

# PERSONNEL & HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

## <u>RFP- GROUP TERM LIFE INSURANCE POLICY (GTLI) FOR EXISTING STAFF</u> <u>MEMBERS OF KARNATAKA VIKAS GRAMEENA BANK</u>

## 1. OVERVIEW:

Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank, a Scheduled Government Bank, Sponsored by Canara Bank intends to cover it's existing staff members under Group Term Life Insurance Scheme for a period of one year from 29.07.2023. Existing policy with Life Insurance Corporation of India will expire on 29.07.2023. Accordingly, bids are invited from IRDAI registered Life Insurance Companies.

The Policy shall cover all kinds of death including but not limited to natural death, accidental death, suicidal death and death due to any illness including COVID-19 and any other new pandemic/epidemic that may arise in future days resulting in death. The policy shall cover the staff member only.

The policy is voluntary in nature and all staff members who have expressly given their consent have to be covered under the Policy for the period of one year.

In the event of death of an employee, the Claim amount (Sum Insured) will be settled to the Nominee(s) of Employee Provident Fund or NPS as per the Bank records. If Nominee is not available in Employee Provident Fund or NPS, then settlement shall be done to the nominee of Gratuity as per Bank Records. If there is no nomination as per Bank records in EPF/NPS/Gratuity, the claim shall be settled to Legal Heir/s as per laid down guidelines of the Bank.

## 2. REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) TERMINOLOGY:

Definitions - Throughout this RFP, unless inconsistent with the subject matter or context:

- i. Bidder An eligible entity/firm submitting a Proposal/Bid in response to this RFP.
- ii. Insurance Company Selected Bidder under this RFP.
- iii. Bank Reference to the Bank shall be determined in context and may mean without limitation "Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank".
- iv. Bid the response received in the prescribed format from a bidder in accordance with the RFP.
- **v.** RFP The Request for Proposal (this document) in its entirety, inclusive of any addenda/modification/clarification/amendment that may be issued by the Bank.
- vi. "Contract" means the Contract signed by the parties and all the attached documents

and the Appendices, consequent to the completion of the proceedings as per the RFP.

- vii. "Day" means calendar day.
- viii. Parties Party or Parties means the Bank / Selected Bidder.
- **ix.** "Personnel" means professionals and support staff provided by the Insurance Company to perform the Services or any part thereof.
- **x.** "Domestic Personnel" means "such professionals and support staff who at the time of being so provided had their domicile in India.
- xi. "Proposal" means the Technical Proposal and the Financial Proposal.
- **xii.** "Terms of Reference" (TOR) means the document included in the RFP which explains the scope of work, activities, and tasks to be performed.
- **xiii.** Project Cost Project cost would be the total consideration that the Bank has to pay in accordance with the payment schedule to obtain the Group Term Life Insurance Policy for pensioners as per the terms of RFP/ Contract.

# 3. THE BROAD TERMS OF COVERAGE WILL BE:

The policy shall cover all existing staff members of the Bank under Group term Life Insurance Policy for a period of one year.

The Policy has been formulated to cover all kinds of death including but not limited to natural death, accidental death, suicidal death and death due to any illness including COVID-19 and other new pandemic/epidemic that may arise in future days resulting in death.

## 4. POLICY ADMINISTRATION :

Policy Administration is directly made by the Bank without engaging any Insurance brokerage entity for the purpose.

#### 5. ELIGIBILITY / INVITATION:

The RFP will be available on the Bank's website <u>www.kvgbank.com</u>. Any corrigendum/ addendum shall also be available on the Bank's website. This RFP is not an offer by the Bank but an invitation to receive responses from the Insurance Bidders. No contractual obligation whatsoever shall arise from the RFP process unless and until a formal contract is signed and executed by duly Authorized Official(s) of the Bank with the selected bidder.

## 6. BIDDING DOCUMENT:

## i. Cost of Bidding:

The Bidder shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of its bid including cost of presentation(s), etc. The Bank will not be responsible or liable for these costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the bidding process.

