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**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST
(CONSULTING SERVICES-FIRMS SELECTION)**

Country: Bangladesh

Name of Project: Second Rural Transport Improvement Project (RTIP-II)-Additional Financing

Credit No: 6327-BD

Assignment Title: Consulting Services for Developing a Web based Rural Bridge Information Management System (RuBIMS) in LGED (AF-S23)

The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of **additional financing** for the **Second Rural Transport Improvement Project (RTIP-II)** and intends to apply part of the proceeds for the above-mentioned consulting services.

The overall objective of the service is to design, develop and implement a comprehensive web based Rural Bridge Information Management System to record inventory and inspection data, store, process and analyze LGED's bridges/culverts along with their health condition. Additionally, a mobile app shall also be developed to eliminate backlog paperwork and enhance productivity through capturing bridges/culverts related survey data accurately, precisely, and in real-time.

The services for development, testing, UAT, pilot data collection and deployment of both the web and mobile version of RuBIMS shall be completed over approximately **eight (8) months**, and software maintenance over a period of **two (2) months** after successful deployment of RuBIMS.

The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be obtained from www.lged.gov.bd or can be obtained at the address given below.

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:

- General experience of the Firm(s), relevance of core business and minimum 5 years in business
- Relevant experience in similar assignments as per the TORs; especially the technical expertise and experience in Design and Development (Implementation) of Management Information Systems are highly required. Successful completion of minimum 2 similar assignments.
- Relevant similar experience in a development partner (DP) funded project.
- Staffing and logistics of the firm as per qualification requirements for key experts in the TORs.

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.); (f) detailed descriptions of all previous similar projects successfully completed, (g) experience summaries of key staff, (h) a description of the consultant's proposed approach for the work, and (i) all other items necessary to substantiate satisfaction of the evaluation criteria listed above and/or included in the TOR. Key Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.

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) ("Procurement Regulations"), 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 sub-consultancy**. 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 will be 04 (four) in an association including the Lead Firm.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Consultants Qualification Selection (CQS) 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 28/09/2021 up to 5:00 PM (Bangladesh Standard Time).

Sd/-

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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 (Implementation/ Maintenance/Planning/Urban Management/ IWRM), LGED, Dhaka.
4. Sr. Transport Specialist & Task Team Leader, South Asia Region, 1818 H St. NW, Washington DC, The World Bank.
5. Superintending Engineer (ICT), LGED. He is requested to publish the EOI in LGED website.
6. Deputy Secretary (Dev.), Local Government Division, Ministry of Local Government, Rural Development & Co-operatives.
7. The Manager (Advertisement),..... /..... He is requested to publish the attached EOI once in his daily on or before 31 August, 2021 and submit 05 (five) copies of the same to the PMU, RTIP-II.
8. Mr. / M/S.