

Request for Proposal Letter Consulting Services

Name of Assignment: Design and Supervision Consultant (DSC), Ramgram RFP Reference No.: NP-DUDBC-216356-CS-QCBS Credit No.: IDA-6778-NP Country: Nepal Date: 30 January 2020

Dear All,

- 1. The Government of Nepal, Ministry of Urban Development, Department of Urban Development and Building Construction (hereinafter called "Borrower") has received financing from the International Development Association (IDA (the "Bank") in the form of a "credit"] (hereinafter called credit toward the cost of Nepal Urban Governance and Infrastructure Project (NUGIP). Ramgram Municipality, an implementing agency / Client, intends to apply a portion of the proceeds of this credit to eligible payments under the contract for which this Request for Proposals is issued. Payments by the Bank will be made only at the request of the Ramgram Municipality through PCO, NUGIP and upon approval by the Bank, and will be subject, in all respects, to the terms and conditions of the financing¹ agreement. The financing agreement prohibits a withdrawal from the loan/credit account for the purpose of any payment to persons or entities, or for any import of goods, if such payment or import, to the knowledge of the Bank, is prohibited by a decision of the United Nations Security council taken under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations. No party other than the Borrower shall derive any rights from the /financing agreement or have any claims to the proceeds of the loan/credit. For this contract, the Borrower shall process the payments using the Direct Payment disbursement method, as defined in the World Bank's Disbursement Guidelines for Investment Project Financing.
- 2. The Client now invites proposals to provide the following consulting services (hereinafter called "Services"): Design and Supervision Consultant. More details on the Services are provided in the Terms of Reference (Section 7).
- 3. This Request for Proposals (RFP) has been addressed to the following shortlisted Consultants:
 - I. B.N. Consultancy Pvt. Ltd. (BN) Sanepa, Lalitpur, Nepalin JV with Plush Engineers and Architects (P) Ltd. (PEA), Sanepa, Ring Road, Lalitpur
 - II. GOEC Nepal Pvt. Ltd. Buddhanagar, Kathmandu in JV with Cosmopolitan Consultant & Technical Education Center P. Ltd. (C2TECH), Garima International Design Associates Nepal P. Ltd. (GIDAN) and BEAM Consultant P. Ltd. Sanepa, Lalitpur, Nepal

¹["loan agreement" term is used for IBRD loans; "financing agreement" is used for IDA credits; and "grant agreement" is used for Recipient-Executed Trust Funds administered by IBRD or IDA]



- III. BDA Nepal P. Ltd (BDA), Baluwatar, Kathmandu, Nepal in JV with Research Engineers Consultant (RECON), Shantinagar, Kathmandu
- IV. Building Design Authority Pvt. Ltd., Osho Bhawan, Kamladi Kathmandu, Nepal, in JV with Geocom International Pvt. Ltd., Dhobighat, Lalitpur, Nepal.
- V. ITECO Nepal (P) Ltd., New Baneshwor, Kathmandu, Nepal in JV with PEACE Consult Pvt. Ltd, Pulchowk, Lalitpur, Nepal and Galaxy Engineering Trade Link Pvt. Ltd, Bhaktapur, Nepal.
- VI. Full Bright Consultancy Pvt. Ltd. Sinamangal, Kathmandu, Nepal in JV with TAEC Consult P.
 Ltd., Shankhamul, Kathmandu, Nepal and Abhiyantra Consulting Pvt. Ltd. New Baneshwor-34, Kathmandu.
- VII. Environment and Resource Management Consultant ERMC (P) Ltd, New Baneshwor, Kathmandu, Nepal.
- VIII. D.B Multi Engineering Consultant Pvt. Ltd., New Baneshwor, Kathmandu, in JV with Silt Consultants Pvt. Ltd., Ratopul, Kathmandu, Nepal, Udaya Consultancy Pvt. Ltd., New Baneshwor, Kathmandu, Nepal, Ganga Consultancy (P.) Ltd, Birtamode, Jhapa, and Rural Infrastructure Development and Research Consultant Nepal P. Ltd. Lalitpur, Nepal.
- 4. It is not permissible to transfer this RFP to any other firm.
- 5. A firm will be selected under *Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS)* procedures and in a Full Technical Proposal (FTP) format as described in this RFP, in accordance with the Bank's "<u>Procurement</u> Regulations for IPF Borrowers" July 2016 Revised November 2020 ("Procurement Regulations"), which can be found at the following website: www.worldbank.org

The RFP includes the following documents:

Section 1 – Request for Proposals Letter

- Section 2 Instructions to Consultants and Data Sheet
- Section 3 Technical Proposal (FTP) Standard Forms
- Section 4 Financial Proposal Standard Forms
- Section 5 Eligible Countries
- Section 6 Fraud and Corruption
- Section 7 Terms of Reference
- Section 8 Standard Forms of Contract Time-Based

6. Please inform us by 07 February 2022, in writing at Ramgram Municipality, Nepal Urban Governance and Infrastructure Project, Lumbini Province, Nawalparasi West by facsimile (+977-078-520193), or by E-mail *at ict.ramgrammun@gmail.com*:

(a) that you have received this Request for Proposals; and

(b) whether you intend to submit a proposal alone or intend to enhance your experience by requesting permission to associate with other firm(s) (if permissible under Section 2, Instructions to Consultants (ITC), Data Sheet 14.1.1).



- 7. Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful Consultant's beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the Request for Proposals.
- 8. Details on the proposal's submission date, time and address are provided in ITC 17.7 and ITC 17.9.

Yours sincerely,

Chief Administrative Officer

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