Prebid meeting questions and answer

Prebid meeting was held at 12.00 noon on Feb 03, 2016 in room no 102.

Following are the queries that were asked by the vendors with answers given to them during the meeting:

1. Will the storage solutions proposed be integrated with existing storage?

Ans: No, the solution will be independent from existing storage.

2. Is a backup solution expected in the proposal?

Ans: No.

3. Can the bidder's eligibility criteria given in the tender be relaxed with respect to size of storage solution implemented earlier?

Ans: Should have implemented single solution with 72TB or above raw space, others remain same.

4. Can the connection between storage and file servers have a 10GigE connection?

Ans: The specification indicates a preference for DAS based solution over NAS.

5. How will be the file systems connectivity from the storage servers to client machine?

Ans: Should support 1/10GigE from the file system and client machine based on NFS v3/v4 protocol

6. Is there any changes in payment terms?

Ans: No, Remains same as stated in the tender.

7. What should be the size of controller cache?

Ans: Not asked for any specific size of controller cache, but need to mention the controller size while quoting for the solution.

8. Should the commercial bid include service charges like installation and support charges?

Ans: Installation/commissioning/service charges (if any) should be in INR

9. In RAID 6 what are the disks configurations and hot spars (6 + 2 or 8 + 2)

Ans: RIAD 6 with configuration 6 + 2