

NAVRANGPURA, AHMEDABAD-380009.

Tender No.: GU_EXAM_2025_003

TENDER FOR PRINTING OF SECURE DEGREE CERTIFICATE

Tender Fee: Rs. 1500/-(Rupees One Thousand Five Hundred only)

E.M.D.: Rs. 60,000/-(Rupees Sixty Thousand only)

(To be returned with the tender duly signed and stamped by bidder)

Schedule of Tender

Start of Tender Document Downloading : 12-09-2025

Last Date for Submission of e-Tender : 03-10-2025 (17.00 hrs.)

Last Date for Submission of Physical Tender : 06-10-2025 (16.00 hrs.)

Date of Opening of Tender (Technical Bid only) : 07-10-2025 (16.00 hrs.)

Date of Opening of Commercial Bid : Will be communicated later.

Estimated Cost : Approximately Rs. 20,00,000

(Rs. Twenty Lacs only)

Note: This Tender is prepared as per the norms of Government of Gujarat Purchase Policy.

| Sr. No. | Name of the Item | Quantity (approx) |
|---------|---|---|
| 1 | Secure Degree Certificate Four color printing on A4 size,230 GSM on a synthetic uncoated paper made up of silica with polyolefin which is mono layer sheet of 230 GSM or 350 microns which is microporous in nature appearance and water resistant, static dissipative high tear endurance, with Envelope along with grey board (As per Scope of Work and Specifications given in this tender documents). Thickness variation of $\pm 5\%$ may be admissible. Authorization letter from the manufacturer to be attached along with the technical bid documents, failing which will lead to disqualification of the bid. | 50,000 (Fifty Thousand) in Annual Convocation 10,000 (Ten Thousand) in Special Convocation Quantity may vary by ± 15% |

1. SCOPE OF WORK

- 1) Template Designing of Document/ Certificates in coordination with the University.
- 2) Security printing of certificates (including duplicate certificates) as per the security features listed in the technical specifications.
- 3) Supply of hardware/ software system for testing verification of security features.
- 4) Printing of the multi-color variable Data on the Degree Certificate. Variable Data will be provided by the University in the form of comma separated text file. The facility of variable data printing on the certificate to be provided locally at bidder's Ahmedabad office place and whole work shall be completed within 20 days.
- 5) The bidder must supply envelopes in quantity as required having following specifications:
 - One side single colour printing on 80 GSM SSP white paper with inside lamination. Envelope size 12" x 9" with 1.5" flap. The cover must be with glue strip.
 - Bidder has to print receiver's name & address along with registered/speed post barcode or paste name and address stickers from the data provided by the University.



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- The bidder must supply A4 size grey board of 250 GSM as required for protection of degree certificate inserted inside the cover, with each cover.
- 6) The bidder must pack the course wise printed certificates in polythene bag and supply at the University office with full packing details in hard and soft copy as per university instructions. Such packets are to be kept in cardboard box. After signature of the Chancellor is done, the bidder must collect all the certificates back from university office for final packing in envelopes with grey board along with addressed slip of receiver and supply degree wise in boxes as per the delivery schedule and instructions given by the University. The bidder must manage labor/laborers and bear all the expenses of loading and unloading each supply.



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2. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

Bidder must confirm to the following list of security features that are mandatory to be adopted in the design and printing of certificates. However, the bidder must specify any additional security features that should be necessarily adopted with details for suitable consideration by the University. A valid testing certificate as an evidence of each feature incorporated is desired.

