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DIRECTORATE GENERAL: DOORDARSHAN
DOORDARSHAN BHAWAN, COPERNICUS MARG,
NEW DELHI - 110001

No. EOI-01/ 2021-22 E1 (P) TV

Date: 08/07/2021

M/s ---**Prospective Bidders**---

Subject: - An invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI) towards Consultancy Service for Providing Detailed Project Report on Establishment of DD International.

Reference: This Directorate Tender Enquiry No. EOI-01/2020-21 E1 (P) TV

Sir,

This is to inform you that the opening date for the subject tender/EoI has been extended due to amendments/clarifications. Now the tender/EoI will be opened on **30.07.2021 at 12:00 Hrs (IST)**. The tender/EoI submission time will be up to **17:00 Hrs (IST) on 29.07.2021**.

This is however without any commitment whatsoever at this stage.

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Yours Sincerely,

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Date: 2021.07.09 10:36:00 IST



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Clarifications/Amendment

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Subject: An invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI) towards Consultancy Service for Providing Detailed Project Report on Establishment of DD International.

Ref: -1. DG: DD Tender No. EOI-01 /2021-22 E1 (P) TV

2. Pre bid Conference held on 29.06.2021 vide VC.

Sir,

References above the following Clarification/Amendment for EOI for An invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI) towards Consultancy Service for Providing Detailed Project Report on Establishment of DD International are hereby authorized.

- i. Clarification/Comments dated 08.07.2021 (Annexure -A)
- ii. Amendment/Modifications dated 08.07.2021 (Annexure -B)

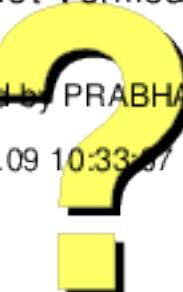
All prospective bidders may submit their offer as per clarification/ amendment as above.

All other terms & conditions of the tender remain unchanged.

Encl.: As above

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Comments on the queries received during pre-bid conference for invitation of EoI towards consultancy services for establishment of DD International.

1- M/s Broadcast Engineering Consultants India Limited			
Section Name / Section Number	Content of EoI requiring Clarification(s)	Points of Clarification	Comments by PB
Eligibility Criteria (3.1)	EOI may be submitted by a registered/incorporated company, firm or consortium. In case of consortium not more than three companies will be allowed and the Lead bidder should be clearly stated in the agreement. The lead bidder will be responsible for the project and must be in existence for at least three years. The lead bidder should fulfil the eligibility criteria of this EOI.	Request you to kindly amend the said clause: EOI may be submitted by a registered/incorporated company, firm or consortium. In case of consortium not more than three companies will be allowed and the Lead bidder should be clearly stated in the agreement. The lead bidder will be responsible for the project and must be in existence for atleast three years. The lead bidder or any consortium partner should fulfil the eligibility criteria of this EOI.	Clause 3.1 amended as 3.1(a) EOI may be submitted by a registered/incorporated company, firm or consortium. In case of consortium not more than three companies will be allowed and the Lead bidder should be clearly stated in the agreement. The lead bidder will be responsible for the project and must be in existence for at least five years. 3.1 (b) In case of bidding by Consortium, the lead bidder or any consortium partner may fulfil the Eligibility criteria as spelt in clause 3 ,however the lead bidder should have professional experience in executing a similar consultancy/advisory project in developing strategy/ operating model for setting up an international broadcast media service encompassing multiple geographies, languages etc.
Eligibility Criteria (3.2)	The Bidder in order to be eligible for providing the aforesaid services, must also have the requisite Experience/ability. The bidder should have professional experience in executing a similar consultancy/advisory project in developing strategy/ operating model for setting up an international broadcast media service including one for public service broadcaster encompassing multiple geo graphies, languages etc.	Request you to kindly amend the said clause: The Lead Bidder/ Consortium partner in order to be eligible for providing the aforesaid services, must also have the requisite Experience/ability. The bidder should have professional experience in executing a similar consultancy/advisory project in developing strategy/ operating model for setting up an international broadcast media service including one for public service broadcaster encompassing multiple geo graphies, languages etc.	Clause 3.2 is amended as 3.2(a) The Bidder in order to be eligible for providing the aforesaid services, must also have the requisite Experience/ability. The bidder should have professional experience in executing a similar consultancy/advisory project in developing strategy/ operating model for setting up an international broadcast media service including one for public service broadcaster encompassing multiple geo graphies, languages etc. 3.2(b) In case of bidding by Consortium, the lead bidder should have professional experience in executing a similar consultancy/advisory project in developing strategy/ operating model for setting up an international broadcast media service encompassing multiple geo graphies, languages etc.

