

## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Ministry of Primary and Mass Education  
Bureau of Non-Formal Education(BNFE)  
Project Implementation and Management Unit(PIMU)  
Post Literacy and Continuing Education for Human Development Project-2  
BNFE Bhaban, 232/1, Tejgaon Industrial Area  
Dhaka-1208, Bangladesh

## Invitation of Expression of Interest (EOI) from the Individual Consultant (National) for Procurement Specialist of Project Administrative Service (PAS)

- The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) and grants from the Department for International Development (DFID) and Swiss Agency for Development Cooperation (SDC) towards the cost of the project titled "Post-Literacy and Continuing Education for Human Development Project-2 (PLCEHD-2)" and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan and grants to payments under the contract for Individual Consultant (National) for Procurement Specialist of Project Administrative Services (PAS) to ensure the smooth administration of procurement and contracts resulting in timely disbursements of project funds.
- The objectives of the project are to develop human resources of the country, to include about 1.6 million neo literate in post literacy and continuing education programs to consolidate, maintain and upgrade the literacy skills they have acquired previously, to help to develop their life pattern by increasing their incomes through providing technical skills training. The project has been reformulated to support new implementation strategy and implementation and dissemination of the recently approved NFE Policy Framework that the government has developed and instituted to guide the planning, operation and coordination of Non-Formal Education (NFE) sub-sector activities in the country. The Government of Bangladesh (GOB) will select and contract one experienced large Implementing Non-Government Organization (INGO), with adequate functional capacity, for each project district. The INGO will be responsible for effective implementation of the project in the allotted district and internal monitoring.
- To ensure the smooth administration of procurement and contracts resulting in timely disbursements of project funds, a central Project Administration Service (PAS) will be established at PIMU headquarter. One international -Team Coordinator cum Financial and Procurement Specialist and two national consultants (one Procurement Specialist and one Financial Specialist) will form PAS Team. The PAS Team will be hired as individual consultants. One Administrative Assistant cum Secretary will work as a support staff to PAS. PAS consultants will work under the directives and guidance of Project Director (PD) and will assist in day-to-day operations of contract and financial administration and provide advice and on-the-job training to concerned agencies in procurement.
- Terms of Reference:**  
The main task of Procurement Specialist is to assist PIMU in programming, execution and follow-up tenders and contracts. Specific tasks include:
  - Report to the Team Coordinator of PAS;
  - Prepare tender documents for procurement of goods and services in accordance with GOB and ADB procedures;
  - Ensure that the tender documents for procurement of goods and services are prepared as scheduled, in close collaboration with the PIMU and in accordance with ADB and GOB procedures;
  - Assist PIMU to manage the tender activities: notification of tender, technical support to the evaluation committee and preparation of contract documents;
  - Provide support to PIMU to finalize the draft contract documents for ADB's review and approval;
  - Assist the Team Coordinator in preparation and implementation of the PAS work plans;
  - Assist PIMU in day-to-day operations of procurement and contracts;
  - Provide support to prepare plans and reports;
  - Provide training to project personnel in day-to-day procurement management and
  - Provide other support to PIMU as necessary and undertake any other task assigned by the PD.
- Qualifications:**
  - Masters in Social Science/Masters in Commerce/MBA.
  - A minimum of 7 years experience in procurement activities with Development Projects
  - Familiar with GOB Public Procurement Law/Act.
  - Familiar with ADB procurement procedure
  - Excellent verbal and written communications skills in Bangla and English.
- Duration of assignment: Initially 6 (six) person months but may be extended subject to satisfactory performance.
- Work Place: Project Implementation Management Unit, NFE Bhaban, Dhaka, Bangladesh.
- The Project Director, PLCEHD-2 under BNFE of MOPME invites application from individual national consultants to submit their Expression of Interest (EOI) for the abovementioned position.
- Consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedure set out by Government of Bangladesh (GOB) and Asian Development Bank (ADB).
- Interested individual national consultants are required to submit their (EOI) to the address mentioned below by 21 May 2007.
- BNFE reserves the right to accept or reject any or all EOIs without assigning any reason(s) whatsoever and in such case no compensation will be entertained.

