

PROCUREMENT NOTICE

PROCUREMENT OF NON-CONSULTANCY SERVICES

1. The **O/O CEO-NJHPC (Neelum Jhelum Hydropower Company)** intends to engage a firm under the contract for the **"NJHPC: Hiring Firm for Recruitment and Testing Services"** with the reference of **"P166992"** (planned for FY 2026-27). **The Employer shall not make any payment to the successful Bidder under this contract.** The service charges of the successful Bidder shall be recovered solely from the test fee charged to the candidates, as per the terms and conditions set out in the Bidding Document.

2. The **O/O CEO-NJHPC (Neelum Jhelum Hydropower Company)** invites Bids through **EPADS v2.0** from eligible Bidders registered on **EPADS v2.0** for provision of Non-Consultancy Services.

3. **Single Stage-One Envelope** Procedure of Principal Method of Procurement (i.e. Open Competitive Bidding) will be used by adopting **Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS)** Technique for the subject procurement, in line with the Public Procurement Rules, 2026 and any Regulations, and instructions issued by the Authority (from time to time). Bidders shall quote their financial proposal in terms of the test fee to be charged to candidates / service charge to be recovered from the test fee, as specified in the Bidding Document.

4. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security described in Bid Security Section in Bidding Document in the form of **Pay Order, Call at Deposit** or Bid Securing Declaration on the prescribed format described. The Bid Security shall be a lump sum amount of **Pak Rs. 100,000/- (Rupees One Hundred Thousand only)**, and not a percentage of the estimated amount as calculated by the EPADS software, since the estimated amount has been entered in the system only to determine the threshold for the Open Competitive Bidding method.

5. E-Bidding documents, containing detailed terms & conditions, specifications and requirements etc. are available on **e-Pak Acquisition and Disposal System (EPADS)** at **<https://epads.gov.pk/opportunities/federal/procurements/166992>**.

6. The e-bids, prepared in accordance with the instructions in the e-Bidding documents, must be submitted through **EPADS v2.0** on or before **Monday, November 9, 2026 02:00 PM**. E-bids will be opened on the same day at **Monday, November 9, 2026 02:30 PM**. Manual submission of Bids shall not be entertained. Those vendors who have not yet registered on the new version of **EPADS v2.0**, may register themselves on <https://vendors.epads.gov.pk/>. A tutorial to explain the registration process is available at [tutorial link as given in the original notice].

In terms of Rule 65 of Public Procurement Rules, 2026, Grievance Redressal Committee (GRC) is notified for the subject procurement and notification copy is available on the procuring agency's website and also available on **EPADS v2.0** as well as Authority's website at (www.ppra.gov.pk).

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