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SPONSORS FOR

KHELO INDIA UNIVERSITY GAMES FOR 2022 Edition

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- 1. The information contained in this Request for Proposal Document (herein after known as "RFP Document"), documents and/or information provided by or on behalf of Sports Authority of India ("SAI") or any of its representatives, employees or advisors (collectively referred to as "Representatives"), is provided to Bidder(s) on the terms and conditions set out in this RFP Document and such other qualifications which may have been enumerated when the information was being provided.
- 2. This RFP Document is not an agreement and is not an offer or invitation by SAI and/or its Representative(s) to any party other than the entities, who are qualified to submit their Proposal ("Bid"). The purpose of this RFP Document is to provide the Bidder with information to assist the formulation of their Proposal. This RFP Document does not purport to contain all the information each Bidder may require. This RFP Document may not be appropriate for all persons, and it is not possible for SAI and/or its Representatives to consider the investment objectives, financial situation and particular needs of each party who reads or uses this RFP Document. Each Bidder should conduct their own investigations and analysis and should check the accuracy, reliability, and completeness of the information in this RFP Document and wherever necessary, obtain independent advice from appropriate sources.
- SAI and/or its Representatives make no representation or warranty and shall incur no liability under any law, statute, rules, or regulations as to the accuracy, reliability, or completeness of the RFP Document.
- SAI and/or its Representatives may in their absolute discretion, but without being under any obligation to do so, update, amend or supplement the information in this RFP Document.

KHELO INDIA UNIVERSITY GAMES

1. INTRODUCTION

Khelo India program aims at strengthening the entire sports ecosystem to promote the twin objectives of mass participation and promotion of excellence in sports. It has been introduced to revive thesports culture in India at the grass-root level by building a framework for all sports played in our country and establish India as a great sporting nation. One of the five verticals of Khelo India Scheme is Sports Competition and Talent Development which provides for organizing sports competitions including Khelo India University Games. Khelo India Games is declared as an 'Event of National importance' as on 2nd January 2020 as per sub-section (I) of section 2 of the Sports Broadcasting Signals Act,2007.

Sports Competition and Talent Development (earlier Annual Sports Competitions) Vertical of Khelo India Scheme

- 1.1 The First Edition of 'Khelo India University Games, Odisha' (KIUG 2020) was successfully conducted in Bhubaneswar & Cuttack, Odisha from 22nd February to 01st March 2020 in 17 (seventeen) sports disciplines with participation of 3182 athletes, 725 support staff, 740 Technical Officials, 158 Contingent managers, 1076 Volunteers, 17 Competition Managers. The grand opening ceremony of the Games was graced by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India (joined through VC), Hon'ble Chief Minister of Odisha and Hon'ble Union Minister of State (I/C) for Youth Affairs and Sports.
- 1.2 The Second Edition of 'Khelo India University Games, Karnataka' (KIUG 2021) was successfully conducted in Bengaluru, Karnataka from 24th April to 3rd May 2022 in 20 (Twenty) sports disciplines with participation of 3894 athletes, 869 support staff, 827 Technical Officials, 1141 Volunteers, 20 Competition Managers. The grand opening ceremony of the Games was graced by Hon'ble Vice President of India, Hon'ble Governor of Karnataka, and Hon'ble Union Minister of State (I/C) for Youth Affairs and Sports.
- 1.3 The Event was a culmination of the university sports competition calendar in India, with participation from the winners and top performers of various tournaments across the country, including the Association of India Universities (AIU), tournaments conducted by the National Sports Federations as well as certain privately organized tournaments.

Khelo India & Corporate Sponsorship

- 1.4 With sports being an extremely important component for development in India, Khelo India aims to create the Khelo India Youth Games and Khelo India University Games a self-sustaining model of excellence. A step ahead to this long-term aim can be achieved with the continuous support from corporate and business houses wherein they can extend their contribution in the form of sponsorship for the Khelo India Games. Sponsorship is a great source and the most lucrative form to add additional revenues for the conduct of these games which will lead to development of the sports culture in India.
- 1.5 With the objective of sponsorship being a win-win and work-work, it can also help companies and businesses reach target audience / customer group with additional benefits of garnering goodwill to their brand names. It provides a competitive edge that goes beyond product and price. Both Khelo India and the sponsor can benefit from the partnership with success depending on both working together to ensure each other's success.

Benefits of Sponsorship

- 1.6 The range of events and entities that businesses sponsor is broad. They tend to sponsor from school games and leagues to the Olympics. Over the last four years, Khelo India has established a widespread visibility in variety of sporting ways and through the Khelo University Games which is evolving with every edition.
- 1.7 With additional financial security through potential sponsors, SAI can take the Khelo India Games to an elevated level. It can make the event become stronger providing more resources which can further add more credibility to the mission and vision envisaged during the implementation of the games.
- 1.8 Partnering with an event like Khelo India University Games, sponsors get the opportunity to get better brand visibility and reach out to the new and young audience taking part in the Games. Logos and the brand images catch the eyeballs creating engagement with the audience attending the Games. In the last edition of Khelo India University Games, the sponsors were able to reach out to close to 20,000 audiences with a potential to tap into additional business.
- 1.9 As the Games are broadcasted on prominent TV platforms, Over-The-Top (OTT) and social media with wide outreach and customer base, the sponsors get the additional leverage on the visibility of their brand images, logos and product during the games

2. DEFINITIONS AND ABBREVIATIONS:

The following definitions and abbreviations, which have been used in these documents shall

have the meanings as indicated below:

2.1 **"Applicant**", **"Bidder**", and **"Sponsorship Partner**" means the registered entities or association of persons as specified under Clause 10 of this RFP, who are required to submit their Bid proposals for providing Services in accordance with this RFP.

2.2 "**Bid**" (including the term "tender", "offer", "quotation" or "proposal" in certain contexts) means an offer to provide services in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in this RFP.

2.3 "**Bid Security/ Earnest Money Deposit**" means the monetary or financial guarantee to be furnished by the Bidder along with its Bid, in the manner specified under Clause 4 of this RFP.

2.4 "**Contract**" means the written agreement entered into between the Applicant/Bidder/Sponsorship Partner whose Bid is accepted and SAI, together with all the documents mentioned therein, including all attachments, annexures etc. forming part thereof, pursuant to this RFP.

2.5 "Letter/Notification of Award" means the letter issued by SAI to the bidder whose Bid is accepted, to provide Services in conformity with the terms and conditions set forth in this RFP, including any subsequent amendments thereof.

2.6 "**Performance Security**" means monetary or financial guarantee to be furnished by the Selected Bidder whose Bid is accepted for due performance of the Contract placed on it, in the manner and as per the terms specified under Clause 13 of this RFP.

2.8 "**RFP**" means this Request for Proposal issued by SAI, including any amendments made thereunder, for the purpose as mentioned in this document.

2.9 "**Services**" means services as mentioned under the Terms of Reference of this RFP, and other such obligations of the bidder under the Contract.

2.10 "**Sponsor**", "**Event Sponsor**" means the three categories of sponsors namely, Principal Sponsor, Powered by Sponsor and Co-Powered by Sponsor, as specified under the Terms of Reference of this RFP.

2.11 "**Sponsorship Rights**" means the rights granted to Sponsors, as mentioned under the Terms of Reference of this RFP.

2.12 "**Terms of Reference (TOR)**" means Annexure II of this RFP which explains *inter alia* the scope of Services to be performed by the Bidder whose Bid is accepted.

2.13 "Khelo India University Games 2022 (KIUG 2022)" means Khelo India University Games 2022 scheduled to be held in the year 2023 (tentatively).

