## COMPREHENSIVE BID EVALUATION REPORT

Supply, Installation and Commissioning of Solar Energy System for Gomal University D.I.Khan 1. General: The University of Gomal has initiated the Project "Supply, Installation & Commissioning of Solar Energy System for Gomal University D.I.Khan" with an estimated capacity of approximately 522 kwp. This initiative aligns with the University's commitment to green energy, reducing public expenditure and environmental sustainability.

- 2. Basis of Tendering: Sealed bids for this project were invited based on National Competitive Bidding (NCB). The process followed the open competitive approach in accordance with the single-stage, two-envelope bidding procedure as per Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (KPPRA) Rules, 2014.
- 3. Issuance & Submission of Bids: Bidding Documents for the project were issued by the office of the Director of Works, Gomal University, being Client' Representative from the date of advertisement i.e., 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 upto 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2025. The following firms / contractors collected the Bidding Documents:

S#	Contractors / Bidders
1	Catkin JV Sun save JV Green Bird Associates
2	Sustainable Energy JV Elum Construction JV Vector
3	Safroon JV Minerva
4	Siraj Khel Construction Company & general
	order suppliers
5	Sunbelt Energy
6	M/S Unike Construction
7	Nizam Energy
8	Respak Pvt Ltd
9	Techwem Energy and Construction

- **4. Pre-Bid Meeting:** By following the KPPRA rule 37(10) a Pre-Bid Meeting was held on 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2025, at 11:00am in New Senate Hall. The purpose was to clarify queries from prospective bidders regarding the Bidding Documents.
- **5. Bid Opening:** Technical bids were opened as per procedure outlined in the Bidding Documents. The opening took place at New senate hall, 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 at 11:00am in the presence of the Solarization Committee, of Gomal University, UET Consultancy Cell and representatives of the followings bidders who submitted their bids:

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	order suppliers
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6	M/S Unike Construction
7	Nizam Energy
8	RESPAK

At the time of opening of bids, the following checks were performed and announced for each bidder:

 Confirmation that Technical and Financial Bids were properly sealed in separate envelopes and marked.

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- 2. Verification that envelopes were signed by the Committee and taken into safe custody.
- **6. Examination of Necessary Attachments:** The submitted bids were examined for completeness and compliance with the following requirements:
  - Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) Registration in C4 or above Category and having valid/updated PEC Registration Certificate with specialization code i.e EE-11, EE-04, EE-06 and CE-10.
  - 2. Firm must be registered with Securities & Exchange Commission of Pakistan (SECP).
  - 3. Active Registration with FBR (Federal Board of Revenue) having both Income Tax and STRN registration.
  - 4. Active Registration with Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Revenue Authority (KPRA).
  - 5. Affidavit that the Firm is NOT Blacklisted from any Government/Semi Government Agency/Department/NGO in accordance with KPPRA Rules.
  - 6. Affidavit that the Firm DOESN'T have any Litigation History in which Decision has been given against the firm(s).
  - 7. Valid Registration with Alternative Energy Development Board (AEDB).
  - 8. For international partner company only, they have to provide registration/affiliation/ authorization certificate with any such international agency located in relevant country of origin.
  - 9. JV/Consortium Agreement in case of Joint Venture partners, or in case of any international applicant/bidder JV with registered local firm is mandatory as per PEC byelaws.
  - 10. Manufacturer's Authorizations for Solar Modules, and Inverters.
  - 11. Warranty declarations.
  - 12. Valid ISO-9001:2015 Quality Management Certificate.
  - 13. Electrical License from Electrical Inspectorate Energy and Power KPK.
  - 14. The Firm should have a local office in D.I. Khan.
- **7. Preliminary Examination of Technical Bids:** All the Technical Bids were evaluated based on the criteria outlined in the Bidding Documents. The scoring was distributed as follows:

Evaluation Criteria	Maximum Score
On-Grid Past Experience	20
Hybrid Past Experience	10
On-Going Experience	10
Energy Yield Commitment	10
Technical System Details	15
Personnel Capabilities	15
Financial Status	10
Equipment Capabilities	10

The Consultancy Team conducted a detailed evaluation (Report Attached). Based on the technical evaluation, the bidders' status was finalized as per under:

## A. Mandatory Criteria:

S#	Contractors / Bidders	Status
1	Catkin JV Sun save JV Green Bird Associates	Mandatory Qualified
2	Sustainable Energy JV Elum Construction JV Vector	Mandatory Disqualified
3	Safroon JV Minerva	Mandatory Disqualified
4	Siraj Khel Construction Company & general order suppliers	Mandatory Disqualified

