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Tender Notice

1. Sealed tenders in local currency are invited from bonafide manufacturers/dealers/suppliers (for enlisted firm only) for supply of the following items for Bangladesh "Army".

Ser No	Nomenclature	Date of selling	Date of opening	Currency	Tender No
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2. Tender schedule with detailed specifications/conditions will be available on payment as per I/T selling rate (non-refundable) during office hour between 0800 hours to 1300 hours. Then tender can be dropped latest by 1000 hrs and opened at 1005 hours on the specified date of opening in presence of all tenderers (if present).

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 For Director General

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 কলমেচা, সবিপুর, টাঙ্গাইল
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LEGAL NOTICE
 IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BANGLADESH
 HIGH COURT DIVISION
 (ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION)
COMPANY MATTER NO. 109 OF 2008
 An application under Section 12 read with Section 13 of The Companies Act, 1994 AND
 IN THE MATTER OF
Mr. Md. Shakhawat Hossain, Managing Director
Paramount Holdings Limited. Navana Tower (Level # 7/C)
 45, Gulshan Commercial Area, Gulshan Circle-1, Dhaka-1212.
- VERSUS -Petitioner
 The Registrar of Joint Stock Companies and Firms.
Respondent

Notice is hereby given that an application under Section 12 read with Section 13 of the Companies Act, 1994 was moved in the High Court Division of Supreme Court of Bangladesh by the petitioner for confirmation of alteration/addition of the objects clause of the Memorandum of Association of "Paramount Holdings Limited." Hon'ble Company Judge has admitted the said application on 17/06/2008 and fixed for hearing on 10/08/2008. Any person interested in the said application may appear on the date fixed for hearing either himself or through his Advocate. A copy of the said application may be obtained from the undersigned on payment charges.

A.B.M. Ahsanul Haque, Advocate
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ANNOUNCEMENT OF VACANCIES
International Labour Organisation (ILO) – Country Office Dhaka

ILO, a specialized agency of the UN, is seeking applications from qualified professionals for one of its programmes entitled 'Technical and Vocational Education & Training (TVET) Reform Project'. A team of six International Experts will head the Programme and the following national professionals will be recruited for the programme:

- Program Officer on TVET Policy, Systems & Management (Component 1) – 1 position.
- Program Officer on TVET Quality & Relevance (Component 2) – 1 position.
- Program Officer on TVET Institutions Management & Teacher Training (Component 3) – 1 position.
- Program Officer on Workplace Learning & Productivity Improvement (Component 4) – 1 position.
- Program Officer on Skills Training for the Underprivileged (Component 5) – 1 position.

There are five components to the project: (1) TVET policies, systems and legislation reviewed and strengthened at the central and decentralized levels; (2) Enhanced flexibility, quality and relevance of TVET; (3) Strengthened TVET institutions through improved knowledge and skills of managers and teachers; (4) Improved skills development resulting in enhanced productivity and competitiveness in key growth and export-oriented industries in the formal industrial sector; and (5) Increased access of underprivileged groups to TVET.

More detail on the scope of Component activities are included in the terms of reference for each position. The main tasks for each position are common and are shown below.

PROGRAMME OFFICER MAIN TASKS

1. Review and analyse country and sector specific TVET plans and policy documents, socioeconomic data, reports and other relevant information;
2. Strengthen implementation of the TVET Reform Project through the provision of technical advice regarding the design, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of Component activities;
3. Assist the international expert for Component to monitor progress of Component activities by reviewing, verifying and analysing progress reports, final reports and other data for clarity, consistency and completeness;
4. Follow-up with relevant departments at headquarters and regional office, executing agencies, government offices, industry, training organisations and other organizations to expedite implementation and meet targets for Component activities;
5. Provide programming and administrative support to programmes and projects in Component;
6. Prepare briefs, periodical reports and statistical data on status of Component activities;
7. Assemble and edit basic data required for planning and negotiation of Component activities;
8. Follow-up on delayed documents, clarify information, and answer questions about clearance and processing requirements;
9. Assist in the programming and control of Component resources, prepare activity budget estimates and expenditure forecasts;
10. Assist in the development and maintenance of computerized information systems for use in monitoring and reporting on activities and performance;
11. Participate in the organization of conferences, seminars, workshops, training sessions and meetings;
12. Brief ILO specialists, project experts, associate experts and visiting officials and provide relevant information on Component matters;
13. Draft in, or translate into, local language(s) news releases, official correspondence, statements and speeches and other information material.