#### ii. Content of Bidding Document:

a) The bidding document provides overview of the requirements, bidding procedures and contract terms. It includes Introduction, Instructions to Bidder, and Terms and Conditions of Contract, Eligibility Criteria, and Financial Bid. The bidder must conduct its own investigation and analysis regarding any information contained in this RFP document, its meaning and impact of that information.

b) The Bidder is expected to examine all instructions, statements, terms and specifications in the bidding document. Failure to furnish all information required by the bidding documents or submission of bid not responsive to the bidding documents in every respect will be at the Bidder's risk and may result in rejection of its bid. Bank has made considerable efforts to ensure that accurate information is contained in this RFP and is supplied solely as guideline for Bidders. Furthermore, during the RFP process, Bank has disclosed or will disclose in the RFP and corrigendum / addenda, available information relevant to the Scope of Work to the extent, detail, and accuracy allowed by prevailing circumstances. Nothing in this RFP or any addenda is intended to relieve Bidders from forming their own opinions and conclusions in respect of the matters addressed in this RFP or any addenda.

#### iii. Clarifications & Amendments

- a) If deemed necessary, Bank may seek clarifications on any aspect from the Bidder. However that would not entitle the Bidder to change or cause any change in the substances of the bid already submitted or the price quoted. The Bidder may be asked to give presentation for the purpose of clarifications of the bid.
- b) The Bidder requiring any clarifications on the bidding documents may obtain the same by submitting written queries before 05.00 PM on or before 17.06.2023 to the Bank.

#### Contact Person and address of the Bank:

Mr. S. N. Nairy, Chief Manager, Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank, Personnel and Human Resources Development Division, Vikas Bhavana, Head Office, Dharwad-580008. Mobile No. 9480699079/9480699151 Email Ids:phrdd@kvgbank.com and stfins@kvgbank.com

- c) Technical and Financial bid shall be submitted at the Bank's Head Office before 05.00 pm on or before 23.06.2023. At any time prior to the deadline for submission of bids, the Bank reserves the right to modify the bidding document.
- d) Any clarification issued by Bank will be in the form of an addendum/ corrigendum and will be provided to the Insurance companies by display in the Bank's website. The amendment will be binding on all Bidders. The Bank, at its discretion may extend the deadline for submission of bids in order to allow prospective bidders a reasonable time to take the amendment into account.

## 7. BIDDING PROCESS:

The bids shall be submitted in two separate sealed envelopes A and B (as stated below).

Envelope A : This envelope should contain Technical Bid (Annexure I) and super scribed as "Technical Bid for Group Term Life Insurance Policy for existing staff members of Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank".

# Envelope B : This envelope should contain Financial Bid (Annexure II) and super scribed as "Financial Bid for Group Term Life Insurance Policy for existing staff members of Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank".

All details with the relevant information / documents / acceptance of all terms and conditions strictly as described in this RFP will have to be submitted. The bidders are advised to write their name and contact details (Phone No. ,E-mail and Address on all the envelopes). In the first stage, only the envelope containing "Technical Bid " will be opened and evaluated. Those satisfying all criteria as per technical requirements and agreeing to comply with all terms and conditions specified in this RFP may be invited for technical presentation, if required, at the discretion of the Bank, to display their capabilities, approach and methodology.

## Contents of Tender Document:

- Annexure I : Declaration of acceptance letter from the Bidder (Technical Bid covering letter)
- Annexure II : Financial /Price Bid.

## 8. BID PREPARATION:

- i. The bids prepared by the Bidder and all correspondence and documents relating to bids exchanged by the Bidder and the Bank must be written in English.
- **ii.** Bidders must provide individual and factual replies to specific questions asked in the RFP. Documents submitted should be complete in all respects as detailed in this RFP.
- iii. The Technical bid should comprise of one hard copy of Technical Bid and should be placed in a sealed envelope super-scribed as mentioned in Bidding Process above along with the RFP document and Annexures I to IV. This envelope has to be submitted along with another sealed envelope superscribed as mentioned in Bidding Process above containing the Financial Bid (Annexure-V).
- iv. Bidder should furnish in the Technical Bid, a brief description of the Bidder's organization and in the case of a consortium/ joint venture, of each partner, details of experience of assignments which are similar to the proposed group policy as per the terms of reference.
- v. The Bidder should clearly indicate the support services required from the Bank for carrying out the activity.
- vi. A brief write up is to be provided for each of the parameters for Technical

