

## MINING AND METALLURGY INSTITUTE BOR

1 Albert Einstein

Number: 1674/25

In Bor, July 1<sup>th</sup> 2025.

Based on the Grant Agreement of the EU HORIZON EUROPE Project - Novel Domestic Battery Grade Lithium Carbonate Value Chain for Green Life (the project acronym "Li4life"), in which MMI Bor participates as a Member of the Consortium, the tender with the Invitation to submit Bids for the Procurement of the acquisition of additional equipment for the Li4life project (rotary furnace for reduction frying and Zeta-Meter-System with accompanying equipment for measuring the zeta potential during the flotation of mineral raw materials, No. 1366/25 dated on 11.06.2025, as well as the Minutes of Bid Opening No. 1655/25 dated on 30.06.2025, a Commission board formed by the Decision of the General Manager No. 792/25 dated on 11.04.2025, prepared the following:

### REPORT ON EXPERT EVALUATION OF THE OFFERS

for the procurement of the acquisition of additional equipment for the Li4life project (rotary furnace for reduction frying and Zeta-Meter-System with accompanying equipment for measuring the zeta potential during the flotation of mineral raw materials, that is provided in the Grant Agreement of the EU HORIZON EUROPE Project, - Novel Domestic battery grade lithium carbonate value chain for green life (the acronym of the project "Li4life").

**1. Time and place of the meeting:**

01.07.2025. starting at 12:30 p.m.

Administrative building of the Client – Mining and Metallurgy Institute Bor, Albert Einstein 1, Bor

**2. The following are present:**

Commission board formed by the Decision of the General Manager No. 792/25 dated on 11.04.2025., without the presence of other persons.

**3. Data on the subject of public Procurement:**

<b>Description:</b>	Additional equipment for the Li4life project (rotary furnace for reduction frying and Zeta-Meter-System with accompanying equipment for measuring the zeta potential during the flotation of mineral raw materials
Invitation number for bids submission	1366/25 dated on 11.06.2025.
Publication date on the MMI web.	11.06.2025..
Submitting bids deadline	30.06.2025. at 12:00 p.m
Contract award criteria	Lowest price offered

4. The commission notes that until the time scheduled for the Bids opening, there were no requests for clarification or complaints about the invitation to submit Bids.
5. Based on the Minutes on the opening of Bids, the Commission board stated that the following Bidders submitted their Bids in a timely manner, chronologically:

Number	Name of the Bidder	Receiving date	Hour and minute
1.	Melrose Solutions LLC 1621 Industry Court.Suite 101 Harrisonburg Virginia 22802, USA	12.06.2025.	17:46

Number	Name of the Bidder	Receiving date	Hour and minute
2.	Alser Teknik Seramik ve laboratuvar cihazlari sanayi ve ticaret anonim sirketi Ergazi Mahallesi 1819 Sokak No:5 Yenimahalle/Ankara, Turkey	19.06.2025.	17:32

#### 5.1. Data from submitted offers:

##### OFFER order. no. 1:

- Total bid price for Zeta-Meter System 4.0 with Direct Video Imaging excluding shipping:  
**USD 20,250.00**
- Offer validity period: August 31, 2025.
- Warranty: 5 years from the date of delivery

##### OFFER order. no. 2:

- The total price of the offer for Protherm RTR with costs of packaging, transport and training at the location of the equipment supplier: **EUR 45,260.00**
  - Equipment production time: 16-20 weeks from the payment of the first installment.
  - The offer is given in a single document of 4 pages.
6. Based on the analysis of the requested and submitted documents, the commission unanimously concluded that the bidders submitted all the documentation requested by IRM Bor in its call for bids.
7. Based on the evaluation from the previous point of this Report, the Equipment Procurement Committee gives the Director of the Institute

### THE RECOMMENDATION

to make a Decision on the selection of the most favorable bidder and award the Contracts:





1. Company Melrose Solutions LLC, 1621 Industry Court.Suite 101, Harrisonburg Virginia 22802, USA for the purchase of Zeta-Meter System 4.0 with Direct Video Imaging without transportation, in the total amount of **USD 20,250.00**; and
  2. Company Alser Teknik Seramik ve laborator sanayi ve ticaret anonim sirketi Ergazi Mahallesi 1819 Sokak No:5 Yenimahalle/Ankara, Turkey, for the procurement of Protherm RTR with the costs of packaging, transport and training at the factory of the equipment manufacturer in the total value of **EUR 45,260.00**.
- The dynamics of payment for both bidders will be defined by the Contract, in accordance with the Call for Bids No. 1366/25 dated June 11, 2025.

**Attachment:**

- Minutes from the opening of bids number 1655/25 dated June 30, 2025
  - Copy of Bidder Melrose Solutions LLC, 1621 Industry Court.Suite 101, Harrisonburg Virginia 22802, USA; and
  - Copy of Bidder's Offer Alser Teknik Seramik ve laborator sanayi ve ticaret anonim sirketi Ergazi Mahallesi 1819 Sokak No:5 Yenimahalle/Ankara, Turkey
8. The Commission board meeting ended at 1:20 p.m.

**The Commission board Members:****Signature**

Sladan Milenović – The President

Dr Dragan Milanović – Member

Dr Vesna Conić – Member

Dr Ivana Jovanović – Member

Dr Daniela Urošević – Member

Miloš Janošević – Member

Saša Stojanov – Member

Jelena Milanović – Member

Submit to:

- The Bidders
- Commission board members