Sr. No	Page No./ Section No.	Clause No.	Reference/ Subject	Clarification Sought	Bank's reponse
1	68/1. Broad Scope of Work	Online Mode	Integration with various bank Channels as mentioned	Does bank have integration layer/middleware for online and offline integration of all the listed channels?	Connect 24 module within Finacle is acting as the interface between Finacle and external delivery channels, ensuring a unified view across all channels and 24/7 availability.
2	80/1.1. Projected Volume of Transactions	Expected Response Time	Effective TPS is required as 1000, while Year 5 average of 2284.88 lacs give average TPS not exceeding 8, that is 125 times less. Max TPS is usually not 125 times more than average one.	Request Bank to please clarify	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  Server-side response time: < 100 ms  Effective TPS: 50
3	53 / Annexure 02 Eligibility Criteria, point 1	A, General	Bidder should be Government Organization / PSU / PSE / partnership firm under Partnership Act / LLP /private or public limited company in India at least for last 3 years as on date of bid	Can we please request the Bank to permit MNC Bidders headquartered outside India to participate	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

4	55 / Annexure 02, Eligibility Criteria	D, Experience and Support Infrastructure, point 1	Bidder/OSD should have implemented FRMS/transaction monitoring in at least two Banks / Financial Institutions in India having customer base of 10 Lacs or above and should have experience of integration in their solution with following channel: Core Banking, Mobile Banking, Internet Banking, UPI.	Can we please request for Global experience of similar nature to be considered and not only India specific experience. This would permit competent MNC Bidders to participate to provide new age technology Platforms to the Bank	Eligibility Criteria Bidder/OSD should have implemented FRMS/transaction monitoring in at least two Banks / Financial Institutions in India having a customer base of 10 Lacs or above and should have experience of integration in their solution with the following channels: Core Banking, Mobile Banking, Internet Banking, UPI.  (Experience of implementation in at least one bank in India having a customer base of 10 Lacs or above is mandatory and this implementation should have included experience of integration of their solution with the following channels: Core Banking, Mobile Banking, Internet Banking, UPI.)  Supporting Required A Copy of the Credential Letter should be submitted or a Copy of the Purchase order from the client's executive should be submitted and an Undertaking from the Bidder on the Bidder's letterhead confirming the implementation along with the contact details of the client's representative.
5	32 / Delivery Timelines		The Fraud Risk Management System must be implemented as per project scope within a period of 9 months in totality from the date of placing of purchase order by the Bank	9 months to integrate with all desired channels of the Banks seems stringent, Can the overall Delivery timelines please be reconsidered?	The reason for delay shall be considered before imposing the penalties. The clause will remain as per RFP document.
6	19 / Consortium	2.2	Consortium is not allowed	We request the Bank to permit Consortium Bidding	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

	7	22 / Annexure 11	Point 1	The number of Implementations carried out in India in the last 5 years starting from 01-04-2020 till RFP submission date	Can we please request the Bank to award Marks for number of implementations carried out Globally and not only in India	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  The number of Implementations carried out in India in the last 5 years starting from 01-04-2020 till RFP submission date.  Proof of such work and completion of implementation should be submitted along with the response.
=	8	108 / Annexure 12 SLA & Penalties		Uptime Percentage(A)	We request the penalty % for this and other services to be re looked at	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
•	9	06 / Invitation to Bid	Section 1	Last Date for Bid submission is 10/04/25	Given the exhaustive nature of the RFP and responses to be submitted herein , we request that the last date for submission be extended at least by two weeks.	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  Last date of bid submission:  16:00 hrs on 19/04/2025

10	55	1	implemented FRMS/transaction monitoring in at least two Banks / Financial Institutions in India having customer base of 10 Lacs or above and should have experience of integration in their solution with following channel: Core Banking, Mobile Banking, Internet Banking, UPI.	We have experience in implementing Fraud Risk Management (FRM) solutions in Public Sector Banks in India and globally In light of this, we request the Bank to amend the clause as follows:  Bidder/OSD should have implemented FRMS/transaction monitoring in at least two Banks / Financial Institutions in India having customer base of 10 Lacs or above and should have experience of integration in their solution with following channel: Card Switch, Mobile Banking, Retail/Corporate Internet Banking, UPI, FASTag etc.	Eligibility Criteria Bidder/OSD should have implemented FRMS/transaction monitoring in at least two Banks / Financial Institutions in India having a customer base of 10 Lacs or above and should have experience of integration in their solution with the following channels: Core Banking, Mobile Banking, Internet Banking, UPI.  (Experience of implementation in at least one bank in India having a customer base of 10 Lacs or above is mandatory and this implementation should have included experience of integration of their solution with the following channels: Core Banking, Mobile Banking, Internet Banking, UPI.)  Supporting Required A Copy of the Credential Letter should be submitted or a Copy of the Purchase order from the client's executive should be submitted and an Undertaking from the Bidder on the Bidder's letterhead confirming the implementation along with the contact details of the client's representative.
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·	11	55, Section Eligibility Criteria	1	Eligibility Criteria - D. Experience & Support Infrastructure  Bidder/OSD should have implemented FRMS/transaction monitoring in at least two Banks / Financial Institutions in India having customer base of 10 Lacs or above and should have experience of integration in their solution with following channel: Core Banking, Mobile Banking, Internet Banking, UPI.	As per our understanding, Intergration experience with Core Banking would suffice the requirement as Mobile Banking, Internet Banking, UPI data comes to Core Banking.  Please confirm if our understanding is correct.	Integration needs to be done in all channels offered by the bank.
	12	22	1	Annexure 11 - Technical Evaluation Criteria  The number of Implementations carried out in India in the last 5 years starting from 01-04-2020 till RFP submission date	As per our understanding Transaction monitoring implementation experience in India & Globally would suffice this clause , Please confirm.	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  The number of Implementations carried out in India in the last 5 years starting from 01-04-2020 till RFP submission date.  Proof of such work and completion of implementation should be submitted along with the response.

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Licensor to Licensee.

15	Page 54	Annexure 02 - Eligibility Criteria	S. No - B 2 . Financial	Eligibility criteria is to be a net profit making entitiy for last 2 years. Kind confirm if we can get a relaxation for the same.	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  Eligibility Criteria Must be net profit making entity (from Indian operations only) for financial year 2023 - 24.  Supporting Required Audited Financial statement for the financial year 2023 - 24.  Certified letter from the Chartered Accountant. The CA certificate in this regard should be without any riders or qualification.  Bidder will provide Provisional Financial statement for the financial year 2024 – 25 as soon as the same is available with the bidder via email. The same will be signed by the authorised representative of the bidder and the Chartered Accountant of the bidder.
16	Page 22	2.32. Evaluation of Technical Bid (Clause 1)	The number of Implementations carried out in India in the last 5 years starting from 01-04-2020 till RFP submission date	Requesting bank to remove this last 5 year clause please keep that open to last 10 years. Please rephrase this clause as "The number of Implementations carried out in India in and project should be running till date 01-04-2020 till RFP submission date"	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
17	Page 53	Annexure 2: Eligibility Criteria General (Point no 2)	Bidder/OSD must be in business of providing Fraud Risk Management at least for last 2 years.	Requesting to bank to consider experience of last 7 years and more year of experiences. Please rephrase this clasue as "Bidder/OSD must be in business of providing Fraud Risk Management at least for last 7 years."	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

