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Invitation for

Date KEY INFORMATION

Invitation Ref. No.

Procurement Method

Tender Package No

Tender Package Name

Tender Publication Date

Receiving Tender Document

Opening Tender Document

INFORMATION FOR TENDERER

Eligibility of Tenderer

Brief Description of Goods

Designation of Official Inviting Tender

Address of Official Inviting the Tender

Contact details of Official Inviting the Tender:

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Place/Date/Time of Pre Tender Meeting

Procuring Entity name

**Procuring Entity Code** 

Procuring Entity District

#### **ELECTRICITY GENERATION COMPANY OF BANGLADESH LIMITED** (An Enterprise of Bangladesh Power Development Board)

Haripur 412 MW Combine Cycle Power Plant (CCPP), EGCB Ltd., Haripur, Bandar, Narayanganj, Bangladesh. Fax: 880-2-9118345, E-mail: info@egcb.com.bd, Web: www.egcb.com.bd

250	Power Division, Ministry of Power, Energy & Mineral Resources.
9	Electricity Generation Company of Bangladesh Ltd.
	Haripur 412 MW Combined Cycle Power Plant.
	N/A
	Narayanganj
5	Procurement of Goods (Package by Package)
	EGCB/CE/Haripur/412.08/2014/759
	02/12/2014

**FUNDING INFORMATION** Budget and Source of Funds Revenue Budget (Own fund of Electricity Generation Company of Bangladesh Ltd.) Development Partners (if applicable) PARTICULAR INFORMATION Project/ Programme Code (if applicable)

N/A Project/ Programme Name (if applicable) N/A N/A Package-1: Procurement of Walkie Talkie for Haripur 412 MW CCPP. Package-2: Procurement of consumables goods and domestic electrical goods for Maintenance

Division of Haripur 412 MW CCPP. Package-3: Procurement of maintenance spares for HVAC, Battery Charger and Air Compressors of Haripur 412 MW CCPP. 08/12/2014 23/12/2014 up to 15:00 Hr (BST)

Tender Last Selling Date Tender Submission Date & Time 24/12/2014 up to 12:00 Hr (BST) Tender Opening Date & Time 24/12/2014 on 12:30 Hrs (BST) (Tenderers or their authorized representatives, if any, are allowed Name and Address of the office(s) Selling Tender Document Corporate Office, Electricity Generation Company of Bangladesh Ltd., BTMC Bhaban (Level-8). 7-9 Kawran Bazar, Dhaka-1215, Bangladesh.

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Corporate Office, Electricity Generation Company of Bangladesh Ltd., BTMC Bhaban (Level-8),

The Tenderer/Manufacturer shall have a minimum of five (5) years of overall experience in the supply of goods and related services.

years counting backward from the date of publication of IFT in the news paper.

Haripur 412 MW Combined Cycle Power Plant, EGCB Ltd. Haripur, Bandar, Narayanganj, Bangladesh.

The Tenderer/Manufacturer should have valid Trade License, should be financially solvent, Income Tax payee, should have the legal capacity to enter in to the contract, and shouldn't have a conflict of interest pursuant to Rule 55 of the Public Procurement Rules-Procurement of Walkie Talkie, Electrical consumables and domestic goods, spares for HVAC,

The Tenderer/Manufacturer shall have successfully completed supply of similar goods of

minimum Package-1: Tk. Two lac (2,00,000/-), Package-2: Tk. Five lac (5,00,000/-),

package-3: Tk. Four lac (4,00,000/-) under a single contract in the last three (3) years. i.e.

