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No.UPRESS/1215/2025-P2

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Re-Tender Notice

Sub:- KAU Press – Making and supply of 850 units of 522 x 640 x 0.28 mm CTP/Film – reg.

Ref:- This office Tender Notice of even number dated 08.10.2025

As per the reference cited above, sealed tenders had been invited for the making and supply of 850 units of 522 x 640 x 0.28 mm CTP/Film required for the offset printing machines at KAU Press, Mannuthy, for a period of one year. The tender was cancelled due to the high rate quoted by the qualified firm and its refusal to decrease the quoted amount after negotiation.

In this circumstance, a **Re-Tender Notice** is hereby published for the same item as detailed below.

Sealed and competitive tenders are invited from competent firms for the **making and supply of 850 units of 522 x 640 x 0.28 mm CTP/Film** required for the offset printing machines at KAU Press, Mannuthy, for a period of one year.

Terms and Conditions

1. Tenders superscribed “*UPRESS/1215/2025-P2 – Tender for making and supply of CTP/Films required for the offset printing machines at KAU Press, Mannuthy*” should be addressed to the **Press Manager, KAU Press, Mannuthy**.

The last date for the receipt of filled tenders is **3:00 PM on 01.11.2025**, and the same will be opened at **3:30 PM on the same day** in the presence of the tenderers or their authorized representatives who may be present at that time.

2. The cost of the tender must be remitted at the KAU Press Office by cash at the

time of submission. The cost details of the tender forms are given below:

Cost of Tender Form: 0.20% of the total quoted value + 18% GST (rounded to the nearest ₹100), **subject to a minimum of ₹400/-**.

3. Tenders should be submitted in the prescribed forms, which can be downloaded from the website www.kau.in/tenders. The cost of the tender forms is non-refundable under any circumstances.
4. Each tender must be accompanied by an Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) of 1% of the total quoted amount, in the form of a demand draft drawn in favor of the Press Manager, KAU Press, Mannuthy, payable at SBI, Ollukkara Branch.
5. Additionally, the tender must be accompanied by an **agreement on Kerala Stamp Paper worth ₹200/-** (Rupees Two Hundred only). The format for the agreement can be downloaded from the above website.
Withdrawal of tenders after acceptance, failure to supply the items, or non-compliance with specifications will result in cancellation of the tender and forfeiture of the EMD.

Note: *M/s. Oruma Printers and Publishers, Door No. X/536, Sreesankara Industrial Estate, Chiyaram P.O., Thrissur – 680 026, who had quoted the lowest rate in the previous tender but whose rate was not justifiable as it was higher than the prevailing market rate, are permitted to participate in this re-tender, if the firm is willing, without remitting the tender fee and EMD already submitted.*

6. The tenderer must collect the drawings for the work from KAU Press and supply the items to KAU Press, Mannuthy, within three days from the date of receipt of the supply order.
7. The Press Manager, KAU Press, Mannuthy, reserves the right to remove the defaulted supplier from the list of approved suppliers, permanently or for a specific period.
8. The successful tenderer must execute an agreement on Kerala Stamp Paper worth ₹200/- and furnish a security deposit of 5% of the total cost of the quoted items, in the form of a term deposit/bank guarantee/demand draft drawn in favor of the Press Manager, KAU Press, Mannuthy.
9. The cost of the items, taxes, and any additional charges should be stated separately.
10. The quoted rate shall remain valid for **one year** from the date of acceptance of the tender. The quantity indicated is the tentative expected requirement for one year (contract period) and not for a single supply order. ***The actual quantity may vary depending on the requirements of KAU Press, Mannuthy, during the contract period.***
11. The Press Manager, KAU Press, Mannuthy, reserves the right to accept or reject

any or all offers without assigning any reason whatsoever.

12. If any hartal, strike, or unexpected holiday occurs on the date of opening the tender, it will be opened at the same time on the next working day.
13. All rules and regulations applicable to Government tenders shall apply to this tender as well.

Yours faithfully,

Press Manager

To: 1. KAU Website
2. M/s. Oruma Printers and Publishers, Door No. X/536, Sreesankara Industrial Estate, Chiyaram PO, Thrissur-680 026