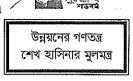
Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Local Government Engineering Department Program for Supporting Rural Bridges (SupRB) Agargaon, Sher-E-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207 www.lged.gov.bd

(CONSULTING SERVICES-FIRMS SELECTION)



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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Country: Bangladesh

Name of Project: Program for Supporting Rural Bridges (SupRB)

Credit No: 6332-BD

Assignment Title: Strengthening Internal Audit at Local Government Engineering Department (LGED)

The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received financing from the World Bank towards the cost of **Program for Supporting Rural Bridges (SupRB)** and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The main objective of the assignment is to analyze the existing internal audit system of LGED with a view to providing necessary recommendations as well as to prepare and execute an action plan to develop the Internal Audit (IA) function in LGED in accordance with Internal Audit Capability Model (IA-CM) in the foreseeable future.

The Consulting services will be commenced on around May 2020 and completed by May 2022. The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be obtained from www.lged.gov.bd or can be obtained at the address of the undersigned.

The Local Government Engineering Department (LGED) now invites eligible consulting firms ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:

- (a) General experience of the Firm(s);
- (b) Experience in similar projects of compatible size, complexity and technical specialty in the required area;
- (c) Financial soundness of the firm; and
- (d) Staffing and logistics of the firm.

Consultants are requested to submit the following supporting documents in support of the above-mentioned criteria:

(a) Registration paper of the firm(s); (b) JV agreement/letter of intent (if applicable); (c) Firm's brochure; (d) Audited financial reports for last three years; (e) service experience record (completed within last 10 years) (including nature, total cost, total input in terms of man month, employer, location of service etc.). Key Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.

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The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of "The World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" July 2016 (Revised November 2017 and August 2018), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications, but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a subconsultancy. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected. It is preferable to limit the maximum number of firms in an association including the Lead Firm within 04 (four).

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

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours. Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail) by 27/02/2020 upto 4:00 PM (Bangladesh Standard Time).

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Copy forwarded for kind information and necessary action:

- 1. Chief Engineer, Local Government Engineering Department, Agargaon, Dhaka.
- 2. Director General, CPTU, IMED, Planning Commission, Agargaon, Sher-E-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka. He is requested to publish the EOI in CPTU website.
- 3. Additional Chief Engineer RIDM/ Maintenance/Planning/Urban Management/ IWRM), LGED, Dhaka.
- 4. Superintending Engineer (ICT), LGED. He is requested to publish the EOI in LGED website.
- 5. Deputy Secretary (Dev.-1), Local Government Division, Dhaka.
- 6. The Manager (Advertisement), The Financial Express/The Dainik Kaler Kantho/Amader Notun Somoy. He is requested to publish the attached EoI once in his daily on or before 09 February, 2020 and submit 05 (five) copies of the same to the PMU, SupRB.
- 7. Mr. / M/S.