



**TRCMPU LTD. | E-TENDER FOR 1 LITRE MILK BOTTLES  
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM REGIONAL CO-OPERATIVE MILK  
PRODUCERS' UNION LTD.  
(TRCMPU LTD.)**

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**E-TENDER DOCUMENT**

**Tender for Supply of 1 Litre Food-Grade PP/PET Bottle with  
Lid and Printed Shrink Sleeve for Packing Milk**

| <b>Tender No. &amp; Date</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| Estimated Tender Value       | ₹14,00,00,000/- (Rupees Fourteen Crores only)                                                                                                                                                  |
| Tender Inviting Authority    | The Managing Director, TRCMPU Ltd.                                                                                                                                                             |
| Mode of Tender               | Online E-Tender                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Contract Period              | Two (2) years from the date of agreement/work order, extendable by up to twelve (12) months, subject to satisfactory performance and approval of TRCMPU and applicable procurement provisions. |
| EMD                          | ₹100,000/- (Rupees One Lakh only), subject to applicable exemptions                                                                                                                            |
| Indicative Daily Requirement | 15,000 to 20,000 Nos./day, subject to variation as per actual requirement                                                                                                                      |
| Delivery Locations           | TRCMPU designated dairy/units at Thiruvananthapuram, Kollam, and Pathanamthitta                                                                                                                |
| Price Basis                  | All-inclusive composite rate per unit – Bottle + Cap + Shrinking of printed shrink sleeve, delivered                                                                                           |
| Bid Validity                 | 120 days from the last date prescribed for submission                                                                                                                                          |

Price bids shall be opened only for bidders who are technically qualified, subject to the provisions of the tender.

**Schedule of Tender**

The bidder shall carefully study the complete tender document, including the technical specifications, eligibility criteria, Annexures and attached approved bottle specifications/drawings, before submitting the bid.

The tender shall be submitted through the e-procurement portal within the time prescribed in the tender schedule. Bids received after the stipulated closing date and time shall be dealt with in accordance with the applicable e-procurement provisions.

The tender is invited from eligible bidders for the supply of 1 litre food-grade plastic milk bottles conforming to the technical specifications, approved drawings/specifications and other terms and conditions contained in this tender document.

Tender Fee Rs 10000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand Only)

EMD: ₹100,000/- (Rupees One Lakh only), subject to applicable exemptions.



Contract Period: Two (2) years from the date of agreement/work order, extendable by up to twelve (12) months, subject to satisfactory performance and approval of TRCMPU and applicable procurement provisions.

Mode of Tender: E-Tender

Estimated Tender Value: ₹14,00,00,000/- (Rupees Fourteen Crores only)

Name of Work: Supply of 1 Litre Food-Grade PP/PET Milk Bottles with Lid and shrinking of printed shrink sleeve for packing Milk.

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

Tender No.: \_\_\_\_\_

## **E-TENDER NOTICE**

**TRIVANDRUM REGIONAL CO-OPERATIVE MILK PRODUCERS' UNION LTD. (TRCMPU LTD)**

### **1. NOTICE INVITING E-TENDER**

Price bid opening: Date

Price bids shall be opened only for technically qualified bidders, subject to the tender conditions.

Technical bid opening: Date 18.09.2026 | Time 11:00 hrs

Pre-bid meeting: Date 14.09.2026 | Time 15:00 hrs

Venue TRCMPU Ltd, Ksheera Bhavan, Pattom P O

Last date and time for submission of bids: 17.09.2026 11:00 hrs

Date of publication of e-tender: 05.09.2026

The above tender schedule shall be read together with the dates published in the official e-procurement portal. Any amendment or corrigendum shall be notified through the portal and shall form part of the tender.

### **2. SCOPE OF SUPPLY**

The successful bidder(s) shall be responsible for the comprehensive end-to-end supply of bottles as a complete unit. The scope shall include:

Sourcing approved virgin food-grade polymer raw materials, food-contact master batches, cap materials and shrink film.

Precision manufacture of 1 Litre PP/PET bottles conforming to the approved sample, design, capacity, weight and dimensional parameters.

Supply of leak-proof, tamper-evident food-grade caps compatible with the approved bottle neck and capping system.



Supply of bottles with printed shrink sleeves shrunk/sleeved ready for line filling, as directed by TRCMPU dairy operations.

Hygienic secondary packing to prevent dust, moisture, deformation, contamination and physical damage during storage and transit.

Door delivery, unloading and safe stacking at designated TRCMPU dairy units.

Replacement of rejected, leaky, distorted or defective bottles, caps and sleeves at the supplier's cost.

