

Institute of Space Technology

INVITATION TO BID (IST/PROC/26-27/04)

1. Institute of Space Technology (IST), a public sector university established under the **Institute of Space Technology Act, 2010**, invites **e-bids from eligible firms/suppliers/contractors**, registered with the **Federal Board of Revenue (FBR)** for Income Tax and Sales Tax, as applicable, and registered on **E-Pak Acquisition & Disposal System (EPADS) Version 2.0**, for the following services:

Sr.	IT Ref No.	Description	Closing Date & Time	Opening Date & Time
1	SV-2627-0512-L	Provision of Food and Catering Services for IST Convocation at Jinnah Convention Center on 27 th and 28 th October 2026	19 October 2026, 11:30 AM	19 October 2026, 12:30 PM

2. Bidders must be registered on **EPADS Version 2.0**, registered with FBR for applicable taxes, on the **ATL where applicable**, and comply with the eligibility, qualification and authorization requirements specified in the respective **e-Bidding Documents**. Complete e-Bidding Documents, including specifications, terms, evaluation criteria, bid security and other requirements, are available for download from EPADS 2.0, PPRA website and IST website (www.ist.edu.pk).

3. E-bids shall be submitted **electronically through EPADS Version 2.0 by 19 October 2026 at 11:30 AM** in accordance with the respective e-Bidding Documents. **Manual/physical bids shall not be accepted**. E-bids shall be opened electronically on the same day at **12:30 PM**.

4. **The procurement shall be conducted in accordance with the Public Procurement Rules 2026, applicable PPRA regulations/instructions and the respective e-Bidding Documents. IST reserves the right to accept or reject any or all e-bids in accordance with the applicable rules. Any corrigendum, amendment or clarification shall be communicated through EPADS/PPRA and IST's official website.**

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