3. BID SCHEDULE

3.1 The Bid Schedule is as follows:

Date of Release	13.02.2023
Last date for submission of queries	
/clarifications	(Email ID- procurement.kheloindia@gmail.com)
	20.02.2023 at 1130 hrs
Conference)	Join Zoom Meeting
	https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86831003444?pwd=b3c0SW
	s4RUICQVc2QIMwcGVGUEg5Zz09
	Meeting ID: 868 3100 3444
	Passcode: 1234
Bid Submission start date	24.02.2023 at 1100 hrs
Bid submission end date and time	06.03.2023 at 1400 hrs
Opening of Bid	07.03.2023 at 1400 hrs

SAI reserves the right to vary or discontinue the process or any part thereof at its absolute discretion at any point of time.

4. BID SECURITY /EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT (EMD)

4.1. The Bidder shall furnish along with its Bid, a Bid Security for an amount as shown in table below:

S. No	Sponsorship Category	EMD Amount
1	Principal Sponsor	6,00,000/- (Six Lakhs Only)
2	Powered by Sponsor	4,00,000/- (Four Lakhs Only)
3	Co – Powered by Sponsor	2,00,000/- (Two Lakhs Only)

In case the bidder participates in more than one category, then the EMD amount will be the cumulative sum of the categories for which the bidders has/her submitted its bids.

- 4.2. The Bid Security is required to protect SAI against the risk of the Bidder's unwarranted conduct as amplified under subsequent sections of this RFP. Non-submission of Bid Security shall be considered as a major deviation and hence, any Bid made for the project without furnishing Bid Security shall not be considered valid by SAI and the same shall amount to rejection of the Bid.
- 4.3. Bid Security must be submitted to SAI before Bid submission end date and time as mentioned in the Bid Schedule above.
- 4.4. In the event the Bidder is exempted from furnishing such Bid Security pursuant to any Notification of the Government of India to that effect, then the Bidder shall furnish the relevant Notification along with required documents such as a valid Registration Certificate along with all other relevant documents at the time of submission of the Bid. If no such Notification or Registration Certificate along with relevant documents is furnished along with the Bid, the Bid shall be treated as un-responsive and shall be summarily rejected without any further reference.

4.5. The Bid Security shall be furnished in one of the following forms:

- a. Account Payee Demand Draft
- b. Banker's Cheque
- c. Electronic Bank Guarantee
- d. Fixed Deposit (FDR)
- e. Bank Guarantee from any of the Commercial Banks
- f. Insurance Surety Bonds (OM No. F.1/2/2022 PPD Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, Procurement Policy Division dated 02.02.2022)
- g. Any online acceptable method (NEFT/RTGS) as per the following details (the Bidder must submit a copy of UTR No. in case the transaction is done by this method)

A/C NAME: SECRETARY SAI (KHELO INDIA) A/C NO: 108510100037232 BANK NAME: UNION BANK OF INDIA BANK BRANCH: J L N STADIUM, SPORTS AUTHORITY OF INDIA BUILDING CGO COMPLEX, NEW DELHI BRANCH CODE: **1085** IFSC CODE: UBIN0810851

- 4.6 Demand Draft/Bankers Cheque/FDR/BG from a Scheduled Commercial Bank drawn in favor of "SECRETARY (SAI), KHELO INDIA" payable at New Delhi shall be deposited in the office of KHELO INDIA, Room No. 5, 1st Floor, Ramp No 5A, JLN Stadium, Lodhi Road on or before scheduled date and time given in this RFP.
- 4.7 The Bid Security shall be valid for a period of 45 (forty-five) days beyond the validity period of the Bid. As validity period of Bid as per Clause 5 of this RFP is 75 days, the Bid Security shall hence, be valid for 120 days from the date of opening of technical Bid.
- 4.8 Bid Security of unsuccessful Bidders will be returned to them without any interest, at the earliest after expiry of the final bid validity period and latest by the 30th day after the award of the contract. Bid security should be refunded to the successful bidder on receipt of a performance security. However, in case of two packet or two stage bidding, Bid securities of unsuccessful bidders during first stage i.e. technical evaluation etc. should be returned within 30 days of declaration of result of first stage i.e. technical evaluation etc.

4.9 The Bid Security shall be forfeited if the bidder commits the following:

- a) Withdraws or amends or impairs or derogates its Bid during the period of Bid validity.
- b) Fails to accept orders issued in its favor for execution, and / or violates the terms and conditions of the Contract after submission of the Bid.
- c) Successfully qualifies for the Bid but fails to sign the Contract within the stipulated time period.
- d) Without prejudice to other rights of SAI, if it fails to furnish the required Performance Security within the specified time period.

5. BID VALIDITY

- 5.1 The Bid shall remain valid for acceptance for a period of 75 days (seventy-five) after the date of Bid opening prescribed in the Bidding Document. Any Bid valid for a shorter period shall be treated as unresponsive and rejected.
- 5.2 In exceptional cases, the Bidders may be requested by SAI to extend the validity of their Bids up to a specified period. The Bidders, who agree to extend the Bid validity, shall extend the same without any change or modification of their original Bid.
- 5.3 In case the day up to which the Bids are to remain valid falls on or subsequently declared a holiday or closed day for SAI, the Bid validity shall automatically be extended up to the next working day.

6. SIGNING OF BID

- 6.1 Bid shall be typed and the same shall be signed by the Bidder or by any person(s) who has been duly authorized to bind the Bidder to the Contract. An undertaking to this effect shall be duly submitted by the Bidder (as per format attached in Annexure IV) to SAI.
- 6.2 The Bid shall be duly signed at the appropriate place as indicated in the Bidding Documents and all other pages of the Bid. The Bid shall strictly not contain any erasure or overwriting. Any part of the Bidding Documents that contain erasure or overwriting shall be deemed invalid and thereby the same shall not be considered by SAI.

7. CLARIFICATION OF BID

- 7.1 Bidders requiring any clarification or elucidation on any issue in respect of the RFP may take up the same with Dy. Director, KI at procurement.kheloindia@gmail.com. SAI shall respond through mail to such request provided the same is received by SAI as per the Bid Schedule. Any communication made to the SAI by the Bidder except through an email mentioned hereinbefore, shall not be considered a valid communication and SAI shall not be liable to reply/respond to that communication. No query/clarifications will be entertained after the prescribed date and time as laid down under the Bid Schedule or as may be decided by SAI from time to time.
- 7.2 Any clarification issued by SAI in response to query(ies) raised by the prospective Bidders shall form an integral part of RFP and it may amount to an amendment of

the relevant clauses(s) of the RFP.

8. INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS

8.1 Number of Proposals and respondents

- The RFP is non-transferable, and Proposals shall be submitted only by the respective Applicants to whom the RFP has been issued by SAI.
- Sub-contracting is not allowed under this RFP.

8.2 Proposal preparation cost

- The Applicants shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of the Proposal. SAI will not be responsible and liable for any costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the Proposal/process.
- All papers submitted with the Proposal are neither returnable nor claimable.

8.3 Right to accept and reject any or all the Proposals

- Notwithstanding anything contained in this RFP, SAI reserves the right to accept or reject any Proposal and to annul the bidding process and reject all the Proposals, at any time without any liability or any obligation for such acceptance, rejection, or annulment, without assigning any reason.
- SAI reserves the right to reject any Proposal if:
 - $\circ~$ At any time, a material misrepresentation is made or discovered, or
 - The Applicant/s do/does not respond to requests for supplemental information required for the evaluation of Proposals within the stipulated time period or any time period as may be communicated to the Applicant/s by SAI; or
 - The Applicant/s do/does not adhere to the formats provided in the Annexures to the RFP while furnishing the required information/details.