Maintenance of adequate manufacturing capacity, raw-material availability and logistics arrangements to meet scheduled and additional requirements.

Where more than one technically qualified supplier or bottle option is accepted, TRCMPU may distribute the procurement among them in such manner as may be decided by the Managing Director, subject to applicable procurement provisions.

TRCMPU may also vary the quantity, allocation and frequency of procurement between the approved bottle options during the contract period according to actual operational requirements. No minimum quantity or assured allocation for any particular material or weight option shall be implied unless specifically stated in the purchase order.

Technical qualification or approval of a sample shall not confer any vested right on the bidder to demand purchase of the particular material, weight option, quantity or proportion offered by the bidder. TRCMPU may accept one option, more than one option, or reject any option, as considered appropriate by the Managing Director.

### 3. BOTTLE MATERIAL, WEIGHT OPTIONS AND RIGHT OF MANAGING DIRECTOR TO SELECT THE BOTTLE

The Managing Director, TRCMPU Ltd., shall have the absolute right, subject to applicable procurement rules and the tender conditions, to decide which bottle type is to be accepted for procurement from among the technically qualified offers, namely PP or PET and/or  $30 \pm 2$  g or  $40 \pm 2$  g bottle, cap weight  $2.75 \pm 0.25$  g based on operational suitability, machine compatibility, performance, commercial considerations, supply continuity and the requirements of TRCMPU.

The bidder shall clearly indicate the material offered (PP or PET) and the bottle weight option offered ( $30 \pm 2$  g or  $40 \pm 2$  g) in the Technical Bid and Price Schedule. Separate rates may be quoted for the different weight options, wherever permitted in the e-procurement schedule.

- (a) Bottle weight  $30 \pm 2$  g; Cap weight  $2.75 \pm 0.25$  g OR
- (b) Bottle weight  $40 \pm 2$  g; Cap weight  $2.75 \pm 0.25$  g

For each material (PP or PET), the bidder may offer either of the following approved bottle weight options:



The tender is invited as a single category for supply of 1 Litre food-grade PP/PET bottles complete with compatible lids/caps and shrinked printed shrink sleeves. The bidder may offer either PP or PET bottle, subject to compliance with all technical, food-contact, dimensional, machine-compatibility and quality requirements specified in this tender.

#### **4. RIGHT OF TRCMPU / MANAGING DIRECTOR TO ACCEPT, REJECT, SPLIT OR CANCEL**

The Managing Director, TRCMPU Ltd., reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, split the supply among multiple qualified bidders, modify procurement schedules or quantities, increase/decrease the requirement, re-invite tender, or cancel/annul the tender process at any stage, subject to applicable procurement rules and conditions of the e-procurement portal.

### **5. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS & STANDARDS**

#### **5.1 General Requirements**

- Nominal capacity: 1000 ml (1.0 litre).
- Specifically suitable for packing pasteurized chilled liquid milk under automatic/mechanical filling, capping/sealing and shrink-wrapping conditions.
- Food-grade, hygienic, clean, odour-free and free from foreign matter.
- Adequate mechanical strength to withstand conveyor movement, drop/handling impact, capping torque, shrink-tunnel heat, transportation and refrigerated storage/stacking.
- No leakage, collapse, cracking or unacceptable deformation under normal conditions of use.
- The bottle shall not impart taste, odour, colour or other undesirable characteristics to milk.
- Free from sharp edges, flash, burrs, cracks, pinholes, black spots, foreign particles, contamination and other manufacturing defects.
- Dimensionally consistent for trouble-free operation on TRCMPU filling/capping machinery.
- Final bottle design, profile, dimensions, mould configuration and weight shall be subject to sample approval and machine trial by TRCMPU before regular commercial supply.

#### **Approved Bottle Specifications**

The following approved specifications/drawings shall be attached to the e-tender document and shall form part of the technical specifications. Bidders shall comply with the attached specifications.

The attached approved drawings/specification sheets shall prevail for all dimensions, design parameters and other technical requirements not specifically reproduced in this tender.

Bottle Weight: The bidder may offer either  $30 \pm 2$  g OR  $40 \pm 2$  g, as specified below.

Brimful Capacity:  $1076 \pm 20$  ml.

Filpoint Capacity (Nominal Capacity): 1000 ml.

However, if the art work gets altered or any modification in the shape and size of the bottle is made during the contract period, the supplier has to arrange the label with modified art work for which proportionate increase/decrease in rate in line with size based on which the rate is awarded in the order shall be given.



