

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

DAM REHABILITATION AND IMPROVEMENT PROJECT PHASE-II (DRIP-II)

Loan No./Credit No./ Grant No.: IBRD-9181-IN & AIIB-L0449A

Assignment Title: Consulting services in Civil, Hydro-Mechanical, Financial, Procurement, Dispute & Settlement, Environment & Social Safeguards and Quality Assurance & Quality Control for supervising and reporting the daily progress of work under Dam Rehabilitation Improvement Project Phase-II&III in Meghalaya Power Generation Corporation Limited, Meghalaya.

Reference No. (as per Procurement Plan): _____

The Meghalaya Power Generation Corporation Limited (MePGCL) *has received* financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the *Dam Rehabilitation and Improvement Project Phase-II (DRIP-II)*, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services (“the Services”) include supervising and reporting the daily progress of works related to Civil, Hydro-Mechanical, Financial, Procurement, Dispute & Settlement, Environment & Social Safeguards and Quality Assurance & Quality Control under DRIP Phase-II&III in Meghalaya Power Generation Corporation Limited, Meghalaya.

The Terms of Reference (TOR) for the primary procurement stage for the assignment *are attached to this request for expressions of interest.*

The Meghalaya Power Generation Corporation Limited (MePGCL) now invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested consulting firms should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:

a) **Initial Criteria for Eligibility:** Consulting firms who fulfill the following requirements shall be eligible for bidding:

- The consulting firms should have satisfactorily completed consultancy services related to Civil, Hydro-mechanical, Financial, Procurement, Dispute & Settlement and Environment & Social Safeguards, Quality Assurance & Quality Control works during the last **three years** ending April, 2024 preceding the EOI
- Three similar works of Consultancy of at least **Rs. 50 lakhs** of each.

OR

- Two similar works of Consultancy at least **Rs. 70 lakhs** each.

OR

- One similar work of Consultancy at least **Rs. 90 lakhs**.

Similar work shall mean

1. Designing, supervising and reporting of Civil works in hydropower projects
2. Designing, supervising and reporting of Hydro-Mechanical work in hydro power projects,
3. Preparation of financial reports and all financial matters related to DRIP as per World Bank regulation.
4. Procurement as per World Bank Regulations
5. Dispute & Settlement as per World Bank regulation.
6. Environment & Social Safeguards as per World Bank Regulations
7. Quality Assurance & Quality Control as per World Bank Regulations

b) **Bidder should not have been debarred/ blacklisted by any Government Departments/Organizations/PSUs till the last date of submission of bids.**

c) The bidder should have an average annual Financial Turnover (Gross) on consultancy works of minimum **Rs 5.00 Cr** during three consecutive years ending April 2024. At the time of submission of bid consultant/ firm must

upload certificate from Chartered Accountant mentioning financial turnover of last 3 years.

d) PAN and GST Registration Certificate.

Key Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.

The shortlist will contain a maximum of 5(five) firms.

The attention of interested Consulting firms is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" November 2020 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Consulting firms may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications, but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture 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.

A Consulting firm will be selected in accordance with the Framework Agreement arrangements described in the Procurement Regulations and to be specifically set out in the Request for Proposals.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours from 1000 to 1700 hours **upto 4th July 2024**

Expressions of Interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by e-mail) by **19th July 2024**.

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