Battery Charger and Air Compressors for Maintenance Division of Haripur 412 MW CCPP. Brief Description of Related services NA Price of Tender Document BDT 500/= (Taka Five Hundred) to be paid in the form of Bank Draft/Pay order in favor of Electricity Generation Company of Bangladesh Ltd. for each LOT. Package Tender Security Identification of Lot

Location Completion Time Amount Procurement of Walkie Talkie for Haripur 412 MW CCPP. Package-1 Haripur 412 MW Combined Tk. 7,000/-Four (4) weeks from Procurement of consumables goods and domestic electrical Cycle Power Plant, EGCB Ltd. Tk. 20,000/the date of signing of goods for Maintenance Division of Haripur 412 MW CCPP. Haripur, Bandar, Narayangani, Procurement of maintenance spares for HVAC, Battery Package-3 Bangladesh. Tk. 12,000/-Charger and Air Compressors of Haripur 412 MW CCPP. PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS Name of Official Inviting the Tender Md. Fazlur Rahman

Superintending Engineer (Maintenance)

Tel: 01730-331349, E-mail: fazlurdgm360@yahoo.com

a) The Full Tender Document will be available in PDF format in the EGCB website. b) The tenderers are requested to read the tender document carefully before submission their offer. The Procuring entity reserves the right to reject all tenders.

> (Md. Fazlur Rahman) Superintending Engineer (Maintenance) Haripur 412 MW CCPP, EGCB Ltd., Dhaka.

#### **Bangladesh Parliament Secretariat** Strengthening Parliamentary Oversight (SPO) Project 2/7, Minister's Hostel (1st Floor)

Parliament Complex Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka 1207.

Meme No.: 11.320.14.00.00.117.2014-216 Date: 07 December 2014

### **Request for Expression of Interest for**

# **National Consultant (MIS)**

1. The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received a grant financing from Multi Donor Trust Fund (Grant No: TF 097134-BD) administered by the World Bank towards the cost of the Strengthening Parliamentary Oversight (SPO) Project under a comprehensive program titled Strengthening Public Expenditure Management Program (SPEMP) being implemented by Bangladesh Parliament Secretariat and intends to apply part of the proceeds for National Consultant (MIS) to work with the Project Management and Coordination Unit (PMCU) as an IT Expert. Project Director, SPO Project now invites eligible Bangladeshi nationals to express their interest in providing the service as mentioned below along with required qualifications.

### 2. Key Responsibilities:

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The National Consultant (MIS) will be a member of project management and implementation team. The main responsibility of the National Consultant (MIS) is to provide technical and advisory services regarding MIS developed by the MISC firm. His/her duties will include, but not be limited to, the following: 1. Overall monitoring of newly developed MIS for the business processes of the Financial Oversight Committees (FOCs) of Bangladesh Parliament. 2. Analyse the requirements of the Bidder and understand the features of existing MIS to identify the gaps with a view to extend the functionality of the existing MIS. 3. Confirm development of a core group of MIS experts to support the introduction of the new business processes and to facilitate the required change in organization culture 4. Provide proper advice and guidance to the project management and Parliament Secretariat regarding MIS based business processes of FOCs. 5. Liaison between project and MISC firm/ stake holders so that the project can achieve its targeted objectives. 6. Supervise and monitor the activities of the MISC firm. 7. Perform any other assignment required by the Project Director as and when required.

3. Key qualifications and experiences: 1. Masters Degree in Computer Science/ MBA(Major in MIS)/including B.Sc in Computer Science and Engineering. Advance degree in MIS/ proven skill in MIS operation will be an

added advantage. 2. At least ten years' experience required in MIS /IT management of which at least five years in a managerial position in any government/semi-government / reputed large private and International organization.

3. Candidate must be fully conversant with and have hands on experience in Management Information System assisted business processes and system maintenance plan of MIS. 4. Extensive knowledge on System Analysis, Software Architecture, Project management, Software implementation and Software development. 5. Experience

on MIS based business over Financial Oversight Committees of any Parliament will be added advantages. 6. Excellent communication and written skills in English is essentially required.

4. Duration: The assignment will commence tentatively from 1st February 2015 and will not exceed the remaining project implementation period up to 31 December 2015.

5. Remuneration Range: Negotiable depending on qualifications and experience.

6. Selection will be done in accordance with the Public Procurement Act (PPA) 2006 and Public Procurement Rules (PPR) 2008.