## 5.2 PP/PET Bottle – Single Tender Category

- Bottle shall be manufactured from virgin food-grade Polypropylene or other permitted food-contact PP/PET material.
- Material shall comply with applicable FSSAI requirements and relevant BIS standards, wherever applicable.
- Bidder shall furnish PP/PET resin manufacturer details, grade/type, Technical Data Sheet, food-contact compliance certificate, declaration of conformity and details of additives/colourants/processing aids.

## 5.3 PP/PET Bottle

- The bidder may offer a bottle manufactured either from virgin food-grade Polypropylene (PP) or food-grade Polyethylene Terephthalate (PET), suitable for the intended milk-packing application.
- The material offered shall comply with applicable FSSAI requirements and relevant BIS standards, wherever applicable.
- For PP: the bidder shall furnish PP resin manufacturer details, grade/type, Technical Data Sheet, food-contact compliance certificate, declaration of conformity and details of additives/colourants/processing aids.
- For PET: the bidder shall furnish PET resin manufacturer details, resin grade, Technical Data Sheet, food-contact compliance certificate, declaration of conformity and details of additives/colourants.

The bidder shall clearly indicate in the technical bid whether the offered bottle material is PP/PET and shall submit the relevant material-specific compliance documents and test reports.

The bottle material, construction and specifications offered shall be subject to sample approval and machine trial by TRCMPU before commencement of regular commercial supply.

If recycled PET content is proposed, the bidder shall clearly declare the same and establish that it is permitted and compliant for the intended food-contact application.

## 5.4 Caps / Closures

- Food-grade HDPE/PP or other approved food-contact material compatible with the bottle neck.
- Secure closure with effective leakage prevention and suitability for automatic capping.
- Tamper-evident security feature/ring as per the approved design.
- Free from cracks, deformation, contamination and other defects.

## 5.5 Printed Shrink Sleeves

- Printed sleeves supplied by TRCMPU shall be used for shrinking..

## 6. SAMPLE SUBMISSION, APPROVAL & MACHINE TRIAL

Since the final bottle construction/design shall be established based on compatibility with TRCMPU's existing filling and packing systems, bidders shall submit samples and technical details for evaluation.



- At least 40 nos. of empty bottles of the proposed type for the material offered.
- At least 40 nos. of corresponding caps.
- Dimensional drawing and bottle profile.
- Bottle weight, nominal capacity and brimful capacity.
- Neck finish and cap specifications.
- Material and manufacturing-process details.
- Technical Data Sheet and food-contact compliance documents.

TRCMPU may conduct dimensional inspection, capacity verification, visual inspection, leak test, drop/handling test, compression/stacking assessment, capping trial, filling-line trial, shrink-wrapping trial and transportation/handling trial.

The bidder shall make reasonable modifications to the proposed mould/design, if required by TRCMPU for compatibility with the existing filling, capping and shrink-wrapping equipment. No regular production supply shall commence without written sample approval/clearance from TRCMPU.

## **7. FOOD SAFETY, STATUTORY COMPLIANCE & TESTING**

All bottles, caps, sleeves and materials coming into direct or indirect contact with milk shall comply with the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006, applicable Food Safety and Standards (Packaging) Regulations, 2018, relevant BIS specifications and applicable environmental/plastic-waste requirements, as amended from time to time.

TRCMPU may require test reports from an accredited/recognised laboratory for overall migration, specific migration, heavy metals, extractables, food-contact suitability, odour/taste transfer, material identification or any other test considered necessary. Testing costs for supplier-submitted samples shall ordinarily be borne by the supplier. TRCMPU may independently test samples, and costs arising from a failed test may be recovered from the supplier.

## **8. QUALITY REQUIREMENTS & BATCH CONTROL**

- Each batch shall be uniform in colour, shape, dimensions, capacity, weight, wall thickness, neck finish, cap fitment and mechanical strength.
- Major defects include leakage, cracks, pinholes, contamination, incorrect capacity, incorrect neck finish, improper cap fitment, severe deformation, material non-conformity and food-safety non-compliance.
- Unacceptable visual defects include black spots, foreign particles, burn marks, excessive flash, burrs, surface cracks, severe scratches, deformation and colour variation beyond the approved sample.
- Every supply shall be traceable to the manufacturing batch. The supplier shall maintain manufacturing date, batch/lot number, raw-material batch, production quantity, inspection/test records, dispatch quantity, delivery date and destination, and provide batch identification with each delivery.

## **9. PACKING, STORAGE & TRANSPORTATION**

- Bottles shall be packed to prevent dust/moisture contamination, physical damage, deformation, mixing of batches and exposure to unsuitable chemicals or odours.
- Secondary packaging shall be strong enough for safe transportation and handling and shall not itself contaminate the bottles.
- Supplier shall store bottles in a clean and hygienic environment protected from dust, direct contamination, excessive heat, chemicals, strong odours, moisture and pests.



