

West Zone Power Distribution Company Limited
 (An Enterprise of Bangladesh Power Development Board)
 Biddiyut Bhaban, Boyra Main Road, Khulna-9000, Phone: 041-730438, Fax: 041-731786
 Memo No. 27.22.4785.002.08.001.15-1828 Dated: 28/07/2015

Revised Request for Expression of Interest (EOI)

Expression of Interest (EOI) for Short Listing of Consulting Firm/Agent to Provide ISO certificate 18001 for West Zone Power Distribution Company Limited.

West Zone Power Distribution Company Limited (WZPDCL) was formed by the Government of Bangladesh as an enterprise of Bangladesh Power Development Board. The company comprises with 21 districts & 20 upazila under Khulna and Barisal division and greater Faridpur district. It has 66 offices including six circle offices headed by the Superintending Engineer.

WZPDCL has decided to invite Expression of Interest (EOI) along with company profile for short listing of eligible reputed local consulting firm/agent of International ISO certificate providing firm/consortia to carry out the work as titled above.

The consulting firm/agent should have international/national reputation in ISO certificate 18001 providing consulting service.

The consulting firm must have experience of providing ISO certificates 18001 at least three renowned companies within last 5 (five) years.

The consulting firm must have up-to-date trade license, VAT & income tax certificate along with audited financial report.

The consulting firm will submit their company profile to the Manager (Procurement), Headquarters, WZPDCL, Biddiyut Bhaban(Ground Floor), Boyra Main Road, Khulna-9000 on or before 13/08/2015.

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Corrigendum Notice

Name of Tender: Expression of Interest Firm for Development & Implementation of Examination Result Processing System Using Mobile Devices for National University, Gazipur.

This is to notify for all concern that the following amendment is made for Tender Notice No. 13(372)N.U./Engg.Trans/2015/1/172, Date 08/07/2015.

Description	Particulars	Amended particulars
Tender closing date & time	03/08/2015, Time: 11.30am	17/08/2015, Time: 11.30am
Tender opening date & time	03/08/2015, Time: 12.00 noon	17/08/2015, Time: 12.00 noon

All other terms and conditions of the tender will remain unchanged. This corrigendum notice with above amendments shall be the integrated part of the tender documents. This invitation for corrigendum notice available on Website www.nu.edu.bd

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Memo No-LGED/Nipra-Nar/e-Tender-01/15-16/1647 Date: 30-07-2015

e-Tender Notice-01/2015-2016

e-Tender is invited in the National e-GP System Portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) for 01 No. Package under CUMC, FY 2015-2016 for District: Narsingdi.

Sl. No	Tender ID	Name of work	Last selling date & time	Closing date & time	Opening date & time
01.	28658	Construction of Upazila Muktijoddha Complex Bhaban under Palash Upazila, Dist-Narsingdi	25-08-2015 4:00pm	26-08-2015 2:00pm	26-08-2015 3:00pm

This is an online Tender, where only e-Tender will be accepted in the National e-GP portal and no offline/hard copies will be accepted.

To submit e-Tender, registration in the National e-GP System Portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) is required.

The fees for downloading the e-Tender documents from the National e-GP system portal have to be deposited online through any registered bank's branches up to 25 August 2015, 16.00.

Further information and guidelines are available in the National e-GP System Portal and from e-GP help desk (helpdesk@eprocure.gov.bd).

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Bangladesh Bank
 Head Office, Motijheel, Dhaka
 Financial Sector Support and Strategic Planning Department

Request for Expression of Interest (ROEI) for

Consultancy Services of a Firm for the Preparation of ISSP for SOCB and Development Banks under Financial Sector Support Project

This request for expression of interest follows the general procurement notice for this project that appeared in United Nations Development Business No. WB3146-07/15 of July 09, 2015.

The Government of People's Republic of Bangladesh received a credit (IDA Credit No. BD 5664) from the International Development Association (IDA) and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this credit to payments under the contract for hiring a Consulting Firm to review the existing business processes & prepare an Information Systems Strategy Paper (ISSP) and a detailed implementation plan for the State-owned Commercial Banks (SOCBs), Development Banks (DBs), Insurance Development and Regulatory Authority (IDRA), Bangladesh Insurance Academy (BIA) and State-owned Insurance Companies (SOICs).

The principal objective of the consulting firm is to review the existing information systems and business processes in all the financial institutions mentioned above. The services include (i) Review the existing Information Systems and produce a high quality Information Technology strategy and a comprehensive systems implementation plan in-line with international best practices; and (ii) Review the business processes of these institutions. The selected consulting firm will play a key role in laying the foundation for stronger governance and accountability of the state-owned banks, while leading to an improvement in their asset quality by modernization and capacity building within an estimated seventy-two (72) staff-months framework.

The potential consulting firm must have (a) proven track record in the assessment and development of a comprehensive IT strategy and systems implementation plan for large banks, (b) Proven experience in implementation of IT systems in commercial banks and insurers including -- core banking, alternate delivery channels, customer help desk systems, trade finance, treasury, policy holder administration, insurance underwriting, asset management etc, (c) Minimum annual turnover of USD 20 million, and (d) Experience in BPR and change management related to IT implementation in large financial institutions. Previous experience of working with public sector banks and insurers will be desirable.

