

Revised Schedule of Tender Process (Lignite Blocks)

15TH TRANCHE OF AUCTION UNDER COAL MINES (SPECIAL PROVISIONS) ACT, 2015
5TH TRANCHE OF AUCTION UNDER MINES AND MINERALS (DEVELOPMENT AND REGULATION) ACT, 1957

Sl. No.	Event Description	Estimated Date	
1	(i) Publication of notice inviting tender (NIT) in one English and one Hindi national newspaper (ii) Publication of NIT on the website of MoC (iii) Publication of NIT and Tender Document on the website of MSTC Ltd (iv) Commencement of sale of Tender Document on the website of MSTC Ltd The date of completion of the last sub-event among the above sub-events shall be considered T ₀	T ₀	Wednesday, March 30, 2022
2	Pre-bid meeting	T ₀ + 14	Wednesday, April 13, 2022
3	Last date of receiving written queries from Bidders	T ₀ + 56	1600 hours IST on Wednesday, May 25, 2022
4	Last date for written responses to queries by the Nominated Authority	T ₀ + 71	Thursday, June 09, 2022
5	Last date of receiving written requests for Site Visit	T ₀ + 75	1600 hours IST on Monday, June 13, 2022
6	Last date for registration of bidder at the website of MSTC	T ₀ + 105	Wednesday, July 13, 2022
7	Last date for sale of Tender Document at the website of MSTC	T ₀ + 107	Friday, July 15, 2022
8	Bid Due Date	T ₀ + 126	Online Submission on MSTC Platform in accordance with Clause 3.A.(i) of Annexure III: 1200 hours IST on Wednesday, August 03, 2022 Offline submission at Office of Nominated Authority in accordance with Clause 3.A.(ii) of Annexure III: 1600 hours IST on Wednesday, August 03, 2022
9	Opening of the Technical Bid (s)	T ₀ + 127	Thursday, August 04, 2022
10	Start date of examination of the Technical Bid (s)	T ₀ + 128	Friday, August 05, 2022
11	End date of examination of the Technical Bid (s)	T ₀ + 149	Friday, August 26, 2022
12	Conduct of electronic auction (Financial Bid – Final Offer) for the Qualified Bidders	T ₀ + 153 - T ₀ + 166	Tuesday, August 30, 2022 - Monday, September 12, 2022
13	Recommendation by the Nominated Authority to the Central Government for selection of Successful Bidder	T ₀ + 170	Friday, September 16, 2022
14	Approval of Successful Bidder by the Central Government	T ₁	
15	Intimation to the Successful Bidder (subject to receipt of instruction from the Central Government)	T ₁ + 2	
16	Execution of the Agreement between the Successful Bidder and Nominated Authority	T ₁ + 7	
17	Last date for furnishing of Performance Security and payment of Fixed and Upfront Amount by the Successful Bidder	T ₁ + 47	
18	Issuance of Vesting/Allocation Order by Nominated Authority	T ₁ + 50	

Note: *Registration on the website of MSTC Ltd. will commence immediately after publication of the NIT on the website of MSTC Ltd.

*Above schedule is on assumption that electronic auction round for each mine will be completed in 1 day. In the event electronic auction round of any mine continues beyond 1 day, time schedule for the remaining events shall be extended.

*Any change in the timeline will be communicated through an addendum/ corrigendum to the Tender Document.