- Transportation shall be arranged by the supplier in clean vehicles suitable for food-contact packaging. Vehicles shall be free from contaminants, chemicals, strong odours, waste material and other goods likely to contaminate the bottles.

## **10. DELIVERY LOCATIONS & DELIVERY SCHEDULE**

Supplies shall be made to TRCMPU's designated dairy/plant locations presently at Thiruvananthapuram, Kollam and Pathanamthitta or such other TRCMPU location as may be specified in the purchase order.

The initial indicative requirement is 15,000–20,000 Nos. per day. This is only an indicative requirement and shall not constitute any minimum quantity guarantee. TRCMPU may issue daily, weekly, fortnightly or other delivery schedules according to operational requirements.

The above price on F O R basis which is inclusive of the cost of sleeved bottle, cap, master carton and GST plus freight. The normal unloading charges only will be borne by the respective units and additional charges if any, including mamool shall be paid by the supplier. The rate includes the shrinking of sleeves, shrink sleeving labour charges for providing the shrink labelled bottles. The rate fixed is based on the tax structure prevails as on 01.04.2026.

The supplier shall maintain sufficient production capacity and raw-material availability to accommodate reasonable increases in requirement. In unforeseen increases in milk production, special market demand or operational requirement, TRCMPU may request additional quantities and the supplier shall make all reasonable efforts to meet the additional requirement.

### **10A. PRICE ESCALATION**

The price of the bottle shall be based on the basic raw-material price, i.e. Granule price (G5801), as on 01.09.2026, as fixed by M/s Reliance Industries Ltd. (RIL), Ex-Kochi. The quoted rate shall be subject to increase or decrease whenever the price of the said granule varies by 5% or more from the basic granule price prevailing as on 01.09.2026. A copy of the price revision chart published by RIL shall be furnished along with the respective invoice whenever price revision is claimed. The supplier shall strictly ensure submission of the above document to avoid delay in effecting the price revision. It shall be the sole responsibility of the supplier to intimate TRCMPU promptly regarding any increase or reduction in the granule price and to submit the supporting price revision details in time to enable corresponding revision of the bottle price. The price revision shall be effected immediately upon revision of the granule price by RIL, subject to the above 5% variation condition. Lead time for supplies shall be applicable as per the tender/work order conditions. However, price revision shall not be applicable to supplies effected by the supplier after expiry of the lead time specified in the respective purchase order(s). In case there is no price revision in any month, the supplier shall nevertheless furnish the above price details/confirmation by the last day of that month.

## **11. COMMERCIAL TERMS**

Contract period: Two (2) years from the date of formal agreement/work order, with provision for extension up to twelve (12) months, subject to satisfactory performance and applicable contractual/procurement provisions.

EMD: ₹100,000/- through the prescribed e-procurement mechanism, subject to applicable exemptions.



Price basis: The price shall be governed by Clause 10A (Price Basis). The price adjustment/escalation mechanism shall be governed by Clause 10B (Price Escalation).

Payment: Within 30 days of receipt, verification, acceptance and submission of complete and correct documents, subject to applicable TRCMPU procedures.

No additional charge shall ordinarily be payable beyond the accepted delivered rate.

Bid validity: 120 days from the last date prescribed for submission.

Price shall remain firm for the contract period unless a price-adjustment mechanism is specifically permitted in the e-tender schedule.

## 12. EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT

The bidder shall submit an EMD of ₹100,000/- in the manner prescribed in the e-procurement portal/tender conditions. Bids without the required EMD, unless specifically exempted under applicable rules, may be rejected. EMD may be forfeited for withdrawal during bid validity, failure to execute the agreement, failure to furnish required performance security, failure to commence supply or other breaches warranting forfeiture under the tender conditions.

**Security Deposit / Performance Security:** The successful bidder shall furnish the prescribed security deposit/performance security within the time specified in the Letter of Acceptance/Work Order. The amount shall be 5 % of the accepted contract value or ₹ 500000/-, whichever is lower as finally approved, subject to applicable procurement rules. The security shall remain valid for the prescribed contract period and the applicable claim/defect-liability period, wherever required. The exact amount, form, validity and conditions of release shall be stated in the Letter of Acceptance/Agreement.

## 13. PERFORMANCE SECURITY

The successful bidder shall furnish performance security at the rate of 5 % of the **accepted contract value or ₹ 500000/-, whichever is lower as finally approved** within the period stipulated by TRCMPU. The exact form, validity, invocation and release conditions shall be as specified in the Letter of Acceptance/Agreement and applicable procurement provisions.

