

**RESILIENT KERALA DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (RKDP)  
KERALA, INDIA**

**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (REOI)**

**Recruitment of Technical Support Consultants (TSC) to assist Water Resources  
Department, Government of Kerala.**

***NAME OF PROJECT:* Resilient Kerala Development Program**

**Reference No. RKI-2/WRD-TSU/01:**

**Clarifications sought by the bidders: SET- 1**

**Criteria for Shortlisting of the Technical Supervision Consultants(TSC)**

- i. The firm shall be engineering consulting firms with at least 10-15 years' experience in water resource management – primarily establishment and operationalization of River Basin Management Systems in India and at least two basin authorities in countries other than India;
  - ii. Experience in carrying out hydrological studies, design and development of integrated watersheds, implementation of institutional reforms and supervision of multi-sectoral programs in India - a must;
  - iii. Have core international and national staff with at least 5 years' experience in international experience in River Basin Management;
  - iv. Successful completion of consultancy assignments for projects/programs financed by multilateral funding agencies with at least contract not less than Rs. 15 Crs in the past 5 years
  - v. Experience in procurement and financial management and implementation of environment and social sector programs for projects/programs financed by multi-lateral financing institutions - is a must;
  - vi. Extensive experience in development of IT applications and website content is required;
  - vii. Experience in application of latest GIS based mobile applications for program implementation, data collection, processing, monitoring and evaluation – is a must.
  - viii. Availability of appropriate skills among core agency staff
- The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 3.14 of the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers, *Procurement in Investment Project Financing Goods, Works, Non-Consulting and Consulting Services, July 2016*, 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.

- Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services.
- A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.

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