Government of Nepal
Water and Energy Commission Secretariat (WECS)
Singha Durbar, Kathmandu, Nepal

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

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COUNTRY: NEPAL

Project Name: Preparation of River Basin Plans and Hydropower Development Master Plans

Source Projects:

i) Irrigation and Water Resources Management Project (IWRMP)
ii) Power Sector Reform and Sustainable Hydropower Development Project (PSRSHPD)

Loan No./Credit No./Grant No.: Credit No: 4515-NSP; H 902-NSP for IWRMP, and Grant No: TFO18570-NSP for PSRSHPD

Name of the Assignment: Preparation of River Basin Plans and Hydropower Development Master Plans and Strategic Environmental and Social Assessment

Reference No: IWRMP & PSRSHPD/WECS/S/QCBS-1

1. It is notified that with reference to the notice published in The Kathmandu Post newspaper on March 31, 2016 regarding "Request for Expression of Interest (EOI)" for the consulting service on "Preparation of River Basin Plans and Hydropower Development Master Plans and Strategic Environmental and Social Assessment", the following consulting firms are shortlisted.

Shortlisted EOI applicants:

i. Lahmeyer International GmbH (LI) (Germany) in JV with Changjiang Institute of Survey, Planning Design and Research (CISPDR) (China) with sub-consultant Tota Management Services (TMS) Pvt. Ltd. (Nepal).

ii. EPTISA Servicios de Ingenieria S.L. (Spain) in JV with DOLSAR Engineering Inc. (Turkey), and SAEFEGE Ingenieurs Conseils (France) with sub-consultants Silt Consultants Private Limited (Nepal), Total Management Services (TMS) Pvt. Ltd. (Nepal) and Tech Studio of Engineering (TSE) (Nepal)

iii. Mott MacDonald Ltd. (UK) in JV with DHI (Denmark) and International Centre for Environmental Management (ICEM) (Australia) and Euroconsult Mott MacDonald bv (the Netherlands) with sub-consultants CMS Engineering Consult (Pvt) Ltd. (Nepal) and Total Management Services Pvt. Ltd. (TMS) (Nepal)

iv. JV of ELC Electroconsult S.p.a. (Italy), HYDRODATA S.p.a. (Italy) and NEWIEC Inc (Japan)

v. JV of Korea Water Resources Corporation (K-Water) (Korea) and Korea Engineering Consulting Corp. (KECC) (Korea) and WAPCOS Limited (India) with sub-consultant Total Management Services (TMS) Pvt. Ltd. (Nepal)

vi. JV between ISC Institute Hydroproject (Russia) and Sanino Hydro and Engineering (P) Ltd. (Nepal)

2. The shortlisted consulting firms are requested to collect the Request for Proposal (RFP) documents at the address below during office hours (10:00 am to 17:00 pm).

3. The completed RFP documents shall be submitted to the address mentioned below on or before 13:00 (NST-Nepal Standard Time) of the 45th day of first publication of this notice.

4. If the deadline specified herein falls on a government holiday, the deadline shall be extended automatically to the next working day at the same hour.

5. Only completed RFP documents received after the due date & time, shall be considered late, summarily rejected and returned un-opened.

6. The completed RFP documents received by the due date and within the specified time shall be opened at 14:00 (NST) on the 45th day of first date of publication of this notice in the presence of the applicants or their authorized representatives who wish to attend. Absence of the applicants or their authorized representatives, however, shall not obstruct or prevent the opening of the RFP in any way.

7. The RFP documents received from the consultants will be evaluated on the basis of the approved evaluation criteria. The Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) procedure will be used for final selection of the consulting firm.

8. Further information on this RFP can be obtained from the address of WECS given below during office hours in all working days prior to the deadline of submission of RFP.

9. WECS reserves the right to accept or reject any or all RFP documents, or to cancel the entire proceeding without giving any reasons whatsoever.

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