## 14. ELIGIBILITY OF BIDDERS

- Legally constituted firm/company/LLP/proprietorship/partnership/co-operative or other eligible business entity.
- Engaged in manufacture/supply of plastic food-contact packaging.
- Technically and financially capable of meeting the required supply and quality requirements.
- Compliant with applicable statutory requirements.
- The bidder shall upload PAN, GST registration certificate, constitution/incorporation/registration certificate, manufacturing-facility details, machinery details, production capacity, relevant experience/work orders, major customer details where applicable, food-contact compliance documents, raw-material details, test certificates, bank details, EMD proof and prescribed undertakings/declarations.
- Where the bidder is not the actual manufacturer, manufacturer authorisation, manufacturing-facility details, manufacturer's undertaking and relevant



technical/food-contact documents shall be submitted. TRCMPU reserves the right to inspect the bidder's/manufacturer's premises.

- Legal and Financial Status: The bidder shall be a legally constituted entity having valid PAN and GST registration and shall not be insolvent, under liquidation or otherwise legally/financially incapacitated from performing the contract.
- Food/Dairy Packaging Experience: Experience in supplying plastic packaging for milk, dairy products, beverages or other food-contact applications shall be supported by documentary evidence, wherever specified in the tender.
- Relevant Experience: The bidder/manufacturer shall have a minimum of three (3) years' experience in the manufacture/supply of food-grade plastic bottles/containers of similar nature. Purchase orders, work orders, completion/performance certificates or equivalent evidence shall be submitted.
- Annual Turnover: The bidder shall have an average annual turnover of not less than ₹ 3 Crores during the last three completed financial years. Audited financial statements or a certificate issued by a Chartered Accountant shall be submitted as proof.
- The bidder shall satisfy the following minimum eligibility and experience requirements and shall upload documentary evidence along with the technical bid:

## **15. MINIMUM PRODUCTION CAPACITY & CONTINUITY OF SUPPLY, ELIGIBILITY, EXPERIENCE AND ANNUAL TURNOVER OF BIDDERS**

The bidder shall declare present production capacity, capacity available for TRCMPU and maximum additional capacity that can be mobilised. TRCMPU may seek documentary evidence, production records, machinery details or factory inspection to verify the declared capacity.

- Adequate raw-material stock/procurement arrangements.
- Adequate finished-goods stock where operationally necessary.
- Adequate machinery, manpower and logistics arrangements.
- Immediate intimation to TRCMPU of any event likely to affect regular supply.
- Failure to satisfy any mandatory eligibility requirement or submission of inadequate documentary evidence may result in rejection of the technical bid.
- Statutory/financial status: The bidder shall not be insolvent, under liquidation or otherwise legally/financially incapacitated from performing the contract and shall furnish the prescribed declaration.
- Factory inspection: TRCMPU reserves the right to inspect the bidder's/manufacturer's factory, machinery, quality-control facilities, storage and dispatch arrangements before technical qualification or during the contract period.
- Manufacturing capacity: The bidder shall possess adequate machinery, moulding facilities, quality-control arrangements, manpower and production capacity to meet the indicative TRCMPU requirement and shall submit a capacity declaration.
- Annual turnover: The bidder shall have an average annual turnover of not less than ₹ 3 Crore during the last three completed financial years. Audited financial statements or a certificate issued by a Chartered Accountant shall be submitted as proof.

## **16. TECHNICAL BID DOCUMENTS**

- Company registration/incorporation documents, PAN and GST certificate.
- Address and manufacturing-unit details.
- Product specification, bottle drawing, dimensions, weight, capacity, material and cap details.
- Manufacturing process and raw-material specifications.



- Food-contact declaration and applicable test/migration reports.
- Quality-control procedure.
- Production capacity, machinery list and existing commitments.
- Physical samples as directed by TRCMPU.
- Signed tender document and no-deviation declaration.

The bidder shall specifically confirm compliance with the attached Brimful and Filpoint bottle specifications, including bottle weight, nominal/Filpoint capacity and brimful capacity, and shall submit the completed Annexure II accordingly.

## **17. TECHNICAL EVALUATION**

Technical evaluation shall consider eligibility, compliance with tender conditions, manufacturing capacity, technical specification, food-contact compliance, sample quality, machine compatibility, bottle/cap performance and submitted documentation. TRCMPU may conduct sample/machine trials before opening/evaluation of the price bid wherever considered necessary. Only technically qualified bidders shall be considered for financial evaluation.

