Point Number	Description of the Point	Query	Expectation	Reply to the Query
2.1 Page 6	All field staffs are being trained to use computers. The Department is now all set to take the IT implementation to the next level.	This being a new system / infrastructure training may have to be imparted to the stake holders	Can the training be organized in groups or it needs to be on a one to one basis	All stake holders are to be trained on the new system. The training can be arranged in groups. However there has to be a hand holding support in all institutions for a few months initially. This would require positioning one or two persons in each institution during this period. Details will be provided in the RFP which is to be
3.1 Page 13	The solution to be deployed in the State Data Centre (SDC) centrally and the healthcare institutions are going to be connected by way of Kerala State Wide Area Network (KSWAN) and also provided with MPLS VPN for redundant network connectivity	 Whether the solution will be hosted on existing infrastructure? If yes what would be the configuration? This would help us in designing the solution. In case the infrastructure is to be procured then who would procure the same? Are there any constraints on the type of infrastructure to be proposed? 	Request Clarity	 The KSWAN connectivity can be used up to the District Head Quarters level. Each institution is to be connected using MPLS VPN built over this KSWAN back bone. There has to be redundancy for the connectivity provided through a Primary and secondary band width service provider. Establishing this WAN will be the responsibility of the selected solution provider.

As the solution needs to be deployed in the SDC, how the maintenance would be taken care of? In case the solution is deployed in the SDC, what is the business continuity plan for the infrastructure? Like is there a separate Disaster Recovery Site? This would help us in designing the Business Continuity Plan for the solution. For connectivity KSWAN shall be used. However, in case and if it suits the solution can any other network be suggested?	 The present proposal is to provide Rack spaces at the SDC to co-locate the eHealth servers. Providing all the remaining hardware and software infrastructure required for this project at the SDC will be the responsibility of the selected solution provider. There will be minimum specifications prescribed in the RFP. However the solution provider can offer higher configurations to suit the solution. The maintenance of the servers will be responsibility of the vendor during the warranty period. There will be another location identified as the Disaster Recovery Centre. The KSWAN capacity is to be fully utilized. At this stage no other type of connectivity is planned.
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3.1 Page 13	The Field level health worker shall be given with Handheld devices/Smart phones with GPRS/3G connectivity. The device will have a mobile application to enter data and update the central database and in turn to receive the information, plans & schedules.	Is any device identified and used currently or there is a option for suggestion	Request Clarity	Minimum requirements and specifications of the hand held device will be provided in the RFP. The selected service provider has the option to suggest the device conforming to the prescribed specifications and requirements.
Point & Sub Point 2.4 and Point & Sub Point 3 Page 10 to Page 15	Introduction to e- Health Project Broad Scope of work	Can the proposed solution include other value additions other than those mentioned in the document.	Request Clarity	The vendor can include value additions other than those mentioned in the document. However acceptance of those additions will be the discretion of the Department.
Point 5 Page 18	Capability Requirements	Will the experience of group companies be considered in the eligibility.	In case a wholly owned subsidiary is bidding for the EoI, then, provision should be there for parent company / or group company to meet the eligibility criteria.	Experience of group of companies will be considered provided there is a consortium agreement among the companies. Please note that there will be a separate pre-qualification process as part of the RFP and qualifying in the EoI will not make a company or consortium eligible for prequalification at the RFP stage.

Appendix	Total Contract Value	We are implementing e	In case companies	In such cases the total
III	of the Project	Governance projects for	implementing and managing	revenue earned till date by
		Government Departments and	government projects, where	way of transactions charges,
Form IV to		the charges are transaction	there is no fixed contract	can be considered as contract
Form IX		based. Any specific guideline	value and government /	value.
		to arrive at the Total Contract	department / entity is	
Page 24 to		Value of the Project.	charged on per transaction	
Page 27			basis and existing shared	
			resources of implementing	
			company is used for	
			implementing the project, in	
			that case, the total revenue	
			earned till date by way of	
			transactions charges, should	
			be permitted to be considered	
			as contract value.	
Appendix	Date of successful	Most of our projects are e	In such a situation what	Such cases can be recorded as
III	completion of the	Governance projects and are	should we consider as the	on-going projects.
	project	ongoing, with continuous	Date of successful completion	
Form IV to		enhancement to bring in	of the project, the date of	
Form IX		efficiency for the stake holders.	starting of the commercial	
D 24.			operations of the project?	
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