



REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

HPE Store Ever MSL2024 Tape Library

21st January, 2019

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TPL INSURANCE PROFILE AND SERVICES:

TPL Insurance Limited (formerly TPL Direct Insurance Limited) was incorporated in Pakistan as public limited company under Companies Ordinance 1984 (now Companies Act, 2017) to carry out general insurance business. The company was allowed to work as Window Takaful Operator on September 4, 2014 by Security Exchange Commission of Pakistan (SECP) under SECP Takaful Rules, 2012.

TPL Insurance Limited have grown from strength-to-strength, delivering superior and hassle-free risk management services to clients which include:

- Auto Direct
- Home Direct
- Health Direct
- Travel Direct
- Property
- Engineering
- Marine

Our position in the market has bolstered, with robust and sustainable financial backing, administration processes and technology-driven innovation that reinforces our ability to lead the way in the insurance industry in Pakistan.

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this Request for Proposal (RFP) is to contract with a qualified firm which can provide, install, deploy and configure HPE Store Ever MSL2024 Tape Library in accordance with latest technology being used in the market.

SCOPE:

TPL intends to procure latest technology equipment for their Infrastructure, which includes HPE StoreEver MSL2024 Tape Library. All the necessary Licenses, software and hardware must also be proposed with the Solution. No component whatsoever would be provided by TPL. Licenses should be with single vendor with one-year principal backed OEM support for software and 3 years for Hardware along with local support.

AWARD CRITERIA:

Enter the criteria that will be used to determine the award.

Criteria #1 – 100% Compliant Technical Solution with lowest bid price.

Criteria #2 – Country-Wide Local Certified Team and OEM Support Available.

RFP CONTACT:

Owais Shahid Khan & Fahad Iftikhar Khan will be the sole contact for this RFP. Communication with any other TPL Insurance employee or consultant during the RFP period is not permitted, and may result in your company being disqualified from the evaluation process. Any and all questions relating to the content, timeline, or requirements outlined in this RFP, as well as the associated proposals, should be made only via email to Owais Shahid Khan owais.shahid@tplcorp.com And Fahad Iftikhar Khan fahad.iftikhar@tplcorp.com

TPL Insurance Ltd. will help clarify any issues or questions regarding this RFP. It is the vendor's responsibility to seek this clarification.

RFP RESPONSE FORMAT:

Proposals submitted in response to this RFP are to be sent in a Word document or Adobe PDF format as an attachment to an email to: Owais Shahid Khan owais.shahid@tplcorp.com & Fahad Iftikhar Khan fahad.iftikhar@tplcorp.com Also, hardcopies of the proposal are required, 1 original and 1 copy. Proposals must be submitted in sealed envelopes clearly marked " HPE StoreEver MSL2024 Tape Library ", the name of the supplier, and either "Original" or "Copy," as applicable, on the outside of the envelope.

Proposals are to be addressed as follows:

Company Name: TPL Corp Ltd.
Company Address: Corporate Office
13th Floor, Centrepont,
Off Shaheed-e-Millat Expressway,
Adjacent KPT Interchange, Karachi
Postal Code 74900

Attention: Mr. Owais Shahid Khan & Fahad Iftikhar Khan

CONTACT:

The following personnel will be the sole contact for this RFP.

Owais Shahid Khan owais.shahid@tplcorp.com
Fahad Iftikhar Khan fahad.iftikhar@tplcorp.com

TIMEFRAME AND KEY DATES:

Activity	Date
RFP Issued	21 st January, 2019
Vendor RFP Questions Due (via Email Only)	23 rd January, 2019
Vendor RFP Responses Due	25 th January, 2019
Proposal Evaluation	28 th January, 2019
Vendor(s) Negotiations	30 th January, 2019
Award Notification(s)	31 th January, 2019

HPE STOREEVER MSL2024 TAPE LIBRARY:

HPE is currently undergoing tremendous growth, accelerated by access to value-added features and applications only HPE can provide. Additionally, the cost benefits of converging hardware are adding to the rapid acceptance of this technology.

HPE StoreEver MSL2024 Tape Library Requirements:

- HPE StoreEver MSL2024 0-drive Tape Library
- HPE StoreEver MSL LTO-7 Ultrium 15000 FC Drive Upgrade Kit
- HPE C13 – IS-1293 IN 250V 10Amp HV 2.5m Power Cord
- HPE LTO-7 Ultrium 15TB RW Data Cartridge
- HPE Ultrium Universal Cleaning Cartridge
- HPE Premier Flex LC/LC Multi-mode OM4 2 Fiber 5m Cable

Training:

- 3 Detailed Technical Training from Authorized Training Centre for above solution.
- 3 Sessions for End User Training.