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## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES—FIRMS SELECTION)

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

Assignment Title: Design and Engineering Services for the Renovation (BMRE) of Ashuganj Wheat Silo, Ashugonj, Brahmanbaria. (Firm)

Reference No: SD-41

The Government of Bangladesh has received for 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.

The consulting services ("the Services") include detailed feasibility designs for the proposed storage facilities, the consultant will carry out, but not limited to, the following:

- 1. Detailed and necessary **baseline study** on the present Civil, Mechanical, Electrical and Electronics condition of Ashuganj Wheat Silo, Brahmanbaria, and prepare a Baseline Study report;
- 2. Conduct a thorough study on Ashuganj Wheat silo activities and prepare a **Operations**, **Maintenance** and **Technical Review (OMTR) Report**;
- 3. Specific recommendation for necessary work for Renovation or Upgradation, Balancing, Modernization, Rehabilitation and Expansion (BMRE) to bring Ashuganj silo up-to-date operation for the present time and situation, prepare draft Design and Engineering Report including BOQ and Costs Estimation;
- 4. Preparation of detailed drawings, design, bidding documents, specification, BoQ and cost of Civil, Electrical and Mechanical items and works, **Preparation of Final Design and Engineering Report**;
- 5. Preparation and submission of Development Project Proposal (DPP) following the prescribed format of Planning Commission.

The Directorate General of Food now invites eligible national/international 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 short listing criteria are:

- 1. Registration details of the applicant including certificate of incorporation, memorandum of Association and Article of Association, as appropriate
- 2. General experience of the firm in the relevant field including existing professionals working in the organization.
- 3. Annual turnover of the applicant with audited statement of Comprehensive Income.
- 4. Proven track record of consultancy for Design and Engineering Services for the Renovation of food grain silo.
- 5. Experience of the applicant in similar complex assignments.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of the World Bank's *Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants [under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants] by World Bank Borrowers* [updated January 2011] ("Consultant Guidelines"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub-consultancy to enhance their qualifications but should mention specifically whether the association is in the form of a "joint-venture" or of "sub-consultancy". All members of such an association should have real and well-defined inputs to the assignment, and it is preferable to limit the total number of firms in the association to three.

The consulting firm will be selected through **Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS)** procedure of World Bank Guidelines for Selection and Employment of Consultants under IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers updated January 2011.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours [0900 to 1700 hours]. Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below in person, or by mail or by email to <a href="mailto:gaziur60@gmail.com">gaziur60@gmail.com</a> with a copy to <a href="mailto:SPS@mfsp.gov.bd">SPS@mfsp.gov.bd</a> by 18 June 2019 upto 2PM.

The Terms of Reference (TOR) of the above services are available in the MFSP Website (www.mfsp.gov.bd) or can be obtained upon request either through email to sps@mfsp.gov.bd or in person from the under mentioned office during office hours as mentioned above..

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