

ESRIN Voluntary Group

EVG

PC Auction 12/2006

Simplified extract of Rules

- 1) Send an offer via e-mail to Massimo.Cardaci@esa.int , cc Maurizio.Fea@esa.int and Concetta.Carideo@esa.int
- 2) Minimum price per asset is **30 Euro**
- 3) Specify how many items
- 4) Closing time: 9/12/2006 – 23:59
- 5) Winners are notified via e-mail



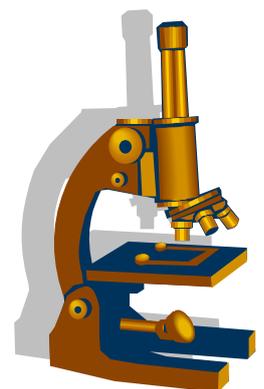
Detailed Rules

- 1) It is defined a single auction class of items, with a minimum reserve price identified below:

PC Desktop: **30 Euro** –
Monitors are included for the top offers
(as specified in the asset list)

The auction covers the 80% of the PCs and the 100% of the monitors made available by ESC, to account for replacements due to malfunctioning.

- 2) Offers have to be issued via e-mail to Massimo.Cardaci@esa.int cc Maurizio.Fea@esa.int and Concetta.Carideo@esa.int. They have to indicate explicitly the number of PCs and the price is offered for EACH unit. The email delivery timestamp will be used to define the order of priority, in case of offers with the same unit price.



- 3) Each offer will be explicitly acknowledged for receipt, copy Maurizio and Concetta. it is auctionee's responsibility to ensure that the e-mail is actually received.
- 4) It will be possible to make offers during the Christmas party. These have to be given to the EVG stand in a closed envelope. Inside, in addition to what required for any offer, it has to be specified also: name and surname of the auctionee and an e-mail address where to be contacted . The EVG member will take care to timestamp the envelope with the date and time of receipt.
- 5) Offers arriving after the closure of the Christmas party (23:59 of the 9/12), can be received up to the date of announcement of the winners. These will be only valid for any equipment unassigned.
- 6) Within 2 days EVG will finalise the list of winners, based on best offers and (in case of identical financial offers) timestamps (first arrived first served).
- 7) The allocation of PCs is done starting from the more performing ones (with monitor) assigned to the highest offers, to the least performing ones (without monitor) assigned to the lower ones (still matching the reserve price).
- 8) The winners are notified directly via e-mail, with indication of the asset assigned to them and the instructions for collecting it. At the same time, all participants will be notified with their ranking, copy to ESCAnnouncements
- 9) The winners (or people delegated by them) have to collect their asset before 15/12/2006 16:00. Payment of their due amount has to be done together with the collection of the PC.

Important Notes

- The PC configuration is as provided to EVG, and the PCs are declared as working correctly. EVG is not accountable for eventual discrepancies.
- Each winner has 4 working days to verify the effective conformity of the asset to the specification, and to report any deviation. After these 4 days it will not be possible anymore to request a replacement.
- In case of malfunctioning or discrepancies, EVG will offer the option of a replacement with another PC from the available stock (not necessarily the same model or level): the winner has the right to reject the offer and require a reimbursement for the unit returned. No replacement is foreseen for the monitors.
- In case of replacement or reject, the PC shall be returned in exactly the same conditions in which has been provided: if this is not feasible, no reimbursement will be possible.
- **PCs are delivered without Operating System. This is due to the current ESA agreement with Microsoft.**