- 1) **PENETRATING INK:** Unique (Security) Continuous Serial Number must be printed in the document that appears in different colour on the rear side of the certificate.
- 2) **SERIAL NUMBER:** Serial numbers would be generated with / without check digit.
- 3) **HIGH RESOLUTION BORDER:** Fine decorative border is printed on the Certificate To produce extremely fine line borders that when copied, gives a line breakage or smudge effect. Bidders should specify any special software used for this purpose and confirm uniform quality of such borderlines.
- 4) **COPY-N-CHECK:** Approved Security printing software must be used & words like copy or void should be incorporated in the document accordingly
- 5) **MASK-A-PRINT:** Security printing features should have some of the contents printed with special effects and can be seen only with the help of a special type of mask. Such feature should ensure that those contents with special effects cannot be copied by a copier or scanner.
- 6) **MICRO LETTERING** Security printing of some texts must be done with very fine, tiny letters which cannot be seen by the naked eye but can be seen only with the help of a powerful magnifying glass. The location of such printed texts are kept extremely confidential. Such feature should ensure that these texts cannot be copied or scanned.
- 7) U-VERIFY: Security printing should have images that are suitably embedded in the document such that these image/s are not visible by naked eye. The image should be readable only under certain range of Ultraviolet light. Such images cannot be copied by scanners or colour copiers.
- 8) GOLD/ SILVER/ HOLOGRAPHIC HOT FOIL STAMPING: Logos or any specific design should be adopted using Gold/ Silver/ Holographic hot foil stamping. Such holograms should be very difficult for reproduction
- 9) **FLORESCENT INK:** Document used should ensure adherence to special florescent inks that would be used for printing the characters
- 10) **2D BARCODE PRINTING:** Bidders should provide the system for generating the 2D barcode that captures the data as per the specification. These barcodes would be printed on the document. 2D barcodes should be capable of batch processing of data for handling large volumes. Bidders should ensure easy retrieval of data from the 2D barcode for quick verification. System should be web based so that verification is done online by ingesting the image of the 2D barcode. Complex algorithm must be used to ensure that the 2D barcodes are unique for each dataset.
- 11) **EMBOSSING:** Each certificate must be embossed with the University seal before lamination. The University will provide brass seal for the embossing.
- 12) INVISIBLE RED WITH GUILLOCHE WHEEL
- 13) REVERSE MICROLINE
- 14) Multicolor University Logo
- 15) Temple Numbering
- 16) The bidder must supply envelopes in required quantities as per requirement having following specifications:



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- Bidder has to print receiver's name & address from the data provided by the University.
- The bidder has to supply A4 size grey board of 250 GSM in quantity as required.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

1) The bidder should invariably submit the Commercial parts of tender online on n-procure website only and a physical copy of **only** Technical Bid with E.M.D. and Tender Fee at University office in a sealed cover.

Commercial Bid (Price Bid) is to be submitted online only.

2) TECHNICAL BID COVER

- 1. Technical Bid cover should contain original copy of Tender document along with attested copies of GST Registration Certificate, Latest Income Tax return, other certificate documents as per check list.
- 2. The details of turnover of bidder for last three years.
- 3. Bidder should also furnish the details of constitution of their firm, names and addresses of the Partners/ Proprietors/Directors and also the details of sister concerns if any. Also specify details or documents requested in Tender Enquiry.
- 4. Details of bidder in prescribed Format (Annex-A).
- 5. Details of list of offset machines owned by the bidder (Annex-B)
- 6. No Pending Cases Declaration on Rs. 300 Stamp Paper/Franking (Annex-C)
- 7. Turnover Certificate including similar job turnover duly certified by C.A. for last three years in prescribed format (Annexure-D)
- 8. Earnest Money Deposit and Tender Fee in the form of separate demand drafts drawn on any Nationalized/Scheduled bank payable at Ahmedabad to The Registrar, GUJARAT UNIVERSITY, Ahmedabad.
- 9. All other document mentioned in eligibility criteria.

3) ELIGIBILITY

a)General:

- 1. The bidder must be having a minimum 5 years experience in the field of education and must have handled similar type of jobs/projects.
- 2. Successful bidder shall make all arrangements to the representatives of the University to inspect the infrastructure facilities in the security press before starting work for annual convocation at every year.
- 3. Certificate printing must be in security press approved by IBA and capable of incorporating the required security features.
- 4. The bidder cannot sublet, sub contract or assign any of the job contained in the tender.
- 5. Bidding agency must be a holder of current and valid quality management system certificate of ISO 9001 certification for the job as per tender notice.



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b)Financial:

- 1. Should have a turnover of minimum of Rs. 10 lakh for each of the three financial years & must submit IT return filed copies with CA audited report for the similar period.
- 2. Must produce the GST and PAN number
- 3. Must declare personal solvency on financial status & must enclose banker's certification on satisfactory banking.
- 4. Must enclose same type of satisfactory work completion reports from the Government clients/ Universities/ Board to whom the company did similar jobs in the immediate past 5 years, at least 50,000 quantity of any financial year of education board/ University.
- 5. Must enclose GST and GST payment challans for the current month and the challans for recent payments remitted to PF and ESI contribution to Government.
- 6. Must enclose copies of audited balance sheets for the last three years.

 In absence of these information/documents, tender is liable to be ignored.

