

**Pre-Bid Query Response for RFP NO: BOBMU/DIGITAL/IT/2025-26/07 RFP for Supply, Installation & Maintenance of 8 Servers**

Sr. No.	Pg No	Point No	Tender Original Clause	Clarification	Comment/ Suggestion/ Deviation	Bank Response
1	78	Annexure 13	General	Window Server 2022 Latest edition/service pack	Query - Advise edition (standard or Datacenter)	Bank requires the Standard Edition of Windows Server 2022/25, inclusive of the latest available edition and service pack. This specification is essential to ensure compliance with our security protocols, maintain operational stability, and leverage the most current features for our infrastructure.
2	78	Annexure 13	General	Min. Base Frequency As per availability with CPU specification	Query - Advise on base frequency for type A, B and C.	Our current banking servers operate within a CPU base frequency range of 2.4 GHz to 3.0 GHz. Any proposed new server hardware must ensure its base processor frequency falls within this established range to maintain compatibility and consistent performance with our existing infrastructure.
3	17	1.14 Payment Terms	Commercial	Balance 5% of the cost of the delivered product would be payable on completion of the 5-year warranty period.	Query - TBD on call.	No changes will be accepted regarding the terms and conditions for this specific clause.
4	78-83	Annexure 13 – Technical Specification Sheet - Rack Server	Technical Specification	What will SSD STORAGE required for Type A, B & C	Request clarification in Pre-bid meeting	Bank requires SSD (Solid State Drive) storage with the following capacities: Type A: 8 TB Type B: 4 TB Type C: 4 TB
5	78-83	Annexure 13 – Technical Specification Sheet - Rack Server	Technical Specification	Whether bank required BOSS-N1 Controller Card with 2 M.2 480 GB (RAID 1)	Query - Advise for better performance of OS	Yes, bidders are hereby explicitly required to include a BOSS-N1 Controller Card with two (2) 480 GB M.2 drives configured in a RAID 1 array for the operating system. This specific OS storage solution must be integrated within the proposed storage infrastructure.
6	78-83	Annexure 13 – Technical Specification Sheet - Rack Server	Technical Specification	How many No. of CPU required Minimum	Request clarification in Pre-bid meeting	Bank requires a server configured with one (1) CPU initially. However, it is a mandatory requirement that the server hardware must be capable of supporting an upgrade to a two (2) CPU configuration in the future. This ensures scalability and future-proofing for evolving processing demands.
7	78-83	Annexure 13 – Technical Specification Sheet - Rack Server	Technical Specification	How much Memory required	Request clarification in Pre-bid meeting	As per the technical specifications outlined in the Request for Proposal (RFP), a minimum of 256 GB of DDR5 RAM or a higher performance memory standard is strictly required.
8	78-83	Annexure 13 – Technical Specification Sheet - Rack Server	Technical Specification	Which type of hard-disk required SAS or SATA for servers	Request clarification in Pre-bid meeting	Bank mandates the use of SAS (Serial Attached SCSI) hard disk drives. This requirement is critical due to their proven superior performance, exceptional reliability and uptime, and advanced features such as multi-pathing and deeper command queuing. These attributes are indispensable for supporting our critical applications, which demand the highest levels of data integrity and transactional throughput.
9	78-83	Annexure 13 – Technical Specification Sheet - Rack Server	Technical Specification	To ensure alignment with the bank's specific expectations and requirements, we kindly request you to provide a sample Bill of Material (BOM) that reflects your anticipated format and level of detail.	sample Bill of Material (BOM)	We are attaching a sample Bill of Material (BOM) that is structured to reflect our expectations. This sample is provided to significantly assist you in preparing your proposals accurately and efficiently, ensuring all necessary details are covered. We anticipate this will streamline the proposal submission process.

**Below is Sample Bill of Material for 1 Server (Bidder have to prepared as per Annexure 13 for all Type)**

Description	QTY
Trusted Platform Module 2.0 V5	1
2.5" Chassis with up to 10 Hard Drives (SAS/SATA), PERC11, 1CPU	1
Intel Xeon Silver 4514Y 2G, 16C/32T, 16GT/s, 30M Cache, Turbo, HT (150W) DDR5-4400	1
No Additional Processor	1
No HBM	1
Standard Heatsink for 1 CPU configuration (CPU less than or equal to 185W)	1
Performance Optimized	1
5600MT/s RDIMMs	1
64GB RDIMM, 5600MT/s, Dual Rank	4
RAID 5	1
PERC H755 SAS Front	1
Front PERC Mechanical Parts, rear load	1
1.92TB SSD SAS, Read Intensive, up to 24Gbps 512e 2.5in Hot-Plug, AG Drive	4
Power Saving BIOS Settings	1
UEFI BIOS Boot Mode with GPT Partition	1
4 Very High Performance Fans	1
Dual, (1+1)RDNT, Hot-Plug PSU, 700W MM HLAC (200-240V ONLY, not for 100-120V outlet) Titanium	1
C13 to C14, PDU Style, 10 AMP, 6.5 Feet (2m), Power Cord	2
Riser Config 4, Low Profile, 2x8 LP Slots (Gen5) + 1x16 LP Slot (Gen4), 1CPU	1
Motherboard MLK supports ONLY CPUs below 250W. Cannot upgrade to CPUs 250W and above	1
No OCP 3.0 mezzanine NIC card	1
Broadcom 5720 Dual Port 1GbE LOM	1
Broadcom 57454 Quad Port 10GbE BASE-T Adapter, PCIe Low Profile	1
No Cables Required	1
Standard Bezel	1
Luggage Tag	1
BOSS-N1 controller card + with 2 M.2 480GB (RAID 1)	1
BOSS Cables and Bracket for R660	1
Number of Operating System	1
Number of Media Required	1
iDRAC9, Datacenter 16G	1
Secured Component Verification	1
Connectivity Client - Enabled	1
Connectivity Module	1
No Quick Sync	1
iDRAC,Factory Generated Password	1
iDRAC Service Module (ISM), NOT Installed	1
iDRAC Group Manager, Enabled	1
Cable Management Arm	1
Ready Rails Sliding Rails (A15)	1
No Systems Documentation, No Open Manage DVD Kit	1
PowerEdge R660 Shipping EMEA1 (English/French/German/Spanish/Russian/Hebrew)	1
PowerEdge R660 Shipping Material, 10x2.5", 8x2.5" Smart Flow or 16xEDSFF	1
PowerEdge R660 CE, CCC Marking	1
Order Configuration Ship box Label (Ship Date, Model, Processor Speed, HDD Size, RAM)	1
Parts Only Warranty 12 Months	1
Parts Only Warranty Extension, 48 Month(s)	1
Certified Deployment Partner T2	1
Infrastructure Deployment Selected	1
Asset Tag - ProSupport (Website, barcode, Onboard MacAddress)	1

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