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2. M/s Master Media FZ LLC, Abu Dhabi, UAE			
Section Name / Section Number	Content of EoI requiring Clarification(s)	Points of Clarification	Comments by PB
-3.1	<p>EOI may be submitted by a registered/incorporated company, firm or consortium. In case of consortium not more than three companies will be allowed and the Lead Bidder should be clearly stated in the agreement. The Lead Bidder will be responsible for the project and must be in existence for at least three years. The <u>lead bidder</u> should fulfil the eligibility criteria of the EoI.</p>	<p>Request you to kindly amend the said clause: The Lead Lead Bidder/ Consortium partner in order to be eligible for providing the aforesaid services, must also have the requisite Experience/ability. The reason for the requested change is that since a consortium is being allowed with the intention that a particular consortium member may not fulfil the entire eligibility criteria, hence the entire consortium members together will fulfil the eligibility criteria as stipulated in your EoI.</p> <p>2. When is the RFP expected to be issued after the EoI closing date? and what is the envisaged duration of the RFP process from time of release to submission then award?</p> <p>3. What is the envisaged duration of the consultancy engagement from time of award until providing all the deliverables (DPR and other documentation)?</p> <p>4. Is it expected that the appointed consultants be involved in the implementation of the to-be-proposed strategies and recommendations in the Detailed Project Report?</p> <p>5. How much of the consultancy works are expected to be performed in person in India vs. remotely?</p>	<p>Clause 3.1 is amended as, "3.1(a) EOI may be submitted by a registered/incorporated company, firm or consortium. In case of consortium not more than three companies will be allowed and the Lead bidder should be clearly stated in the agreement. The lead bidder will be responsible for the project and must be in existence for at least five years.</p> <p>3.1 (b) In case of bidding by Consortium, the lead bidder or any consortium partner may fulfil the Eligibility criteria as spelt in clause 3, however the lead bidder should have professional experience in executing a similar consultancy/advisory project in developing strategy/ operating model for setting up an international broadcast media service encompassing multiple geographies, languages etc."</p> <p>2. The EoI must be finalised within one month of closing date, RFP may be issued soon after shortlisting of consultants through EoI. RFP is also targeted to be finalised within two months of issue.</p> <p>3. It should ideally be six months</p> <p>4. Not yet decided</p> <p>5. Not decided , it may be defined in DPR</p>


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3. M/s EY LLP, Media – Consulting practice (Africa, India, Middle East) Gurugram, India -122001			
Section Name / Section Number	Content of EoI requiring Clarification(s)	Points of Clarification	Comments by PB
Scope of work and services		<p>Will the need be to identify which distribution model works best in each geography, or is broadcast sacrosanct for all identified geographies?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Only broadcast – channel / time slot 2. Only digital 3. Broadcast + Digital, etc 	<p>The distribution model in each geography needs to be identified and spelt out in DPR.</p> <p>Broadcast + Digital will be preferred mode</p>
Scope of work and services		<p>Any internal DD expectation of audience spread to be targeted? Is it only Indian diaspora living abroad and, or local nationality is also the target audience</p>	<p>Target Audience in order of preference will be</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The opinion makers 2. Indian diaspora 3. Others including local nationality
Scope of work and services		<p>Is it to be in only English language, or multiple languages is considered? Please provide what other Indian languages and foreign languages are envisaged</p>	<p>English will be preferred language initially; however, DPR should include roadmap for choices of languages as per International Practices.</p>
Scope of work and services		<p>We understand that you planning to setup bureaus across the geography. However, for the production/ post production are you planning to create a centralized shared service based in India or it will be decentralized</p>	<p>Centralized shared service is preferred. However, DPR should include provisions as per International Practices</p>
Scope of work and services		<p>Will the editorial teams (top level) be separate of existing DD News set-up? Or is it to be part of recommendation? This impacts the Int'l journalist that you will target to hire.</p>	<p>There will be dedicated team for DD International</p>