General Conditions

- 1. The premises of the bidder where the work will be executed should have adequate security arrangements like security guards, CCTV etc. as the work is highly confidential in nature (Provide affidavit to maintain security).
- 2. Tenders are to be submitted in an Envelope, titled as "The Technical BID". This Envelope should be packed, sealed and be super-scribed as 'TENDER FOR PRINTING OF SECURE DEGREE CERTIFICATE'
- 3. The conditional offer is liable to be ignored.
- 4. In case you are successful in getting the order, you shall be required to pay a sum of Rs. 1,00,000 or 5% of the tender value whichever is more to the GUJARATUNIVERSITY, as security Deposit for the due performance of the contract. This Deposit is to be paid by Demand Draft only.
- 5. The GUJARATUNIVERSITY reserves the right to accept either the tender in full or part.
- 6. The GUJARATUNIVERSITY does not pledge itself to accept the lowest or any tender and also reserves to itself the right of accepting the whole or any part of the tender or portion of the quantity offered against any item and you shall supply the same at the rate quoted. The GUJARAT UNIVERSITY further reserves to itself the right of accepting or otherwise any of the conditions stipulated by you in your tender.
- 7. Bidder should maintain sufficient stock of the approved paper.

5) **COMMERCIAL BID:**

Rates must be inclusive of all taxes including transportation of the material to the university from the printer's place along with corresponding insurance charges.

6) SAMPLE

- A) The bidders are required to submit the sample of paper for feel, furnish, color and visual inspection only.
- B) Sample Label should bear following particulars.
 - I) Name of the bidder/signed by bidder.
 - II) Name of paper manufacturer.
 - III) Tender enquiry No. and due date.
 - IV) Brand Name.



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C) Sample should be submitted in conformity of tender specification.

7) VALIDITY OF TENDER

Bidders are requested to note that their offer must be valid for acceptance minimum for a period of 365 days from the date of opening of tender. Offer with less validity period will be rejected. Silence in this regard will be considered that the offer is valid for 365 days from the date of opening.

8) The successful bidder has to enter into a contract for supply of secured degree certificates for one year from the date of order and if the University wishes can extend the contract for another two years at the same rates. For every extension, the supplier should submit the request letter for extension and university representatives should visit the bidder's place before each extension.

9) PACKING AND DELIVERY

The bidder has to pack the course wise printed certificates in polythene bag and supply at the University office with full packing details in hard and soft copy. Such packets are to be kept in cardboard box. After signature of the Chancellor is done, the bidder has to collect all the certificates back from University office for final packing in envelopes with grey board along with addressed slip of receiver and supply degree wise in boxes as per the delivery schedule given by the University (Whole Work should be completed within 15 working days).

10) PAYMENT

No advance payment will be made for the jobs allotted. Single bill should be submitted and processed only after entire quantity of the order is delivered. The terms and conditions of the payment are as follows:

100% of the total value of the job allotted to the firm on completion & delivery of entire material.

11) INSPECTION

- I) Bidder should state one place for Inspection, in their Technical bid.
- II) Inspection of certificates is to be done by Registrar, GUJARATUNIVERSITY or /and representative authorized by him.
- III) Bidder should arrange inspection before supplying degree certificates of each order.

12) OPENING OF TENDER

You are at liberty to be present or authorize your representative to be present at the opening of the tender at the time and date specified in the schedule.

13) PENALTY IN CASE OF THE DEFAULT

- I) The event of failure on the part of the supplier to execute the work according to the schedule as agreed in the agreement and to the satisfaction of the University shall be dealt with by the University by imposing a penalty. For the delay in the supply, the University shall deduct an amount @ 1 % (subject to maximum limit of 10%) of total cost per day from the default Supplier's payment. The University reserves, its right to get the work done by any other Supplier at the cost & risk of the Supplier under such circumstances.
- II) In case of a refusal to execute the work by the successful bidder, the security deposit shall be forfeited.



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| I / We |
|----------------------|
| (Name of the Bidder) |

Proprietor / Partner / Director hereby undertake to supply stores conformation to your Tender Enquiry specification and abide all terms and conditions of the tender enquiry as well as invitation to tender and instructions to bidders.

| Place: | Signature |
|--------|-------------------|
| Date: | Name: |
| | Designation: |
| | Stamp of the firm |

CHECK LIST FOR BIDDER TO BE SUBMITTED ALONGWITH TENDER (TECHNICAL BID)

