CORRIGENDUM

25-09-2025

Tender ref No: NHDC/EOI/2025-26/001

Tender ID: 2025_NHDCL_876858_1 dated 10-09-2025

Invites Expression of Interest (EOI) From Agencies to Conceptualize, design and implement Self-Sustaining Package for School Students under the theme "Crafting Futures: Preserving Handloom Heritage through Children's Education."

1) Exemptions for the MSE/ Startups registered with MSME in tender fee, prior Experience & Turnover

Exemptions from prior experience and turnover requirements for <u>MSEs</u> and startups are under the <u>Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises</u> (<u>MSEs</u>) Order 2012 and the <u>Startup India Action Plan 2016</u>, specifically outlined in paragraph 16 of the 2012 Policy and clarified by the Department of Public Enterprises (DPE) and the Department of Expenditure (**DoE**). These relaxations are applicable in public procurement, provided that the Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) and recognized startups meet the required quality and technical specifications of the tender.

They would, however, need to comply with technical capability and quality specifications prescribed in EOI/RFP. That includes the qualification of the workforce, along with the other terms and conditions will remain the same.

MSEs/Startup holders having valid MSME/start-up certifications should upload the certificate along with the technical bid.

Extension of the bid submission/opening date

The Bid submission date is extended to 04-10-2025 The Bid Opening date is extended to 06-10-2025