Md. Zaydul Haque Molla  
Project Director

GD-1400

Invitation for Tenders				
Chittagong Port Authority				
Office of the Director (Electrical & Mechanical)				
Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh				
1	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Shipping		
2	Agency	Chittagong Port Authority		
3	Procuring entity name	Chittagong Port Authority		
4	Procuring entity code	N/A		
5	Procuring entity district	Chittagong		
6	Invitation for	Tender for appointment of contractor for container and cargo handling at ICD, Kamalapur, Dhaka and handling ICD container in yards within Chittagong Port protected area by using contractor's own container & cargo handling equipment.		
7	Invitation Ref. No.	CPA/PM/02/2007.		
8	Date	25/04/2007.		
9	Procurement method	Open Tendering Method.		
10	Budget and source of funds	CPA's own fund.		
11	Development partners (if applicable)	N/A.		
12	Project code (if applicable)	N/A.		
13	Project name	N/A.		
14	Tender package No.	-		
15	Tender package name	-		
16	Tender publication date	26/04/2007.		
17	Tender last selling date	20/05/2007.		
18	Tender closing date and time	21/05/2007 at 11:00am.		
19	Tender opening date and time	21/05/2007 at 11:30am.		
20	Name & address of the office(s)	-		
-	Selling tender document (principal)	Director (Elect. & Mech.), Bandar Bhaban, Chittagong Port Authority, Chittagong-4100, Tel: 031-2510877.		
-	Selling tender document (others)	1. Chief Finance & Accounts Officer, Bandar Bhaban, Chittagong Port Authority, Chittagong-4100, Tel: 031-2510880. 2. Liaison Officer, Chittagong Port Authority, House: "Salams", Road No: 5/11, Block: C, Lalmafa, Dhaka, Tel: 02-8152957.		
-Receiving tender document		Director (Elect. & Mech.), Bandar Bhaban, Chittagong Port Authority, Chittagong-4100, Tel: 031-2510877.		
-Opening tender document		CPA Board Room, Bandar Bhaban, at 11:30am on 21/05/07.		
21	Place/date/time of pre-tender meeting (optional)	CPA Board Room, Bandar Bhaban, at 11:30am on 10/05/07.		
22	Eligibility of tenderer	As mentioned in the tender document.		
23	Brief description of works	<b>Package-1:</b> Container and cargo handling at ICD, Kamalapur, Dhaka or any other ICD at Dhaka by using contractor's own container & cargo handling equipment. <b>Package-2:</b> Container handling (ICD container) in yards within Chittagong Port protected area by using contractor's own container & cargo handling equipment.		
24	Brief description of related services	N/A.		
25	Price of tender document (Tk)	Tk. 1,000.00.		
26	Lot No.	Identification of lot	Tender security	Completion time/contract period
1	Container & cargo handling at ICD Kamalapur	Tk. 1,00,00,000.00 (one crore)	10 (ten) years	
2	ICD container handling at Chittagong Port end	Tk. 80,00,000.00 (eighty lakhs)	10 (ten) years	
27	Name of official inviting tender	Md. Jamshed Hasan.		
28	Designation of official inviting tender	Director (Elect. & Mech.).		
29	Address of official inviting tender	Bandar Bhaban, Chittagong Port Authority.		
30	Contact details of official inviting tender	Tel. No: 031-2510877 Fax No: 031-2510889 E-mail: demcpa@cpa.gov.bd		
31	The procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject all tenders.			

N.B.: If the date of selling, submission and opening of tender is disturbed under any unavoidable circumstances, the next working day will be applicable for the same respectively.

Md. Jamshed Hasan  
Director (Elect. & Mech.)  
Chittagong Port Authority  
Chittagong-4100

## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Local Government, Rural Development & Cooperatives  
Local Government Division

Local Governance Support Project (LGSP)

Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka

No. LGD/UP/LGSP-14/07/535 Date: 26-04-2007

## Request for Expressions of Interest (EOI) for Selection and Employment of a Firm to Undertake Baseline Surveys Regarding the Functioning of Union Parishads (Contract Package No. SD62)

- The Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh has received a credit (IDA Credit No. 4193-BD) towards the cost of the Local Governance Support Project (LGSP) from the International Development Association (IDA). The Local Government Division (LGD) of the Ministry of Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives (MLGRD&C) has initiated the implementation of LGSP and intends to apply part of the proceeds for contracting a firm to undertake an evaluation of the effects of the project.
- The firm responsible for the baseline survey is expected to do the following:

- Develop, with close association with LGD and IDA representatives, a survey instrument to be administered to households and other stakeholders. The main purpose of the survey is to establish the degree of knowledge of participation in and priorities for the functioning of Union Parishads (UPs). Included will be measures of satisfaction with public services. The survey will also include demographic and economic information to explore the degree to which public decisions made with project funds reflect people's preferences. Much of the survey instrument has already been devised and should require small modifications. Pre-testing of the questionnaires will be done in collaboration with LGD and IDA.
- Develop methods to obtain factual information from UP members or other key informants from communities about the location and general functionality of current public facilities, their date of construction and their costs. This will be combined with the generation of maps of the sampled communities to be used for drawing the household sample. The method used will be by small focus groups and participatory assessments.
- Identify and inspect recently constructed public infrastructure. This will include, inter alia, measurement of length, width and possibly depth of roads, construction materials of roads, buildings, small water systems and small infrastructure such as culverts and drainage channels.
- Develop, with close association with LGD and IDA representatives, a sampling framework for identifying UPs that will likely qualify for the program as well as an appropriate comparison group that will not qualify. Included in this framework will be calculations of the size of the sample needed to detect the expected effect of the program. It is anticipated that the sample size will be on the order of 3000 households over a subset of approximately 300 Union Parishads that will be matched according to a "regression discontinuity" method based on demonstrated UP administrative capacity but that is subject to review and discussion. Details of the sampled sites will be shared with LGD and IDA.