Evaluation criterion detailed wherever applicable. All the submissions under this should be supported by necessary documentary evidence, as may be applicable.

vii. The Technical Bid will be evaluated among others, as per following criteria / parameters, based on the audited financial statements for the financial year 2022-23. The bidders should fulfill the following parameters:

| SI.<br>No. | Criteria to be fulfilled  | Documentary proof to be<br>submitted with the Technical<br>Bid.   |
|------------|---|---|
| 2.         | The total premium collection<br>should be at least ₹300 crore per<br>year in each of the previous 3<br>financial years.   | Copies of audited financial<br>statements for the previous<br>three financial years (2020-<br>2021, 2021-2022 and 2022-23)<br>showing the total premium<br>amount collected.  |
| 3.         | The bidder should have a valid<br>IRDAI license for procuring Life<br>Insurance business in India   | Copy of the IRDAI registration<br>certificate and copy of the<br>latest fee paid receipt which is<br>valid as on date.  |
| 4.         | The Bidder should have a<br>minimum solvency ratio of 1.5 as<br>prescribed by IRDAI, as on<br>31.03.2023, unless exempted for<br>the purpose of tender submission<br>by Department of Financial<br>Services, Ministry of Finance,<br>Government of India. | Copy of audited financial<br>statements as on 31.03.2023<br>showing the solvency ratio of<br>the bidder as on 31.03.2023, or<br>a certificate to this effect<br>issued by the auditor / a<br>qualified chartered accountant.<br>In case of exemptions for the<br>purpose of tender submission,<br>the bidder has to submit a copy<br>of the notification issued by the<br>Department of Financial<br>Services, Ministry of Finance,<br>Government of India. |
| 5.         | The bidder should have a track<br>record of minimum five years of<br>operational experience in Life<br>Insurance business in India as on<br>31.03.2023.   | Audited financial statements<br>for the years 2018-2019, 2019-<br>2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022 and<br>2022-23 along with IRDAI<br>registration certificate of at<br>least five years older.   |

The bidders should submit copies of evidence / proof to examine whether they fulfill the above criteria. In addition to the above, the Bidders have to submit "Declaration of acceptance letter from the Bidder" as per Annexure IV, duly signed by the

authorised signatory of the Bidder with Bidder company's seal with the Technical Bid.

- **i.** All details with the relevant information / documents / acceptance of all terms and conditions strictly as described in this RFP will have to be submitted.
- **ii.** The Technical evaluation will be followed by the opening of the Financial Bid of those bidders who qualify as per requirement of the Bank.

# 9. BID SUBMISSION:

- a. The bids prepared by the bidder and all correspondence and documents relating to bids exchanged by the bidder and the Bank must be written in English. All the submissions under this should be supported by necessary documentary evidence, as may be applicable with a letter on bidder's letter head as per Annexure I certifying that the period of the validity of the bid is 60 days from the last date of submission of bid and confirming that the bidder has quoted for all the items/services mentioned in the bid in their financial bid:
- **b.** Bidder should submit Financial Bid as per **Annexure II** of the bid document. Financial bid should be quoted for different stages of the job as per Annexure. Financial bid in the form of hard copy should be a complete document and placed in a sealed envelope as mentioned above.
- **c.** The financial proposal shall not include any conditions attached to it and any such condition attached to the financial proposal shall be liable for rejection. The proposal should also indicate specific milestones and deliverables for raising bills for part payment subject to other conditions. Payment will be made after deducting Tax Deductible at Source as per applicable Tax Laws. Please note no additional expenses would be paid for the personnel coming from abroad.

# d. Bid Prices

The prices should be specified only in "Financial Bid" and must not be specified at any other place in the bid document. The quotes, prices and any type of Tax should be specified separately.