8.4 Amendment of the RFP

• At any time prior to the Proposal Due Date, the SAI, for any reason, whether at its own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by eligible Applicant/s, may modify the RFP by issuance of an addendum. Such amendments shall be uploaded on the e-procurement website http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app through a corrigendum and shall form an integral part of the e- bid/Proposal document. The relevant clauses of the e-bid/Proposal document shall be treated as amended accordingly. It shall be the sole responsibility of the prospective Applicant/s to check the above-mentioned website from time to time for any amendment in the RFP document/s. In case of failure on part of the applicant/s to check and consider the

amendments made, if any, the SAI shall not be responsible for any consequences resulting therefrom

• To provide the Applicants a reasonable time to examine the addendum, or for any other reason, SAI may, at its own discretion, extend the Proposal Due Date.

8.5 Data Identification and Collection

- It is desirable that the Applicant/s submit their Proposal/s after verifying the availability of the data, information and/or any other matter considered relevant.
- It would be deemed that by submitting the Proposal, the Applicant has:
 - o Made a complete and careful examination and accepted the RFP in totality.
 - Received all relevant information requested from SAI; and
 - Made a complete and careful examination of the various aspects of the Scope of Work.
- SAI shall not be liable for any mistake or error on the part of the Applicant in respect of the above.

Preparation and submission of Proposals

8.6 Language and currency

- The Proposal and all related correspondence and documents shall be written in the English language. Supporting documents and printed literature furnished by the Applicants with the Proposal may be in any other language, provided they are accompanied by appropriate translations of the pertinent passages in the English language. Supporting materials, which are not duly translated into English by a notary or sub registrar office, may not be considered for evaluation. For interpretation and evaluation of the Proposal, the English language translation shall prevail.
- The currency for the purpose of the Proposal shall be Indian Rupees (INR).

8.7 Format and signing of Proposals

- The Applicants shall prepare electronic copies of the technical and financial e-bid/ Proposals separately.
- Applicants shall provide all the information as per the RFP and in the specified formats. SAI reserves the right to reject any Proposal that is not in the specified formats as per the this RFP.
- In case the Applicants intends to provide additional information for which specified space in the given format is not sufficient, it can be furnished in duly stamped and signed PDFs.

8.8 Submission of e-bid/Proposal

- 8.8.1 The Bid submission module website of e-procurement http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app enables the Applicants to submit the Proposal online in response to this RFP published by the SAI. Submission can be done till the Proposal Due Date and Time specified in the RFP. Applicants should start the process well in advance so that they can submit their Proposal in time. The Applicants should submit their Proposal considering the server time displayed in the e- procurement website. This servers time is the time by which the submission activity will be allowed on the Proposal Due Date and Time indicated in the RFP schedule. Once the submission date and time has passed, the Applicants cannot submit their Proposals. The Applicant/s shall be solely responsible for any delay in submission of Proposal due to any reasons.
- 8.8.2 The Applicants must follow the following instructions for submission:
 - 8.8.2.1 For participating through the e-tendering system, it is necessary for the Applicants to be the registered users of the e-procurement website http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app.
 - 8.8.2.2 In addition to the normal registration, the Applicant must register with its Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) in the e-tendering system and subsequently it will be allowed to carry out its e-bid/Proposal submission activities. Registering the DSC is a one-time activity. Before proceeding to register its DSC, the Applicant should fist log on to the e-tendering system using the user login option on the home page with the login ID and password with which it has registered.
 - 8.8.2.3 For successful registration of DSC on e-procurement website http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app the Applicant must ensure that it should possess class-2/class-3 DSC issued by any Certifying Authorities approved by Controller of Certifying Authorities, Government of India, as the eprocurement website http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app is presently accepting DSC issued by these authorities only. The Applicant can obtain user login ID and perform DSC registration exercise above even before ebid/Proposal submission date starts. SAI shall not be held responsible if the Applicant fails to submit its e-bid/Proposal before the Proposal Due Date and Time due to DSC registration problem.
 - 8.8.2.4 The Applicant can search for active tenders through "search active tenders" link, select a tender in which it is interested in and then move it to 'My

Tenders' folder using the options available in the e-bid submission menu. After selecting the tender, for which the Applicant intends to e-bid/Proposal, from "My tenders" folder, the Applicant can place its e-bid/Proposal by clicking "pay offline" option available at the end of the view tender details form. Before this, the Applicant should download the RFP document including financial format and study them carefully. The Applicant should keep all the documents ready as per the requirements of RFP document in the PDF format.

- 8.8.2.5 After clicking the 'pay offline' option, the Applicant will be redirected to terms and conditions page. The Applicant should read the terms & conditions before proceeding to fill in the Bid Processing Fee offline payment details. After entering and saving the Bid Processing Fee details form so that "Bid document preparation and submission" window appears to upload the documents as per technical and financial schedules/packets given in the tender details. The details of the RTGS should tally with the details available in the scanned copy and the date entered during e-bid/Proposal submission time otherwise the e-bid/Proposal submitted will not be accepted by the SAI.
- 8.8.2.6 Before uploading, the Applicant must select the relevant DSC. The Applicant may be prompted to enter the DSC password, if necessary. For uploading, the Applicant should click "browse" button against each document label in technical and financial schedules/packets and then upload the relevant PDF files already prepared and stored in the Applicant's computer.
- 8.8.2.7 The Applicant should click "Encrypt" next for successfully encrypting and uploading of required documents. During the above process, the e-bid/Proposal documents are digitally signed using the DSC of the Applicant and then the documents are encrypted/locked electronically with the DSCs of the Bid openers to ensure that the e-bid/Proposal documents are protected, stored, and opened by concerned Bid openers only.
- 8.8.2.8 After successful submission of e-bid/Proposal document, a page giving the summary of e-bid submission will be displayed confirming end of e-bid/Proposal submission process. The Applicant can take a printout of the Bid summary using the "print" option available in the window as an acknowledgement for future reference.
- 8.8.2.9 SAI reserves the right to cancel any or all e-bids/Proposals without

assigning any reason.

8.9 Deadline for submission

 E-bid/Proposal (technical and financial) must be submitted by the Applicant at eprocurement website http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app not later than the time specified on the Proposal Due Date. SAI may, at its discretion, extend this deadline for submission of Proposal by amending the RFP document, in which case all rights and obligations of the SAI and Applicants previously subject to the deadline will thereafter be subject to the deadline, as extended.

8.10 Late submission

The server time indicated in the Bid management window on the e- procurement website http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app will be the time by which the e-bid/Proposal submission activity will be allowed till the permissible date and time scheduled in the e-tender. Once the e-bid/Proposal submission date and time is over, the Applicant cannot submit its e-bid/Proposal. Applicant must start the Bid submission well in advance so that the submission process occurs smoothly. The Applicant shall be solely responsible if its e-bid/Proposal is not submitted in time due to any problems/faults attributable to the Applicant, for whatsoever reason, during the e-bid/Proposal submission process.

8.11 Withdrawal and resubmission of Proposal

- At any point of time, an Applicant may withdraw its Proposal submitted online before the Proposal Due Date and Time. For withdrawing, the Applicant should first log in using its login ID and password, and subsequently by its DSC on the e-procurement website http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app. The Applicant should then select "My bids" option in the Bid submission menu. The page listing all the bids submitted by the Applicant will be displayed. Click "View" to see the details of the Bid to be withdrawn. After selecting the "bid withdrawal" option, the Applicant must click "Yes" to the message- "Do you want to withdraw this bid?" displayed in the Bid information window for the selected bid. The Applicant also must enter the Bid withdrawing reasons and upload the letter giving the reasons for withdrawing before clicking the "Submit" button. The Applicant must confirm again by pressing "OK" button before finally withdrawing his/her selected e-bid/Proposal.
- No e-bid/Proposal may be withdrawn in the interval between the Proposal Due Date and the Proposal Validity Period. Withdrawal of an e-bid/Proposal during this interval

may result in the forfeiture of the Applicant's e-bid/Proposal security.