- Produce a data set readable by the STATA statistical package of quality and reliability acceptable to the LGD and the IDA. This will include a short report with the complete set of frequencies for all variables and a narrative describing difficulties (if any) in administering the survey as discovered in implementation.
- Provide sufficient information for designing follow up surveys two and four years after baseline.

- The LGD of the MLGRD&C now invites eligible firms to submit their Expressions of Interest (EOI) for providing the required services. Interested firms must submit information with documentary evidences in support of the requirements described below, indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of assignments of similar nature, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among the staff, etc.). The EOIs would be reviewed on the basis of the following to prepare a short list:

- Registration of Consultant (firm)
- Age of the Consultant (firm) in business
- Availability of key professionals
- Availability of resources
- Experience of the Consultant (firm) in similar task
- Experience of the Consultant (firm) in other works
- Support services of the Consultant (firm).

- Consultants (firms) may associate to enhance their qualification, but should mention whether the association is in the form of a "joint-venture" or "sub-consultancy." In the case of an association, all members of such "association" should have real and well-defined inputs to the assignment and in such "association", it is preferable to limit the total number of firms including the associates to a maximum of four.

- Firms will be selected using the selection such-method in accordance with the Public Procurement Regulations, 2003 and the Public Procurement Procedures issued by the GOB ([www.cptu.gov.bd](http://www.cptu.gov.bd)). It is expected that the assignment will commence by August 1, 2007 and completed by September 30, 2007.

- Interested firms may obtain further information from the office of the undersigned during office hours on working days. The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all EOIs received without assigning any reason thereof.

- The EOIs should be clearly marked "Expression of Interest (EOI) for Selection and Employment of a Firm to Undertake Baseline Surveys Regarding the Functioning of Union Parishads (Contract Package No. SD62)". The EOIs shall be submitted in sealed envelopes by May 30, 2007 to the office of Project Director, Sylhet Division Rural Infrastructure Development Project, LGED Bhaban, Level-6, Agargaon, Dhaka (Tel # 8126526).

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## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Project Director

Conservation and Improvement of native Sheep breed through  
Community farming and commercial farming Project (Component-B).  
23/2, B, Khilzi Road, Shamoli, Dhaka.

## Invitation for Tenders

1. Ministry/Division	Ministry of Fisheries & Livestock.
2. Agency	Department of Livestock Services.
3. Procuring Entity Name.	Project Director.
4. Project Name & Code (if applicable)	Conservation and Improvement of native Sheep breed through community farming and commercial farming Project(Component-B) & 5-4441-6390
5. Source of Funds	GOB

6. Tender Package No.	GD-01
7. Invitation for Tenders Ref. & Date	নথন নং/১০০/১১৭ তারিখ: ২৩/০৫/২০০৭
8. Tender Name	অবিল পারিশদ এবং সম্পর্ক প্রকল্প কর্তৃ।

9. Eligibility of Tenderers	As stated in TDS and ITT Clause 4, 22, 23 & 24 and GCC clause 5 of the Schedule.
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10. Name and address of the Office(s) Selling Tender Document	Office of the Project Director.
11. Name and address of the Office(s) Receiving Tenders	Office of the Project Director.

12. Name and address of the Office Opening Tenders	Office of the Project Director Conservation and Improvement of native Sheep breed through community farming and commercial farming Project (Component-B). 23/2 B Khilzi Road, Shamoli, Dhaka.
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13. Last Date and Time for Selling Tender Document	17.05.2007 Up to the Office hour.
14. Last Date and Time for Submission of Tender Document	18.05.2007 Up to 12.00 Noon. Tenderer's and their authorised representative are allowed to attend

15. Date and Time for Opening of Tenders	18.05.2007 at 2:00 P.M. Tenderer's and their authorised representative are allowed to attend
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16. Brief Description of Good's.	
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Lot No.	Identification of Lot	Location	Price of Tender Document in Tk	Tender Security Amount in Tk	Time for Completion of Delivery in Days	Remarks
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