

PRADHAN MANTRI E-BUS SEWA SCHEME

Adani Ent, EKA, JBM, Others in Race to Supply and Run 4,588 E-buses

Four vehicle makers & half a dozen operators participate in ₹8,000-cr tender

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New Delhi: Adani Enterprises, EKA Mobility, JBM EcoLife, Greencell Mobility and Chartered Speed are among the frontrunners in the latest tender floated by state-run Convergence Energy Services Ltd (CESL) for supplying, operating and maintaining electric buses under the Pradhan Mantri e-Bus Sewa Scheme.

As many as 10 companies including four vehicle makers and half a dozen operators and aggregators bid for the tender for 4,588 buses, pegged at ₹8,000 crore, said people with knowledge of the matter.

The tender is the first of several scheduled to be floated by the government to deploy 10,000 electric buses under the PM e-Bus Sewa Scheme and support their operations over the coming decade. The total cost of the scheme is estimated at ₹57,613 crore.

The bids were opened on Thursday and will be awarded after due evaluation, said a senior official. "Financial bids have opened this week. They are being assessed," the official told ET.

EKA, Greencell, JBM, Switch Mobility, Chartered Speed and PMI Electro Mobility didn't respond to queries.

While Pune-based EKA Mobility participated in the tender for supplying electric buses to Andhra Pradesh directly, the



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remaining automakers—Delhi-based JBM, Hinduja Group-promoted Switch Mobility, and Hyderabad-based Electra-participated through subsidiaries and associates. The rest of the bidders for the tender included operators and aggregators such as Greencell Mobility and Chartered Speed. Pinnacle Mobility, part of EKA Mobility, is learnt to have cornered the lion's share as it made the Andhra Pradesh bids directly. A consortium of Chartered Speed, an Ahmedabad-based bus operator, and EKA bid for the Ladakh, Chhattisgarh, Rajasthan, Meghalaya, Jammu & Kashmir, Odisha and Madhya Pradesh tenders. EKA is also

understood to have entered into an agreement with Greencell Mobility, a Mumbai-based bus operator, for the supply of buses to Bihar and Pondicherry.

As per initial assessments, EKA with bids for 2,450 e-buses is likely to emerge as the largest supplier, accounting for a 53% share of the total, followed by JBM at 1,200 and VE Commercial Vehicles at 475. VECV, a joint venture between the Volvo Group and Eicher Motors, is the original equipment manufacturer (OEM) partner of Gre-

encel. PMI, the OEM partner of Intact, bid for Uttaranchal's 110 buses. Adani Enterprises bid for the supply of 350 electric buses, without specifying an OEM partner. In a previous bid by Adani in February last year, it had partnered with EKA Mobility. "The Centre is keen that public transport systems go all-electric and is providing incentives to state governments to set up the supporting infrastructure for successful deployment on electric buses for operating within cities," said one of the persons cited above, adding, "This involves setting up of transmission lines, civil infrastructure at depots."

PM e-bus is supplemented by a Payment Security Mechanism (PSM) scheme to mitigate risks faced by companies over the procurement and operation of e-buses by public transport authorities (PTAs) with an outlay of ₹3,435.33 crore. The mechanism was set up in September last year to ensure timely payments to OEMs and operators through a dedicated fund in case of payment defaults by PTAs.

Apple's Rule Violation: CCI at Advanced Stage of Finalising Order



New Delhi: The Competition Commission of India (CCI) is at an advanced stage of finalising its order on Apple's alleged contravention of antitrust norms through its App Store policies, a person aware of the details said.

The CCI director general's investigation report had suggested that Apple had taken undue advantage of its dominant po-

sition in the market for apps on its iOS operating system and resorted to abusive conduct and practices, ET had reported in August last year. "The commission will issue its final order in due course. Things are moving at the desired pace," said the person cited above.

Usually, the non-classified parts of the investigation report are shared with parties to put forth their views. Subsequently,

the commission finalises its order after hearing all the parties. The process was expected to take a few months after the DG's investigation report was ready.