18	Page 53	Annexure 2: Eligibility Criteria General (Point no 2)	Bidder/OSD must be in business of providing Fraud Risk Management at least for last 2 years. Documentary Proof to be attached	Please consider under implementation project if PO date is less than two year old.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
19	Page 54	Annexure 2: Eligibility Criteria: Financial (Point no 2)	Must be net profit making entity (from Indian operations only) for each year in the last two financial years that is financial years – 2022 – 23 and 2023 - 24.	Requesting bank to delete this clasue as this clause is one of the resticting clause for us to participate in thi tender.	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  Eligibility Criteria Must be net profit making entity (from Indian operations only) for financial year 2023 - 24.  Supporting Required Audited Financial statement for the financial year 2023 - 24.  Certified letter from the Chartered Accountant. The CA certificate in this regard should be without any riders or qualification.  Bidder will provide Provisional Financial statement for the financial year 2024 – 25 as soon as the same is available with the bidder via email. The same will be signed by the authorised representative of the bidder and the Chartered Accountant of the bidder.
20	Page 18	2.15	The contract is extendable further for three (3) years solely at the discretion of the Bank.	Requesting Bank to add the below language and read it as below: The contract is extendable further for three (3) years solely at the discretion of the Bank by then terms and conditions mutually agreed by the Parties.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

			In the event of termination,	Requesting the Bank to	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
			Bank may invoke the	exercise one of the following	
			Performance Bank	options: invoke the Bank	
			Guarantee/Security Deposits,	Guarantee, or use the Security	
			recover such other direct costs	Deposits, or exercise any rights	
21	Page 18	2.15	and other amount towards	available under the law, as the	
21	Page 10	2.13	direct damages from the	Bank is already in the process	
			successful bidder that may have	of terminating the agreement.	
			resulted from such default and	The above applies only if the	
			pursue such other rights and/or	Bank terminates the	
			remedies that may be available	agreement for any reason.	
			to the Bank under law.		
			Within 15 days of receipt of the	Requesting Bank to increase	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
		2.38	Pro forma of	the time period of signing the	
			Contract/Agreement, the	agreement to 30 days and the	
	Page 25		successful Bidder shall sign and	terms and conditions of the	
22			date the Contract/Agreement	contract will be negotiated and	
22			and return it to the Bank along	mutually agreed by the Parties.	
			with the Bank Guarantee,		
			favouring The Nainital Bank Ltd.		
			for contract performance as		
			security deposit.		
			Keeping in view the	The Bank has the right to ask	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
			commitment, The Nainital Bank	the Bidder to add new	
			Ltd. reserves the right to ask the	features/ process or modify	
23	Page 25	2.38	Bidder to add new features/	the existing services to take	
			process or modify the existing	care the service delivery as and	
			services to take care the service	when required at additional	
			delivery as and when required.	cost to the Bank.	
			The Bank shall serve the 30 days'	Requesting Bank to serve 60	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
			notice of termination to the	days notice period.	
24	Page 26	2.39 (1)	Shortlisted bidder before		
			terminating the contract of the		
			selected.		

25	Page 26	2.39 (2)	d. If the successful bidder assigns or attempts to assign his interest or any part thereof of the project assigned.	Requesting Bank to terminate the agreement for this cause only if such assignment is done with out the prior consent of the Bank.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
26	Page 26	2.39 (2)	f. The progress regarding the execution of the order accepted by the successful bidder is found to be unsatisfactory or delay in execution of the contract, the Bank reserves the right to get the balance contract executed by another party of its choice by giving 30 days' notice for the same.	Requesting Bank to terminate the agreement for this cause only if such unsatisfactory or delay has been caused by the reasons that are solely attributable to the Bidder.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
27	Page 26	2.39 (2)	g. Non-satisfactory performance of the successful bidder during implementation and operation.	This is subjective, therefore, requesting Bank to kindly elaborate on the term 'nonsatisfactory performance'.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
28	Page 26	2.39 (2)	i. Failure to perform services to the satisfaction of Bank.	This is subjective, therefore, requesting Bank to kindly elaborate on the term 'nonsatisfactory performance'.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
29	Page 26	2.39 (2)	j. Material discrepancies in the Services noted by the Bank. The Bank reserves the right to procure the same or similar service from the alternate sources at the risk, cost and responsibility of the Successful bidder.	Requesting Bank to terminate the agreement for this cause only if such material discrepancies has been caused by the reasons that are solely attributable to the Bidder.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

30	Page 27	2.39	If at any point during the contract, if the vendor(s) fails to, deliver as per the RFP terms and conditions or any other reason amounting to disruption in service, the Termination and Exit Management clause to be incorporated in contract, will be invoked.	The termination clause & exit management clause shall be invoked only if the reasons for such failure or delay to deliver the services are solely attributable to the Bidder.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
31	Page 27	2.39	Termination of contract by the Bank may also be accompanied by a de-facto blacklisting of the successful bidder.	Requesting Bank to consider only termination right.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
32	Page 30	3.1 (Upgrades and Updates)	The bidder shall be required to provide all future updates and upgrades for the proposed Solution/Application free of cost during contract period.	Bank to kindly consider the alternative language:  "any future updates, upgrades, bug fixes or modified versions of the software during the License Term generally made available to all licensees free of charge ("Upgrades") shall also be provided to the Bank.  Provided however that,  Upgrades do not include any successor version upgrade of the software which constitutes of new modules and/or major functionality. Bidder shall have sole discretion to determine as to what constitutes an Upgrade.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

33	Page 30	3.1 (Upgrades and Updates)	The bidder should inform to the Bank if any new version, service pack, upgrade of the proposed solution is released, within seven (7) days of such release and deploy the upgraded solution and endpoints within 15 days of such release without any cost to the Bank covering all patches, man-day efforts at the respective locations (DC & DR) of the Bank during the period of the contract.	Bank to kindly consider that Upgrades do not include any successor version of the Software which constitutes of new modules and/or major functionality.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
34	Page 30	3.1 (Upgrades and Updates)	During the period of the contract, all upgrades, updates or requirements in software, implementation of upgrades, patches, version changes etc., due to whatsoever reason including but not limited to EOL(End-of-Life) or EOS(End-of-Support), shall be done by the bidder within stipulated time but not later than one month without any additional cost to the Bank	Bank to kindly consider that the upgrades that are offered free of cost industry wide shall be deployed as per agreed timelines. In case of any successor version that the Bank opts for at an additionally cost, shall be implemented within stipulated timelines that are agreed between the Bank and the Bidder.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
35	Page 30	4.1 (Quality)	Material/solution not confirming to given specifications will be rejected & it will be replaced by the vendor, free of cost.	Bank to kindly consider providing a cure period of thirty (30) days to remedy any breach that is directly attributable to the Bidder and may be remedied prior to rejection.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

36	Page 31	4.5 (Force Majeure)	However, the bidder shall continue to perform its obligations as contained in this RFP and agreement thereafter.	Bank to kindly consider the following language:  Bidder will be excused from performance of its obligations hereunder and will not be deemed to be in breach of or otherwise liable under this Agreement due to its inability to perform its obligations for any period during which, and to the extent that, it is prevented from performing any obligation as a result of causes beyond its reasonable control.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
37	Page 31	4.6 (Arbitration)	in such case the dispute shall be settled finally by arbitration in, Nainital Uttarakhand, India under and in accordance with the provisions of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996	Bank to kindly consider Delhi, Mumbai or Hyderabad as the center of arbitration.Bank to kindly consider Delhi, Mumbai or Hyderabad as the center of arbitration.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
38	Page 32	4.6 (Arbitration)	Jurisdiction: The Jurisdiction for all disputes will be in the city of Nainital (Uttarakhand), India.	Bank to kindly consider Delhi, Mumbai or Hyderabad as jurisdiction under the Agreement	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