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5	Sunbelt Energy	Mandatory Qualified
6	M/S Unike Construction	Mandatory Disqualified
7	Nizam Energy	Mandatory Disqualified
8	Respak Pvt Ltd	Mandatory Qualified

## **B.** Marking Criteria

S#	Contractors / Bidders	Status
1	Catkin JV Sun save JV Green Bird Associates	Technically Disqualified
2	Sunbelt Energy	Technically Disqualified
3	Respak Pvt Ltd	Technically Qualified
Note: The Minimum passing marks are 70, and the minimum passing marks in each category are 50%. As per clause 2.6.4, the bide will be awarded to the lowest /Best evaluated bid.		

The result of technical evaluation was shared with both the qualified & disqualified bidders on 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2025. The detailed report was uploaded on the website of the Procuring Entity. Moreover, the bidders were given 10-day time to contact and approach the Project Consultant in case of any clarification related to the technical evaluation report.

- 8. Grievance Redressal / Response by the Disqualified Bidders: In response, some of the bidders submitted their requests for certain clarifications which were addressed as under:
  - 1) Catkin JV Sun save JV Green Bird Associates: Vide application on February 19, 2025 to the Vice Chancellor Gomal University, DI Khan. Solarization committee of the said institution forwarded application to the consultant UET, Peshawar. Focal person, UET Consultancy Cell communicated via email to appear before grievances committee at Director USPCAS Office, UET Peshawar. In a response, the said company did not appear before grievances committee and sent an email expressing satisfaction and no further objection on evaluation.
  - 2) Safroon JV Minerva: The said company has been initially disqualified by the evaluation committee, UET Peshawar on the basis of not bearing an official office in DI, Khan. Vide application on 19 February to the Director Works. Solarization committee of the said institution forwarded application to the consultant UET, Peshawar. Focal person, UET Consultancy Cell communicated via email to appear before grievances committee at Director USPCAS Office, UET Peshawar. The company has appeared before grievances committee, and satisfied the committee regarding official office in DI, Khan. After mandatory qualification the evaluation committee has evaluated their provided documents. The firm has been disqualified by not fulfilling the required marking criteria.
  - 3) Sunbelt Energy: Vide application to the Director Works, Gomal University. Solarization committee of the said institution forwarded application to the consultant UET, Peshawar. Focal person, UET Consultancy Cell communicated via email to appear before grievances committee at Director USPCAS Office, UET Peshawar. The company has appeared before grievances committee, the committee has justified their evaluation and satisfied the company. Consequently, the company has provided written satisfactory note.
  - 4) M/S Unike Construction: Via Email to the SDO, Electrical, Gomal University. Solarization committee of the said institution forwarded email to the consultant UET, Peshawar. Focal person, UET Consultancy Cell communicated via email to appear before grievances committee at

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Director USPCAS Office, UET Peshawar. The company has appeared before grievances committee; the committee has justified their evaluation and satisfied the company. Consequently, the company has provided written satisfactory note.

9. Opening of Financial Bid of the Qualified Bidder: As Respak Pvt Ltd were technically qualified with 79/100 marks, therefore, their financial bid was opened on 13th March, 2025 at 11.00am in the New Senate Hall, Gomal University D.I.Khan in the presence of the Project Consultant and representatives of the concerned bidder. The detail of bid offered is given as under:

PROPERTY.		
1	Cost of MRS Items Rs:	3,85,64,430.01/-
2	Cost of Non MRS Items Rs:	4,19,21,383.99/-
3	Total Estimated Cost Rs:	8,04,85,814.00/-
4	Contractor's Premium @5% below on MRS and NSI Items Rs:	40,24,890.69/-
5	Contractor's Bid Rs:	7,64,61,523.29/-
Financial Bid is supported by CDR No.01783516 Dt.28.01.2025 as Bid Security @		
Rs.16,10,000/- In favour of the Director works, of Gomal University D.I.Khan		

10. Recommendation: The bidding process, based on National Competitive Bidding (NCB) has been strictly completed as per guidelines laid down in the Bidding Documents, therefore, the Financial Bid offered by the technically qualified bidder (RESPAK Pvt Ltd) i.e., Rs.7,64,61,523.29/- being reasonable and Rs.40,24,890.69/- below the estimated cost, is the best evaluated bid. Hence, recommended for approval of the competent authority of the Gomal University D.I.Khan through the Solarization Committee, of Gomal University, please.

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