



Leveraging ICT for Growth, Employment & Governance Project
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Date: 3 July 2014

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

For

Short listing of firms under framework agreement to provide capacity building services (National).

Bangladesh Computer Council (BCC), an organization of Information & Communication Technology Division, Ministry of Posts, Telecommunications and Information Technology has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Leveraging ICT for Growth, Employment and Governance Project (LICT) (IDA credit no.: 5025-BD), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for payment of services related to capacity building on e-Government skills.

The project is catering the need of public sector modernization through development of policies, guidelines, e-government interoperability framework (eGIF) and capacity development of the government people.

The main objective of the capacity development component of the project is to systematically create ICT awareness and enhance understanding of e-Governance amongst public officials of Bangladesh. This will lead to the initiation of smart e-Governance and citizen-oriented e-Service delivery.

The Leveraging ICT for Growth, Employment and Governance project, invites qualified firms to submit Expression of Interest (EOI) to provide capacity building services under framework agreement for 2 (two) years in different tracks. Any firm is eligible to express their interest for any number of track(s).

Interested firms should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the services in specific track(s). The selection criteria are as follows:

- Documentary evidence of legal entity and financial stability.
- Demonstrated knowledge and capability in conducting e-government capacity building training programs.
- Availability of appropriate skills among staff;
- Demonstrated capability of rolling out similar assignments in home and abroad.
- International Accreditation.

The attention of interested Firms is drawn to paragraph 1.9 Of the World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers January 2011 ("Consultant Guidelines"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Interested firms may associate with other firms (national or international) in the form of a joint venture or a sub-contract to enhance their qualifications, but should mention whether the association is in the form of a "Joint-Venture" or of a "Sub-Contract". In the case of a joint venture, all members of such "association" should have real and well-defined inputs to the assignment and it is preferable to limit total number of firms including the associates to a maximum of three.

Interested firms may obtain Terms of References (TOR) at the address below during regular office time 9:00 to 15:30 hours (GMT+06:00) on all working days. They may also obtain the same in the BCC's official website: www.bcc.net.bd. The notice of request for EOI is available on the websites: CPTU (www.cptu.gov.bd).

Expressions of Interest (EOI) must be delivered in a written form with all relevant information and documents establishing eligibility to the address below by 04 August 2014 in 3 (three) sets (1 Original + 2 Copies) and clearly marked "Expression of Interest for Short listing of firms under framework agreement to provide capacity building services", mentioning the track(s) for which they are applying.

The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all EOIs, or annul the process at any stage without assigning any reason(s) whatsoever and without incurring any liability to the affected applicant(s).

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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR FEASIBILITY STUDY FOR

Building Data Center Recovery Site (DRS) at Jessore Software Technology Park (JSTP) (International)

Bangladesh Computer Council (BCC) under the Information and Communication Technology Division, Ministry of Posts, Telecommunications and Information Technology (MoPITT) has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Leveraging ICT for Growth, Employment and Governance Project (IDA credit no.: 5025-BD), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for payment of consulting services.

The Information and Communication Technology Division, Ministry of Post, Telecommunication and Information Technology and Investment Corporation of Bangladesh (ICB) along with the State owned Commercial Banks and financial institutions of Bangladesh have agreed in principle for joint collaboration to build a data Center (DC)/Disaster Recovery Site (DRS) at Jessore Software Technology Park (JSTP), Jessore.

The main objectives of the study shall be to carry out an overall feasibility study on market (including demand and supply gap), technical, organizational and financial aspects; identify the risk factors and recommend the strategy to overcome those factors. The Leveraging ICT for Growth, Employment and Governance Project now invites eligible international consulting firms ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. The short listing criteria are as follows:

- The Consulting firm must provide documentary evidence of legal entity and financial stability.
- The Consulting firm must demonstrate that it has experience and capacity to conduct feasibility study for the development of Data Center Recovery Site.
- The consulting firm must show evidence of experience in undertaking similar work for a variety of clients such as Governments, and Private sector players in large scale investments.
- The consulting must show evidence of designing Disaster Recovery/Data Center Recovery sites in compliance with TIER - 3/4 data center standard defined by Uptime Institute.

- The consulting firm must show evidence of its human resources experience, capability and skills pertinent to the assignment.

The duration of the consultancy service is estimated to be about 6 (six) months commencing from October 2014.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of the World Bank's latest *Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers* ("Consultant Guidelines"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest. Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub-consultancy to enhance their qualifications. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the QCBS method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.

Interested consultants may obtain further information like Terms of References (TOR), EOI notice at the address below during regular office time 9:00 to 15:30 hours (GMT+06:00) on all working days. They may also obtain the same in the BCC's official website: www.bcc.net.bd. The notice of request for EOI is also available in CPTU's official website: www.cptu.gov.bd.