"The CCI, in August 2024, ordered a rare recall of parts of its investigation findings, which were shared with the parties involved, after Apple submitted that the regulator had disclosed its commercial secrets. —Our Bureau

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1.	Karol Bagh New Delhi	Mr. Amol Pokharna Mobile: 9999917126	Hospitality Education Services International Prop. Rohit Bhatia	Hotel and Land Measuring Area 6767 Sq.Mtr. Situated at M-2 (I), RIICO Industrial Area at Main NH-12, Shahjahanpur, District -Alwar, Rajasthan - 301706. Owner - M/s Shiv Shakti Hotels and Resorts Pvt. Ltd.	30.12.2022 Rs.373.71 Lakh + Other Charges Applicable deductions/ repayments	01.10.2024 (Physical Possession) ₹ 10,30,00,000/- ₹ 1,03,00,000/- ₹ 10,30,00,000/-

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Authorised Officer, CENTRAL BANK OF INDIA,
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E-Tenders is invited for execution of the following work by Divisional Railway Manager (Commercial), E.C. Railway, Dhanbad:-

Tender No.: C-710-RCGT-C-GCT

Sl. No. 1, Name of the work with its location & completion period: Development of Gati Shakti Multi-Modal Cargo Terminal (GCT) at Richughuta-C (RCGT) Station Entirely on Railway land for the period of thirty five years (35 years) i.e. 420 months. Sl. No. 2, Approx. Cost of development of Gati Shakti Multi-Modal Cargo Terminal (GCT) at Richughuta-C (RCGT): Rs. 34,61,65,775/-, Sl. No. 3, Earnest Money : Rs. 3,46,16,600/-, Sl. No. 4, Date & time for closing and opening of Tender: Date of closing of e-tender at 15:00 hours on 24.01.2025, Date of opening of e-tender after 15:30 hrs. on 24.01.2025. Sl. No. 5, Website particulars: <http://www.ireps.gov.in>. No manual tender will be accepted against e-tendering. Railway Administration reserves the right to reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason what so ever.

Divisional Railway Manager (Commercial) East Central Railway/Dhanbad PR/01835/SEE/ETRD/24-25/32

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Sl.01. Name of work with its location : No. DDU/EL/GP/2024-25/19 Sub-(A) DEHRI ON SONE Up-gradation of DOS station by relocation of Booking office and Augmentation of Circulating Area (B) Dismantling of Existing Microwave Building and construction of New Microwave Building at DOS to facilitate ABSS work at DOS, under Sr. SE/PHDOS in DDU/Div. Approx cost of the work: Rs. 4511228.04, Tender closing Date Time: 27.01.2025 15:00 Hrs. Website particulars of E-Tendering: www.ireps.gov.in

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NOTICE INVITING E-TENDER

Type of tender/TE no. Open tender/STQ-2084
Name & complete address of office giving tender The Chief Engineer/TS, 3rd Floor, Shakti Sadan, PSTCL, Patiala
Scope of work SPECIFICATIONS FOR DESIGN, MANUFACTURE, TESTING, SUPPLY & DELIVERY OF COMPOSITE POLYMER LONG ROD INSULATORS (CPLRI) For 69kV, 132kV, 220 kV and 400kV Transmission Lines & Grid Substations
Starting date of downloading Date of publication
Last date of downloading 05.02.2025 upto 11:30hrs.
Last date/time for bid submission 05.02.2025 upto 11:30hrs.
Date/time for opening of bids 07.02.2025 at 11:30hrs.
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Naveen Bhawan, Rajya Niyojan Sansthan, Kalakankar House, Old Hyderabad, Lucknow-226007 Email Id: contactuprera@up-rera.in, Website : <https://up-rera.in>

No. 92 /U.P. RERA/Escort, Consultant/Bid/2024-25 Date: 03, January, 2025

Notice for e-tender on GeM

Request for Proposal (RFP) For IT Governance and Implementation Support for U.P. RERA 2.0 Web Portal

U.P. RERA seeks to select an IT Governance and Implementation Support Agency for monitoring, reviewing and validating the quality and compliance of deliverables provided by the System Integrator (SI) for the design, development, implementation and data migration of the U.P. RERA 2.0 Web Portal. The Support Agency will play a critical role in ensuring that the U.P. RERA 2.0 Web Portal meets its strategic objectives and adheres to the required standards and specifications.

For this purpose, proposals are invited on GeM portal from eligible bidders vide GeM Bid No. GEM/2025/B/5777588 dated 02-01-2025. The relevant dates of the bidding process are as under:

Last Date of Receipt of Pre-Bid Query	Up to 14:00 hrs on 13th January 2025 on email adsystems@up-rera.in
Date of Pre-Bid Meeting (both physical & online mode)	16:00 hrs on 13th January 2025
Last Date of Submission of Proposal	Up to 15:00 hrs on 28th January 2025

The bid details can be seen on GeM portal <https://gem.gov.in> and in the RFP document uploaded on the GeM portal.
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