## e. Validity of Bids

Bid shall remain valid for **60 days** from the last date for submission of Bid. A bid valid for shorter period is liable to be rejected. The bidder may require giving consent for the extension of the period of validity of the bid beyond initial 60 days, if so desired by the Bank in writing or by email. Refusal to grant such consent would result in rejection of bid. However any extension of validity of bids will not entitle the bidder to revise/ modify the bid document or price.

#### f. Bid Compliance:

Willful misrepresentation of any fact within the Bid will lead to the cancellation of the

contract without prejudice to other actions that Bank may take. All the submissions, including any accompanying documents, will become property of the Bank.

## g. Format and Signing of Bid

- a) The bidder should prepare submission as per minimum eligibility criteria, Financial Bid and other requested information.
- **b)** Bid should be submitted as per the format stipulated in the Annexure to this RFP along with such other documents mentioned elsewhere in the RFP.
- **c)** All pages of the Bid document are serially numbered and shall be signed by the authorized person(s) only. The person(s) signing the bid shall sign all pages of the bid and rubber stamp should be affixed on each page.
- d) Any interlineations, erasures or overwriting shall be valid only if the person(s) signing the bid sign(s) authenticates them.
- e) Bid should be typed and submitted on A4 size paper, spirally bound securely and in serial order. Bidders responding to this NIT and RFP shall submit covering letter included with the bid and compliance certification statement required for submission of a proposal.

#### h. Receipt of bids

The bid shall be submitted to the following official as per the address furnished below up to the time and date mentioned at Biding Document:

Mr. S. N. Nairy, Chief Manager, Personnel and Human Resources Development Division, Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank, Head Office, Vikas Bhavana, Belagavi Road, Dharwad-580 008.

In the event of the target date for the receipt of bids being declared as holiday for the Bank, the bids will be received till the target time on the next working day. The bank may at its discretion extend the bid submission date. The modified target date and time will be notified on the web site of the Bank. Any bid received by the Bank after target date and time prescribed at Bid details will be rejected and /or returned unopened to the bidder at his risk and responsibility.

#### i. Bid Currency

Prices shall be expressed in Indian Rupees only.

#### j. Modification and Withdrawal of Bids

No bid may be withdrawn/ modified in the interval between the deadline for submission of bids and the expiration of period of bid validity.

#### k. Award criteria

The Bank will award the Contract to the successful Bidder who has been determined to qualify to perform the Contract satisfactorily, and whose Bid has been determined to be responsive, and is the lowest evaluated Bid.

#### I. Use of Contract Documents and Information

The Bidders / Insurance companies shall not, without the Bank's prior written consent, disclose the Contract or any provision thereof or any specification, plan, drawing, pattern, sample or information furnished by or on behalf of the Bank in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the Insurance companies in the performance of the Contract. Disclosure to any such employed person shall be made in confidence and shall extend only as far as may be necessary for purposes of such performance.

The Insurance companies will keep all the data and information about the Bank confidential, obtained in the execution of his responsibilities, in strict confidence and will not reveal such information to any other party without the prior written approval of the Bank

## 10. TERMINATION OF CONTRACT:

- i. The Bank alone shall have the right to terminate the contract with the selected bidder at any time during the contract period, by giving a written notice of at least one month, for any valid reason, including but not limited to the following reasons:
  - a) Laxity in following standards laid down by the Bank
  - b) Excessive delay (over 6 weeks) in execution of orders placed by the Bank
  - c) Discrepancies / deviations in the agreed processes
  - d) Violation of terms and conditions stipulated in this NIT and RFP
- **ii.** The selected bidder shall not have right to terminate the contract or to demand any damages on account of termination of the Contract by the Bank.

#### 11. TERMINATION FOR INSOLVENCY :

Bank may at any time terminate the Contract by giving written notice to the successful bidder, if it becomes bankrupt or otherwise insolvent. The event of termination will be without compensation, provided that such termination will not prejudice or affect any right of action or remedy, which has occurred or will accrue thereafter to Bank. Notwithstanding the above, the Bank shall have the right to terminate the contract any time without assigning any reasons.

