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Consultative Meeting held on 22nd December for Scanning and Digitization Services with sellers and buyers.

Following participated in the meeting:

S No.	Name of Participants	Organisation
1	Brajesh Thakur	BM Enterprises

Government e-Marketplace (GeM) is preparing for its transition from the current pilot version to significantly enhanced and scaled up GeM version 3.0 shortly. GeM has been created by Government of India as National Procurement Portal has the mandate of supporting all Central/State Government Organisations, PSUs, Local Bodies and Corporations in the procurement of Common Goods and Services, which is a significant of total Government Procurement.

GeM over the last one year has been on a learning Model, to create a robust procurement platform that provides the right Service, at the right price, in right time. Ensuring Supply of Quality Service meeting the qualitative and certification requirements through online portal has been one of the major challenges across the world, where GeM is no exception. In order to ensure that GeM version 3.0 is able to meet expectations of various stake holders. To ensure this a consultation meeting of all the stakeholders was organised on 22nd December, 2017.

In the Consultative Meeting following points were discussed:-

1. The participants were briefed by both Mr Tanmoy Prasad and Mr SK Gupta explaining all the stakeholders the Agenda of the Meeting while introducing them to the idea of GeM and the proposed new features of version 3.
2. A presentation was given to cover following aspects:
 - I. The vision of Government e-Marketplace
 - II. Procurement of Service as per GFR on GeM
 - III. Proposed Features of Version 3.0 such as:



- Availability of Bid and RA for all Services
- QCBS in Marketplace as well as Bid and RA
- Market Based Bunching of Products and Service and within various categories of a Service
- Multi Cart Functionality to create separate carts and get separate L1s
- Performance Based User Ratings of Service Providers.

III. Working of the Current System

IV. Technical Parameters or Specifications defining this Service were discussed

V. Service Level Agreement Document

Following feedbacks were collected from the discussion held:

- Currently this Service is confined to Packaged Drinking Water, with a suggestion to include RO based service as well, where RO system can be leased.
- Focus with the launch of Version 3.0 however will be on Packaged Drinking Water Service with Dispenser as an Add On.
- GST and TDS should be explicitly mentioned on the platform.
- In the current version, Brands as an attribute is also being introduced, which may not be mandatory for the Buyer to select but can be used by them as per their requirement.
- Dispensers have been divided into Hot & Cold and Normal and will be a part of the Add-Ons.
- Type of Water Category will be Mineral and RO while the Quantity 20L is the by default quantity for this Service.

Regards

GeM-Admin