## **18. AWARD OF CONTRACT & RATE DISCOVERY**

The contract may be awarded to the lowest evaluated technically qualified bidder (L1) for each category, subject to the tender conditions. TRCMPU may award one or both categories to the same bidder or to different bidders and may award quantities to more than one supplier where necessary to ensure continuity of supply.

TRCMPU reserves the right to undertake rate discovery or negotiation with eligible lowest bidder(s), wherever permissible under applicable procurement procedures. No bidder shall have an automatic right to demand negotiation.

## **19. PURCHASE ORDERS**

Supply shall be made only against written purchase orders/release orders issued by the authorised officer of TRCMPU. Each purchase order may specify quantity, delivery location, delivery schedule, bottle category, batch requirements and special instructions. The supplier shall not supply quantities substantially exceeding the purchase order without prior written approval.

### **19 (a). LEAD TIME**

20 days from the date of purchase order raised by the Unit. Even though lead time is given for the supply, the supply shall be commenced immediately on receipt of purchase order as per the supply schedule provided from the consignee unit and shall be completed within the lead time. However, the price revision will not be applicable for the supplies carried out by the supplier after the lead time mentioned in the respective purchase orders raised by the Units.

## **20. INSPECTION & REJECTION**

TRCMPU shall have the right to inspect raw materials, manufacturing process, finished bottles, caps, sleeves, packing, storage and dispatch arrangements at the supplier's factory, TRCMPU premises, independent laboratory or any other location considered necessary.

Inspection or acceptance shall not relieve the supplier of responsibility for latent defects.

TRCMPU may reject any batch that does not conform to the approved sample/specification, has leakage/deformation/cap-fitment defects, contains contamination or unacceptable



variation, fails food-contact compliance, contains unacceptable defects or is supplied contrary to the order.

Rejected material shall be removed and replaced by the supplier at its own cost within the period specified by TRCMPU. For urgent milk-packing requirements, the supplier shall replace rejected/defective bottles within 48 hours or such other period as specified by TRCMPU. If the supplier fails to do so, TRCMPU may procure from an alternative source and recover additional expenditure from the supplier.

## **21. QUALITY FAILURE DURING PRODUCTION**

If a supplied batch causes filling-line stoppage, capping failure, leakage, shrink-wrapping failure, excessive bottle breakage, product contamination risk or other operational problems, TRCMPU may suspend use of the affected batch pending investigation. The supplier shall investigate and submit corrective action. Repeated quality failures may result in suspension, reduction of allocation, recovery of losses or termination, subject to the contract.

## **22. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES / DELAY**

In the event of delay attributable to the supplier, TRCMPU may impose liquidated damages at 0.5% of the value of the delayed quantity per week or part thereof, subject to a maximum of 10% of the value of the delayed quantity, unless otherwise specified in the purchase order. This shall be without prejudice to other contractual remedies.

## **23. ALTERNATIVE PROCUREMENT**

If the supplier fails to supply the required quantity within the prescribed delivery period, TRCMPU may procure the shortfall from an alternative source and recover any additional expenditure from the defaulting supplier, subject to the contract and applicable procurement provisions.

## **24. FORCE MAJEURE**

Neither party shall be liable for failure to perform contractual obligations caused by circumstances beyond reasonable control, including natural disasters, flood, fire, war, riots, government restrictions, epidemics/pandemics and major transport disruption. The affected party shall notify the other party promptly. Shortage or increase in the price of raw material, labour or transport shall not automatically constitute force majeure.

## **25. TERMINATION / DEBARMENT**

TRCMPU may terminate the contract for persistent failure to supply, repeated quality failure, false documents, fraudulent conduct, abandonment, insolvency, serious food-safety non-compliance, unauthorised assignment/sub-contracting, failure to maintain statutory compliance or other material breach, subject to applicable contractual procedures.

Fraud, corruption, forged documents, deliberate misrepresentation, collusion or serious misconduct may result in forfeiture of EMD/performance security, termination and debarment/blacklisting in accordance with applicable rules and due process.

## **26. SUB-CONTRACTING**

The supplier shall not subcontract the essential manufacturing obligation without prior written approval of TRCMPU. Where subcontracting is approved, the successful bidder shall remain fully responsible for quality, delivery and statutory compliance.



## **27. TRCMPU MATERIAL / INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

Any drawings, specifications, samples, artwork, sleeves, labels or other material supplied by TRCMPU shall remain the property of TRCMPU. Such material shall not be reproduced or used for any other customer. TRCMPU-supplied artwork/sleeves, where applicable, shall be used exclusively for TRCMPU's intended purpose.