#### 12. <u>GOVERNING LAW AND DISPUTES:</u> (Applicable in case of successful bidder only)

All disputes or differences whatsoever arising between the parties out of or in connection with the contract or in discharge of any obligation arising out of the Contract (whether during the progress of work or after completion of such work and

whether before or after the termination of the contract, abandonment or breach of the contract), shall be settled amicably. If however, the parties are not able to solve them amicably, party (Bank or Insurance Company), give written notice to other party clearly setting out there in specific dispute(s) and/or difference(s) and shall be referred to a sole arbitrator mutually agreed upon, and the award made in pursuance thereof shall be binding on the parties. In the absence of consensus about the single arbitrator, the dispute may be referred to a panel of three arbitrators; one to be nominated by each party and the said arbitrators shall nominate a presiding arbitrator, before commencing the arbitration proceedings. The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the Laws of India. Any appeal will be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of courts at Dharwad, Karnataka.

#### 13. TERMS AND CONDITIONS :

- i. Language of Bid: All bids and supporting documentation shall be submitted in English.
- **ii.** Bank reserves the right to accept or reject any or all Bids without assigning any reason thereof and Bank's decision in this regard will be treated as final. Bids may be accepted or rejected in total or any part or items thereof. No contractual obligation whatsoever shall arise from the RFP process unless and until a formal contract is signed and executed by duly authorized officials of the Bank and the Bidder. However, until a formal contract is prepared and executed, this offer together with Bank's written notification / acceptance of award shall constitute a binding contract with the Insurance companies.
- iii. The Bank shall have the right to reject the bids not submitted in the prescribed format or incomplete in any manner.
- **iv.** Bank is not responsible for non-receipt of bids within the specified date and time due to any reason including postal delays or holidays.
- v. The Bank also reserves the right to alter/ modify any/ some/ all of the requirements, as it may deem necessary, and notify the same to the bidders by display in the Bank's website before the last date for submission of response under this RFP. The Bidders should be agreeable for the same.
- vi. Bank shall have the right to cancel the RFP process at any time prior to award of contract, without thereby incurring any liabilities to the Bidder(s)/ selected bidder. Reasons for cancellation, as determined by the bank in its sole discretion include but are not limited to, the following:
  - a. Services Contemplated are no longer required,
  - b.Scope of work were not adequately or clearly defined due to unforeseen circumstance and/or factors and/or new developments,
  - c. Proposed prices are unacceptable to the Work,

- d. The Project is not in the best interest of the Bank,
- e. Any other reason, which is the sole opinion of the Bank a ground for cancellation of the RFP.
- vii. Bank reserves the right to verify the validity of bid information and to reject any bid or the cancel the contract where the contents appear to be incorrect, inaccurate or inappropriate at any time during the process of RFP or after award of contract, as the case maybe.
- viii. Bank reserves the right to re-negotiate the prices in the event of changes in the market conditions and/ or technology etc.

# 14. DISCLAIMER:

- i. The information contained in this RFP document issued for the eligible and interested bidders or any of their Employees / Directors, is provided on the terms and conditions set out in this document and all other terms and conditions subject to which such information is provided. The purpose of this RFP document is to provide the Bidder(s) with information to assist the formulation of their Proposals.
- **ii.** This RFP not an offer by the Bank, but an invitation for responses to the issues pertaining to Group Term Life Insurance Policy for Existing Staff Members of Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank. No contractual obligation on behalf of the Bank, whatsoever, shall arise from the RFP process unless and until a formal Contract is signed and executed by duly authorized officers of the Bank and the finally selected Bidder.
- **iii.** The Bidders, by accepting this document, agree that any information contained herein may be superseded by any subsequent written information on the same subject made available to the recipient or any of their respective officers or published in the Bank's website. It is also understood and agreed by the Bidder/s that decision of the Bank regarding selection of the Bidder will be final and binding on all concerned. No correspondence in this regard, verbal or written, will be entertained.
- iv. The Bank reserves the right to amend, modify, vary, add, delete, accept or cancel, in part or full, any condition or specification of all proposals / orders / responses, without assigning any reason thereof before evaluation of technical bids. Each Bidder shall be entirely responsible for its own costs and expenses that are incurred while participating in the RFP, presentations and contract negotiation processes.
- v. The Bank reserves the right at the time of award of contract to increase or decrease, the scope of work without any change in price or other terms and conditions.
- vi. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Document, the Bank reserves the right to accept or reject any response and to annul the process and reject all responses at any time prior to execution of the agreement with the Bidder to whom the contract is finally awarded, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected Bidder or Bidders or any

obligation to inform the affected Bidder or Bidders of the grounds for the Bank's decision.

