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CLARIFICATION ON TENDER NUMBER- EDC/NIT/2012/002

ITEM DESCRIPTION – PROCUREMTENT OF HIGH RESOLUTION MASS SPECTROMETER

A press tender notice was issued on 14th December 2012 for the procurement of High Resolution Mass Spectrometer under two-bid system.

A pre-bid meeting was held on 2nd Jan 2013 at 11:00 am and the minutes of the meeting is as under:

1) During the meeting written queries were received from Agilent Technologies India Pvt. Ltd. And Bruker Daltonics (India) Pvt. Ltd. Both the queries and our replies to the same are as summarized below:

Query from Agilent Technologies India Pvt. Ltd:

It is mentioned in the tender document Page no: 22, point no: 13 that Rapid Polarity switching, preferably less than 1 sec, at high resolution is required and you requested that the most of QTOF systems have polarity switching time in the range of less than 2 sec.

Our reply:

Polarity switching time less than 1 sec is preferred. However, it is not the essential criteria. You are requested to mention the polarity switching time for the system that you have quoted.

Query from Bruker Daltonics (India) Pvt. Ltd:

It has been mentioned in the tender document in Chapter-4, point no: 9, page no: 22 that the mass spectrometer should be compatible with ESI, MALDI and LAESI ionization sources and Bruker may or may not include these accessories in the quote submitted.

Our reply:

We need the system to be compatible with ESI, MALDI and LAESI ionization sources. Submitting quote for the accessories for the MALDI and LAESI ionization sources is optional.

2) In general the bidders expressed their satisfaction about the details and Specifications given in the bid document.

The terms and conditions of the notice issued on our EDC website <u>www.venturecenter.co.in</u> will remain unchanged.

02.01.13 General Manager (EDC)