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NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT)

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Sealed tenders under Two-Bid system i.e. Technical Bid and Financial Bid are invited from the reputed printers for printing of the **Vol. IV of ICON-NMI Journal of History of Art (ISSN 2394-188X)**, publishing annually by the Department of History of Art, National Museum Institute.

We intend to print 200 copies as per following specifications:

Title	:	UV Emboss on title
Number of pages	:	180 Pages (approx., counted on A4 Sheets)
Number of Colored plates	:	80
Paper thickness for Inner Pages	:	170 gsm
Paper thickness for cover page	:	300 gsm
Paper Quality	:	Matte
Size of the book	:	9 inches x 7 inches
Quantity	:	200 copies
Binding	:	Paperback
Layout and design	:	By printer

The Tender Committee will open the Technical Bid(s) first and shortlist suitable bids after assessing them on the basis of the criterion laid down. Once this is done, then the Financial Bid(s) will be opened only for the shortlisted tenderers. Rest of the Financial Bid(s) will not be opened. After finalizing the most suitable bid, the tender will be finalized.

The criterion for the technical bids should include, among other conditions, the following:

- Experience in publishing Art Books for more than 15 years;
- Experience in publishing Art Books with cultural institutions;
- Ability to use 6 colour printing;
- Facility of Automated binding with 3mm board;

The selected bidder is to publish the book within 15 days from the issue of the letter failing which NMI may withdraw the right(s) for the printing of Journal from the selected bidder.

Interested/reputed printers are requested to submit their tender comprising technical bid in one envelope superscribed as “**Technical Bid**” and Financial Bid in other envelope superscribed as “**Financial Bid**” and both envelopes in a single envelope superscribed **Quotation for Printing Journal on ICON-NMI Journal of History of Art (ISSN 2394-188X)** to the office of **Registrar, National Museum Institute, Janpath, New Delhi-110011**, latest by **22nd April 2019 at 4:00 p.m.** This Institute reserves the right to accept/reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason/notice thereof. Last date of submission of the quotation/tender may also be mentioned on the envelope containing the tender. Any update in this regard shall be uploaded on the website of this Institute.

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