- The Applicant may re-submit its e-bid/Proposal, if required, till the e-bid submission end date and time. The e-bid/Proposal submitted earlier shall be replaced by the new one. For resubmission, the Applicant should first log in using its login Id and password, and subsequently by its DSC on the e-procurement website http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app. The Applicant should then select "My bids" option in the Bid submission menu. The page listing all the bids submitted by the Applicant will be displayed. Click "View" to see the detail of the e-bid to be resubmitted. After selecting the "bid resubmission" option, click "Encrypt & upload" to upload the revised e-bids documents.
- The Applicant can submit their revised e-bids/Proposals as many times as possible by uploading their e-bid documents within the scheduled date & time for submission of e-bids/Proposals.
- No e-bid can be resubmitted subsequently after the deadline is over for submission of e-bids.
- Price Bid, If submitted as a part of technical bid, the bid shall be summarily rejected by the SAI

8.12 Selection of the Sponsorship Partner

 From the time the Proposals are opened to the time the Contract is awarded, if any Applicant wishes to contact the SAI, on any matter related to their Proposal, it shall do so in writing. Any effort by the Applicant to influence any officer/office bearer of the SAI in relation to the Proposal evaluation or Contract award decisions may result in the rejection of the Applicant's Proposal.

8.13 Opening of Proposals

- 8.13.1 SAI will open all technical e-bids/Proposals, in the presence of Applicant's representatives who choose to attend such opening, on the prescribed date of opening at the SAI office.
- 8.13.2 The Applicant's representatives who are present shall sign a register evidencing their attendance. In the event of the specified date of the e-bid/Proposal opening being declared a holiday for the SAI, the e-bids shall be opened at the appointed time and place on the next working day.
- 8.13.3 The Applicants names and the presence or absence of requisite e-bid/Proposal security and such other details as the SAI at its discretion may consider appropriate, will be announced at the opening. The names of such Applicants not meeting the technical specifications and qualification requirement shall be

notified subsequently.

9. RIGHT TO VARY SCOPE OF WORK

9.1 SAI may, at any time during RFP process, by a written order given to the Bidder, make changes within the general scope of the Work. The Bid shall accordingly be amended by the Bidder.

10. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- 10.1 Bids of the Bidders, who do not meet the required Qualification/Eligibility Criteria mentioned in this RFP shall be treated as non responsive and will not be considered further.
- 10.2 The Bidders participating in the Bid should qualify against all the following prequalification/eligibility criteria:

S. No.	Criteria	Documents/Evidence to be Submitted	
1	 A company incorporated in India under the Companies Act, 1956 or 2013 and subsequent amendments thereto, Partnership Firms (LLP Act, 2008 or Partnership Act, 1932) or Proprietary Firms for at least three years Registered with the Income Tax (PAN) and GST (GSTN) Authorities in India with active status. 	Certified by Authorized Signatory: 1. Copy of Certificate of Incorporation, Partnership Deed etc.	
		Copy of Registration Certificates with the GST & IT (PAN) Authorities.	
2	The company/LLP/Proprietorship firm should have achieved average annual turnover of at least INR Four (4) crores during any 3 out of 4 previous financial years ending March 2022.	Certificate by their Statutory Auditor/ Chartered Accountant stating turnover in required financial years as per Annexure VI .	
3	DECLARATION As per GFR Clause 144 (xi) added vide Department of Expenditure order dated 23.07.2020: Any Bidder from a country which shares a land border with India will be eligible to bid in this Tender only if the Bidder is registered with the competent authority. All terms as mentioned in the Department of Expenditure order dated 23.07.2020 will be applicable.	Declaration as per New GFR Clause, 144 (xi) 'I have read the clause regarding restrictions on procurement from a bidder of a country which shares a land border with India; I certify that this bidder is not from such a country or, if from such a country, has been registered with the competent authority. I hereby certify that this bidder fulfils all requirements in this	

		regard and is eligible to be considered.
4	The Bidder should not be banned or blacklisted by any government organisation/Govt. financial institution / court / PSU / Central Government / State Government as on the Bid Due Date.	Self-Declaration duly signed by Authorized Signatory
5	Bidder should be Fit and Proper person as per the criteria defined in this RFP document*	Self-certificate and/or Letter of Undertaking to this effect on Bidder's letter head signed by Bidder' authorized signatory,

***Conditions for Fit and Proper Person**: For the purpose of determining whether a Bidder is a 'Fit and Proper Person', SAI may take the indicative criteria mentioned below:

- a. Financial integrity of the Bidder.
- b. Ability of the Bidder to undertake all obligations set out under this RFP.
- c. Absence of convictions or civil liabilities against the Bidder.
- d. Absence of any previous debarment of the Bidder, in accordance with the General Financial Rules, 2017, provided such debarment is still existing.
- e. Absence of any disqualification as specified below:
 - Conviction of the Bidder or any of its respective directors, partners, executives, or key managerial personnel by any judicial body for any offence involving moral turpitude, economic offence, securities laws or fraud or any offence under the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 or the Indian Penal Code, or any other law for the time being in force, for causing any loss of life or property or causing a threat to public health as part of execution of a public procurement contract.
 - Admission of an application for winding up or liquidation under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 (IBC) or any Applicable Laws against the Bidder or any of its or their respective directors and partners.
 - Any action or proceeding being initiated under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Laws under the Applicable Law, including but not limited to declaration of Insolvency or Bankruptcy, disqualification or de-recognition by any professional body being initiated against the Bidder.
 - Current or previous banning of the Bidder or its respective directors, partners, executives, or key managerial personnel by the governing body of any sport from involvement in the administration of or any form of participation in such sport, for any reason.
 - Default by the Bidder or any of its or their respective directors, partners, executives, or key managerial personnel of any of its obligations to a financial institution or has defaulted on any of its obligations to a financial institution in the last 3 (three) financial years.
 - The Bidder should not have been barred by the Central Government, any State Government, a statutory authority, or a public sector undertaking, as the case may be, from participating in any project, and the bar subsists as on the date of the Proposal.

Bid(s) of the Bidder(s), who does/do not meet the required Eligibility/ Qualification Criteria mentioned in this RFP shall be treated as non-responsive and their Bid will not be considered for further evaluation process by the SAI.

11. FINANCIAL BID EVALUATION

11.1. The technically responsive Bidders meeting the above Eligibility Criteria will only be shortlisted for opening and evaluation of Financial Bid.

- 11.2. The Price bid evaluation will be category wise. For financial evaluation, the committed amount (Bid Variable) indicated in the Financial Proposal, will be considered. The committed amount should be excluding taxes.
- **11.3.** The SAI will determine whether the Proposals are complete, and unconditional. The sponsorship fee, as indicated in the Financial Proposal shall be deemed as final. Further, the minimum Sponsorship fee has been fixed and the same is tabulated as hereunder:

S. No	Sponsorship Category	Minimum Amount
1	Principal Sponsor	INR 3.00 Crores
2	Powered by Sponsor	INR 2 Crores
3	Co – Powered by Sponsor	INR 1 Crores

Accordingly, Bid of Bidder quoting below the minimum fee for different categories as detailed in table above will be summarily rejected.

- 11.4. The sponsorship value for 2022 Khelo India University Games shall be the basis of selection of bidder. All the Bidders shall submit their offers as per the commercial Bid format. After opening of commercial bids, highest offers in each category in terms of value shall be selected and awarded the bid. However, in case, the highest Bidder for category 2 or 3 is more than the category 1, then the rights of category 1 will be offered to category 2 or 3, considering the highest quoted amount. Second highest amount offered in any category shall be given preference in category 2. In case, that Bidder refuses for category 2 rights, then the next highest shall be offered category 2 rights and so on.
- 11.5. In case of tie between the Bidders, meaning thereby two or more Bidders emerging as H1 in any category, then the bidder having highest average annual turnover during last three (3) financial year ending on 31st March 2022 shall be considered as a successful bidder.