39	Page 32	4.7 (Term and extension of contract)	During extended period of three years if deemed appropriate (THE NAINITAL BANK LTD. reserve right to extend the agreement with Bidder), the term and conditions for SLA, penalty and Prices for Onpremise services, AMC & Manpower shall remain same as given for 5th Year.  Where the Bank is of the view that no further extension of the term be granted	Bank to kindly consider that for the renewal period, the fees for the software including AMC, manpower and any additional costs shall be mutually discussed between the Parties at the time of such renewal.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
40	Page 32		Upon receipt of such notice, the Bidder shall continue to perform all its obligations hereunder, until such reasonable time beyond the Term of the Contract within which, the Bank shall either appoint an alternative service provider or create its own infrastructure to operate such Services as are provided under this RFP. In such scenario, the terms and conditions for SLA, penalty and Prices for Onpremise services, AMC & Manpower shall remain same as given for 5th Year.	Bank to kindly consider that any services beyond the term of the contract including any transition assistance shall be chargeable separately as per fees mutually discussed and agreed between the Parties.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

41	Page 33	4.7 (Delivery timelines)	In case the deadlines are not met then the vendor will have to pay penalty to Nainital Bank @ 1% of implementation cost inclusive of all taxes, duties, levies etc., per week or part thereof, for late implementation beyond due date of implementation, to a maximum of 5%. If delay exceeds two weeks from due date of implementation, The Nainital Bank Limited reserves the right to cancel the entire order.	Bank to kindly consider the penalty of 0.5% of the implementation costs per week and to a maximum of 2.5% of the implementation costs. Also, such penalties are to be implemented in case where the delay is due to reasons solely attributable to the Bidder.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
42	Page 34	4.9 (Payment Terms)	The Bank shall have the right to withhold any payment due to the vendor, in case of delays or defaults on the part of the vendor. Such withholding of payment shall not amount to a default on the part of the Bank. If any of the items / activities as mentioned in the price bid is not taken up by the bank during the course of the assignment, the bank will not pay the professional fees quoted by the vendor in the price bid against such activity / item.	Bank to kindly consider that any payment of accrued fees for services and software already provided by the Bidder shall be made as per the payment terms of the Agreement and without any deductions, set-offs or penalties.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
43	Page 36	4.10 (Security and Audit)	All audit points raised by the Audit team should be complied with by the selected Bidder without any extra charge and within the stipulated time frame decided between the Bank and the successful Bidder.  Successful Bidder may have	Bank to conduct any audit after providing seven days of prior written notice.	This change will be negotiated with the TC1 bidder when the bank enters into an SLA with the final TC1 bidder.

			1.1. As used herein, the term	Requesting Bank to make this	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
			,		The clause will remain as per KFF document.
			"Disclosing Party" shall mean: (a)	NDA mutual.	
			, with respect to all		
			Confidential Information		
			disclosed byto		
			Bank hereunder; or (b) Bank,		
			with respect to all Confidential		
			Information disclosed by Bank to		
44	D 4C	Non-Disclosure	hereunder.		
44	Page 46	Agreement	1.2. As used herein, the term		
		· ·	"Receiving Party" shall mean: (a)		
			Bank, with respect to all		
			Confidential Information		
			disclosed byto		
			Bank; or (b), with		
			respect to all Confidential		
			Information disclosed by Bank to		
			hereunder.		
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			Survival: All obligations created	Requesting Bank to make the	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
			by this Agreement shall survive	survivability obligations survive	
			change or termination of the	for a period of five years from	
			parties' business relationship for	the date of expiration or	
45	Page 48	Non-Disclosure	a period of five years from the	termination of the buisness	
43	rage 40	Agreement	date of the disclosure of the	relationship between the	
			Confidential Information or the	parties.	
			change in/termination of the		
			business relationship of the		
			parties whichever is later.		

46	Page 48-49	Non-Disclosure Agreement	The Parties agree to indemnify and keep indemnified each other against all loss and damage, which the Disclosing Party may suffer as a result of any breach of this Agreement by the Receiving Party, provided always that the Disclosing Party shall forthwith give written notice to the Receiving Party of the above loss and damage and satisfactory documentary evidence of such actual loss and damage.	Requesting Bank to remove the indemnification clause from the NDA.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
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47	Pagge 68,69	Offline Mode	All Deposits Products b. Loans i. Corporate Loans ii. Retail Loans iii. MSME Loans iv. Agriculture/Priority Sector Finance c. Trade Finance / Non-Fund Credits i. Bank Guarantees ii. Letter of Credits iii. Bill Finance (Bill discounting, Bill purchase etc.) Other Banking products Service Branch (Cheque Processing / ECS processing) Operations · Treasury Operations · Financial Inclusion Banking · SFMS events · Cyber Incidents	Need clarity with respect to FRMS	A Fraud Risk Management (FRM) solution should comprehensively cover the range of banking products and operations mentioned by providing robust monitoring, detection, and prevention mechanisms.
48	Page 70		BI (Business Intelligence) Forensic Support	Need more details	The solution must provide Business Intelligence and forensic support functions to the bank. Integrating Business Intelligence (BI) and Forensic Support functions into a Fraud Risk Management (FRM) solution is crucial for driving actionable insights and enhancing fraud detection and prevention
49	Page 71		The proposed solution should provide pre-packaged scenarios or have the flexibility to create such scenario with minimal efforts as and when required to detect various branch banking and employee frauds including account take over, embezzlement, nepotism, suspicious inquiries etc.		A well-designed FRM solution can include pre- packaged scenarios while also offering the flexibility to create customized scenarios easily. These capabilities ensure the solution remains agile and adaptable to detect a broad range of fraud scenarios as they arise.

50	Page 73	2.14	The system should be provide of appending/converting the structured/semi structured/unstructured image based information into digital data for effective use of information in identifying various risks on a proactive online / real time basis. The system should be capable of perform high level data analytics at any levels of permutation and combination		Data analytics function to be provided in the solution, the system should integrate advanced data processing and analytics capabilities for seamless conversion of structured, semi-structured, and unstructured information (including image-based data) into actionable digital formats. Such a system should be able to transform unstructured and semi-structured information into powerful insights, enabling the bank to stay ahead in fraud prevention
51	Page 75	2.39	The proposed solution should support entity link analysis tool to detect organized fraud rings and collusions.		Entity link analysis tools are a valuable component of Fraud Risk Management (FRM) solutions. They enhance fraud detection by analyzing relationships between entities—such as accounts, transactions, and individuals—to uncover hidden connections and patterns indicative of organized fraud or collusion.
52	Page 75	2.43	The proposed solution should support encryption and digital signature feature.		Integrating encryption and digital signature features into a Fraud Risk Management (FRM) solution adds a critical layer of security and trustworthiness.
53	Page 88	70	The solution should allow data to be accessed from any industry standard data source using native connectors and load the same in Memory.		Incorporating native connectors and in-memory data loading into a Fraud Risk Management (FRM) solution can significantly enhance its capability to access, integrate, and analyze data in real time.
54	Page 108	Service Level Agreement	Vendor will have to guarantee a minimum uptime of 99.90%, calculated on a quarterly basis. Application availability will be 99.90% on 24x7x365.	Requesting the Bank to decrease the uptime from 99.90% to 98.50% for the solution on 24x5x365.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

			Uptime Percentage (A) Penalty Details  A>=99.90 No Penalty 99.89% => A> 99.5% 1% of cost of (Annual ATS charges) 99.5% => A > 98.5%	Requesting bank to accept the below Service Level:  Level of Uptime Percentage Penalty Details 98.50% and above No penalty 98.00% and above but below	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
55	Page 108	Service Level Agreement	99.5% => A > 98.5% 2% of cost of (Annual ATS charges) A <= 98.5% Penalty at an incremental rate of 1% (in addition to a base of 2%) of cost of (ATS) for every 0.1% lower than the stipulated uptime	98.50% 1% cost of monthly pay-out 97.00% and above but below 98.00% 2% cost of monthly pay-out 96.00% and above but below 97.00% 3% cost of montly pay out 90.00% and above but below 97.00% 5% cost of monthly pay-out Below 90% No Payment	

