

**[AUTHORIZED VENDORS FOR SUPPLY, INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF
PRODUCTION MONITORING SYSTEM IN IRON AND STEEL SECTOR
(Three years from authorization)]**

1. The Federal Board of Revenue (FBR) invites sealed bids from eligible vendors, registered with PPRA on E-PADS as vendors and with Income Tax and Sales Tax Departments, and included in Active Taxpayer's List of FBR, for the deployment of a production monitoring and counting solution across the Iron and Steel industry in Pakistan as per Sales Tax Act/Rules for granting license. The vendors are required to submit their proposals for a production monitoring solution (e.g. AI-Based Video Analytics, IoT-Integrated Weighbridges, Laser Counting – detailed in RFP), provided it meets both the Technical and Proof of Concept (POC) evaluation criteria (including preferable accuracy of 99% with a minimum requirement of 95%) defined in Section V – Scope of Work and is cost-effective.
2. The Bidding documents are available on e-PADS and FBR/PPRA Websites i.e. <https://www.ppra.gov.pk> & <https://www.fbr.gov.pk/> and can be downloaded free of cost. Encrypted electronic bids duly completed and in conformity with Bidding Documents must be submitted online on e-Pak Acquisition and Disposal System (e-PADS) website on or before **1100 hours by 17th February 2026**.
3. The instant procurement for authorized vendors is being carried out under Public Procurement Rules, 2004 and E-Pak-Procurement Regulations, 2023 read with PPRA Public Procurement Framework. Procurement structure has been designed keeping in view Rule 4 and other relevant provisions under PPR, 2004 including but not limited to provisions as referred at Rule 15, Rule 21, Rule 29 and the rules connected thereto. The translation of the relevant provisions of PPR, 2004 into procurement design/structure has been made part of the instant bidding document.
4. The procurement shall be carried out in accordance with PPRA's **Two-Stage Two Envelope Bidding Procedure:**
 - a. **Stage 1:** Bidders shall submit a technical proposal, including price per installation point and breakdown of price per component in separate sealed envelope as per PPRA Rules as financial proposal. The technical proposal will be evaluated based on the Technical Evaluation Criteria defined in Section V. Successful bidders will be required to conduct a POC which will be evaluated based on POC Evaluation Criteria defined in Section V. Afterwards, FBR will conduct a Bidders Conference to discuss all solutions and their feasibility of implementation. Post the Bidders Conference, FBR will, at its discretion, finalize a specific production counting solution for implementation. If necessitated, the revised RFP with finalized solution will be circulated after pre-bid meeting.
 - b. **Stage 2:** All eligible bidders will be required to submit the revised technical proposal, along with the revised financial proposals or supplementary financial proposals to originally submitted financial proposals per installation point and breakdown of price

- per component, and conduct a POC test for the solution finalized by FBR. Upon evaluation, FBR will shortlist successful bidders and issue authorization.
- c. The process envisages *purely technical discussion/solution finalization in Stage-1 and final technical competition and selection in Stage-2*.
 - a. In order to brief the eligible bidder about the project details and address the queries on the Bidding Document and suggestive improvements, a Pre- Bid Meeting will be held on **22nd January, 2026 at 11:00 hours**. in Room 358, 3rd Floor, FBR House, Constitution Avenue, G-5, Islamabad. The bidders who wish to join the meeting virtually can join by using the following link [Meeting Link:<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85964907517?pwd=QmKYseBaiZsV0pWZDmLvYoHo6y6xSX.1> Meeting ID: 859 6490 7517 Passcode: 457789. At the first or second stage, FBR may call multiple pre-bids or technical presentations.
 5. The original bids (e-PADS Tender Prints) along with 2 copies, properly filled in, and enclosed in sealed envelopes must be delivered to the address, Room 506, Fifth Floor, Floor, FBR House, Constitution Avenue, G-5, Islamabad, on or before 1100 hours by **17th February, 2026**. E-bids will be opened on the same day at 1130 hours in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend in Room 358, 3rd Floor, FBR House, Constitution Avenue, G-5, Islamabad. Submission of manual bids without submissions on EPADS shall be rejected.
 6. The All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security amounting PKR. 1,000,000 (One million Only), or freely convertible currencies in case of foreign Bidders in an acceptable form.
 7. FBR may reject all bids at any time prior to the acceptance of a bid by invoking rule 33 of Public Procurement Rule (PPR), 2004.

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