## **28. ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE**

The supplier shall comply with applicable laws relating to Plastic Waste Management, Extended Producer Responsibility wherever applicable, pollution control, manufacturing/disposal of plastic packaging and environmental protection, and shall provide statutory registrations/certificates wherever applicable.

## **29. INSURANCE, STORAGE & RESPONSIBILITY**

The supplier shall maintain adequate insurance for manufacturing operations, employees, goods in transit and other applicable risks. Responsibility for loss or damage to bottles shall remain with the supplier until acceptance at the designated delivery point.

## **30. WEIGHTS, MEASURES, SHORTAGE & INVOICING**

All dimensions, capacity and weights shall be declared accurately. TRCMPU may verify bottle weight, cap weight, capacity, dimensions and number of bottles per package. Payment shall be made only for accepted quantities.

Invoices shall contain purchase order number, delivery location, item description, bottle type, quantity, unit rate, GST details, batch number, manufacturing date where applicable and dispatch details.

## **31. AGREEMENT, BID VALIDITY & GENERAL CONDITIONS**

The successful bidder shall execute an agreement with TRCMPU in the prescribed format within the period specified in the Letter of Acceptance/Work Order. Bid validity shall be 120 days from the last date prescribed for submission. Submission of a bid shall constitute acceptance of the tender conditions. Conditional bids may be rejected. The bidder shall bear all costs associated with preparation and submission of the bid.

The cost of stamp paper, execution, registration/notarisation if applicable, and all incidental expenses shall be borne by the successful bidder. Failure to execute the agreement within the prescribed period may result in forfeiture of EMD/security and/or cancellation of the award in accordance with the tender conditions and applicable procurement provisions.

The successful bidder shall execute the formal agreement with TRCMPU Ltd. on non-judicial stamp paper of the value prescribed under the applicable Kerala Stamp Act/Rules and as directed by TRCMPU. The agreement shall be executed within the period specified in the Letter of Acceptance/Work Order and shall incorporate the accepted tender, price schedule, purchase conditions, technical specifications, approved bottle specifications/drawings, performance-security requirements and other applicable conditions.

## **32. CORRIGENDUM, DISPUTE RESOLUTION & JURISDICTION**

All amendments, clarifications, corrigenda and addenda shall be published through the official e-procurement portal, and bidders shall be responsible for checking the portal regularly.



Any dispute shall first be referred to the authorised officers of TRCMPU and the supplier for amicable settlement. If unresolved, the matter shall be dealt with in accordance with applicable law and contractual dispute-resolution provisions. Courts having jurisdiction over TRCMPU's relevant jurisdiction shall have jurisdiction, subject to applicable law.

**IMPORTANT PROCUREMENT NOTE: The tender shall be treated as a single PP/PET bottle category with two permissible bottle-weight options,  $30 \pm 2$  g and  $40 \pm 2$  g. The Managing Director, TRCMPU Ltd., reserves the right to select the material and weight option to be accepted and procured, and the bidder shall have no right to insist on acceptance of any particular option.**

Digitally signed by  
WILSON M J  
Date: 07-09-2026  
11:25:44

**MANAGING DIRECTOR  
TRCMPU Ltd**



## ANNEXURE I – BILL OF QUANTITIES / PRICE SCHEDULE

| Sl. No. | Item Description                                                                | Unit | Basic Rate (₹) | GST / Total All-Inclusive Rate (₹) |
|---------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|----------------|------------------------------------|
| 1       | 1 Litre Food-Grade PET Bottle with compatible Tamper-Evident Lid/Cap – 30 ± 2 g | No.  | _____          | _____                              |
| 2       | 1 Litre Food-Grade PET Bottle with compatible Tamper-Evident Lid/Cap – 40 ± 2 g | No.  | _____          | _____                              |
| 3       | 1 Litre Food-Grade PP Bottle with compatible Tamper-Evident Lid/Cap – 30 ± 2 g  | No   | _____          | _____                              |
| 4       | 1 Litre Food-Grade PP Bottle with compatible Tamper-Evident Lid/Cap – 40 ± 2 g  | No   | _____          | _____                              |

**Note: Rates shall be inclusive of bottle, cap, shrinking of sleeve, printing/cylinder cost amortisation, packing, transit insurance, freight, GST and all incidental charges, subject to Clause 10A (Price Basis) and Clause 10B (Price Escalation). Normal unloading charges only shall be borne by the respective TRCMPU Units; additional charges, if any, including mamool, shall be borne by the supplier.**

Name of Bidder: \_\_\_\_\_ Authorised Signatory: \_\_\_\_\_

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



## ANNEXURE II – TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

**Note:** In Annexure II, “Nominal Capacity” shall be treated as Filpoint Capacity (1000 ml), and “Brimful Capacity” shall be stated as  $1076 \pm 20$  ml. The attached approved specifications shall be referred to for all other technical parameters.