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Scope of work and services		What are specific desired KPIs around: 1. Reach 2. Ratings / time spent / rankings / etc 3. Profitability / budget constraints if any	Desired KPIs will be reached and influence in terms of engagement of target audience.
Scope of work and services		We would need to understand the existing infrastructure that DD has globally, which can be used in the project, or the expectation is to set-up everything new? Please share the details.	There is no such infrastructure which can be used in the present, Everything has to be set up new.
Scope of work and services		We understand that the existing library/archives of content with DD (across languages) can be used for this channel and it's programs. Please confirm.	Existing Library/Archives of content of PB can be used as per requirement
Scope of work and services		How many years should the business plan / projection need to cover? Do we know any benchmark of P&L break-even or returns that Govt/DD usually look at	10 years P&L, break even and returns projections should be at par with international practices for similar channels
Key assumptions		What is the split between news and other genres of programming you envisage in order to meet diverse audience needs. What non-news program genres you planning. Does it has to be sacrosanct irrespective of geography.	Content will be 80% News and News based programme and 20 % Culture and other soft power-based programme. DPR should further be more specific on it based on objectives and target audience.
Submission of EoI		Details of Existing partnerships in relevant geographical regions like South East Asia etc. 1. Please elaborate all the geographical regions 2. Please elaborate what partnerships we referring here. Is it consulting, media tech, implementation, distribution	1. It is a requirement for participant to submit details of existing partnership/contract in relevant geographical regions. South east Asia was written as an example . In whatsoever regions participant have partnership may submit same, no restriction here for any geographical region. 2. Here we are referring to consulting partnerships

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Evaluation criteria	<p>Professional experience – client references of the similar project undertaken.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please clarify what documentation is required. Is the Work order/ engagement letter suffice for this criteria 2. Can we share the in-progress projects too or only completed projects 3. If completed projects, then how much in recent past we should have completed the project (i.e. last 5 years) 4. Can we add international client references too 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Work order/ engagement letter along with performance report is required to be submitted 2. Details of both In progress and completed projects must be given 3. There is no limit of time period for past experience. But it is mandatory that participant is currently in the business. 4. Yes International client reference is the essential requirement
Evaluation criteria	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please share the detailed qualification and experience criteria of the project staff required for the project. 2. Please explain what we mean by no. of staff. Is there a minimum staff count as per you required for the project 	<p>1. It is the evaluation criteria participant are required to submit the details of qualification and experience of the proposed project team. There is no restriction from PB.</p> <p>2. This clause has been amended</p>
General	What is your expected timelines from the consulting company to complete this project?	3-4 months for DPR
General	What is the expected start date of the project?	DPR should bring out the roadmap for implementation. Targeted date for award of RFP is 1st Oct 2021

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4. M/s RITES Ltd., Laxmi Nagar, Delhi			
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Sh. Amit Dev, Andheri (West), Mumbai			
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		"Any Global consultant would be directly qualified to join as Lead-bidder, after fulfilling all Eligibility criteria or Requirement Pattern" or still need two Indian associates, as the Consortium proposal indicates, if the Project owner so indicates, in the formal Reply to this Query forwarded.	Any global consultant who fulfills the eligibility criteria would be directly qualified to participate as a bidder or as a lead bidder in case of bidding through Consortium. There is no need for Indian associates.
M/s Shaf Broadcast Pvt. Ltd. (Sh. M K Ayyappan, Manager)			
Section Name / Section Number	Content of RFP requiring Clarification(s)	Points of Clarification	Comments by PB
		Request for provide VC Link	



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S No	Clause	Existing	Modified
1.	3.1	EOI may be submitted by a registered/incorporated company, firm or consortium. In case of consortium not more than three companies will be allowed and the Lead bidder should be clearly stated in the agreement. The lead bidder will be responsible for the project and must be in existence for at least three years. The lead bidder should fulfil the eligibility criteria of this EOI.	3.1(a) EOI may be submitted by a registered/incorporated company, firm or consortium. In case of consortium not more than three companies will be allowed and the Lead bidder should be clearly stated in the agreement. The lead bidder will be responsible for the project and must be in existence for at least five years. 3.1 (b) In case of bidding by Consortium, the lead bidder or any consortium partner may fulfil the Eligibility criteria, however the lead bidder should have professional experience in executing a similar consultancy/advisory project in developing strategy/ operating model for setting up an international broadcast media service encompassing multiple geographies, languages etc.
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	9.3		RFP evaluation shall be based on Quality cum Cost-Based Selection (QCBS) – Evaluation based on the cost committed by the bidder and the technical qualification of the bidder.

