

**Corrigendum – III**

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**Subject:**

Corrigendum to the *Request for Empanelment (RFE)* titled “**Empanelment of Partner Agencies for Deployment of AI/ML Resources and Discovery of Rates for AI-Specific Manpower under Digital India**”, published in November 2025.

Reference is invited to the RFE issued via Tender ID: 2025\_DIT\_885957\_1.

**Summary of Amendments**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Section / Clause</b>	<b>Existing Provision</b>	<b>Revised Provision / Clarification</b>
<b>1</b>	Section 2 – Important Dates	Proposal submission deadline: <b>7<sup>th</sup> January 2026 (15:00 IST)</b>	Revised Proposal submission deadline: <b>16<sup>th</sup> January 2026 (15:00 IST)</b>
<b>2</b>	Section 2 – Important Dates	Opening of Pre-Qualification Bids: <b>9<sup>th</sup> January 2026(16:00 IST)</b>	Revised Opening of Pre-Qualification Bids: <b>19<sup>th</sup> January 2026 (16:00 IST)</b>

3	Section 2 – Important Dates	Technical Presentation: <b>TBD</b>				Revised Technical Presentation: <b>TBD</b>				
4	Section 2 – Important Dates	Financial Opening: <b>TBD</b>				Revised Financial Opening: <b>TBD</b>				
		S.n o.	Evalu ation Param eter	Criteria/Sub- Component	Evaluation Basis / Methodology	S. no .	Evaluat ion Parame ter	Criteria/Sub- Component	Maximum Marks	Evaluation Basis / Methodology
5	Approach & Methodology Presentation and Interaction (Point no. 4) Published in corrigendum dated <b>16/12/2025.</b>	4.	Appro ach & Metho dolog y	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demonstrated understanding of NeGD's AI Services objectives, problem contexts, constraints, and reusability principles.</li> <li>Solution architecture walkthrough for indicative AI services listed in Section 3.6(B).</li> </ul>	<b>Max Marks: 35</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understanding of NeGD Objectives &amp; Reusability Principles – <b>5 marks</b></li> <li>Solution Architecture Walkthrough (Covering all 6 AI Service Areas) – <b>10 marks</b></li> <li>Demonstration of Prior Assignments / Implementations</li> </ol>	4	Approa ch & Methodology Present ation and Interact ion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demonstrated understanding of NeGD's AI Services objectives, problem contexts, constraints, and reusability principles.</li> <li>Solution architecture walkthrough for indicative AI services listed in Section 3.6(B).</li> <li>Demonstration of prior assignments /</li> </ul>	<b>Max Marks: 35</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understanding of NeGD Objectives &amp; Reusability Principles – <b>5 marks</b></li> <li>Solution Architecture Walkthrough (Covering all 6 AI Service Areas) – <b>10 marks</b></li> </ol>	Committee presentation (20–30 minutes + Q&A). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assessment of bidder's practical understanding, scalability, and alignment with NeGD's architecture vision.</li> <li>Solution architecture quality, clarity.</li> </ul>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstration of prior assignments / implementations at comparable scale.</li> <li>• Effectiveness of proposed delivery plan (accuracy, latency, uptime, Responsible AI, integration strategy).</li> <li>• Showcase of niche/specialised AI roles and depth of expertise relevant to the AI services. (Indicative Niche roles are mentioned as follows:</li> </ul>	<p>of Similar Scale – <b>5 marks</b></p> <p>4. Delivery Plan (Latency/Uptime Strategy, Security, RAI Guardrails, Integration Approach) – <b>10 marks</b></p> <p>5. Niche Role Capability Showcase – <b>5 marks</b></p> <p>6. Benchmark Performance Demonstration (Service-wise Representations) – <b>5 marks</b></p>		<p>implementations at comparable scale.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Effectiveness of proposed delivery plan (accuracy, latency, uptime, Responsible AI, integration strategy).</li> <li>• Showcase of niche/specialised AI roles and depth of expertise relevant to the AI services.</li> </ul> <p>(Indicative Niche roles are mentioned as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Document Summarization (NLP / LLMs) -&gt; Applied Scientist (NLP),</li> <li>NLP Engineer,</li> <li>Machine Learning Engineer – NLP</li> </ol>	<p>3. Demonstration of Prior Assignments / Implementations of Similar Scale – <b>5 marks</b></p> <p>4. Delivery Plan (Latency/Uptime Strategy, Security, RAI Guardrails, Integration Approach) – <b>5 marks</b></p> <p>5. Niche Role Capability Showcase – <b>5 marks</b></p> <p>6. Benchmark Performance Demonstration (Service-wise</p>	<p>and feasibility evaluated by the technical committee.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstrated capability to deploy niche/specialised skills in line with Section 3.6(B).</li> <li>• Demonstration of benchmark performance through logs, pre-recorded demos, anonymized data, or internal test summaries.</li> <li>• Higher marks for bidders demonstrating implementable, scalable, and</li> </ul>
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			<p>1. Document Summarization (NLP / LLMs) -&gt; Applied Scientist (NLP), NLP Engineer, Machine Learning Engineer – NLP</p> <p>2. Conversational AI (Chatbots, Virtual Assistants)-&gt; Conversational AI Engineer Speech &amp; NLP Integration Specialist</p> <p>3. Voice-Based Form Filling / Speech Recognition (ASR)</p>		<p>2. Conversational AI (Chatbots, Virtual Assistants)-&gt; Conversational AI Engineer Speech &amp; NLP Integration Specialist</p> <p>3. Voice-Based Form Filling / Speech Recognition (ASR)</p> <p>4. Document OCR and Form Processing ( Computer Vision)</p>	<p>Representations) – <b>5 marks</b></p>	measurable AI service constructs.
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			(ASR) ASR Engineer Speech Recognition Engineer Speech ML Engineer  4. Document OCR and Form Processing ( Computer Vision) Computer Vision Engineer OCR Engineer ML Engineer – Vision  5. Image Matching & Liveness Detection ML Engineer – Identity & Vision			Engineer OCR Engineer ML Engineer – Vision  5. Image Matching & Liveness Detection ML Engineer – Identity & Vision  6. AI Agents (Knowledge Graph/ RAG (GenAI)) AI Architect GenAI Engineer Principal Data Scientist (GenAI) ML Architect •Demonstration of benchmark performance aligned to indicative metrics (ROUGE, WER, FAR, CRR,	
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			6. AI Agents (Knowledge Graph/ RAG (GenAI)) AI Architect GenAI Engineer Principal Data Scientist (GenAI) ML Architect •Demonstratio n of benchmark performance aligned to indicative metrics (ROUGE, WER, FAR, CRR, latency, accuracy etc.).			latency, accuracy etc.).	
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**Note:**

1. All other terms and conditions of the RFE and pre published corrigenda shall remain **unchanged**.
2. This Corrigendum shall form an **integral part** of the RFE document.

3. Bidders are advised to take note of these changes while preparing their proposals.

**Authorized Signatory**



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