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Bangladesh Modern Food Storage Facilities Project (MFSP) IDA Credit No. 52650-BD

Assignment Title: ICT Consulting Firm(s) for Food Stock and Market Monitoring System

Package No: SD-2

Request for Expression of Interest (EOI) for Consulting Firm(s) (International)

- 1. The Government of Bangladesh has received financing from the International Development Association (IDA) towards the Modern Food Storage Facilities Project (MFSP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments for the consultancy services.
- 2. The Government of Bangladesh intends to hire Project Management Consultant (PMC). The main objectives are:
 - a. Baseline survey of more than 600 offices of DG Food for intranet & internet connectivity,
 - b. Design connectivity,
 - c. Assess requirement of hardware and software,
 - d. Design software requirement specification for Nationwide Online Food Stock Monitoring System
 - e. Preparation of ICB document for the System Integrator firm
 - f. Supervision and Monitoring of the activities of System Integrator firm etc
- 3. The Terms of Reference are available in the website of the project (www.mfsp.gov.bd) and DG Food (www.dgfood.gov.bd), which will provide detailed scope of work and required qualifications and experiences.
- 4. Duration of consultancy: The service is expected to run for 3 years.
- 5. Shortlisting criteria : EOIs would be reviewed on the basis of the following criteria
 - a. Registration details of the applicant
 - b. Availability of key professional staff
 - c. Annual turnover supported by audit report
 - d. Proven track record in design and supervision of implementation of similar complex assignments
 - e. The firm must be CMMI Level III or higher level certified.
- Selection Procedures: The consulting firm will be selected through QUALITY BASED SELECTION (QBS) procedure of World Bank Guidelines for Selection and Employment of Consultants under IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers updated January 2011.
- Last date and time for submission of Expression of Interest (hard copy or soft copy through email) is 10 November 2015 1:00 pm.
- 8. Interested Consultants may obtain further information at the address below during normal office hours or via email to <u>gaziur60@gmail.com</u> or <u>SPS@mfsp.gov.bd</u> or at website www.mfsp.gov.bd .
- 9. The authority reserves the right to accept or reject all EOIs.

(Md Gazi Ur Rahman) Project Director (Joint Secretary) Modern Food Storage Facilities Project 13/10/2015

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- 1. The secretary, Ministry of Food, Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka.
- 2. Director General of Food, Directorate General of Food, Dhaka.
- 3. Patrick Verissimo, Task Team Leader, MFSP, World Bank, Dhaka.