Bangladesh Bank now invites eligible consulting firms to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested firms must provide information that they are qualified to perform the services (documents may include -- description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc). The EOI would be reviewed on the basis of the following:

- Availability of key professionals
- Availability of Resources
- Experience in similar assignments with developing IT strategy
- Experience in developing business strategy for financial institutions
- Support services of the firm.

The consulting firm may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications, 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 it is preferable to limit the total number of firms including their associates to a maximum of four (4).

The attention of interested consultants 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 ("Consultant Guidelines"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

A firm will be selected in accordance with the procedures set put in the World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank borrowers, January 2011 (Revised July 2014).

Interested firms may obtain further information at the address below during office hours.
 Expression of interest must be delivered to the address below by August 25, 2015.

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 Financial Sector Support and Strategic Planning Department

Request for Expression of Interest (ROEI) For

Selection of Individual Consultant: National Environmental Regulations Compliance Specialist (BB-S4)

Background
 This request for expression of interest follows the general procurement notice for this project that appeared in United Nations Development Business No. WB 3146-07/15 of July 09, 2015.

Bangladesh Bank (BB) has undertaken the Financial Sector Support Project (FSSP) with the financial assistance of the World Bank with a view to improving financial market infrastructure, regulatory and oversight capacity of Bangladesh Bank. FSSP also aimed at helping in scaling-up access to affordable long term financing and enhancing markets for long-term debt in order to meet the financing needs of manufacturing industries. The FSSP will support sustainable long term financing to firms in Bangladesh through participating financial institutions (PFIs). Therefore, an Environment & Social Management Framework (ESMF) has been developed to properly assess long term financing and its Environmental & Social (E&S) impacts. BB requires the services of a national individual who will function as the Environmental Regulations Compliance Specialist and support the PFIs, prospective borrowers of long term fund and its relevant stakeholders to meet the standards of ESMF. Now Bangladesh Bank intends to hire a National Environmental Regulations Compliance Specialist who will work as the environmental focal point of the Project Implementation Unit (PIU) and will assist all the related concerns in achieving environmental and social safeguards of the projects.

Specific duties and responsibilities
 The key duties and responsibilities of the Specialist will include:

- Ensure that the project ESMF has been properly followed during implementation of subproject activities.
- Prepare quarterly report on environmental and social assessment, implementation and monitoring of environmental and social management plan.
- Assist in appraising the credit proposal considering the environmental and social impact to ensure all administrative procedures in line with Environmental and Social Management Framework (ESMF) of FSSP.
- On behalf of the PIU, regularly coordinate with the International Firm on Capacity Building in Environmental Compliance.
- Work in collaboration with other firms, engaged individuals in environmental and social impact assessment.
- Facilitate formal training to concerned staff of BB and PFIs to ensure that there is full awareness about E&S issues and the implementation of the ESMF.
- Provide guidance and support to collect sufficient data at the investigation stage to determine the E&S impacts, if any, including whether stand-alone Environmental Assessments (EA) and E&S Management Plans (ESMP) are needed based on the outline provided in the ESMF.
- Review E&S implications of sub-project activities as per the ESMF and help developing mitigation measures.
- Prepare, design and conduct workshops/seminars (at least two in each year) for project staff and other stakeholders to enhance the participation, commitment and perception of the various aspect of the project.

Required Skills and Experience
 The Specialist must possess the following qualifications:

- Having a minimum of Master's Degree in Environmental Engineering/Science/Management or other relevant field.
- Having at least ten (10) years of experience in the relevant field of assignment.
- Having a minimum of five years of work experience in dealing with environmental and social impact of manufacturing industries.
- Having high level of intellectual and professional knowledge and skill: experience may be relaxed in the case of highly qualified person depending on the field of assignment.
- Having updated knowledge of environmental laws and policies of Bangladesh Government and the World Bank.
- Experience in donor funded projects is preferable and
- Additional work experience with national and or international non-governmental organizations will be an added advantage.

Bangladesh Bank now invites eligible individuals to indicate their interest in providing the services. A consultant will be selected in accordance with the method set out in the consultant guidelines in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank's guidelines: Selection and Employment of consultants by World Bank Borrowers, January 2011 (Revised July 2014). Eligible individuals must provide information to substantiate that they are qualified to perform the services. Expression of Interest shall have to be submitted to the address of the undersigned on or before August 26, 2015 via mail or e-mail and be clearly marked "Expression of Interest for National Environmental Regulations Compliance Specialist (BB-S4)." Interested candidates may obtain further information regarding "Terms of Reference" from the website of Bangladesh Bank, www.bb.org.bd or the address below, during working days, from 10am to 05pm.

The attention of interested consultants 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 ("Consultant Guidelines"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

The National Environmental Regulations Compliance Specialist will be hired for 30 months which may be extended at the purchaser's requirement. The Bangladesh Bank authority solely preserves the right to accept or reject any or all the EOIs at any stage of selection process without assigning any reason whatsoever and without incurring any liability to the affected candidate(s).

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