

Request for Expressions of Interest

Ministry/Division	: Ministry of Agriculture.
Agency	: Bangladesh Agricultural Research Council (BARC).
Procuring entity name	: Project Implementation Unit (PIU), NATP, Phase-1.
Expression of interest for selection of	: Individual Consultants.
Title of service & REOI Ref. No.	: International Consultant for Rationalization Studies Package No. SD/PIU-BARC/18 REOI Ref. No.: SD/PIU-BARC/18/14
Date	: June 23, 2013.
Duration	: 09 (nine) months.
Procurement sub-method	: Selection of Individual Consultants (SIC).
Budget and source of funds	: Development Budget (Credit).
Development partners	: IDA, IFAD.
Project/programme code	: 5-4305-7400.
Project/programme name	: National Agricultural Technology Project (NATP): Phase-1.
EOI closing date and time	: July 23, 2013, 4:00pm.

Information for Applicant
Outline of the assignment and required qualification & experience are given below [details provided in the Request for Application (RFA)].

Position	Outline of the assignment	Qualification & experience
International Consultant for M&E Impact Assessment	<p>1. The consultant shall identify and collect the policy documents from the NARS institutes and in the related ministries and assess how the implementations of those policies were planned in every research and training institution.</p> <p>2. The consultants shall study organizational charts of the institutions, including their relationships with the ministries, and analyze how this institutional set up is managed as NARS.</p> <p>3. Determine the exact status and existing structure and operations of Agricultural Research Institutes and identify specific needs for strengthening overall capacity of agricultural research management and for building awareness of advanced knowledge and information.</p> <p>4. The consultant shall identify the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Existing linkage with research stakeholders, (ii) Co-operation mechanisms among research, training and academic institutions, (iii) Linkage with foreign institutions with communication networks. <p>5. Reviewing the studies already done for the organization development of each of the NARS institutes.</p> <p>6. Revisiting and achieving clarity of Mandate, Vision, Mission and Value statement of each of the NARS institutes.</p> <p>7. Review the mapping of the Core Business delivery systems (research and training) of each of the NARS institute developed by the National Consultant.</p> <p>8. Review the Rationalization Principles and Rationalization Methodology/Process designed by the National Consultant and make necessary modification, if required, to bring it in an international best practice</p> <p>9. Assessing the existing support systems (HRD, Financing, Accounting etc.) to perform the core functions.</p> <p>10. Assessing current research management in NARS and recommend specific measures and actions to improve overall management and related services.</p> <p>11. Building rationalization plan on the way forward which will address:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Identify weaknesses that constrains the effectiveness of NARS, (ii) Institutional and individual capacity to practice world class agricultural science and research management, (iii) Capacity to up-scale and out-scale research outputs through inclusive innovation systems approaches, (iv) Strengthening the institutional and human capacity of Agricultural Research Systems to generate and deliver research outputs that meet needs of the country. <p>12. To establish a mechanism for effective use of the research resources available.</p> <p>13. Compare between Existing Structure and Rationalized Structure.</p> <p>14. Prepare recommendation on Structural and Functional Shifts from Existing Structure to Rationalized Structure under newly enacted BARC Act, 2012.</p> <p>15. Develop mechanisms for research collaboration and coordination among the national and regional institutes and enhance linkage between agricultural research and extension.</p> <p>16. Develop mechanisms to liaise with external funding agencies and international agricultural research centers and to ensure close coordination and complementarities.</p>	<p>Academic qualification:</p> <p>a. Should have a Post Graduate Degree in any discipline of Agriculture/Economics/Business/ Human Resource Management or other relevant subject. Preference will be given to a candidate having Ph.D.</p> <p>Required experience:</p> <p>b. Should have at least 07 (seven) years experience working in national/international organization related to research/training/consultancy. Preference will be given to a candidate having experience in Agricultural Research Management.</p> <p>c. Should have advanced training in management along with international exposure.</p> <p>d. Should have formal training or hand on experience on Management Information Systems (MIS)/Training Management Systems (TMS)/Research Management Systems (RMS).</p> <p>e. Should have prior experience on preparing institutional development plan/recommendation paper.</p>

Other details:
Applicants are requested to provide information as per the format provided in Request for Application (RFA) indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (complete CV in prescribed form with other details as applicable). RFA will be available upon request from the address below either through email or in person.

The consultant will be selected using the selection process of individual consultant (SIC) as per provision of Public Procurement Rule PPR-2008. It is expected that the services will commence in May 2010.

Persons who are already in employment of government or autonomous body should submit application through proper channel. Only short listed consultants will be invited for interview.

The procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject all EOI(s).

Procuring entity details

Name of official inviting EOI

Dr. M. Kabir Ikramul Haque.

Designation of official inviting EOI

Director, PIU-BARC, NATP: Phase 1

Address of official inviting EOI

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Bangladesh Agricultural Research Council (BARC)

Room No. 307, Admin. Building (2nd Floor)

NATP: Phase-1, Farmgate, Dhaka-1215.

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*Detail information & terms of reference is available in the request for application which may be collected from the office of the undersigned.