12.AWARD OF CONTRACT

- 12.1 SAI reserves the right to accept or reject a Bid, to cancel/abort the RFP process, and/or reject all Bids at any time prior to the awarding of Contract. Notwithstanding the same, SAI shall not be responsible for any loss, indirect, incidental or consequential damages incurred by the bidder as a result of such actions taken by SAI.
- 12.2 SAI shall award the Contract to the highest quoting Bidder, subject to the fulfilment of any and/or all terms and conditions provided under this RFP.

13.PERFORMANCE SECURITY

13.1 The successful bidder in each category, within 14 days from the date of the issuance of notification of award by SAI, shall furnish Performance guarantee to SAI for an amount equivalent to three per cent (03%) of the total value of the contract.

- 13.2 Performance Security will be in the form of Account payee demand draft, fixed deposit receipt (FDR), e-Bank guarantee, NEFT / RTGS, Insurance Surety Bonds, Bank Guarantee (BG) of any Commercial Bank drawn in the name of "SECRETARY (SAI), KHELO INDIA" payable at New Delhi to be deposited in the office of Khelo India Secretariat, Ramp 5, North Block, JLN Stadium, Lodhi Road, New Delhi 110003.
- 13.3 SAI will have the right to invoke the Performance Security without assigning any reasons if the selected Bidder defaults or is deemed to have defaulted or in case the proposed sponsor withdraws and/or defaults in any terms of the tender documents and empanelment may be cancelled.
- 13.4 Successful Bidder shall be required to give Performance Security within 14 days of issuance of Notification of Award by SAI. In the event of default in submission of Performance Security within the stipulated time, the Bidder shall be liable for a penalty amounting to 0.1% (Zero Point One Percent) of the "committed sponsorship value" per day of delay subject to a maximum delay of 7 (seven) days unless payment in a staggered manner is allowed. If delay continues beyond 7 (seven) days, SAI shall have the right to cancel empanelment/Award with the right to other legal remedies that may be available under law against that Bidder.
- 13.5 The Performance Security shall be immediately replenished by the Bidder in the event Performance Security is invoked by SAI.
- 13.6 The Performance Security should remain valid for an additional period of 60(sixty) days beyond the timelines mentioned in the" Letter of Award". For example, if the timelines mentioned to submit the sponsorship amount is 10 days, the Performance Security shall be valid till 10 days + 60days from the date of project initiation.

14.INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

14.1 The Sponsorship Partner must ensure that all intellectual property including but not limited to SAI/ Khelo India/ Fit India logo, creatives any work, brand name, trade name, service mark, trademark etc., related to SAI/ Khelo India/ Fit India shall belong to SAI. In no event, the Sponsorship Partner shall, either directly or indirectly, register, file or attempt to register or file any intellectual property in its own name. The winning Bidder (sponsor) may use the Khelo India logo only for the intended purpose of naming themselves as Official Sponsors (in that category) to the Khelo India University Games. However, the same may be used only for 120 days from the last day of 2022 edition of Khelo India University Games. The sponsor does not use the logo beyond 120 days from the last day of 2022 edition of Khelo India University Games. In case the sponsor is using the logo beyond 120 days, suitable action may be taken against the selected bidder, which may include termination of contract.

- 14.2 The selected bidder shall be solely responsible for any violation or infringement of any trademark, trade name, copyright, patent of any person, firm or company, personal right of privacy, religious beliefs and/or any other right of any other person including for adherence of regulations, administrative and judicial orders etc.
- 14.3 All exploitation rights including without limitation promotion / sponsorships / distribution / marketing / telecast etc. shall vest with SAI and the bidder, without pre-approval of SAI, shall not have any right to sell/market the said event to any party.
- 14.4 The relationship between the parties hereto shall be on a Principal-to-Principal basis and shall not be deemed to be a joint venture, partnership, or agency of any nature whatsoever between them.
- 14.5 The selected bidder undertakes and confirms that it shall comply with all requisites, laws and regulations, necessary insurances, that are required to be complied with for conducting the event and the creation, as well as exclusive assignment of all rights in favor of SAI, bidder shall keep SAI indemnified and hold SAI harmless from any and all claims including claims for infringement, losses, demands, damages, costs, charges, expenses that may prejudice SAI's interests and benefits, in any way whatsoever.
- 14.6 SAI shall not be responsible in any way for any unfulfilled obligations and/or liabilities of selected bidder, its Affiliates/Associations etc. and/or its agents towards any person, party, company, organization in connection with pending obligations, the finance, employment of other contractual and noncontractual.

15.PENALTY CLAUSE

- 15.1 If the selected bidder fails to submit the 50% of the sponsorship fee within the stipulated 15 days of the issuance of Notification of Award, a penalty of 0.25% per day will be levied on the 50% of the sponsorship value. If the 100% sponsorship fees are not received one week prior to the commencement of games, the sponsorship rights may be withdrawn by the SAI.
- 15.2 SAI is entitled to forfeit the Performance Security submitted by the Selected Bidder in case the sponsor backs out or fails to make payment in accordance with the schedule mentioned in this RFP.
- 15.3 Furthermore, any failure of the Selected Bidder in fulfilling its contractual obligations

may render it liable for termination of contract.

15.4 SAI shall be entitled to terminate the Contract immediately upon a written notice in case the Selected Bidder is in Material Breach and/or fail to fulfill its obligations as promised under this RFP provided and the Bidder fails to remedy such breach within 5 days upon notification of the said breach by the SAI.

16.REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 16.1 SAI, along with its employees, representatives, advisers, make no representation or warranty and shall have no liability to any person including any Applicant under any law, statute, rules or regulations or tort, principles of restitution or unjust enrichment or otherwise for any loss, damages, cost or expense which may arise from or be incurred or suffered on account of anything contained in this RFP or otherwise, including the accuracy, adequacy correctness, reliability or completeness of the RFP and any assessment, assumption, statement or information contained therein or deemed to form part of this RFP or arising in any way in this selection process.
- 16.2 SAI may in its absolute discretion, but without being under any obligation to do so, update, amend or supplement the information, assessment or assumption contained in this RFP.
- 16.3 The Applicant declares that all the information provided is truthful information without concealment of any facts. In case, at any stage, it is found that any information given by the Applicant is false/frivolous/misleading/incorrect/concealed, then SAI shall have the absolute right to take any action as deemed fit, including but not limited dropping the Applicant from consideration for award of Contract and/or debarment/blacklisting etc. without incurring any liability to the affected Applicant/s on the ground of SAI's action.
- 16.4 The Applicant declares that no effort has been used by the Applicant to influence the Bid comparison / evaluation / work award decision by way of overt / covert canvassing. Such an effort shall result in non-consideration / rejection of its Bid.

17.INDEMNIFICATIONS AND LIABILITES

17.1 The Applicant shall fully indemnify, hold harmless and defend SAI and its Officers/Employees/Agents/Stockholders/Affiliates against all claims, demands, actions, suits, damages, liabilities, losses, settlements, judgments, costs and expenses (including but not limited to reasonable attorney's fees and costs), whether or not involving a third-party claim including claims for infringement of Intellectual Property Rights, which arise out of relate to:

(i) any breach of any representation or warranty of the Applicant contained in this RFP; and/or

(ii) any breach or violation of any covenant or other obligation or duty of the Applicant under this RFP. SAI accepts no liability of any nature whether resulting from negligence or otherwise however caused arising from reliance of any Applicant upon the statements contained in this RFP.

