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**No. S001/ML02/13/2024-MEC-KSRTC-HQ**

**Dt. 23.04.2026**

## **CORRIGENDUM / ADDENDUM – 1**

Sub: e-Tender invited for the Washing and cleaning of KSRTC,  
KSRTC - SWIFT buses – Amendment of NIT – reg:-

Ref: 1. NIT of even No. Dtd: 23.01.2026

2. e-Tender ID: 2026\_KSRTC\_826689\_2

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1	Page 8 Clause No. VIII	<p><b><u>Selection of contractor</u></b></p> <p>The bidder has to quote the rate in Rs. for washing and cleaning of all model of buses as mentioned in the financial bid (BoQ) (Bidder who has not quoted in any of the model will be considered as disqualified).</p> <p>Amount of GST in Rupees should be calculated exactly and entered in the respective column of BOQ. In the BOQ, the GST is to be mentioned in rupees, not in %, therefore bidders are requested to upload the rate accordingly. If the amount of GST is not entered in the respective column of BOQ, such bidders will not be eligible for revised levies declared from time to time.</p> <p>For evaluation purpose, the rate quoted per bus for Normal wash for all models shall be added and the bidder who is the lowest among the</p>	<p>Kindly confirm:</p> <p>(a) Is GST on Full Wash to be charged separately at actuals on each invoice?</p> <p>(b) Does Full Wash rate include Normal Wash activities, or is it charged separately in addition to Normal Wash for the same bus on the same day?</p>	<p>The basic rates for full washing and under chassis washing shall be quoted in BoQ. GST charges will be extra.</p> <p>Normal Washing activities included in full wash. Billing based on full wash rate quoted.</p>

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		qualified bids shall be considered as L1. Rate for Normal wash (D) shall be arrived by adding the rate quoted for inside brushing (A) and outside area washing(B) with GST (C). The L1 bidder thus qualified shall roll back to the lowest rate quoted for any of the model by any of the bidder in the tender. An undertaking with the consent to roll back as above shall be submitted along with tender. (Sample Price bid evaluation sheet is attached in Appendix-I)		
2	Additional Clause added Force Majeure Clause No. X	No clause	<p>No Force Majeure clause. Kerala is susceptible to floods, landslides, pandemics.</p> <p>Kindly confirm whether a standard Force Majeure clause covering natural calamities, pandemics, government restrictions, and civil unrest will be included.</p>	<p>To the extent that the event is not within the control of the party whose performance under this Agreement is affected, provided that the party so prevented from performance shall notify the other party of the cause and resume performance as soon as it is able to do so. The term Force Majeure, as used in this Agreement, Shall include, but is not limited to the following events. War, hostilities, act of public enemy or belligerents, sabotage, blockage, revolution, insurrection, riot or disorder, expropriation, requisition, confiscation, interference by or restrictions of onerous regulations imposed by civil or military of any other authority, whether legal or defect, whether purporting to act under some constitutions, decree, law of otherwise, act of God, fire, earthquake, storm, lightning, epidemic quarantine, explosions,</p>

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				accidents by fire or otherwise, or events whether or not of the same class or kind as those set forth.
3	Additional Clause added  Arbitration Clause  Clause No. XI	No Clause	Dispute resolution mechanism not specified.  Kindly confirm that disputes will be resolved through arbitration under the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996, with a neutral arbitrator and venue convenient to both parties.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. If any dispute or difference of any kind shall arise between the KSRTC and the Agency, in connection with or relating to the contract, the parties shall make every effort to resolve the same amicably by mutual consultations.</li> <li>2. If the parties fail to resolve their dispute or difference through mutual consultation within twenty-one days of its occurrence, then unless otherwise provided in the Work Order, either KSRTC or the Agency, may notify the other party of its intention to commence an arbitration, as provided under the applicable arbitration procedure in accordance with the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 of India.</li> <li>3. Any dispute or difference which may arise between the parties in connection with this agreement and which cannot be settled amicably, shall be finally settled by arbitration as per the provisions of The Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 and will be subject to the jurisdiction of court at Thiruvananthapuram only.</li> </ol>

**Tender Inviting Authority**