- vii. The Bank reserves the right to cancel the entire process at any stage at its sole discretion without assigning any reason thereof.
- **viii.** It shall be the duty and responsibility of the Bidders to ensure themselves about the legal, statutory and regulatory authority, eligibility and other competency of them to participate in this RFP and to provide any and all the services and deliverables under the RFP to the Bank. An undertaking should be submitted by the bidder to this effect.
- **ix.** Subject to any law to the contrary, and to the maximum extent permitted by law, Bank and its Directors, officers, employees disclaim all liability from any loss or damage suffered by any person acting or refraining from acting because of any information including forecasts, statements, estimates, or projections contained in this RFP document or conduct ancillary to it whether or not the loss or damage arises in connection with any omission, default, lack of care or misrepresentation on the part of Bank or any of its officers, employees.

(Satheesha R.) GENERAL MANAGER

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# <u>RFP FOR GROUP TERM LIFE INSURANCE POLICY COVER FOR EXISTING STAFF</u> <u>MEMBERS OF KARNATAKA VIKAS GRAMEENA BANK</u>

| S.No.   | INSURANCE DETAILS/COVERAGES  |                      |                      |   |       |         |             |  |
|---------|--|----------------------|----------------------|---|-------|---------|-------------|--|
| 1       | Туре   | e of Policy          |                      | Group Term Life Insurance Policy  |       |         |             |  |
| 2       | Sum Assured per Staff member   |                      |                      | Rs. 5.00 Lakh for Office Attendants<br>Rs. 10.00 Lakh for Office Assistants<br>Rs. 15.00 Lakh for Officers  |       |         |             |  |
| 3       | Cove   | erage                |                      | The Policy has been formulated to cover all<br>kinds of Death including but not limited to<br>natural death, accidental death, suicidal death<br>and death due to any illness including COVID-<br>19 and other new pandemic/epidemic that may<br>arise in future days resulting in death.<br>The insurance coverage shall come into effect<br>from the date of payment and shall be valid up<br>to midnight of the date one year after the<br>payment date. |       |         |             |  |
| 4       | No. of existing staff members as on 01.06.2023. However, those   |                      |                      | Office Attendants<br>Office Assistants  |       |         | 252<br>1198 |  |
|         | employees who have expressly   |                      |                      | Officers  |       |         | 1771        |  |
|         | given their consent shall only be<br>covered under the policy.   |                      |                      | Total   |       |         | 3221        |  |
| 5       | Minimum expected   |                      |                      | 2800  |       |         |             |  |
| 6       | Administration of the scheme   |                      |                      | Centrally at Head Office of the Bank, Dharwad   |       |         |             |  |
| 7       | Premium Payment  |                      |                      | Shall be paid by the Bank Annually at the beginning of the policy.  |       |         |             |  |
| 8       | Other Terms & Conditions   |                      |                      | Employees retiring on superannuation or exiting<br>for any reason during the period of policy in<br>force shall be covered under the policy till the<br>end of the policy period.<br>No Midterm additions and Deletions during the<br>policy period.  |       |         |             |  |
| 9       | Last date for receipt of Bid<br>(Technical and Financial)Before 5.00pm on or before 23.06.2023, at<br>Bank's Head Office, Dharwad. |                      |                      |   |       |         |             |  |
| Details | of de  |                      |                      | embers in previous five years:  |       |         |             |  |
| Financ  | cial   | ial No of Staff memb |                      |   |       |         |             |  |
| Year    |  | Officers             | Office<br>Assistants | Office<br>Attendants  | Total | Rea     | Reason      |  |
| 2018-19 |  | 5                    | 2                    | 2   | 9     | Ot      | ther        |  |
| 2019-20 |  | 6                    | 4                    | 2   | 12    |         | ther        |  |
| 2020-21 |  | 5                    | 3                    | 1   | 09    | Covid-1 | Other-8     |  |
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# Annexure –I (Technical Bid Covering Letter)

# (Bid Covering Letter: To be submitted by the bidder on letter head along with Bid documents)

То

The Chairman, Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank Head Office, Dharwad-580008.