- 17.2 The Successful Applicant shall at all times indemnify and keep indemnified SAI against all claims/third party claims/damages /actions/suits liabilities/costs and expenses (including but not limited to reasonable attorney's fees and costs) etc. for any infringement of Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) by the Applicant while providing its services under the Project.
- 17.3 All claims regarding indemnity shall survive the termination or expiry of the Contract.

18.FORCE MAJEURE

- 18.1 For purposes of this Clause, "Force Majeure" means an event beyond the control of the successful Applicant and not involving the successful Applicant's fault or negligence and not foreseeable. Such events may include, but are not limited to, acts done in sovereign or contractual capacity, wars or revolutions, fires, floods, epidemics, pandemics, quarantine restrictions, lockdowns, and freight embargoes. The successful Applicant shall not be liable for imposition of any such sanction so long the delay and/or failure of the successful Applicant in fulfilling its obligations under the Contract is the result of an event of Force Majeure.
- 18.2 If a Force Majeure situation arises, the successful Applicant shall promptly notify SAI in writing, of such conditions and the cause thereof within 7 (seven) days of occurrence of such event. Unless otherwise directed by SAI in writing, the successful Applicant shall continue to perform its obligations under the Contract as

far as reasonably practical and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not prevented by the Force Majeure event.

- 18.3 If the performance of in whole or in part or any obligation under the Contract is prevented or delayed by any reason of Force Majeure for a period exceeding [3] days, SAI may at its option terminate the Contract without any financial repercussion on either side.
- 18.4 In case due to a Force Majeure event, SAI is unable to fulfil its contractual commitment and responsibility, SAI shall notify the successful Applicant accordingly and subsequent actions shall be taken on similar lines described in above sub-paragraphs.

19.DISPUTE RESOLUTION MECHANISM

- 19.1 All disputes or differences arising out of or in connection with the Contract including the one connected with the validity of the Contract, or any part thereof should be settled by bilateral discussion between the successful Applicant and the SAI. SAI and the successful Applicant shall make every efforts to resolve amicably by direct informal negotiation, any disagreement or dispute arising between them under or in connection with the Contract.
- 19.2 If the Parties fail to resolve their dispute or difference by such mutual consultation within 30 (thirty) days of its occurrence, then, either SAI or the successful Applicant may give notice to the other party of its intention to commence arbitration, in accordance with the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996, as amended, the rules thereunder and any statutory modifications or re-enactments thereof. The Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of a sole arbitrator to be mutually agreed between the Parties and in case of any disagreement as regards the appointment of such sole arbitrator, such sole arbitrator shall be appointed in accordance with the provisions of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996, as amended, and the award of the sole arbitrator shall be enforceable before Indian Courts only. The award of the sole arbitrator shall be final and binding on the parties to the Contract.
- 19.3 The Seat and Venue of Arbitration shall be New Delhi, India. The Arbitration proceedings shall be conducted in the English language.
- 19.4 Each party shall bear its own cost of preparing and presenting its own case (including all fees and other expenses), unless otherwise awarded by the sole arbitrator.

- 19.5 The parties shall continue to perform their respective obligations under the Contract during the pendency of the Arbitration proceedings except in so far as such obligations are the subject matter of Arbitration proceedings.
- 19.6 All matters connected with the Contract shall be governed by the Indian law, both substantive and procedural, for the time being in force and shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Court of competent jurisdiction at New Delhi.

20.APPLICABLE LAW

The Contract shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of India for the time being in force.

21.CORRUPT OR FRAUDULENT PRACTICES

21.1 The Applicants/ successful Applicants shall observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement and execution of the Contract. In pursuance of this RFP, SAI:

(i) shall reject a proposal for award of Contract if it determines that the Applicant recommended for the award has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent or collusion or coercive practices in competing for the Contract in question; and/or

(ii) shall declare the Applicant ineligible or debar/blacklist, either indefinitely or for a stated period of time, for the purpose of awarding the Contract if it, at any time determines that the Applicant has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent or collusion or coercive practices, or gross/deliberate negligence in competing for, or in executing the Contract.

21.2 SAI reserves the right not to conclude the Contract, and in case Contract has been awarded, terminate the same, if found to be obtained by any misrepresentation, concealment and suppression of material facts by the Applicant. In addition, Bid Security/Performance Security (as the case may be) furnished by the Applicant, shall be forfeited and legal as well as administrative action for such misrepresentation, concealment or suppression of material facts shall be initiated.

22.CONFIDENTIALTY

22.1 The Applicant agrees and acknowledges that this RFP is confidential, and the Applicant agrees and undertakes that nothing contained in this RFP shall be

disclosed in any manner whatsoever, except to the financial and legal advisors of such Applicant. The undue use by any Applicant of confidential information related to the Bid process may, at the sole discretion of SAI, result in the rejection of its Bid. The Applicant shall further ensure that such financial and legal advisors or any other employees, representatives of the Applicant maintain confidentiality of the RFP, and any information disclosed to them in relation thereto.

- 22.2 The Applicant is not authorized to waive or release any privileged information obtained from or on behalf of SAI. The Applicant is required to maintain the confidentiality of all privileged information. This requirement is perpetual i.e., it will continue even after the termination of the relationship between the Applicant and SAI. This requirement is also intended to prohibit the Applicant from using information obtained from or on behalf of SAI or its successors or assignees, including work product prepared at SAI's expense, for other clients of the Applicant without the prior written approval of SAI. The Applicant is not authorized to identify SAI as a client for the purposes of marketing or for advertising, without the prior written approval of SAI. Upon termination of the relationship, the Applicant agrees to return promptly all information obtained from or on behalf of SAI or any copies thereof to SAI. The Applicant is not authorized to communicate with the public, including the press, about any matter in relation to its relationship` with SAI without the prior written approval of SAI.
- 22.3 All information and documents that are furnished by the Applicant will be treated as strictly confidential by SAI and shall not be disclosed by SAI to any other party, or otherwise used by itself, other than (a) for evaluating the Bids submitted; or (b) as required by Applicable Law.
- **23.** Severability: Any term or provision of this RFP that is invalid or unenforceable shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the remaining terms and provisions or the validity or enforceability of the offending term or provision in any other situation or in any other jurisdiction.

Annexure I | COMMERCIAL BID FORMAT (To Be Submitted in Online Mode Only)

- If any Bidder does not quote for all three categories of the sponsorship, the Bid will still be treated as responsive. However, if the Bidder quotes lower than the table mentioned in Clause D Point 9 (minimum sponsorship fee for different categories of sponsor) of Annexure II, the Bid will be treated as non-responsive.
- Bidders are required to submit Bids for the proposed Sponsorship Rights Fee for 2022 Edition of the Event during the Rights Period

To Be filled only in the BoQ uploaded on CPP Portal. Not to be submitted as a part of Technical BID

SR.		Product	Name of Sponsor	Amount Co	mmitted in
NO.	ITEM Description	Category		INR	
				In Figures	In Words
1.	Principal			1	
	Sponsor	To Be filled only in the BoQ uploaded			
2.	Powered By Sponsor	on CPP Portal.		loaded	
3.	Co-Powered By Sponsor				

Note:

- a) Account Details for the money to be deposited for sponsorship shall be intimated later.
- b) No conditions should be attached to the Proposal.
- c) The amount should be quoted in both figure and words. In case of discrepancies in the prices mentioned in the figure and word, the prices mentioned in the words shall be considered as final price.
- d) If any Bidder does not quote for all the three categories of the sponsorship, theBid will still be treated as responsive.
- e) Taxes due to SAI will be considered part of Sponsorship, but taxes due to the Sponsor will not be considered as a part of Bid and need to be borne by the Sponsor separately and shall not be made part of the bid