			Response Time (A)	Requesting Bank to delete this	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
			Penalty Details	clause.	·
56	Page 108	Service Level Agreement	A<=100 Milliseconds No Penalty A> 100 Milliseconds If the number of transactions where the response time is greater than 100 milliseconds, is less than or equal to 10000 per day: 0.05% of cost of (Annual ATS charges). If the number of transactions where the response time is greater than 100 milliseconds, is greater than 100 milliseconds, is greater than 10000 per day: 0.10 % of cost of (Annual ATS charges)		
57	Page 109	Penalty on Account of delay during ATS	Delay in providing resolution will attract penalty at 1% of the ATS cost per week of delay or part thereof subject to a maximum of 10% of the ATS for the total penalty levied in a single year.	Requesting Bank to lower the penalty ast 5% of the ATS cost per week of delay or part thereof subject to a maximum of 5% of the ATS for the total penalty levied in a single year.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
58	Page 109	Penalty Due to non-availability of resources during Implementation Period	In case of absolute absence (when no replacement is provided), penalty would be deducted @0.5% of the Implementation cost, for each day, up to a maximum of 10%.	Requesting Bank to lower the penalty at @0.1% of the Implementation cost, for each day, up to a maximum of 4%.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

59	Page 108	Penalty due to erroneous behavior of the Solution	If the solution or any of its components behaves erroneously which results in monetary or business loss to the Bank, then the entire amount of such loss shall be recovered from the bidder on actual basis.	Requesting Bank to modify this clause as below: If the solution or any of its components behaves erroneously which results loss to the Bank, then the entire actual incurred loss amount shall be recovered from the bidder.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
60		Penalty due to Audit and Compliance Gaps	Gaps/Issue Resolution Timelines Penalty  Critical Within 7 days 10,000 per day post resolution timelines till issues/gaps closure date.  High Within 10 days 5,000 per day post resolution timelines till issues/gaps closure date.  Medium Within 20 days 2,000 per day post the resolution timelines till the issues/gaps closure date.  Low Within 1 month 1,000 per day post the resolution timelines till the issues/gaps closure date.	Requesting Bank to consider the below Penalties:  Gaps/Issue Resolution Timelines Penalty Critical Within 7 days 2,000 per day post resolution timelines till issues/gaps closure date. High Within 10 days 1,000 per day post resolution timelines till issues/gaps closure date. Medium Within 20 days 500 per day post the resolution timelines till the issues/gaps closure date. Low Within 1 month 250 per day post the resolution timelines till the issues/gaps closure date.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

61	Page 109	Service Level Agreement	If performance issues / downtime less than 98.00% continues for more than two months due to any reason at application/solution side, bank may choose any or all the options like Review the contract, Cancel the Purchase Order, Terminate the Contract, Forfeit the Performance Bank Guarantee and Blacklist the bidder.	Requesting Bank to inform the Bidder and provide a notice 15 days before taking any action.	This change will be negotiated with the TC1 bidder when the bank enters into an SLA with the final TC1 bidder.
62	Page 109	Service Level Agreement	Penalty as mentioned above can be levied simultaneously.  Maximum deducted penalty of one type will not affect any other type of penalty i.e. all types of penalties can be levied up to their maximum limit simultaneously. The maximum penalty amount cannot exceed the 10% of TCO as per RFP.	Requesting Bank to delete this clause and to only cap the maximum penalty amount at 5% of TCO as per RFP.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
63	Page 109-110	Service Level Agreement	Bank reserves the right to Cancel the Purchase Order, Terminate the Contract, Forfeit the Performance Bank Guarantee and Blacklist the bidder, in case the bidder exceeds the threshold limit of Delay for any of the items above and/or penalty amount exceed as mentioned above. Bank, at its sole discretion, may exercise any or all the options against the bidder, in such circumstances.	Requesting Bank to inform the Bidder with a prior written notice of 10 days before exercising any right.	This change will be negotiated with the TC1 bidder when the bank enters into an SLA with the final TC1 bidder.

	New Proposed Clause - Licensing	Licensing Terms:	The terms and conditions of the SLA will only be
	Terms	Bidder grants to the Bank, a	negotiated with the final TC1 bidder.
		License to operate and use the	
		licensed materials on the	
		following conditions:	
		(a) limited to the use of Bank	
		and Authorised Users;	
		(b) limited to use within the	
		Territory and from outside the	
64		Territories for Permitted Cross	
		Territory Users;	
04		(c) non-exclusive;	
		(d) revocable for cause;	
		(e) non-assignable;	
		(f) non-sublicensable;	
		(g) non-transferable;	
		(h) Fee-based;	
		(i) License Term-based	
		(j) limited for use in executable	
		code form together with the	
		Documentation and	
		(k) for the Intended Purpose.	

	New Proposed Clause - Deemed	Bank shall be deemed to have	The terms and conditions of the SLA will only be
	Acceptance	accepted the Software	negotiated with the final TC1 bidder.
		("Deemed Acceptance") in any	
		of the following situations	
		where:	
		(a) the Bank has not signed an	
		Acceptance Certificate for the	
		Software having passed the	
		Acceptance Tests;	
		(b) the Bank deploys the	
		Software in the normal course	
		of the Bank's business;	
		(c) the expiry of ten (10) days	
		after the completion of all the	
		Acceptance Tests, unless the	
		Bank has given any written	
		notice;	
		(d) the Bank does not provide	
65		the environment for	
		installation of the Software in	
		the manner agreed between	
		the Parties and a period of	
		thirty (30) days have expired	
		from the date of written	
		notification of readiness for	
		installation by the Successful	
		Bidder;	
		(e) the Bank does not perform	
		the Acceptance Test and thirty	
		(30) days have passed without	
		notification of Defects,	
		notwithstanding the delivery	
		and installation of the	
		Software; or	
		(f) the Software Substantially	
		Conforms to the Specifications	
		as may be provided in the	
		Statement of Work and a	

		period of thirty (30) days have	
		passed from the date of	
		passed from the date of	
		completion of all Acceptance	
		Tests	
		16363	

		New Proposed Clause -	Limitation on Representation	The terms and conditions of the SLA will only be
		Limitation on Representation	and Warranties of Bidder:	negotiated with the final TC1 bidder.
		and Warranties	(a) In providing APIs on license	
			to the Bank, the Bidder does	
			not provide any express or	
			implied warranties with	
			respect to the accuracy,	
			timeliness, completeness and	
			fitness-of-purpose, of the data	
			being carried through the APIs.	
			(b) Where data is fetched by	
			the APIs directly from the data	
			sources and transmitted to the	
			Bank, the Bidder makes no	
			representation about the	
			content or the information	
			accessed through such APIs.(c)	
			Where the data to be fetched	
66			by the APIs for the purpose of	
00			performing the Services are	
			maintained in the form of lists	
			and/or database libraries	
			(collectively "Lists") by the	
			Bidder, the Bidder represents	
			that it shall use all reasonable	
			endeavors to update the Lists	
			with the relevant data from	
			the appropriate external data	
			source ("External Data Lists")	
			in accordance with the	
			updating frequency protocols,	
			where laid down by the data	
			sources. The updating	
			frequency is normally daily and	
			performed as a midnight	
			scheduled process, unless	
			otherwise explicitly stated.(d)	
			In providing any analysis of the	

data/information derived from the data, the Bidder does not provide any warranties whether express or implied as to the accuracy and completeness of the same. The Bidder warrants that it shall use all commercially reasonable endeavors to prevent willful errors in analysis or outputs derived from the data.(e) Where the Bidder provides services that involves screening or matching of subject entities against master lists/databases, the Bidder does not provide any express or implied warranties in respect of the efficacy of the logic and/or algorithms used by the Bank for the purposes of finding likely matches in the lists/external data source against the subject entities enquired upon by the Licensee. (f)The Bidder shall not be liable to the Bank for any alleged error, omission, or deficiency in connection with the performance of the Services (a "Deficiency") where, and to the extent that, (i) the Deficiency has occurred due to Bank's default, negligence, omission or misuse of the Services provided by Bidder; (ii) the Deficiency has occurred due to the Bank's failure to

