

Government of India
Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship
Directorate General of Training (DGT)
Invites
Expression of Interest

For Hiring of Firm for establishing and providing Project Management Consultants for implementation of upcoming scheme STRIVE “Skills Strengthening for Industrial Value Enhancement” with World Bank assistance.

1. STRIVE (Skills Strengthening for Industrial Value Enhancement) an upcoming scheme of Govt. of India with World Bank assistance is designed as a specific performance-driven project to support various activities of Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) including improved performance of ITIs, support ITIs, Apprenticeship Training, improved teaching and learning.
2. The objective of this consultancy is to provide technical and implementation support and assist MSDE in achieving the predefined result areas.
3. The selected consultant is expected to engage with the National Project Implementation Unit (NPIU) housed with Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE), and co-ordinate with State Project Implementation Units (SPIUs) housed within the Departments of Training and Employment (DTE), within each State and other stakeholders to ensure specific outcomes in agreed areas.
4. The selected consultant, hereafter called the Project Management Consultants (PMC) will provide technical and implementation support and assist the Ministry in achieving the result areas under the project related to ITIs, Apprenticeship Training, Centrally Funded Institutes by focusing on following major key function areas and outputs:
 - a. Technical and Strategy Development
 - b. Procurement
 - c. Financial Management
 - d. Monitoring, Evaluation, and Reporting
5. Ministry now invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in establishing the PMC to support the Ministry.
6. The shortlisting criteria are:
 - a. The firm should be in the business from last 10 years
 - b. The firm must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, experience in similar conditions, general qualifications and experience, number of key staff appropriate for the assignment, Quality accreditation details, financial turnover etc.
 - c. The firm must mention separately the turnover of the firm and turnover from management consulting division only excluding revenues from audit, tax and assurance, engineering / design, IT implementation, outsourcing and other non – management consulting divisions for each of the last three years i.e. 2013-14, 2014-15, 2015-16

- d. The firm should have helped set up program management systems including quality and fiduciary assurance mechanisms to at least 3 projects in the past five years for National / State level government projects, preferably supported by bilateral or multi-lateral agencies.
 - e. The firm should have Office at National Capital Region (NCR)
 - f. The set of the document must not exceed 100 pages
7. The attention of interested Consulting firms 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* (January 2011) ("Consultant Guidelines"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
8. A Consulting firm will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.
9. Further information can be obtained at the address given below during office hours from **10.00 hrs to 17.00 hrs**.
10. Expressions of interest must be delivered in written form (hard copy) to the address given below through registered post /speed post / by Hand within 15 days of release of advertisement (Eol) in newspaper.

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