



**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST
(CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION)**

COUNTRY: INDIA
NAME OF PROJECT: Eastern Dedicated Freight Corridor Project-2
Assignment Title: Project Management Consultancy Services for Mughalsarai - New Bhaupur Section of Eastern Dedicated Freight Corridor.
Reference No.: Project ID: P131765

Government of India has applied for financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Eastern dedicated Freight Corridor Project-2, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for **Project Management Consulting services** for construction of Double line Electrified (2X25 KV) Railway Track complete with Signaling & Telecommunication system and related infrastructure for Mughalsarai – New Bhaupur section (Approx. 402 Route Kms) of Eastern Dedicated Freight corridor Project-2.

The Project Management Consulting services (“the Services”) include review of designs, drawings and specifications prepared by the civil, structures, track, electrical, signal and telecom work contractors, superintendence of the contractors’ performance under the contracts, progress monitoring, technical and quality control, evaluation of construction, certification and completion of works by the contractors, implementation of safety, environment and other special plans, duties related to taking over and the defect liability period.

The Dedicated Freight Corridor Corporation of India Ltd. 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 included in **Annexure**.

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 dated January 2011 (“Consultant Guidelines”), 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 Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants [under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants] by World Bank Borrowers dated January 2011 (“Consultant Guidelines”).

Further information can be obtained at the address below during 10:00 to 17:00 hours.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by fax, or by e-mail) by 15:00 hours on **15.11.2013**.

Dedicated Freight Corridor Corporation of India Ltd.

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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 Company for Consultancy Services for Last Five Financial Years
- 4 Description/ Details of similar assignments¹ carried out during last seven years for Freight and Passenger Railway Lines². Following details for each assignment³ must be provided:
 - a) Name of Work
 - b) Name of Client
 - c) Country (where work is executed)
 - d) Track Length of Railway Line
 - e) Brief description of scope of assignment⁴
 - f) Components of assignment
 - g) Type of Bidding - BOQ, Design- Build Lump Sum, EPC, any other form of bidding (please indicate)
 - h) Award Date
 - i) Completion Date (if not completed, percentage of work completed so far and likely date of completion)
 - j) No. of man months
 - k) Consultancy Cost
 - l) If executed in JV, % participation
 - m) Funding of the Project - Government, Multilateral / Bilateral (Name of Funding agency to be indicated), any other source (details to be provided)
5. Details of Staff available with the company on its permanent roll for similar assignments (*similar assignments explained in foot note 1*) (There is no need to provide CV of staff at this stage)
6. Any other information applicant may like to indicate that they are qualified to perform the services.

¹ Similar assignments mean the Project Management Consultancy assignments pertaining to construction of formation, Bridge Works, Railway Track Works, 25 KV/ 2X 25 KV Railway Electrification Work, Railway Signaling and Telecommunication System for Freight / Passenger Railway lines

² For the purpose of brevity of information, the consultancy work pertaining to Railway lines of more than 50 Track Km should only be included.

³ Only those assignments should be included, which have been carried out by the applicant. The assignments carried out by parents/sister companies should not be included.

⁴ Components of assignment should be indicated as:

Project Management Consultancy for Construction/Commissioning of a) railway formation b) railway bridges & Flyovers c) railway track d) traction power supply system, e) electrical OHE, f) SCADA, g) railway signaling h) communication system.