perform its obligations under this Agreement; or (iii) the Deficiency has occurred due to a third party's error/default, negligence or misuse of the Services provided by Bidder provided such Deficiency is not on account of the negligence, error or omission on the part of the Bidder. (g) Where any risk indices or other indices or scores relating to the risk/other assessment of any entity or natural person are provided, the same shall be deemed to have been provided on an as-is basis by the Bidder and without any warranties as to completeness, correctness, accuracy, timeliness or robustness of the algorithms. (h) Bidder does not guarantee and shall not be deemed to have guaranteed, the timeliness, sequence, accuracy, completeness, reliability or content of the information with relation to the Third Party Fintech Services. Third Party Fintech Services are provided on "as is basis". Bidder shall not be liable for any inaccuracy, error or delay in, or omission of (a) any such data, information or message, or (b) the transmission or delivery of any such data, information or message; or any loss or

damage arising from or	
occasioned by (i) any such	
inaccuracy, error, delay or	
omission, (ii) non-	
performance, or (iii)	
interruption in any such data,	
information or message, due	
to any "Force Majeure" event	
or any other cause beyond the	
reasonable control of Bidder (i)	
Bidder warrants that it shall	
use all reasonable endeavours	
to prevent any modification to	
the data transmitted to the	
Bank through the APIs to	
render the same incorrect. (j)	
Bidder does not provide any	
representation and warranty	
with respect to the IPR of third	
party fintech services.	

	New Proposed Clause - Bank	Bank Dependency means any	The terms and conditions of the SLA will only be
	Dependency	equipment, tools, appliances,	negotiated with the final TC1 bidder.
	,	or other items that the Bank	
		will provide to Bidder to	
		enable the Supplier/Bidder to	
		fulfil its obligations under the	
		RFP. Bank Dependency shall	
		include following:	
		(a) timely, complete, and	
		accurate provision of, and	
		access to, Bank	
		documentation/information	
		and timely decisions and	
		approvals by Bank.	
		(b) all licenses, permissions	
		and approvals that may be	
		required from governmental or	
		regulatory authorities as	
67		necessary for installation and	
67		/or use of the Software or	
		other software / deliverables	
		provided by Bidder and/or to	
		operate Bank's network, shall	
		be the sole responsibility of	
		Bank and Bank shall be liable	
		to pay any fees or incur	
		expenses connected therewith.	
		(c) reasonable access to	
		the Bank owned hardware,	
		software, equipment,	
		credentials, and other	
		resources as may be	
		reasonably required by	
		Supplier to perform the	
		services for the Bank, upon	
		Bank's prior written request.	
		(d) to the extent relevant,	
		Bank shall provide the on-site	

		Bidder's personnel with suitable facilities, which may be necessary in connection with Bidder's performance of the services.	

	New Proposed Clause - Bidder's	"Bidder may terminate the	The terms and conditions of the SLA will only be
	right for termination	agreement with prior notice of	negotiated with the final TC1 bidder.
		30 days to the Bank:	
		(i) in the event of non payment	
		of undisputed invoices beyond	
		the time agreed between the	
		parties;	
68		(ii) in the event of fringement	
		of intellectual property rights	
		of bidder by Bank or its	
		authorized users;	
		(iii) in the event of breach of	
		any Confidential Information	
		by Bank or any of its	
		authorised users.	

		New Proposed Clause -	Exclusions to the Uptime:	The terms and conditions of the SLA will only be
		Exclusions to uptime	1. failure of Bank's systems	negotiated with the final TC1 bidder.
			that interact with the Service	
			Provider's platform;	
			2. failure caused by delay in	
			responses/non-responses from	
			data source servers;	
			3. downtime caused by Bank	
			API/patch upgrades (planned	
			downtime with prior notice);	
			4. downtime caused by	
			changes in data source	
			protocols/data structures;	
			5. downtime caused by	
			patch/version upgrades to the	
69			platform (planned	
			maintenance with prior	
			notice/unplanned);	
			6. in relation to data	
			aggregator service providers,	
			the Bidder's uptime shall	
			exclude downtime of third	
			party data aggregator;	
			7. downtime caused due to use	
			of Software not in accordance	
			with the Documentation.	
			8. delay in performance of	
			Bank dependencies.	
			9.Force majeuere events such	
			as pandemic, epidemic, floods,	
			earthquake, etc.	

	New proposed clause - Project	"Bidder request Bank to add a	The terms and conditions of the SLA will only be
	exclusions	new propose clause - Project	negotiated with the final TC1 bidder.
		exclusions:	
		1. Change in priority assigned	
		to a module due to urgency	
		with prior written approval	
		from the Bank	
		2. Change in module	
İ		requirements.	
		3. Testing on account of	
		dependencies on CBS /	
70		Merchant / Network etc. not	
70		attributable to Bidder	
		4.Unavailability of	
		infrastructure in staging and	
		other dependable	
		environments like staging	
		Core, network, etc. which are	
		beyond the control of Bidder.	
		5.Unavailability of inputs from	
		dependent entities like	
		merchants, third parties, etc.	
		which are beyond the scope of	
		Bidder"	
	New proposed clause - Test data	Bank has to provide test data	The terms and conditions of the SLA will only be
71	and test cases	and test cases to conduct	negotiated with the final TC1 bidder.
		effective testing	

			New Proposed Clause -	BIDDER DOES NOT PROVIDE	The terms and conditions of the SLA will only be
			Disclaimer	ANY WARRANTY/GUARANTEE	negotiated with the final TC1 bidder.
				THAT THE SOFTWARE WILL	
				PERFORM ERROR-FREE OR	
				UNINTERRUPTED OR THAT	
				BIDDER WILL CORRECT ALL	
72				DEFECTS. BIDDER UNDERTAKES	
/2				TO CORRECT AND RECTIFY ALL	
				MATERIAL DEFECTS WHICH	
				RENDERS SOFTWARE	
				INCAPABLE OF ITS	
				PERFORMANCE IN	
				ACCORDANCE WITH THE	
				AGREED SPECIFICATIONS.	
			Bidder/OSD must be in business	Self Declaration will work. Pls	Copy of the Credential Letter should be submitted or
			of providing Fraud Risk	confirm	Copy of Purchase order from the client's executive
			Management at least for last 2		should be submitted
			years.		and
73	53	3			an Undertaking from the Bidder on the Bidder's letter
					head confirming the implementation along with the
					contact details of client's representative.

74	54	2	Must be net profit making entity (from Indian operations only) for each year in the last two financial years that is financial years – 2022 – 23 and 2023 - 24.	We request this criteria to be removed as same allows bigger startups to participate and offer the solutions	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  Eligibility Criteria Must be net profit making entity (from Indian operations only) for financial year 2023 - 24.  Supporting Required Audited Financial statement for the financial year 2023 - 24.  Certified letter from the Chartered Accountant. The CA certificate in this regard should be without any riders or qualification.  Bidder will provide Provisional Financial statement for the financial year 2024 – 25 as soon as the same is available with the bidder via email. The same will be signed by the authorised representative of the bidder and the Chartered Accountant of the bidder.
75	55	1	Bidder/OSD should have implemented FRMS/transaction monitoring in at least two Banks / Financial Institutions in India having customer base of 10 Lacs or above and should have experience of integration in their solution with following channel: Core Banking, Mobile Banking, Internet Banking, UPI.	Can we mention in Channel-ANY also can customer base be reduced upto 5 Lac.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