7. Interested individuals may obtain further information as well as respective TOR/Terms and conditions at the address below during office hours on regular working days. Expressions of Interest must be submitted to the address below within 23 December 2014 before 5pm indicating expected remuneration in sealed envelope clearly marked "EOI for National Consultant (MIS)" along with following attachments:

a) Three copies of recent passport size color photographs, b) Curriculum Vitae which should include educational qualifications and previous job responsibilities etc., c) Attested photocopies of documents, such as: i) National ID Card or Certificate of Nationality from union parishad chairman or ward counselor, ii) All certificates of educational qualifications and relevant specialized trainings, and iii) Certificate of all previous working experiences and evidence of other relevant information.

8. Only deserving candidates will be shortlisted and called for selection process. Unsuccessful applicants will not be informed. Any communication by the applicant or representative(s) with the project office shall be deemed as effort to influence the selection process and the application shall be summarily rejected.

9. The authority reserves the right to amend or supplement any of the terms and conditions of recruitment and also to accept or reject any or all applications or annul this recruitment process without showing any reason whatsoever. No claim will be entertained in this regard.

> (A K Mohiuddin Ahmad) Project Director

Strengthening Parliamentary Oversight Project 2/7 Minister Hostel (1<sup>st</sup> floor) Parliament Complex Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka- 1207 Telephone: 9129039 E-mail: pdspoproject@gmail.com

## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Directorate of Secondary and Higher Education

Monitoring and Evaluation Wing

Date: 04/12/2014

The Daily Star

# Request for Expression of Interest for Selection of International Consulting Firm for Learning Assessment of Secondary Institutions (LASI)-2015

Learning Assessment of Secondary Institutions I) Background

EOI Ref No.: MEW/DSHE/Proc/158/14/2145

Secondary education in Bangladesh spans grades 6 to 10. Bangladesh has pursued a service delivery strategy in the secondary education sector which combines public financing with Private provision. Around 98% of schools are these aided non-government schools. 81% of the share of secondary enrollment is in secular aided government schools while 17% of the enrollment is in registered reformed aided non-government madrasas. Secondary education is under the supervision of the Directorate of Secondary and Higher Education (DSHE) in the Ministry of Education.

The Secondary Education Quality and Access Enhancement Project (SEQAEP) with the IDA financing (credit 5325-BD), which started in 2008 in 122 upazilas

throughout Bangladesh, emphasizes on the improvement of the education quality by introducing a series of academic support interventions and incentive schemes to improve the quality of education. One of the main objectives of the SEQAEP is to systematically measure the quality of learning by national curriculum-based numeracy and literacy testing on a sample basis. The results of these independent assessments will be fed back to policymakers and stakeholders to raise their awareness about the quality of education, and adjust quality-related policies and interventions accordingly. The long-term vision is to build the appropriate capacity to mainstream the assessment system. The Monitoring and Evaluation Wing (MEW) under DSHE led implementation of Learning Assessment of SEQAEP Institutions (LASI) in July 2012 and December 2013. Grade 9 students were tested in 2012 and grade 6 and 8 students were tested in 2013 in the subjects of Bangla, English and Math. The result of 2012 LASI

was compiled in a report and nationally disseminated as a first systemic learning assessment in secondary education in the country. While these two rounds of LASI covered only SEQAEP upazilas, the Additional Financing of the SEQAEP which became effective in February 2014 aims to extend the successful pilots of LASI to nationwide coverage. Therefore, the LASI 2015 will be administered with a representative sample of all secondary institutions in the country, and will be renamed as Learning Assessment of Secondary Institutions (LASI)

A part of the IDA fund will be utilized for payments of an International Firm for Consultancy Service for Learning Assessment of Secondary Institutions-2015 under the MEW. Under the package of S40.1 MEW now invites eligible International Consulting Firm to submit their Expressions of Interest (EOI) for providing the services mentioned below:

