

**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST**  
(CONSULTING SERVICES-FIRMS SELECTION)

Country: India

**Name of the Project** : **IRRIGATED AGRICULTURE MODERNISATION (TN IAM) PROJECT ID No.P158522**

**Assignment Title** : **THIRD PARTY TECHNICAL EXAMINATION OF WORKS OF TAMIL NADU IRRIGATED AGRICULTURE MODERNIZATION (TN IAM) PROJECT**

Reference No.: 01/TN IAMP/ CONS / THIRD PARTY / SE(D) /2017-18

The Government of Tamil Nadu through the Government of India has received finance vide loan No.8797-IN from the World Bank towards the cost of the Tamil Nadu Irrigated Agriculture Modernisation Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services are intended :

- To assist the Government of Tamil Nadu in ensuring effectively quality management in the physical works to be undertaken as part of the Project.
- To assess and update the current quality management system and develop new techniques for improved quality management (e.g. Manuals, OK Cards, Formats as per technical and environmental specifications) of physical Investments under TN IAM Project.
- To undertake quality management checking and reporting (including improvement of an online quality information system) for these investments for a period of 7 Years.
- To Train TN IAM Project staff on effective quality management aspects

The scope of consulting services include:

- Quality management on all key aspects of civil works (including aspects of engineering, construction supervision, quality of materials and works, related environmental and social aspects, etc.) related to the modernization of tanks and anicuts and improving supply channels, construction of artificial recharge well structures, rehabilitation of dilapidated structures, strengthening the tank bunds, repair /renewal of sluices or shutters, desilting, dewelding, etc.
- Establishing quality standards and development of manuals/guidelines through training for quality management and maintenance.
- Technical adequacy of construction material quality/mix, storage, handling, use; and review of test results/certificates of such material
- Adequacy of safety and labour related measures related to construction.
- Safe disposal of earth, debris, weeds, etc in line with the environmental safeguards prescribed.
- Turfing of embankments and other relevant areas for erosion protection.
- Monitoring and Reporting on signing and operationalisation of MOUs signed with WUAs, as required.
- Acceptable quarry and borrow area identification and rehabilitation.

- Technically sound layout and construction as per approved designs, drawings, technical specifications and other stipulations contained in the Contract Documents  
Accountability of quality supervision.
- Prompt Reporting of substandard works and/or construction materials
- Updating and improving the Manuals already available and Preparation of development of forms and OK cards for quality control and convey his opinion on progress & completion to the Regional Chief Engineer.
- Assessing and Reporting on compliance with the applicable environmental and social mitigation measures, in accordance with the agreed Environmental and Social Assessment Framework and the Social and Environmental Management Plan (SEMP) for the TN IAMP.
- Ensuring proper rehabilitation of the construction site in general and the Borrow areas in particular in compliance of the prescribed environmental safeguards.

The draft Terms of Reference (ToR) for this assignment can be found at

**1) [www.iamwarm.gov.in](http://www.iamwarm.gov.in) 2) [www.tnwrdd.gov.in](http://www.tnwrdd.gov.in) 3) [www.tenders.tn.gov.in](http://www.tenders.tn.gov.in)**

Superintending Engineer, PWD , WRD, Designs Circle ,Chennai-600 005 on behalf of GoTN, 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 short-listing criteria are:

- a) Experience of the firm in major similar type of assignments relevant to this consultancy, especially in externally aided projects, in India and other developing countries completed or in progress in past 10 years.
- b) Availability of appropriate qualifications, expertise and skills among key personnel, team composition etc.
- c) Firm expressing interest should have an average annual turnover of INR 10 Crore or more in any one of the financial year of last five financial years. The firm shall submit audited balance sheet for the same.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 3.14 of the World Bank's Procurement Regulation for IPF Borrowers, July 2016 issued by World Bank, 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.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the QCBS method set out in the World Bank's Procurement Regulation for IPF Borrowers, July 2016 issued by World Bank.

Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below (in person or by e-mail) **by 27.06.2018 till 17.45 Hrs**

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