76 77				Will bank risk team manage the rule config and scenario building after application deploymen  Does bank expect license version of software (database etc) or will be ok with open source versions?	Yes. After application deployment the model shall learn from the historical data fed into the system.  The software and hardware specifications will be shared by the vendor. The bank will procure the same.
78				Will bank provide historical data to train Al models?	Yes
79				When does the bank expect the detailed documentation on product - can they be provided at the time of go live/during the implementation phase?	Before the implementation phase, the bank requires the architecture of the solution to be approved by the bank.  Vendor has to share detailed documentation of the product with the bank at the time of Go-Live.
80	7	4	Last date of submission of RFP response (Closing date) and address for submission of Bid  16:00 Hrs. on 10/04/2025 at The Nainital Bank Ltd., Customization Dept., CDO Vertical, Head Office, Seven Oaks Building, Mallital, Nainital, Uttarakhand – 263001	We request the bank to extend the due date by 10-12 working days after receiving the response to pre-bid queries, so that the Bidders have enough time to respond to modifications in RFP clauses, if any.	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  Last date of bid submission:  16:00 hrs on 19/04/2025

81	22	2.32	Additional Marks for implementation in any Banking / Financial / Insurance Sector in India / Globally. Proof of such work and completion of implementation should be submitted along with the response.	How many additional marks per reference will be allocated for each client?	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  The number of Implementations carried out in India in the last 5 years starting from 01-04-2020 till RFP submission date.  Proof of such work and completion of implementation should be submitted along with the response.
82	22	2.32	For each Implementation 2 marks maximum up to 10 marks	Please accept the PO copy, experience letter, or agreement copy as valid proof of implementation experience.	Copy of the Credential Letter should be submitted or Copy of Purchase order from the client's executive should be submitted and an Undertaking from the Bidder on the Bidder's letter head confirming the implementation along with the contact details of client's representative.
83	30	3.1	The bidder shall be required to provide all future updates and upgrades for the proposed Solution/Application free of cost during contract period. If, however, the upgrades and/or updates are not available or the solution(software) is declared End of Life/End of Support, Bidder has to upgrade the solution to an equivalent or higher solution without any additional cost to the Bank	All the future updates in the software during the contract period can be provided to the bank free of cost during the contract period. Whereas Any upgrade respect to regulatory, non-regulatory and network complaince require certain mandays effort. It can not be provided with no extra cost. It can be mutually discuss and agreed as on need basis	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

84	30	3.1	During the period of the contract, all upgrades, updates or requirements in software, implementation of upgrades, patches, version changes etc., due to whatsoever reason including but not limited to EOL(End-of-Life) or EOS(End-of-Support), shall be done by the bidder within stipulated time but not later than one month without any additional cost to the Bank. EOS/EOL solution will not be accepted and if any solution is declared EOS/EOL during the period of contract, the bidder shall upgrade with equivalent or higher specifications as stated above, at no additional cost to the Bank.	All the future updates in the software during the contract period can be provided to the bank free of cost during the contract period. Whereas Any upgrade respect to regulatory, non-regulatory and network complaince require certain mandays effort. It can not be provided with no extra cost. It can be mutually discuss and agreed as on need basis	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
85	30	4.9	Software Licenses	As a standard practice, license price is paid in 100% Adavnce. Kindly update the payment terms accordingly.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
86	78	2.73	Backup System: The Vendor will be responsible for Backup of application and the database as per the requirement of the Bank.	Backup is the joint responsibility of infrastructure provider / IT management; while application vendor assists in terms of identifying data for the backup.  Please confirm whether the above understanding is correct.	This change will be negotiated with the TC1 bidder when the bank enters into an SLA with the final TC1 bidder.

87	80	1.1	Server-side response time: < 100 ms Effective TPS: 1000	Kindly confirm that the Bank will provide necessary infra for performance measurement.	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  Server-side response time: < 100 ms  Effective TPS: 50
88	81	4	Phase – II: All other readily available functionalities in India and interfaces with other systems to cover Asset side frauds, case management, NEFT / RTGS, UPI, IMPS, AePS, Access of System to be available up to identified Regional Centres. Phase - II Go-Live is in 6 months from the start of implementation.	Please clarify elaborate on "Aeet side frauds" so as to suitably respond to compliance, coverage and pricing.	Lists of Willful defaulters and previous frauds will be fed in the FRMS and the same will be capable of flagging new requests of recurrent names etc.
89	81	4	Phase – II: All other readily available functionalities in India and interfaces with other systems to cover Asset side frauds, case management, NEFT / RTGS, UPI, IMPS, AePS, Access of System to be available up to identified Regional Centres. Phase - II Go-Live isin 6 months from the start of implementation.	Please clarify on the Regional Centres, how are they involved in fraud monitoring workflow. How many Regional Centres and how many average no. of users per Regional Centre to be considered for sizing and other project parameters.	The bank has a Head Office and 3 Regional Offices in Haldwani, Delhi and Dehradun. 2-4 users per office will be using the application. The final will be negotiated with the TC1 bidder.
90	81	4	Phase – II: All other readily available functionalities in India and interfaces with other systems to cover Asset side frauds, case management, NEFT / RTGS, UPI, IMPS, AePS, Access of System to be available up to identified Regional Centres. Phase - II Go-Live is in 6 months from the start of implementation.	Request to modify the Go-Live date to be within 3 months from the Go-Live date of Phase I since unless Phase I goes live and stabilizes, it is not practical to initiate Phase II activities.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

91	81	4	Phase – III: All functionalities covering all types of frauds as per RFP Customizations need to be completed in this phase including Call Centre & IVRS (All Channels), BehavioralBiometricApplication Integration, branch transactions Phase-III Go-Live is in 9 months from the start of implementation.	Request to modify the Go-Live date to be within 3 months from the Go-Live date of Phase II since unless Phase I goes live and stabilizes, it is not practical to initiate Phase III activities.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
92	87	55	The solution should have the ability to compress the data	Kindly clarify the reasoning for compression and which all data need to compressed.	The solution must have the function to compress large amount of data in an effective manner to mitigate any storage issues in the bank related to FRM solution database.
93	97	177	Proposed solution should have the capability to support all types of browser and operating systems environment on all devices e. g Personal Computers / Laptops / Smart phones / TABS / other devices.	This is not Customer facing application and additionally the functional modules are not usable on a mobile device.  Dashboards can be made available on mobile and tablets.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
94	98	191	The solution should be integrated with Analytical Models for fraud risk for last 3 years or versions.  Model performance report for last 3 years or versions to be submitted	Requirement not clear, please elaborate.	Over the last three years or versions of the solution, analytical models must evolve to stay ahead of emerging fraud tactics. The model performance report for the last three years or versions is essential to track how effectively these models have detected fraud, improved over time, and adapted to changes in fraud patterns.
95	98	192	Machine Learning proposed should be available at both macro level as well as hyper personalized level. ML models should continuously evolve	Kindly further elaborate on "macro level and hyper personalized level"	Macro level on organisational level and hyper personalized level on customer level anomalous behaviour within the banking transactions.

96	99	202	Proposed Solution should allow business users to create their own dashboard and reports using a drag and drop graphical interface.	This is a standard feature of reporting & analytics tools such as Power BI, Cognos, Tableau, etc.  Kindly confirm whether the Bank will be procuring such as system.	The bank's expects the proposed solution to have this functionality inbuilt into the system.
97	99	203	Proposed Solution should allow end users to create custom reports using wide range of attributes including transaction attributes, case attributes, customer and account attributes.	This is a standard feature of reporting & analytics tools such as Power BI, Cognos, Tableau, etc.  Kindly confirm whether the Bank will be procuring such as system.	The bank's expects the proposed solution to have this functionality inbuilt into the system.
98	99	204	Proposed Solution should support wide range of dashboard widgets to create different types of dashboards including pie chart, bar chart, bubble chart, heat maps, angular chart etc.	This is a standard feature of reporting & analytics tools such as Power BI, Cognos, Tableau, etc.  Kindly confirm whether the Bank will be procuring such as system.	The bank's expects the proposed solution to have this functionality inbuilt into the system.
99	100	207	Proposed solution should allow complete slicing and dicing of reports and dashboards across various dimensions like product, channel, geography etc.	This is a standard feature of reporting & analytics tools such as Power BI, Cognos, Tableau, etc.  Kindly confirm whether the Bank will be procuring such as system.	The bank's expects the proposed solution to have this functionality inbuilt into the system.