II) Objectives for the Consultancy The primary objective of the consultancy is to help the MEW of DSHE implement the learning assessment in English, Mathematics, and Bangla at Grades 6 and 8 by

providing technical expertise in developing the assessment tests and questionnaires, training the relevant government staff and survey implementers, and leading the analysis of the results. The assignment entails TA to support the government system, and it involves collaboration with the local firm that is responsible for administering the testing component. Another important objective of the consultancy is to establish learning trajectory of students in Bangladesh. Primary education is administered by MoPME, and secondary education is administered by MOE. As a result, the learning trajectory of Bangladeshi students is not well known because nobody has a global idea of how

students' cognitive development occurs. It therefore important that this assignment will establish a learning trajectory by linking NSA and Learning Assessment of Secondary Institutions (LASI) 2015 which are taken place in grades 6 and 8 around the same time of NSA 2015. This equating exercise is led by the primary education NSA team and its consultant, but the LASI team and this consultancy is required to coordinate and deliver necessary inputs for the equating work. III) Tasks and Responsibilities for the Consultancy and Estimated Timeline

The consultant will be responsible for the following tasks in close consultation with the MEW, DSHE, and the Development Partners

	Activity	Timeline	Task
S1	Capacity building	January 2015	Provide training on the concept and the purpose of learning assessment to the audience of secondary and primary learning assessment stakeholders, and results of NSA 2011, 2013/LASI 2012, 2013. Also provide a technical review session for technical workers of each test item used in NSA 2013/LASI 2013.
S2	Development of assessment framework	December 2014- February 2015	Prepare assessment frameworks for G6 and G8 assessment in close consultation with the MEW, NCTB, the SEQAEP project team and Development Partners.  Provide necessary capacity building for the national team to lead this activity.  Develop a framework for linking the NSA and LASI.
S3.	Test item development	March-April 2015	Develop English, Mathematics, and Bangla tests for grade 6 and 8 in close consultation with MEW and NCTB. Ensure that test items are competency-based. Develop a framework for linking the NSA and LASI.
S4	Survey instruments (school, teachers, household)	March-April 2015	Provide technical review and inputs to survey instruments developed by the government teams.
S5	Sampling	April 2015	Provide technical review and advice in the sampling processes (for both piloting and main survey). Ensure that LASI 2015 represents the national level learning outcomes. Subsample for equating NSA and LASI.
S6	Preparation for pilot test administration	April-May 2015	Advice on processes for effective administration of pilot tests. Provide initial supervision.
S7	Pilot tests and marking	June 2015	Ensure pilot implementation and marking take place with quality.
S8	Pilot tests analysis and capacity building	July-September 2015	Analyze pilot study data in consultation with local authorities. Review data and select test items so that final tests conform to test specifications. Analyze the result of equating tests between NSA and LASI. Provide necessary capacity building for the national team to lead this activity.
S9	Administration manual	October 2015	Produce test administration manuals as well as quality monitoring manuals for MEW staff.
S10	Training	October 2015	Provide technical advice to training of test administrators, supervisors, test markers, and data entry staff who belong to a local survey firm.
S11	Main Survey and Marking	November 2015	Ensure survey implementation and marking take place with quality.
S12	Data entry	December 2015	Advise on methodology, provide data entry format, and provide initial supervision to ensure that the data are entered correctly and cleaned for analysis.
S13	Analysis and draft report	January-February 2016	Review the quality of data; Analyze the student assessment results, where possible, in collaboration with the government team, and produce technical and general reports. Also conduct an analysis of student, school, and teacher background.  Provide necessary capacity building for the national team to lead this activity.
S14	Draft dissemination	March 2016	Present the preliminary result (report) of the analysis at a workshop organised by the government.
S15	Final report	May 2016	Finalise the technical and public reports by incorporating comments from stakeholders.
S16	Overall implementation review	May 2016	Produce an implementation review report to document how activities were implemented during this assignment and provide recommendations for the future improvement in the implementation of the exercise.
S17	Coordination	(E)	To the extent possible, coordinate the activities between primary and secondary education. Provide

IV) Tasks and responsibilities for the government The MEW will be responsible for overall management of the assessment. The MEW will work in close consultation with the consultant at all times. The

consultant will advise of appropriate processes and notify all parties of constraints to the successful operation of the SEQAEP learning assessment well in advance to enable corrective actions The MEW will be responsible for providing the list of schools and their key characteristics for designing the sample. The MEW is also responsible for verifying 2.

generic training to the joint audience of the primary and secondary stakeholders together. Missions to

the data when samples are drawn and obtaining permission to access sampled schools. 3. MEW will be responsible for recruiting a local survey firm for the implementation of the tests. The local survey firm will be in charge of all logistics.