Expressions of Interest must be delivered in a written form with all relevant information and documents establishing eligibility to the address below by 4 August 2014 in 3 (three) sets (1 Original +2 Copies) and clearly marked "Expression of Interest for Consulting Services Feasibility Study for Building Data Center Recovery Site (DRS) at Jessore Software Technology Park (JSTP)". The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all EOIs, or annul the process at any stage without assigning any reason(s) whatsoever and without incurring any liability to the affected applicant(s).

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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

For

Development of Information Security Policies, standards, and National Computer Incident Response Team (CIRT) implementation (International).

Bangladesh Computer Council (BCC), an organization of Information & Communication Technology Division, Ministry of Posts, Telecommunications and Information Technology has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Leveraging ICT for Growth, Employment and Governance Project (LICT) (IDA credit no.: 5025-BD), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for payment of services related to development of Information Security Policies, standards, and National Computer Incident Response Team (CIRT) implementation.

The objective of this assignment is to establish the GOB's information security program, and set program goals and priorities to support the government's mission. It will also provide resources to set up a national Computer Incident Response Team (CIRT) to facilitate and support the program.

The assignment will have multiple components, including the drafting of policies, regulations, standards and guidelines. It will also propose a structure for the CIRT that is technically, financially, and operationally sustainable; provide trainings for the CIRT personnel; and assist the CIRT to establish relationships with other international/regional CIRTs.

The Leveraging ICT for Growth, Employment and Governance project, invites qualified firms to submit Expression of Interest (EOI) for Development of Information Security Policies, standards, and National Computer Incident Response Team (CIRT) implementation.

Interested firms should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the assignment. The selection criteria are as follows:

- Documentary evidence of legal entity and financial stability.
- Demonstrated knowledge and capability in implementing CIRT.
- Demonstrated Knowledge and capability in development of information security policies, standards, procedures and guidelines.
- Availability of appropriate skills among staff.

- Demonstrated capability of rolling out similar assignments in home and abroad.
- International Accreditation.

The attention of interested Firms is drawn to paragraph 1.9 Of the World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers January 2011 ("Consultant Guidelines"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

International firms may associate with other local firms (national) in the form of a joint venture or a sub-contract to enhance their qualifications, but should mention whether the association is in the form of a "Joint-Venture" or of a "Sub-Contract". In the case of a joint venture, all members of such "association" should have real and well-defined inputs to the assignment and it is preferable to limit total number of firms including the associates to a maximum of three.

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Expressions of Interest (EOI) must be delivered in a written form with all relevant information and documents establishing eligibility to the address below by 04 August 2014 in three sets (1 Original + 2 Copies) and clearly marked "Expression of Interest for Development of Information Security Policies, standards, and National Computer Incident Response Team (CIRT) implementation".

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Re-invitation for Bids (RIFB) for Top-up IT Training Program

Contract Identification No: NS1
World Bank Credit No: 5025-BD

1. The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received a credit from the International Development Association towards the cost of Leveraging ICT for Growth, Employment & Governance Project (LICT) and intends to apply part of the funds to cover eligible payments under the Contract for Top-Up IT Training Program (Contract Package # NS1). Bidding is open to all bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits, January 2011.
2. Bangladesh Computer Council (BCC) represented by the Project Director, Leveraging ICT for Growth, Employment & Governance Project invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for carrying out the Top-Up IT Training Program.
3. The bidder shall be firm/ company or joint venture of firms/ companies from eligible source countries. The bidder shall have business experience of service provider as prime bidder in designing, development and implementation of training for IT industry with minimum average annual volume of Services of US\$ 2.0 million in the last five years. The bidder shall have experience of at least one service contract of a nature and complexity equivalent to the Services over the last 5 years from the bid submission deadline with minimum amount of contract value US\$ 3.0 million.
4. A complete set of bidding document may be purchased from the address below for a non-refundable fee of Bangladesh Taka (BDT) 3,000 or

US\$ 40 (Postal charge extra) in the form of Pay Order or Demand Draft in favor of Project Director, Leveraging ICT for Growth, Employment and Governance Project. Interested bidders may obtain further information and inspect bidding document at same address from 9:00 hours to 16:00 hours Bangladesh Standard Time (BST= GMT + 6:00 hours), Sunday through Thursday (except public holidays). Bidding document can also be viewed at website www.bcc.net.bd (for inspection purpose only).

5. A pre-bid meeting will be held at 11:00 hours BST on July 20, 2014 at a venue of Conference Room (2nd Floor), Bangladesh Computer Council (BCC), BCC Bhaban, Plot # E-14/X, Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka - 1207.
6. Bids shall be valid for a period of 150 days after bid closing and must be accompanied by security of US\$ 40,000 (Forty Thousand Only) or equivalent amount in any freely convertible currency. Bids shall be submitted to the address below on or before August 18, 2014 up to BST 15:00 hours, and they will be opened on same day at BST 15:30 hours in the presence of the bidders or their authorized representatives who wish to attend.
7. The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids without assigning any reason thereof.

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