Dear Sir,

Our Bid for RFP Ref. No. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_dated \_\_\_\_\_for Group Term Life Insurance Policy of existing staff members of Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank.

- 1. In respect to your RFP mentioned above, we submit our Bid Document herewith. As desired in the RFP, we are submitting two envelopes, one containing Technical Bid and other Financial Bid, submitted separately. All details with the relevant information / documents / acceptance of all terms and conditions are strictly as described in this RFP.
- 2. We understand that:
- **i.** Bank is not bound to accept the lowest or any bid received by it, Bank may reject all or any bid without assigning any reason or giving any explanation whatsoever.
- ii. Bank may follow close or open bidding process as per requirement of the Bank.
- iii. If our Bid is accepted, we undertake to enter into, and issue the master policy on the proposed terms at our cost, when called upon by the Bank to do so and immediately on receipt of premium/data thereof. We understand that the cover will start from the date of first premium credited to the bank account of the company.
- iv. If our Bid is accepted, we are to be jointly and severally responsible for the due performance of the contract.
- **v.** The Bank shall intimate the award of contract to the successful bidder after completion of the financial bid.
- **3.** We confirm that we have the necessary legal, regulatory, statutory and corporate authority / eligibility and competency to participate in this RFP and also to provide the services as per the RFP if we are selected as per this RFP.
- 4. We have read, understand and accept the terms and conditions mentioned in the

RFP document and there will not be any exception clause in the policy.

- 5. We confirm that we have quoted for all the items/services mentioned in our financial bid.
- 6. We also confirm/clarify that the bid/offer made by us shall remain valid for 60 days from the last date of submission of the bid.
- **7.** We shall provide all types of information on the proposed policy as and when required by the Bank at the shortest possible time.
- 8. We have enclosed here with the following documents:
- 1. Copies of audited financial statements for the previous three financial years (2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23) confirming the premium amount collection of ₹300 crore per year in each of the previous 3 financial years.
- 2. Copy of IRDAI registration certificate and copy of latest renewal fee paid receipt.
- 3. Copy of audited financial statements as on 31.03.2023 showing the solvency ratio of the bidder as on 31.03.2023, or a certificate to this effect issued by the auditor / a qualified chartered accountant or copy of the notification issued by the Department of Financial Services, Ministry of Finance, Government of India.
- 4. Copy of the audited financial statements for the previous years 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23 along with IRDAI registration certificate of at least five years older.

Yours faithfully,

Authorized Signatory: (Insurance Company)

Name:

Designation:

Seal of Company

Date: 02.06.2023

## Annexure II

#### FINANCIAL BID / PRICE BID

То

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The Chairman, Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank, Head Office, Dharwad.

#### <u>GROUP TERM LIFE INSURANCE POLICY COVERAGE FOR EXISTING STAFF</u> <u>MEMBERS OF KARNATAKA VIKAS GRAMEENA BANK</u>

Ref No: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Our Premium rate (\*Net Premium excluding GST) is as stated below:

| ₹      | (Amount in Words | ) Per Lakh Sum Assurance per |
|--------|------------------|------------------------------|
| member | per Annum.       |                              |

\* Net Premium is the Premium amount excluding GST. Bank shall pay the GST on the Net Premium amount mentioned herein.

- 1. In case there is any discrepancy between figures and words, that bid will be rejected.
- 2. The L-1, L-2 and L-3 offer will be evaluated on the basis of the above quoted value
- 3. Conditional Bids are liable to be rejected.

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