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4. The local firm will be responsible for publishing all documents including test instruments, questionnaires, and manuals.

5. The MEW is responsible for conducting quality monitoring of the test administration based on the quality monitoring manual produced by the consultant. 6. The MEW will be responsible for printing preliminary findings report and organising the workshop. It is also responsible for publishing the final report.

The MEW will be responsible for ensuring that appropriately-skilled staff are available and committed to working with the consultant to systematically develop and apply their knowledge and skills to build institutional capacity in Bangladesh, with the aim to reduce dependence in future on international technical

The MEW must commit to, and be responsible for, ensuring that all tasks for which they have responsibility are performed according to the timelines

V) Contract duration and timeline This TOR is based on a consultancy requirement between December 2014 and June 2016. It is expected that varied types of expertise will be needed from the

consultant, and so these working days will include the corresponding specialists to be called upon to respond to the identified needs. They would carry out their work through face-to-face assistance, email and telephone exchanges. Payment Schedule

Upon signing the contract (10%)

2. Delivery of capacity building workshops (task S1) (10%)

3 Delivery of Assessment framework, test items, survey instruments, and sampling for the pilot test (Task S2-6) (20%) 4. Delivery of Final test items after pilot testing (Tasks S7, S8) (30%)

5. Delivery of Draft technical and general reports (Tasks S9-S14) (15%)

Delivery of Final Technical and general reports (Tasks S15, S16) (15%)

VI) Qualifications Required Key professional staff required

1 Team leader: Minimum of master degree relevant field and minimum 15 years of experience in managing learning assessment programs, preferably with

experience in learning assessment in Bangladesh. 1 Psychometrician/Statistician: Minimum of master in psychometrics, statistics or relevant field and minimum 8 years of experience in the field of learning assessment, preferably with experience in learning assessment in Bangladesh.

1 Bangla reading test expert: Minimum of master degree in the relevant field and minimum of 8 years of relevant experience, with familiarity with the curriculum

1 English reading test expert: Minimum of master degree in the relevant field and minimum of 8 years of relevant experience, with familiarity with the curriculum 1 Math test expert: Minimum of master degree in the relevant field and minimum of 8 years of relevant experience, with familiarity with the curriculum in

Bangladesh. Criteria for Selection

Criteria	Score
Experience of the consultants specifically related to the assignment	30
Experience in learning assessment in Bangladesh	15
Experience in learning assessment in other countries	5
Experience in working in the field of education in Bangladesh	10
Adequacy of methodology and the proposed in responding to the Terms of Reference	45
Plans for capacity building of NCTB, DPE and DSHE staff in preparing for and conducting assessment and also in analyzing results and disseminating analysis information	15
Developing and delivering credible competency-based assessments by ensuring comparability of results between the forthcoming NSA 2015 with NSA 2011 and NSA 2013 while introducing new competency-based test items.  Methodology of developing credible competency-based assessments by ensuring comparability of results between the forthcoming nation-wide LASI 2015 in grade 6 and 8 with LASI 2013, which used different sampling frame.	20
Ensuring quality control of the entire process (firm is expected to provide hands on support at all stages of the process, from developing assessment frameworks to dissemination of process)	10
Qualifications and competence of the key staff related to the assignment	25
Team leader	7
Psychometrician/Statistician	6
Reading/literacy test expert	6
Math test expert	6
Total Technical Score	100

Documents and Information: Applicants should provide all the information and valid documents that asked in the qualification and experience.

Remuneration: Negotiable. Expression of Interest (hard copy and soft copy of the same through email) must be delivered to the address below by 12:00pm of 30 December, 2014.

Interested Consultants may obtain further information at the address of the undersigned during office hours. The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all EOIs. Director

Monitoring and Evaluation Wing (MEW) Directorate of Secondary and Higher Education Shikkha Bhaban, 16, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka e-mail: director\_mew\_dshe@yahoo.com

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