His/her remuneration will be based on the United Nations NO-A grading.

General Requirements for all Positions:

Language : Proficiency and ability to speak and draft correctly and clearly in English and Bangla
 Nationality : Bangladeshi

Competencies : Good written and verbal communication skills; Good interpersonal skills (tact and diplomacy); Good organisational skills; Ability to draft, edit and produce a range of documents using a range of software including MS Word, MS Excel, MS PowerPoint, MS Explorer and Outlook; Ability to work independently with initiative as well as a team member; Ability to work under pressure and meet deadlines; and Understanding of the role and operations of the UN system.

Specific Requirements for Component 1 Position:

Education : Master degree in Education, Social Science or related field.
 Experience : At least 7 years professional experience in vocational education and training involving the development, delivery and management of TVET programs and policy; Proven capacity to design, implement, monitor and evaluate education and training project activities; Experience in working on TVET legislation, regulations and systems will be a significant added advantage.

Specific Requirements for Component 2 Position:

Education : Master degree in Education, Social Science or related field.
 Experience : At least 7 years professional experience in TVET involving the development, delivery, management and quality assurance of TVET programs and policy; Proven capacity to design, implement, monitor and evaluate education and training project activities; Experience in working on TVET qualifications, skill standards, curriculum and quality assurance systems will be a significant added advantage.

Specific Requirements for Component 3 Position:

Education : Master degree in Education, Management, Social Science or related field.
 Experience : At least 7 years professional experience in vocational education and training involving the development, delivery and management of TVET programs and policies in training organisations; Proven capacity to design, implement, monitor and evaluate education and training project activities; Experience in working in TVET institutional management roles and/or teacher training programs systems will be a significant added advantage.

Specific Requirements for Component 4 Position:

Education : Master degree in Management, Business, Technology, Education or related field.
 Experience : At least 7 years professional experience in a junior management role in a dynamic industrial sector at an enterprise and/or with an industry association; Proven capacity to design, implement, monitor and evaluate education, training and/or industry development activities; Experience in working on productivity improvement initiatives, workplace learning and/or TVET programs, will be a significant added advantage.

Specific Requirements for Component 5 Position:

Education : Master degree in Education, Social Science or related field
 Experience : At least 7 years professional experience in vocational education and training involving the development, delivery and management of programs for underprivileged groups; Proven capacity to design, implement, monitor and evaluate education and training project activities; Experience in working on TVET policy & systems will be a significant added advantage.

DUTY STATION

The duty station for the above positions is Dhaka although transfer to other duty stations is not excluded.

APPLICATIONS

Please submit your application with CV in a sealed envelop addressed to:

Director
 ILO Office, Dhaka,
 House 12, Road 12 (New)
 Dhanmondi RA, Dhaka
 Dhaka-1209

latest by 4.30 p.m. on Sunday 20 July 2008.

Only short-listed candidates will be notified for interview. They may also be required to sit for a written examination. Please mark on the right-hand corner of the envelope "APPLICATION TVET Reform Project" as well as the position you are applying for. A more detailed description of duties will be forwarded through e-mailing on request.

The ILO is an equal opportunity employer. Applications from women are encouraged.

Any form of canvassing, soliciting or influencing will be treated as a disqualification.

On the eve of the Hokkaido G8 Summit,
On behalf of the People of Bangladesh
500,000
 Appeal to Japanese Prime Minister Yasuo Fukuda that

- The G8 must commit to a global action plan for sanitation and water to ensure services for the world's poorest people.
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