100	100	209	Solution should visually prepare data for analysis, including joining tables, defining custom calculated columns and creating custom expressions for data tables available.	This is a standard feature of reporting & analytics tools such as Power BI, Cognos, Tableau, etc.  Kindly confirm whether the Bank will be procuring such as system.	The bank's expects the proposed solution to have this functionality inbuilt into the system.
101	102	227	Solution should be able to detect the POS Pre-auth, POS refund transactions.	The requisite data need to be provided by the transaction systems such as mobile banking or net banking.  Kindly confirm whether the above data will be made available by the Bank.	The data will be provided by the bank.
102	102	232	The proposed solution should have the capability to detect login, pre-login and post login frauds for UPI. It should support advanced IP Geo location tagging capability to detect IP country, IP City, Proxy IP and zone hopping	The requisite data for logins, geo location, IP, etc. need to be provided by the transaction systems such as mobile banking or net banking.  Kindly confirm whether the above data will be made available by the Bank.	The data will be provided by the bank.
103	103	252	System should track the client's IP, Network interface address and device.	The system is not required to be accessed by customers. Please provide scenarios where customers will be required to access the EFRMS.  If the Bank opts for Digital Trust solution offered by MTL then this requirement can be addressed.	Network data of the customer request will be provided by the bank along with the transaction request to the FRMS solution. The bank's expects the proposed solution to have this functionality inbuilt into the system.

104	104	254	Support for integration with packages like chart generators, Statistical/ Financial DLLs, MS Office Components, Power BI etc.	Kindly provide more data on Statistical / Financial DLLs	The proposed solution should be capable of integrating Statistical / Financial DLLs. Currently, the bank is not using any Statistical / Financial DLLs.
105	104	257	Proposed solution should be able to cater to cloud data storage.	Is the Bank looking hybrid implementation wherein the application will be On-Premise and the data will be stored in the Cloud?	The proposed solution should be capable of cloud data storage. The final implementation details will be discussed with TC1 bidder.
106	106	283	The Solution should support Anonymization (Removing PII) ,Pseudonymization (Replacing PII with artificial Identifiers) also Data minimization technique to be followed.	Please provide 3 - 4 scenarios / use cases where annonymized data is likely to be used.	The bank will implement PII redaction in the database so in order to protect the sensitive data of the customer. The system should be able to support PII redaction.
107	106	285	Display multiple results in one window to help better evaluate model performance.	Kindly elaborate on this requirement.	Presenting different types of performance metrics or outputs from various models or algorithms in a single, consolidated interface.  Machine learning algorithms like decision trees, neural networks, and random forests to identify the best-performing model for detecting fraudulent activities.
108	106	287	Should be capable of capturing feeds from multiple sources (like social media), analyse them and come up with insights. The analysis should be real time so as to ensure continuous tracking and detecting shifts in sentiment	Kindly clarify whether the Bank will comply with necessary consent management for social media access and necessary arrangement with the social media platforms for using their content.	The bank will enter into necessary arrangement with the social media platforms for using their content and necessary consent management for social media access when this module will be implemented.

109	106	289	The solution should have the capability to integrate the watch-list monitoring capabilities in real time	Please provide name of certain Watchlists that the Bank intends to use. Also share scenarios where such Watchlists will be used for fraud risk.	Fraud risk management system should be able to automatically monitor and cross-check transactions, accounts, and activities against predefined lists of high-risk individuals, entities, or behaviors in real time as they occur. Eg. PEPs mentioned in the CRM.
110	106	290	FRMS must be monitored throughout 24x7 period, issuing appropriate alerts with system thresholds and heartbeats set correctly	Such 24 x 7 monitoring is not part of standard Annual Maintenance Contract. Does Bank need this as additional service from the vendor?	24x7x365 will be carried out by the bank.
111	107	291	FRMS must be compliant with Information Security Policy	Request to share Bank's Information Security Policy.	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  Vendor has an Information Security Policy in place with periodic review.
112	107	297	In case of a system failure, Ops risk, Payment Processing, Help Desk should be notified immediately.	Kindly note that Ops risk is not part of Fraud Risk management. Please provide clarification on Bank's requirement.	If the system detects a failure in the system or payment processing then an alert should be generated by the FRMS solution.

			The proposed solution should be	These do not come under	Bank has a functioning SOC cell. FRMS to be
			able to prevent existing and	enterprise fraud or financial	integrated with the same.
			emerging frauds as result of	fraud scope. These	
			phishing attacks, malware	functionality comes under	
			attacks, denial-of-service attack	specialized solutions such as	
			(DoS), Man-in-the-Middle	IDS, NMS, Antivirus,	
			(MITM) and Man-in-thebrowser	Ransomware protection, DLP	
			(MITB) attacks etc	and such other solutions.	
113	107	299	(WITE) actacks etc	and sach other solutions.	
113	107	255		Please clarify whether the	
				Vendor is required to quote for	
				these solutions additionally. If	
				yes, then the Bank is requested	
				to share its Network topology,	
				List of Infra Assets incl of	
				servers, access management,	
			B 1. 1	network nonitoring, etc.	
			Penalty due to erroneous	It Is not feasible for	Please refer Annexure 12, Page 109, 2nd last
			behavior of the Solution	commercial entities to take	paragraph
			If the solution or any of its	uncapped libility.	
			components behaves	Request the Bank to limit the	The maximum penalty amount cannot exceed the 10%
114	109	Annexure - 12	erroneously which results in	liability to the Contract Value.	of TCO as per RFP.
			monetary or business loss to the		
			Bank, then the entire amount of		
			such loss shall be recovered		
			from the bidder on actual basis		

115	22	2.32 Site Visit and Reference checks	All eligible bidders will be required to arrange a Site Visit and Reference checks for the Bank's Team in a Scheduled Public/Private Sector Bank in India with at least 200 branches where the proposed solution is implemented.	We request to remove the clauses of category of banks and no of branches. Any bank and no of branches should be acceptable as it is not a binding factor for a solution.	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  All eligible bidders will be required to arrange a Site Visit and Reference checks for the Bank's Team in a Bank in India where the proposed solution is implemented. The format for reference check is as per Annexure-14.  Further the Bank's officials would visit reference sites provided by the Vendor if deemed necessary.
116	33	4.7 Delivery Timelines	Phase I, Phase II, Phase III	We request to put Debit Card, POS ECOM, Mobile Banking, IMPS, UPI, AEPS in first phase and put CBS and RTGS/NEFT in second Phase	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
117	53	Annexure 02- Eligibility Criteria No A3	Bidder/OSD must be in business of providing Fraud Risk Management at least for last 2 years.	We request to amend this clause as- Bidder/OSD must be in business of providing Fraud Risk Management/other transaction services in India at least for last 2 years.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
118	55	Annexure 02- Eligibility Criteria NO D1	Bidder/OSD should have implemented FRMS/transaction monitoring in at least two Banks / Financial Institutions in India having customer base of 10 Lacs or above and should have experience of integration in their solution with following channel: Core Banking, Mobile Banking, Internet Banking, UPI	We request bank to consider 2 banks with 10 lacs customer base for any of the two channels out of core banking, mobile banking, UPI, IMPS, Internet Banking	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

119	68	Annexure 11- Technical requirement (Broad Scope of Work)	Broad Scope of Work	Considering the complexities and unique requirements of the Core Banking System, branch banking channels & Internal Frauds (Employee initiated /involvement), we respectfully suggest that the Bank explore engaging a different vendor for fraud and risk management in those channels.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
120	108	penalty	Annexure 12-Service Level Agreement (SLA) & Penalties	we request you to consider no penalty upto 300 Miliseconds	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
121	109	Penalty due to Audit and Compliance Gaps	Annexure 12-Service Level Agreement (SLA) & Penalties- Penalty due to Audit and Compliance Gaps	we request you to consider critical 15 days, High 21 days medium 30 days and low 45 days.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

