## BIDDING DOCUMENTS FOR Selection of Authorized digital platforms i.e Easypaisa/Jazz Cash/ UBL Omini etc

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Northern Areas Transport Corporation Gilgit-Baltistan

# TERMS & CONDITIONS/EVALUATION CRITERIA FOR PERSONS/SHOPKEEPER APPEAR TO APPEAR IN BIDDING PROCESS

#### A. General Terms & Conditions:

- i. Firm/ Contractor must have at least a minimum of 3 years' experience of digital platform dealing.
- ii. Vendors must be financially stable and capable of providing ticketing services and receipt/payment of fare charges from/ to the passengers all the time
- iii. Vendors will be selected based on the locations specified in the table above, with preference given to those who own a shop at the specified location and are closest to the route.
- iv. Vendors must have adequate parking capacity for buses during passenger boarding and alighting, as well as for loading and unloading baggage.
- v. The committee will assess vendors based on prescribed criteria and can also carry out physical inspections/verifications if deemed necessary.
- vi. The bid shall be opened on 08<sup>th</sup> April 2025 at 02:00 pm at NATCO South Office Islamabad for destinations mentioned under Rawalpindi Station and at NATCO Headquarters Jutial Gilgit for remaining stations.
- vii. Companies or firms that set up a well-structured and fully equipped facility for the following services will be given preference.
- viii. A commission of 5% of the total cargo or passenger ticket amount will be allocated to the digital platform service provider.
- ix. The Company reserves the right to accept or reject the tender according to GBPPRA Rule-36(1).

#### **B. Specific Conditions:**

#### i. Category-I (enroute shops/Service providers): (Allocated Marks: 100)

Condition Title	S.No	Condition Detail	Total Marks	Obtained Marks
Parking and Access	1.	The facility must have a parking area in front, sufficient to accommodate at least one bus or truck at a time, ensuring smooth boarding and lodging of passengers, as well as the loading and unloading of baggage or cargo.	15	
	2.	The facility should be located along the main route used by buses and trucks.	15	
Separate Facilities	3.	The facility should include a separate storage area for cargo goods.	15	
Electricity and Backup Power	4.	The facility must have a reliable electricity supply, along with a backup battery to ensure power supply during emergencies.	10	
Authorization	5.	The facility must have an authorized retailer certificate from Easypaisa, JazzCash, and other digital payment platforms.	15	
Experience	6.	A minimum of three years of experience as a retailer for digital payment platforms is required.	15	
Financial Soundness	7.	A minimum annual transaction volume of one million, including both cash-in and cash-out transactions, is required.	15	

### ii. Category-II (Shops/Service providers not enroute): (Allocated Marks: 50)

Condition Title	S.No	Condition Detail	Total Marks	Obtained Marks
Parking and Access	1.	The facility should be located on the main road and in the central marketplace of the village or area.	10	
Electricity and Backup Power	2.	There must be a reliable electricity supply with a backup battery to ensure power supply in case of emergencies.	10	
Authorization	3.	An authorized retailer certificate from Easypaisa, JazzCash, and other digital payment platforms is required.	10	
Experience	4.	A minimum of three years of experience in digital platform retailer ship is required.	10	
Financial Soundness	5.	A minimum annual transaction volume of five hundred thousand, including both cash-in and cash-out transactions, is required.	10	

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