

**Minutes of Pre-Bid meeting for the tender genotyping by sequencing (GBS) services**

**Bid reference:** GBS – Tender ID: 2020\_DARE\_572659\_1

**Date and time of pre-bid meeting:** 27-07-2020 at 10:30AM

**Venue of pre-bid meeting:** online, hosted at ICAR-NBPGR, New Delhi

The following bidder's representatives attended the pre-bid meeting:

S. No	Name of prospective bidder / firm	Name of the representative
1	AgriGenome Labs Pvt Ltd, Cochin	Dr. Ram Nageena Singh
2	Imperial Life Sciences (P) Limited, Gurgaon	Mr. Gaurav Gupta Mr. Pankaj Khanna
3	Nucleome Informatics Private Limited, Hyderabad	Mr. Dushyant Singh Baghel Mr. Bipin Mr. Abhishek
4	Eurofins Genomics India Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru (received the link, but unattended online meeting. However, they have emailed the queries)	Chandan Badapanda

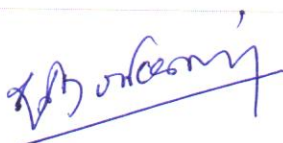
The following members from NBPGR and ICRISAT were present at the meeting:

1. Dr. Parimalan R, ICAR-NBPGR,
2. Dr. S. Rajkumar, ICAR-NBPGR,
3. Dr. Rakesh Singh, ICAR-NBPGR,
4. Dr. S. Sivasubramani, ICRISAT,

Minutes of the meeting were given herewith.

1. To set the tone for the meeting, the indenter, Dr. Parimalan R, clearly explained the technical requirements, expectations, and terms and conditions for the GBS tender process, as given in the tender document and invited the representatives, for their queries, if any.
2. Thereafter, the prospective bidders had their queries related to the technical details and terms and conditions given in the tender document. They are given in **Annexure A**, of this document
3. The queries raised, and the response made were categorized into technical, and terms and conditions type, and enclosed in **Annexure-A**, following this page.

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## Annexure – A

Clarifications regarding queries / suggestions received from the representatives of the firms who had participated in the pre-bid meeting for the GBS tender, were provided below in two sections, namely, **technical (pg. 2)**, and **terms and conditions (pg. 2-3)**.

### TECHNICAL

S. No	Para / clause under reference as per the tender document	Content of para / clause under reference as per the tender document	Query / suggestions	Response
<b>GBS – Tender ID: 2020 DARE 572659 1</b>				
1	Pg. 14, point 1. Genotyping-by-sequencing (GBS) services	GBS for sesame genotypes and SNP identification	Alternatively, can a firm use ddRAD for plant samples.	No, our requirement is GBS.
2	Pg. 14, point 1. Genotyping-by-sequencing (GBS).	The quantity (required for) is 2496 genotypes	In how many slots this will be provided	In two slots.
3	Pg. 16, point 10.	The firm to provide the final data outputs in any standard external hard drive.	For analysis and SNP identification, what is the reference genome to be used?	Publicly available reference genome to be used.

### TERMS AND CONDITIONS

S. No	Para / clause under reference as per the tender document	Content of para / clause under reference as per the tender document	Query / suggestions	response
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1	Pg. 14, point 1	Third-party installations / certificates will not be considered	Can we use public-private partnership wherein, the government of India's facility is maintained by private firm, and submit the certificate from them	Based on the documents, technical bid evaluation committee will decide.

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2	Pg. 15, point 6	Payment (100%) will be made in 30-45 days' time upon satisfactory receipt of the raw data and output results.	Will it be possible to give part payment?	Not possible.
3	Pg. 15, point 8	The biological material, in the form of DNA will be provided in one or two lots, at ICAR-NBPGR, New Delhi for the 2496 genotypes	What is the time duration at which the samples will be provided?	The samples will be provided in two slots, first slot will be provided immediately after issuing PO. Second one will be provided within 90 days of the first slot.

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