122	22/ 2.32	2.32- Evaluation of Technical Bid	The number of Implementations carried out in India in the last 5 years starting from 01-04-2020 till RFP submission date	Although being a young company, we possesses the full capability to supply and maintain the Fraud Risk Management solution at the Nainital Bank. We have experience and strong track record in design, development and implementation of AML and Fraud detection Applications.  Our AML system caters to India's largest private bank and has a range of clients across several different countries in Asia, Africa, and ANZ.  Requesting the bank to confirm if the successful implementation of AML systems can be provided as a reference.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
123	30/ Section No- 3	Detailed Scope of Work	Scope of supply also includes components, materials, accessories required to render the system offered complete in all respects even though every individual item may not have been specifically mentioned in the RFP	As a software provider, we would like to clarify whether it is mandatory to include hardware as part of the bid submission. The hardware sizing recommendations will be provided to the bank.	The vendor has to provide hardware sizing recommendations to the bank. The hardware will be procured by the bank.
124	30/ Section No- 3	3.1.	Upgrades and Updates: The bidder shall be required to provide all future updates and upgrades for the proposed Solution/Application free of cost during contract period.	Kindly outline the bank's expectation with regards to upgrades and updates	The clause will remain as per RFP document.

			Bidder should have minimum	Requesting bank to consider	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
			annual turnover (from Indian	the minimum annual turnover	·
			operation) of Rs 10 crores each	(from Indian operation) to be	
			during the last two financial	Rs. 8 crores during financial	
			years that is 2022 – 23 and 2023	years 2022 – 23.	
			- 24 as per audited financial	We been able to close our	
			statements.	accounts for FY- 2023-2024	
				with 2x of our FY 2022-2023	
125	54/Annexure	b.1		and we been able to close our	
123	02	0.1		account for FY-2024-2025 with	
				3x of our FY- 2022-2023. We	
				will be able to provide financial	
				statements for the same.	
				Additionally, our company is	
				certified under the MSME	
				scheme. In light of this, we	
				kindly request you consider	
				our request.	

126	55/Annexure 02	d.1	Bidder/OSD should have implemented FRMS/transaction monitoring in at least two Banks / Financial Institutions in India having customer base of 10 Lacs or above and should have experience of integration in their solution with following channel: Core Banking, Mobile Banking, Internet Banking, UPI.	Although being a young company, we possesses the full capability to supply and maintain the Fraud Risk Management solution at the Nainital Bank. We have experience and strong track record in design, development and implementation of AML and Fraud detection Applications.  Our AML system caters to India's largest private bank and has a range of clients across several different countries in Asia, Africa, and ANZ.  Requesting the bank to confirm if the successful implementation of Transaction	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
				confirm if the successful implementation of Transaction Monitoring for AML systems can be provided as a reference.	

127	55/Annexure 02	d.2	Bidder/OSD should have direct support offices in Delhi NCR then an undertaking to be provided by the Bidder stating that direct support would be provided by the bidder at Delhi NCR whenever desired by the Bank	We request Nainital Bank to relax this eligibility clause. We have the full capability to supply and maintain Fraud Risk Management System to Nainital Bank without any limitations. Our institution has its development unit in Mumbai and can provide onsite support as needed.	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  Eligibility Criteria Bidder should be able to provide unconditional direct support to the bank at Delhi NCR, Department of Information Technology, Haldwani or any other location preferred by the bank whenever desired by the Bank.  Supporting Required Letter of confirmation from the Bidder. An undertaking to be provided by the Bidder stating that the Bidder will provide unconditional direct support to the bank at Delhi NCR, Department of Information Technology, Haldwani or any other location preferred by the bank whenever desired by the Bank.
128	55/Annexure 02	d.3	The bidder/OSD should be a valid ISO 9000/9001 or ISO/IEC 27001 certification holder company for the IT related activities.	With our company being certified under the MSME scheme, we kindly request you a waiver of this eligibility criteria. A self declaration can be provided stating we comply to all IT related activities	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
129	66/Annexure 09		Letter of Undertaking from OSD / OEM	We, being the Bidders and OEM for this bid submission, is it mandatory for us to fill this?	No

130	72/2	2.4	The license for the solution to be Enterprise wide perpetual level for all the modules offered without any constraint on the number of branches / customers or users for the Bank's operations in India.	We offer the solution as an enterprise-licensed model only, without any constraint on the number of branches/customers or users for the Bank's operations in India.  Kindly confirm if this is acceptable to the bank.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
131	85/Technical Scoring Sheet	30	Proposed Solution should be capable of generating Real time alerts using artificial intelligence/ machine learning.	Kindly elaborate the requirement of artificial intelligence/ machine learning.	Requirement of Machine Learning/artificial intelligence is as per latest technology requirement with respect to generation of real time alerts for fraud detection.
132	87/Technical Scoring Sheet	55	the solution should have the ability to compress the data	Kindly elaborate the requirement with a use case.	The solution must have the function to compress large amount of data in a effective manner to mitigate any storage issue in the bank related to FRM solution database.
133	96/Technical Scoring Sheet	165	Proposed Solution should be able to consume externally sourced entity for example Neustar, Maxmind, Lexis Nexis, Group-IB, RSA information (e.g. IP addresses, destination accounts etc.) etc. to identify known fraudulent activity. The system should also have the facility to export the entity data corresponding to confirmed fraud cases within the bank so that the data can be shared with external agencies like the Regulators, IBA etc.	The proposed solution has the capability to consume externally sourced entity information to identify known fraudulent activity, provided the data. Kindly confirm if the bank has access or is subscribed to the mentioned external agencies.	The bank is presently not subscribed to the mentioned external agencies.

134	26/ Termination of Contract	2.39	g. Non-satisfactory performance of the successful bidder during implementation and operation. i. Failure to perform services to the satisfaction of Bank.	Request the bank to elaborate on these non satisfaction performance criteria. Kindly mention the points to be considered for non satisfaction performance	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
135	22/ Evaluation of Technical Bid	2.32	All eligible bidders will be required to arrange a Site Visit and Reference checks for the Bank's Team in a Scheduled Public/Private Sector Bank in India with at least 200 branches where the proposed solution is implemented.	We will place request to our existing customers for on-site reference check. However, approval for on-site visits is completely at customer's discretion because of data privacy and security issues.	Corrigendum has been issued on the Bank's website.  All eligible bidders will be required to arrange a Site Visit and Reference checks for the Bank's Team in a Bank in India where the proposed solution is implemented. The format for reference check is as per Annexure-14.  Further the Bank's officials would visit reference sites provided by the Vendor if deemed necessary.
136	108/ Service Level Agreement and Penalties	Annexure 12	A<=100 Milliseconds A> 100 Milliseconds	Request the bank to consider providing relaxtion of 300 miliseconds for penalties.	The clause will remain as per RFP document.
137	109/ Audit and Compliance Gaps	Annexure 12	Penalty due to Audit and Complaince Gaps (Table)	Request the bank to define the scope and impact for Critical, High, medium and Low issue catergorization	The same will be finalised in the MSA with the TC1 bidder.
138	53/Annexure 02 - Eligibility Criteria Eligibility criteria compliance with vendor comments	Annexure 02 - Eligibility Criteria, Sr. No A 6, Eligibility criteria : General Point 6	Bidder/OSD should have direct employees of at least 50 in their payroll.	Can the no of employees include the combined strenght of the bidder and their respective OEMs and OSDs for the solution or does have to be only the bidders no of employees on payroll?	The clause will remain as per RFP document.