



# Society for Promotion of Vocational & Technical Education [SOVTECH]

## Andaman & Nicobar Islands

(Society under A & N Administration registered under the Societies Registration Act, 1860, Regn. No. 1257 dated 21.03.2006)

**Tender No:- P-14/1/2024-EO-SOVTECH-SOV\_AN-83977**

**Dated- 12.06.2025**

### **e-TENDER NOTICE**

Tender for Selection of Agency for Operation & Maintenance (O&M) of Andaman & Nicobar State Wide Area Network (AN-SWAN) & Development Communication Network (DCN)

1. Tender through e-Procurement solution <https://eprocure.andaman.gov.in> is invited from Network Operators for "Selection of Agency for Operation & Maintenance (O&M) of Andaman & Nicobar State Wide Area Network (AN-SWAN) & Development Communication Network (DCN)" located across different islands in Andaman and Nicobar Islands.
2. The tender document and the terms and conditions of the tender may be downloaded from the e-procurement portal <https://eprocure.andaman.gov.in>
3. The bidders are advised to:
  - a. Submit EMD drawn in the form of Account Payee Demand Draft / Fixed Deposit Receipt/ Banker's Cheque / Bank Guarantee from any Nationalized / Scheduled Bank in favour of Executive Officer, SOVTECH, DBRAIT Campus, Dollygunj, Sri Vijaya Puram-744103 should reach the O/o SOVTECH within the last date of submission of the bid document.
  - b. Upload the scanned copy of EMD drawn in the e-procurement Portal.
  - c. Failure to submit original DD/FDR/CDR will lead to outright rejection of the bids.
4. The last date of submission of the tender is 15.07.2025 up to 1600 hrs.
5. Key Events and Dates:

Sl.No.	Events	Date	Timeline (T-date of publishing Bid) (in days)
1.	Publishing of Bid Document	12.06.2025 (17:45 Hrs)	T
2.	Last date for queries on the bid	24.06.2025 (16:00 Hrs)	T + 12
3.	Pre-bid Conference through Video Conference.	27.06.2025 (16:00 Hrs)	T + 15
4.	Response to Pre-bid queries	02.07.2025	T + 20
5.	Last date for submission of Bid	15.07.2025 (16:00 Hrs)	T + 33



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6.	Opening of the Prequalification Documents and Technical Proposals at SOVTECH Premises	17.07.2025 (16:00 Hrs)	T + 35
7.	Submission of Clarification sought on the documents submitted by Bidders	22.07.2025 (15:00 Hrs)	T + 40
8.	Opening of the Commercial Bid	29.07.2025	T + 47
9.	Award of Contract	07.08.2025	T + 56
10.	Signing of Contract	18.08.2025	T + 67

6. The Member Secretary, SOVTECH, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Sri Vijaya Puram reserves the right to accept or reject any tender in full or part without assigning any reason thereof.

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**EXECUTIVE OFFICER  
SOVTECH**