Signature of The Agency: Address: Date:

Annexure II | TERMS OF REFERENCE

A. EXCLUSIVE RIGHTS OF OFFICIAL MEDIA PARTNER OF KIUG

- The official Media Partner of KIUG has exclusive media rights globally for KIUG. There are certain rights of Media Partner which are not available for commercial exploitation. Such Media rights includes:
- 2. Right of production of feed.
- 3. Right of broadcast on live and delayed basis, the unlimited duration of the event by means of television and digital transmission.
- 4. Right to commercially exploit all on-air inventory including the right to appoint broadcast sponsors (not on ground sponsors).
- Right of access to players before and after each match/event for the purpose of creating film/audio visuals/ clips or any other form of promotional activity with respect to the event depending on the availability of the player.
- 6. Right to photograph and recording the players as well as their performance during the event, any period ancillary including training and press conferences.
- Right to use such images/audio visuals for the purposes of posters/flyers/promotion or any other advertisement rests exclusively with Media Partner
- 8. Right to use all recorded information related to the event including all fixture lists, scores and statistical information.
- 9. Right to transmit the event on replay, deferred/delayed basis(in full or in part) via television and digital transmission.
- 10. Right to transmit clip and highlights related to the event by television/digital transmission.
- 11. Right to transmit any audio visual related to the event with interactivity functionality providing enhanced user viewing experience to a person including voting, switching between feeds, participation in contests, quiz etc
- 12. Right to provide services enabling viewers the access on demand/data or information regarding any game or series of games or the team or the players participating in the event as well as to place orders or carry out any revenue generating activity.

- 13. Right to create or monetize any electronic games, interactive media, quiz, competition based on KIUG.
- 14. Fixed media rights which include coverage transmission on home video, DVD, laser disc, VCD or any other fixed electronic storage.
- 15. Right of transmission of audio visuals of the event via any existing or new platforms at theatres, stadiums, parks, hospitals, govt buildings etc.
- 16. Radio rights with respect to audio only coverage of the event.
- 17. Right to use audio visuals of any previous school/ district/state/national events organized by SAI to market the event.
- 18. Right to transmit the coverage of the event in virtual reality format and create text commentary and other editorial descriptions of the event.
- 19. Right to non-game content rights including any behind the scenes coverage, interview with players, support staff and organizers.
- 20. Right of any game, competition, application or any other activation using the branding of the event directly or indirectly which can be exploited via mobile or internet technology
- 21. Right to transmit coverage of the event(live/deferred/delayed) in full or in part in trains or other forms of transport
- 22. Right to use KIUG marks and logos in relation to the conferred rights as well as the right to promote its services and itself as the official media partner of KIUG.

B. OBLIGATIONS OF OFFICIAL MEDIA PARTNER OF KIUG

- 1. The Media Partner shall mandatorily broadcast the event on its top channels on Television and Digital Platforms for 7 (seven) hours per day out of which minimum of five hours will be live.
- A dynamic logo (comprising of the KIUG logo along with principal sponsor and the event powered by logo units) will be inserted at the top left corner of broadcast feed by Media Partner (this is subject to approval from SAI)
- The broadcast feed by the media partner would also be transmitted to Prasar Bharti for transmission on its non-pay television platforms including DD Free dish.
- 4. The official media partner has the right to appoint broadcast sponsor with respect to primary product category of the Event Sponsor. However, such right shall first be offered to Event Sponsor. In case of denial by the Event

Sponsor, Media Partner has the liberty to appoint the broadcast sponsor including any person who is competitor of the Event Sponsor.

- 5. The media partner will produce highlights in at least 3 languages and broadcast the same on language specific channels and on the digital platform
- Note Event Sponsor Means, any or all of the three categories of the Sponsors (Principal, Powered by & Co – Powered by).

C. SPONSORSHIP CATEGORIES

The proposed sponsorship categories are as follows:

- a) Principal Sponsor
- b) Powered by Sponsor
- c) Co-Powered by Sponsor

D. SCOPE OF SERVICES

- 1. SAI has the exclusive right to appoint Event Sponsors as well as to transmit non live coverage of KIUG and highlights on the official website for a maximum of 10 minutes per day of the event on a non-exclusive basis for exploitation on a noncommercial basis. Such clips can also be used by SAI on its social media platform, or any other account created for the purposes of the event. Further, SAI has the right to transmit archive content on its official website for exploitation on a noncommercial basis.
- 2. Partners could use their brand activation strategies /techniques prior to the commencement of the event. However, such strategies must be first aligned with the efforts and scheme of Khelo India and communicated in writing. Prior approval of SAI shall be obtained before commencement of any marketing or activation activity before the event is started.
- 3. On ground sponsors could be permitted for conducting any activity outside FOP and within the premises of the event for the purposes of any brand advertisement or promotion. However, if the brand sponsor decides to circulate digitally such ad/promotions or any other clip related thereto, the same shall exclude the use of KIUG logo or any other composite logo created for the purposes of the event. Prior approval of SAI shall be obtained before commencement of any marketing or activation activity to be undertaken during or after the event.

- Any covert or overt form of expression/ exaggeration/ leverage using KIUG text/logo/verbal indication must be sought by SAI in writing and must be decided in consultation with SAI.
- 5. To avoid any miscommunication/conflict of interest, any form of communication among different stakeholders of KIUG (i.e., Media Partner, Event Sponsors, Event Organizers etc.) shall take place only through SAI.
- 6. '<u>Space for undertaking Promotions</u>' will be provided free of cost at one main venue each in a maximum of three (3) host cities (to be decided through mutual discussion between the sponsor, SAI and host state. The final discretion in this regard shall lie with SAI and the Host State as per the following scale:-

Sr.No	Category of Sponsor	Space for undertaking Promotions Area / Pagoda / Tent
1	Principal Sponsor	30 x 30 sq ft
2	Powered by Sponsor	20 x 20 sq ft
3	Co – Powered by Sponsor	15 x 15 sq ft

Note – Request for the 'Space for undertaking Promotions' at other cities and venue may be allowed post approval of SAI, in case a joint proposal by the Host State and Sponsor is received at least 15 days prior commencement of the event.

7. RIGHTS OFFERED TO DIFFERENT SPONSORS

The following rights shall be made available and divided among various sponsors in proportion to the amount committed by them

S. No.	Rights offered	Principal Sponsor	Powered by Sponsor	Co – Powered by Sponsor
1	venue branding collaterals	Main Arch gate, Drop Downs, Pole/pillar branding, Standees, Flex banners, wall branding, and on all Games' collaterals – booklets& schedules.	Drop Downs, Pole/pillar branding, Standees, Flex banners, wall branding, and on all Games' collaterals – booklets& schedules.	Drop Downs, Pole/pillar branding, Standees, Flex banners wall branding.
2	FOP branding static boards Standard perimeter boards with size 8 feet x 2.5 feet	20%	10%	5%
3	Inclusion in press conference on mutually agreeable terms	Yes	Yes	No
4	Mention in all official press releases as partners	Yes	Yes	Yes
5	VVIP hospitality passes for each day Event	30	20	10
6	VVIPs passes for opening and closing ceremonies	20	10	05
7	Product display at FOP (subject to approval of GTCC) and VVIP lounge	Yes (FOP & VVIP lounge)	Yes (VVIP Lounge)	No
8	Rights to display product / service at venue (other than FOP and VVIP Lounge) with the prior alignment of Khelo India Sect. as for the type of product and its placement & exposure levels	Yes	Yes	Yes
9	Award distribution by sponsors	8	4	2
10	Official Sports Kit	100 Kits	50 Kits	15 Kits
11	On-ground activation	Yes	Yes	Yes
12	Meet & Greet at Opening Ceremony	Yes	Yes	Yes
13	Presence on Games website	Yes	Yes	Yes
14	customized social media posts per brand pre and during the games	10	8	6
15	Rights to undertake a joint consumer contest with Khelo India (Subject to approvals from SAI)	Yes	Yes	Yes

16	Logo on apparel/kit of the players (as per Annexure III)	Yes	Yes	Yes
17	Access would be granted to the sponsors for Khelo India winning athletes for a period of 120 days from the last day of 2022 edition of Khelo India University Games.	Yes	Yes	Yes
18	Right to make promo / film / content pre, during or post event at their own cost. (Promotional purposes) The shoot time or usage of logo on digital properties or brand communication or use of image of brand ambassadors along with Khelo India Logo for marketing communication can also be undertaken. All communication elements need to be approved by SAI before the	Yes	Yes	Yes
	to be approved by SAI before the launch of the same.			