8.3.3 Each proposal will be assessed on the basis of the following criteria

Sl no.	Evaluation Criteria	Sub Criteria	Scoring criteria	Scoring Marks	Max Marks
1	Professional Experience	Client references of the similar projects undertaken by the bidder	1- 5 projects	30	50
			More than 5 projects	20	
		No of years of experience in Consultancy of similar projects	5-10 years	5	10
			More than 10 years	10	
2	Solution Proposed/ Presentation	Solution document/POC with a proper projection of Budgetary cost of Channel, Duration for launch of channel and Case studies	Presentation on POC Case studies Budgetary cost of channel Duration for launch General Profile of Key team members		40

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Amendment-I

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F. No. EOI-01/2021-22 E1 (P) TV

Date: 06/07/2021

M/s**Prospective bidders**.....

Subject: An invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI) towards Consultancy Service for Providing Detailed Project Report on Establishment of DD International Channels.

Ref:- DG: DD Tender No. EOI-01 /2021 -22 E1 (P) TV

Sir,

Reference above, following amendment regarding DSC for an invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI) towards Consultancy Service for Providing Detailed Project Report on Establishment of DD International Channels is hereby authorized:

Amendment-I dated 06.07.2021 (Annexure-C)

All prospective bidders may submit their offer as per amendment as above.

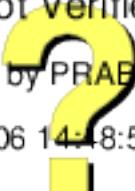
All other terms & conditions of the EoI remain unchanged.

Encl.: As above

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File No. EOI-01/) 2021-22 EI (P) TV

06/07/2021

Subject: - Amendment in respect of GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO CONSUTANTS/APPLICANTS of NIT-02 dated 18.06.2021.

Ref: - DG: DD Tender No. EOI-01/)2021-22 EI (P) TV for An invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI) towards Consultancy Service for Providing Detailed Project Report on Establishment of DD International.

A) GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO CONSUTANTS/APPLICANTS:

Amendment in ITB: A) INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS (ITB):

Clause No.	Existing Entries	Read as
Clause 6	<p>A) GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO CONSUTANTS/APPLICANTS:</p> <p>6. It is mandatory for all the applicants to have Class-III Digital Signature Certificate (in the name of person who will sign the bid document) from any of the licensed Certifying Agency.</p>	<p>A) GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO CONSUTANTS/APPLICANTS:</p> <p>6. a) It is mandatory for all the bidders to have Class-III Digital Signature Certificate, in the name of person who will sign the bid document, With Both DSC Components, i.e. Signing & Encryption from any of the licensed Certifying Agency under CCA, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology Government of India to participate in e-tendering portal of Prasar Bharati. Bidders can see the list of licensed CA's from the link www.cca.gov.in.</p> <p>b) If the Bidder prefers, the service Provider of e-procurement portal, C1 India Pvt. Ltd. may also help in obtaining Class III Digital Signature Certificate (With Both DSC Components, i.e. Signing & Encryption). DSC related queries may be addressed to the Service provider, C1 India Pvt. Ltd, on email, vikas.kumar@c1india.com" or at mobile no. +91-8130 606629. Charges may apply for the same.</p>



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F. No. 19(2)2021-22E1 (P) TV

Date: 18/06/2021

Notice inviting Global e-Tender (Expression of Interest) (NIT-02/2021-22)

Prasar Bharati, Doordarshan invites Expression of Interest (EOI) towards **Consultancy Service for Providing Detailed Project Report on Establishment of DD International** from reputed registered/incorporated companies, Firms or Consortiums dealing with the services.

The interested Consultants, who qualify the criteria mentioned in the EOI document, may submit the response accordingly, The EoI will be opened on 21th July, 2021 at 12:00 Hrs (IST). The detailed EOI document can be viewed /downloaded from website <https://prasarbharati.eproc.in>. It is also available on Prasar Bharati website <http://prasarbharati.gov.in/alltenders.php> or from <https://eprocure.gov.in>.

A Pre-Bid Video Conference is scheduled to be held on **29.06.2021 at 15:00 Hrs (IST)**. Interested prospective bidders/Consultants may send their Name, Firm's name, Contact no., and e-Mail ID along with queries on the EoI, if any, by email to **ddpurchase401@yahoo.co.in** on or before 28.06.2021 up to 17:00 Hrs (IST) so that link for the VC can be sent.

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