The following documents are attached with the tender:

| 1. | Please give the Page No. to entire set of Tender and documents enclosed with it and sign on each page of tender document. | : | Yes / No. | Total Page No |
|-----|---|----|-----------|---------------|
| 2. | Please confirm following: Whether EMD and Tender Fee in form of Demand Draft are placed in separate cover? | : | Yes / No. | |
| 4. | Whether copy of GST registration is attached? | : | Yes / No. | Page No |
| 5. | Whether copy of GST challans are attached? | : | Yes / No. | Page No |
| 6. | Whether copies of Income-Tax return /assessment order of last three years are attached? | •• | Yes / No. | Page No |
| 7. | Whether sample is attached? | : | Yes / No. | Page No |
| 8. | Whether Turnover detail/ balance sheet certified by C.A. of last three years are attached? | : | Yes / No. | Page No |
| 9. | Whether work experience certificates and satisfactory work completion report of similar job are attached? | : | Yes / No. | Page No |
| 10. | Whether IBA empanelment certificate is attached? | : | Yes / No. | Page No |
| 11. | Whether all annexure as per tender are attached? | : | Yes / No. | Page No |
| 12 | Whether bank solvency certificate is attached? | : | Yes / No. | Page No |

N.B. All photocopies of documents must be self-attested.

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DECLARATION

We solemnly declare that we have attached all the documents mentioned here above and mentioned in the tender. We also understand that non-compliance of any documents will be treated as non-respective tender and we will lose our claim to participate in the tender enquiry automatically and our tender will be liable for rejection.

| Signature of Authorized Person | : |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Name of the Authorized Person | : |
| Seal of the Company | : |



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FORM – I (TECHNICAL BID)

Enclosed following documents / mentioned in Tender Bid.

Mention Yes/No

| 1. | Tender Document | : | |
|-----|---|---|----------|
| 2. | E.M.D. and Tender Fee paid | : | |
| | a) Name of Bank | | |
| | b) Please state whether Nationalized bankor | | |
| | Scheduled Bank | | |
| | (D.D. shall be put in EMD cover) | | |
| 3. | Literature | : | |
| 4. | Tender validity | : | 365 days |
| 5. | Place of Inspection | : | |
| 6. | Details of specifications | : | |
| 7. | Income-Tax Return &GST document submitted | : | |
| 8. | Delivery Period | : | |
| 9. | Payment Conditions | : | |
| 10. | Please state here that whether the Certificates | : | |
| | you have offered are as per Tender specifications | | |
| | in all respect YES or NO | | |
| 11. | Sample: Have you submitted sample? | : | |
| 12. | Name of Proprietor/Partner/Director with Full | : | |
| | residential address and telephone No. Fax No, | | |
| | etc. | | |
| 13. | Have you submitted all documentary evidence | : | |
| | dully attested? | | |
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| _ | nature: | | |
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 $\underline{Annexure - A}$

| | Details | of Bidder |
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| 3. 4. 5. 6. | (| O)(R) M) Amount: RsD.D. No.: |
| 7. | Details of E.M.D. : A | Amount: RsD.D. No.: |
| | | Date: Name of Bank: |
| 8. 9. | Total Bldg. Area: (With Press, Office (Proof of ownership/lease agreement to Total no. of staff | O 1 , |
| | a. Technically Skilled | b. Administrative |
| | c. Semi-skilled | d. Security Staff |
| 10. | Has the press with its own security arr If Yes, of what Type? Pl. gives details | |
| 11. | Factory Act Registration No. (You have | |
| 12. | certified copy of Registration letter): Permanent Account No. (Enclose Certified PAN CARD) | |
| 13. | GST Registration No.: | I) |
| 14. | by any Govt. or semi Govt. organization | ed |
| No | If No- submit the self declaration in giote: For above details, attach separate sheet | |
| Pla | ce: | |
| Dat | te : | Seal and Signature of Authorized person |



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 $\underline{Annexure - B}$

List of Offset Machines

| Details of Machine | Name of Machine and year | Nos. | Production Capacity per day | Any Special Details |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------|------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| Single Color Sheet Offset | | | | |
| Two Color Sheet Offset | | | | |
| Four Color Sheet Offset | | | | |
| Web Offset | | | | |

Note: Attach separate sheet if required



On Rs. 300/- Stamp Paper/Franking

Annexure - C

Declaration



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Annexure – D

Particulars of Turnover

Name of the Bidder

Particulars of Turnover in the last three financial years as per audited accounts

| Financial Year | Total Turnover | Turnover from Similar Jobs as Tendered |
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It is certified that above details are correct / fair and audited.

Signature of Chartered Accountant with Stamp

Signature of Authorized person



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Annexure – E

COMMERCIAL BID

1. Name of the Bidder :

2. Address :

| Sr. No. | Description of Item | Approx. Quantity | Unit |
|------------|---|---|---------|
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Note:

- (1) Rates must be inclusive of all taxes and including transportation and labour charges of the material dispatch to the university office or as per instructions by university directly from the printer's place along with insurance charges.
- (2) Rates MUST NOT be provided in the hard copy technical bid.
- (3) Rates MUST be provided online through nProcure only.