Note

- 1. With regards to S.No.17 & 18, the same may be used only for 120 days from the last day of 2022 edition of Khelo India University Games.
- 2. The sponsor does not continue to use the said content beyond 120 days from the last day of 2022 edition of Khelo India University Games. In case the sponsor continues to use the content for more than 120 days, suitable action may be taken against agencies, which may include forfeiture of Performance Security and termination of contract.

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8. RESTRICTED PRODUCT CATEGORIES

The following product categories shall be restricted for any kind of association with KIUG:

- 1. Tobacco Products
- 2. Weapons and Explosives
- 3. Derogatory Personal, Political, and Religious Content
- 4. Spy Cams and Surveillance Equipment
- 5. Counterfeit Goods
- 6. Fake Documents
- 7. Adult Products and Services
- 8. Penny Auctions
- 9. Alcohol
- 10. Body Parts
- 11.Cannabis
- 12. Dating
- 13. Drug Tests and Exam-Taking Services
- 14. Fake Followers Services
- 15. Betting and Gambling (including their surrogates)
- 16. Hacking and Surveillance
- 17. Illegal Automobile Modification Products
- 18. Lottery
- 19. Multi-Level Marketing
- 20. Over-the-Counter Drugs
- 21. Payday and Short-Term Loans
- 22. Personal Loans
- 23. Online Pharmacies
- 24. Politics
- 25. Recreational Drugs
- 26. Prescription Drugs
- 27.Rehab
- 28. Reproductive Health
- 29. Spyware and Malware
- 30. Subscription Services
- 31. Unauthorized Set-Top Boxes
- 32. Unsafe Supplements
- 33. Binary Options
- 34. Any other category that MYAS/SAI on its sole discretion feels inappropriate to be included as Sponsor

9. MINIMUM SPONSORSHIP FEE FOR DIFFERENT CATEGORIES OF SPONSORS

The minimum Bid (offer submitted by Bidders) shall not be less than the amount given in the table:

S. No	Sponsorship Category	Minimum Amount
1	Principal Sponsor	INR 3.00 Crores
2	Powered by Sponsor	INR 2 Crores
3	Co – Powered by Sponsor	INR 1 Crores

Bid of Bidder quoting below the minimum fee for different categories as detailed in table above will be summarily rejected.

10. TERM OF SPONSORSHIP

The maximum tenure of Sponsorship rights shall be 2022 edition of Khelo India University Games, starting from the upcoming scheduled edition which shall be intimidated as the host state is officially announced

11.SELECTION PROCEDURE

- The sponsorship value for 2022 Khelo India University Games shall be the basis of selection of bidder. All the Bidders shall submit their offers as per the commercial Bid format. After opening of commercial bids, highest offers in each category in terms of value shall be selected and awarded the bid. However, in case, the highest Bidder for category 2 or 3 is more than the category 1, then the rights of category 1 will be offered to category 2 or 3, considering the highest quoted amount. Second highest amount offered in any category shall be given preference in category 2. In case, that Bidder refuses for category 2 rights, then the next highest shall be offered category 2 rights and so on.
- In case of tie between the Bidders, meaning thereby two or more Bidders emerging as H1 in any category, then the bidder having highest average annual turnover during last three (3) financial year ending on 31st March 2022 shall be considered the successful bidder.

12. TERMS OF PAYMENT

• 50% of the quoted sponsorship rights fee within 15 days of the issuance of Notification of Award and the balance 50% one week prior to the commencement of games.

Note: Once the Bid is accepted by SAI, the respective Selected Bidder shall be responsible for payment of Sponsorship amount to SAI.

Annexure III LOGO Placement

- 1. For "Principal" Sponsors The logo shall be placed on the Back of the athlete jersey/ apparel as Length 3 inches and Width 6 inches.
- 2. For "Powered by" Sponsor The logo shall be placed on left side of the chest (above pocket) on the athlete jersey/ apparel as Length 2 inches and Width 2 inches.
- 3. For "Co Powered by" Sponsor The logo shall be placed on one side of the sleeve on the athlete jersey/ apparel as Length 2 inches and Width 2 inches.

Note – The logos of sponsors shall be placed only on playing kits. (Apparels worn by athlete while participating in his /her event/sports discipline and does not include apparel worn during practice or on any other occasion)

Annexure IV – Power of Attorney

Power of Attorney

Delhi, signing and execution of all contracts and undertakings consequent to acceptance of our proposal and generally dealing with SAI, New Delhi in all matters in connection with or relating to or arising out of our Proposal for said Project and/or upon award thereof to us till the entering into of the Agreement with SAI, New Delhi.

AND, we do hereby agree to ratify and confirm all acts, deeds and things lawfully done or caused to be done by our said Authorized Representative pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred by this Power of Attorney and that all acts, deeds and things done by our said Authorized Representative in exercise of the powers hereby conferred shall and shall always be deemed to have been done by us.

For (Signature, name, designation, and address) Witnesses: 1. 2.

Notarized Accepted

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(Signature, name, designation, and address of the Attorney

Annexure V – Covering Letter on letterhead along with Technical Bid

To, Deputy Director General, SAI, JLN Complex, East Gate, Lodhi Road New Delhi-110003

Sub–Proposal for Sponsorship Partner under Khelo India University Games 2022

Dear Sir/Madam,

We the undersigned offer to provide our services and are hereby submitting our proposal against the RFP.

We understand Sports Authority of India (SAI) is not bound to accept any proposal received by us.

We fully understand and agree to comply that on verification, if any of the information provided here is found to be misleading, we are liable to be rejected from the RFP.

We have fully understood the Terms and conditions of this RFP provided herein and submit our bid for:

S.	SponsorshipCategory	BID SUBMITTED For
no		
1	Principal Sponsor	YES/NO
2	Powered By Sponsor	YES/NO
3	Co-powered by Sponsor	YES/NO

We hereby declare that our proposal submitted in response to this RFP is made in good faith and the information contained is true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Thanks Name: Title: Signature:

SIGNATURE WITH SEAL

ANNEXURE 'VI' | Annual Turnover

S. NO.	FINANCIAL YEAR	ANNUAL TURNOVER (INR)
1.	2019-20	
2.	2020-21	
3.	2021-22	
	Certificate fr	om the Statutory Auditor/Charted Accountant
		e turnover of the Applicant in the last three years is
Rs	o certify that the average (In words) E the Audit firm:	e turnover of the Applicant in the last three years is

(Signature, name and designation of the Authorized Signatory)

Note:

- In case the Applicant does not have a Statutory Auditor, it shall provide the certificate from its Chartered Accountant (CA) that ordinarily audits the annual accounts of the Applicant.
- In case audit of the firm is pending for the FY 2021-22, provisional accounts certified by CA may be considered