)
Email Id