REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST
(Consulting Services – Firm Selection)


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The Government of India has applied for a financing from the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) towards the cost of Enhancement of Intra State Transmission System Project in Assam, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for “Project Management Consulting Services”.

The consulting services (“the Services”) shall broadly include project implementation support to the IA, project supervision, implementation of Environment & Social safeguard framework, review of electrical and civil drawings, supervising contractor(s) works, co-ordination with other government agencies, assist in procurement, quality monitoring, advice in financial matters, capacity building to the AEGCL officers including customized software for project management and monitoring, implement a comprehensive project management plan to ensure the most efficient, timely and economical implementation of each project components.

The Project Director (AIIB), AEGCL, now invites eligible Consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the services for a period of approximately 60 months. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experiences to perform the services. The shortlisting criteria are:

A. The General Experience of the firm.

B. Experience in Project Management and Supervision work in Extra High Voltage transmission engineering including survey, design and supervision of new installations (transmission line systems and AIS & GIS substations from voltage level 132kV - 400KV)

C. Average audited financial turnover (Lead partner in case of Joint Venture) in the last three financial years.
D. The firm should demonstrate that they have the experience to handle similar assignments in Power sector funded by **International Financial Institutions**.

E. Experience in supervising of similar project(s) with conditions like hilly terrain, river crossing, waterlogged and forest areas etc. will be preferred.

**Expression of Interest shall be not be more than 50 pages and must include:**

- Introductory letter on letter head (with complete contact details – name of the contact person, mailing address, telephone, fax, e-mail etc.)
- Organization profile.
- Three years annual report (FY 2017-18 and 2018-19) and 5 years financial statements.
- Short note on the similar projects implemented by the firm pertaining to the short-listing criteria along with the contact details of past clients.

The EoI should contain sufficient supporting documents to substantiate the claim of the consultant towards their qualification as per the short-listing criteria.

The attention of the interested consultant is drawn to paragraph 5.9 of Bank’s Procurement Policy and paragraph 4.4 of INTERIM OPERATIONAL DIRECTIVE on procurement Instruction for Recipients (PIR) setting forth the Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.

Consultant may associate with other firms in the form of joint venture or sub-consultancy to enhance their qualifications. The submission should clearly state the nature of Association (JV or sub-consultant).

A consultant will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the PIR.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours, i.e. 10.00 to 17.30 hours.

Expressions of Interest (EoI) should be submitted either through email or by courier to the Project Director (AIIB), AEGCL, Guwahati, Assam on or before 22.01.2020.

**Sd/-**

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