Dr. M. Kabir Ikramul Haque

Director, PIU-BARC

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জাহাঙ্গীরনগর বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়

সাভার, ঢাকা

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পিএইচ.ডি গবেষণা কোর্সে প্রাথমিক
আবেদন ফরম বিত্রয় ও জমা দেয়ার
সময় বৃদ্ধির বিজ্ঞপ্তি

সংশ্লিষ্ট সকলের অবগতি ও প্রয়োজনীয় ব্যবস্থা গ্রহণের
জন্য কর্তৃপক্ষের অনুমোদনক্রমে জানানো যাচ্ছে যে,
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১৫/০৭/২০১৩ তারিখ পর্যন্ত বর্ধিত করা হয়েছে।

বিজ্ঞপ্তির অন্যান্য শর্তাবলী অপরিবর্তিত থাকবে।

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ডেপুটি রেজিস্ট্রার

(উচ্চশিক্ষা ও বৃক্ষ-১)

Bangladesh Telecommunication
Regulatory Commission

Preparatory Functions and Supervision in Launching a
Communication and Broadcasting Satellite-Project
IEB Bhaban (5th, 6th & 7th Floor), Ramna, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh

No. BTRC/SLPP/Local Consultant(12)/2012-378 Date: 27 June, 2013

Request for Expression
of Interest (EOI)

For
Appointment of Individual
Consultant (Local)
(Package No. SD3)

The Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh has undertaken a Project for Preparatory Functions and Supervision in Launching Bangabandhu Satellite. Bangladesh Telecommunication Regulatory Commission (BTRC) is the implementing agency of the Project at its own cost. BTRC has already appointed a US based foreign consultancy firm to support the project. BTRC is now going to appoint following individual consultants from Bangladeshi nationals and/or NRB to assist in implementing the project. The key objective of this assignment is to ensure that the project is implemented within the scheduled time and that there is a transfer of knowledge to the staff of BTRC.

The qualifications, experience and Terms of Reference (TOR) of the individual consultant and other relevant information are available at BTRC website: www.btrc.gov.bd. Interested applicants may get detailed information from the website.

1. Name of the Post and No. of Vacancy:

Name of the Post	No. of vacancy
Consultant (Frequency Coordination)	01
Consultant (Satellite Spacecraft)	01

2. Brief Job Description: The Consultants will assist the Project Director in efficient overall implementation of the project and ensuring smooth implementation of each activity according to the Project Implementation Plan.

3. The Consultant (Frequency Coordination) will assist to review of the current filings related to proposed Satellite that are publicly available through the ITU-R filing database and ITU-R website.

4. The Consultant (Satellite Spacecraft) will assist in all aspects of Satellite Construction and Technical Monitoring.

5. Duration: The expected duration of each of the Consultants will be for the project period i.e. till June 2015. The project period might be extended. However, the initial agreement will be for 01 (one) year and each year will be extended based on their performance and needs of the project.

6. Remuneration: The remuneration per month will be BDT 150,000/- only including VAT & Tax and other facilities as admissible by BTRC.

7. Qualifications: The applicants should have a Bachelor/Masters in EEE/Telecommunications Engineering with all through excellent academic record.

8. Experience: Minimum 10 years of experience in Space Communication/Telecommunication. The Consultant should also have:

- (i) Knowledge of telecommunications and regulatory issues,
- (ii) Knowledge of ITU Radio Regulations,
- (iii) Knowledge of Satellite Construction and Technical Monitoring.

9. Details of the job descriptions, experience and other requirements for each of the posts are available in the BTRC website: www.btrc.gov.bd.

10. Expression of Interest (EOI) shall have to be submitted on or before 15 July 2013 in sealed envelope to the Project Director. The envelope be clearly marked "Expression of Interest for the Consultant (Frequency Coordination/Satellite Spacecraft) for "Preparatory Functions and Supervision in Launching a Communication and Broadcasting Satellite"-Project. Both hard copy and soft copy (via email) of applications shall be submitted. Hard copies of applications can be submitted directly or sent via postal/courier to the address of the undersigned and should reach the undersigned within the stipulated time.

11. The applicants shall submit attested copies of certificates supporting their job experience, qualifications and eligibility for the post along with a cover letter. The authority may verify these documents if deemed necessary.

12. The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all applications/EOI(s).

A consultant will be selected based on their qualifications and experience following the procedures of the PPR-2008.

Md. Golam Razzaque

Project Director

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BEPZA

Chittagong Export Processing Zone

South Halishahar, Chittagong-4223

Date: June 20, 2013

Tender Notice

No. 11/2012-2013

Sealed tenders are hereby invited from the eligible contractors for the following works as per terms & conditions stated below:-

1	Ministry/Division	Prime Minister's Office.
2	Agency	Bangladesh Export Processing Zones Authority (BEPZA).
3	Procuring entity name	Superintending Engineer.
4	Procuring entity district	Chittagong.
5	Invitation for	Work.
6	Invitation Ref. No. and date	11/2012-2013, Date: June 20, 2013.

KEY INFORMATION

7	Procurement method	Open Tendering Method (OTM).
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FUNDING INFORMATION

8	Budget and source of funds	Self Finance of BEPZA.
9	Development partners (if applicable)	Not applicable.

PARTICULAR INFORMATION

10	Project/programme code (if applicable)	Not applicable.
11	Project/programme name (if applicable)	Not applicable.
12	Tender package No.	Not applicable.
13	Tender package name	Not applicable.
14	Tender publication date	On or before June 30, 2013.
15	Tender last selling date	July 21, 2013 during office hour.
16	Tender submission date & time	July 22, 2013 at 12:00 noon.
17	Tender opening date & time	July 22, 2013 at 2:30pm.
18	Name & address of the office(s)	

Selling of tender document (principal)