| Parameter                         | PP Bottle – Bidder's Offer                       |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Manufacturer / Brand / Model      | _____                                            |
| Raw Material Manufacturer / Grade | _____                                            |
| Nominal / Filpoint Capacity (ml)  | 1000 ml                                          |
| Brimful Capacity (ml)             | $1076 \pm 20$ ml (Brimful)                       |
| Bottle Weight (g)                 | $30 \pm 2$ g OR $40 \pm 2$ g (bidder to specify) |
| Maximum Height (mm)               | 247 mm                                           |
| Diameter (mm)                     | $85.5 \pm 1.2$ mm                                |
| Neck Finish                       | 38 mm                                            |
| Cap Type / Material / Weight      | HDPE/PP                                          |
| Colour                            | White                                            |
| Manufacturing Process             | _____                                            |
| Production Capacity/day           | _____                                            |
| Available Capacity for TRCMPU/day | _____                                            |
| Food Contact Compliance           | _____                                            |
| FSSAI Compliance Documents        | _____                                            |
| Migration Test Report             | _____                                            |
| Sample Submitted                  | _____                                            |

Name of Bidder: \_\_\_\_\_ Authorised Signatory: \_\_\_\_\_

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



### ANNEXURE III – BIDDER'S CAPACITY DECLARATION

Present production capacity: \_\_\_\_\_ Nos./day  
 Capacity that can be reserved for TRCMPU: \_\_\_\_\_ Nos./day  
 Maximum additional capacity that can be mobilised: \_\_\_\_\_ Nos./day  
 We confirm adequate machinery, manpower, raw-material procurement arrangements and logistics capacity to supply to designated TRCMPU locations.  
 Name of Bidder: \_\_\_\_\_ Authorised Signatory: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Seal: \_\_\_\_\_

### ANNEXURE IV – SAMPLE APPROVAL / MACHINE TRIAL FORMAT

| Test / Parameter   | Requirement            | Result / Status |
|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| Visual appearance  | As per approved sample | _____           |
| Capacity           | 1 litre nominal        | _____           |
| Bottle weight      | As approved            | _____           |
| Dimensions         | As approved            | _____           |
| Neck finish        | Compatible             | _____           |
| Cap fitment        | Satisfactory           | _____           |
| Leakage test       | No leakage             | _____           |
| Filling-line trial | Satisfactory           | _____           |
| Capping trial      | Satisfactory           | _____           |
| Shrink-wrap trial  | Satisfactory           | _____           |
| Handling test      | Satisfactory           | _____           |

Technical Recommendation: Approved / Not Approved / Modification Required

TRCMPU Officer: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### ANNEXURE V – DECLARATION OF FOOD-CONTACT COMPLIANCE

We hereby declare that the bottles and caps offered under this tender are manufactured from materials suitable for the intended food-contact application and comply with applicable provisions of the Food Safety and Standards Act, applicable FSSAI Packaging Regulations, relevant BIS standards and other applicable statutory requirements. We undertake to submit all compliance certificates and test reports requested by TRCMPU.

Name of Bidder: \_\_\_\_\_ Authorised Signatory: \_\_\_\_\_

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



## **ANNEXURE VI – NO-DEVIATION DECLARATION**

We hereby confirm that we have examined the complete tender document and agree to comply with all technical, commercial and contractual requirements contained therein.

Name of Bidder: \_\_\_\_\_ Authorised Signatory: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Seal: \_\_\_\_\_

## **ANNEXURE VII – LIST OF DOCUMENTS TO BE UPLOADED**

EMD proof / applicable exemption document.  
PAN.  
GST Registration Certificate.  
Registration/Incorporation Certificate.  
Manufacturing licence/registration, wherever applicable.  
Factory/manufacturing-unit details.  
Machinery details.  
Production-capacity statement.  
Experience certificates / work orders.  
Major customer details, where applicable.  
Raw-material manufacturer's details and Technical Data Sheet.  
Food-contact compliance certificate.  
Migration test report, where applicable.  
Bottle technical drawing and cap technical drawing.  
Product specification and quality-control procedure.  
Undertaking regarding supply capacity.  
Declaration of statutory compliance.  
No-deviation declaration.  
Signed tender document.  
Any other document specified in the e-procurement portal.  
Estimated tender value: ₹14,00,00,000/- (Rupees Seven Crore only).

Name of Bidder: \_\_\_\_\_ Authorised Signatory: \_\_\_\_\_

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



