

**Request for Expression of interest
(Consulting Services-FIRMS Selection)**

[COUNTRY]	INDIA
[NAME OF PROJECT]	DEDICATED FREIGHT CORRIDOR
Loan No./Credit No./Grant No.:	IN-8513
Assignment Title:	Consultancy Services for setting up and operationalizing Heavy Haul Research Institute (HHRI) under aegis of DFCCIL

Reference No. :2019/HQ/EN/P/WC/HHRI/GC dated-22-06-2019

1. Dedicated Freight Corridor of India Limited (DFCCIL) has received a Loan No. – IN-8513 of US\$ 650 Million from the World Bank towards the cost of Eastern DFC Project-III and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan for engaging a Consultant for providing Consultancy Services for setting up and operationalizing Heavy Haul Research Institute (HHRI) under aegis of DFCCIL.
2. The Consultancy Services include establishing Research Agenda & Plan for HHRI, providing support in appointment of CEO & theme heads, assessment & Procurement of equipment, software & related Infrastructure, Monitoring of implementation, submission of validation Report for issuance of Completion / Taking over Certificate, preparing the Data collection Road Map for HHRI & setting up of a Data center and support DFCCIL in twinning arrangement with Global Institutes of repute.
3. The Dedicated Freight Corporation of India Limited (DFCCIL) now invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultant”) to indicate their interest in providing the aforesaid consultancy Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting will be based on experience of the Company in similar assignments covering components of the Assignments during last seven years and details included in Annexure-I to prove their ability to perform the services in this assignment. Information to be provided by the Consultant are included in Annexure-I
4. The attention of interested Consultants 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- revised July 2014, setting forth the World Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.
5. Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture/Consortium/Association or a sub consultancy to enhance their qualifications.
6. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the QCBS procedure set out in the World Bank Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants [under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants] by World Bank Borrowers January, 2011- revised July 2014 (Consultants Guidelines)
7. Further information can be obtained at the below mentioned address during 1000hrs to 1700hrs on any working Day.

Praveen Kumar-GGM/P/WC
Room no-505, DFCCIL Corporate Office
Pragati Maidan Metro Station building
New Delhi-110001
E Mail ID praveenkumar@dfcc.co.in
Cell no-9717636922
Fax no- 011-23454701

8. Expression of interest must be delivered in a written form, in Hard & soft copy, to the above mentioned address; by 1500 hrs on 26-07-2019.

Annexure-1

Information to be submitted along with Expression of interest

1. Company Brochures
2. Profile of the Company (please provide not more than two page note including year of establishment, type of business of the company, experience of consultancy works etc.)
3. Annual Turnover of the Company for consultancy services for last five Years
4. Description/Details of similar assignments' carried out during last seven years- following details, for each assignment, must be provided.;
 - a. Name of work
 - b. Name of Client
 - c. Country (Where Work is executed)
 - d. Type of Bidding-
 - e. Award Date & Contract Agreement number & date
 - f. Contract Value/Consultancy Cost-
 - g. If executed in JV, % Participation
 - h. Country (where work is executed)
 - i. Brief description of scope of assignments
 - j. Components of assignment
 - k. Completion Date (if not completed, percentage of work completed so far and likely date of completion)
 - l. Type of professionals/experts deployed
 - m. No. of man months
 - n. Funding of the Project – Government, Multilateral/ Bilateral (Name of Funding agency to be indicated), any other source (details is to be provided)
5. Details of staff available with the company on its Permanent roll for similar assignments
6. Any other information applicant may like to submit to indicate that they are qualified to perform the services.

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1. Similar Assignment means Consultancy Services towards Technical Assistance / Project support in establishing Railway Heavy Haul or similar Research Institute or similar Transportation related Research activity. Components of assignments should be indicated as: Establishing Heavy Haul research program, Capacity building and technical assistance in Rail Research or similar research related with other Transportation infrastructure, Monitoring, reviewing or implementation of Technical Assistance of Technologies Research.

