

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Local Government Engineering Department
Program for Supporting Rural Bridges (SupRB)
Agargaon, Sher-E-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207
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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST
(CONSULTING SERVICES-FIRMS SELECTION)

Country: Bangladesh

Name of Project: Program for Supporting Rural Bridges (SupRB)

Credit No: 6332-BD

Assignment Title: Design Consultancy Firm (SD 11)

The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received financing from the World Bank towards the cost of **Program for Supporting Rural Bridges (SupRB)** and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The main objective of the assignment is to provide the Climate-Resilient Detail Engineering Design and prepare Tender Documents for bridges considering appropriate technology, the availability of skilled manpower, construction material, condition of accessibility and other prevailing working conditions.

The Consultants services will be commenced on around September 2019. Duration of assignment will be 48 (forty eight) months. The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be seen and downloaded from www.lged.gov.bd or can be collected from the address given below.

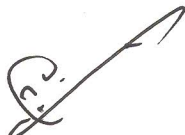
The Local Government Engineering Department (LGED) now invites eligible consulting firms ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:

- (a) General experience of the Firm(s);
- (b) Experience in similar projects of compatible size, complexity and technical specialty in the required area;
- (c) Financial soundness of the firm; and
- (d) Staffing and logistics of the firm.

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 (including nature, total cost, total input in terms of man month, employer, location of service etc.). 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 Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) 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 22/04/2019 upto 4:00 PM (Bangladesh Standard Time).



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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. Superintending Engineer (ICT), LGED. He is requested to publish the EOI in LGED website.
5. Senior Assistant Secretary (Dev.), Local Government Division, Dhaka.
6. The Manager (Advertisement), The Daily Observer / The Daily Jugantar. He is requested to publish the attached EOI once in his daily on or before 21 March, 2019 and submit 05 (five) copies of the same to the PMU, SupRB.
7. Mr. / M/S.