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Selection of Consultants for Project Monitoring and Evaluation Intelligent Transport System (ITS) Request for Expression of Interest

EOI Ref: KSRTC/ITS/Mysore/003/2011 dt: Feb 14, 2011

Due by: 3:00 PM on March 10, 2011

Country: INDIA

Project ID: P100589

Name of the Project: GEF-SUTP: Providing Project Monitoring and Evaluation Services for Intelligent Transport System [ITS] for Karnataka State Road Transport Corporation [KSRTC], Mysore

GEF Grant No. TF095549 - IN

1. This Request for Expression of Interest follows the general procurement notice for this project that appeared in *Development Business* issue on 01-10-2008.
2. The Government of India has received a grant from the Global Environment Fund (GEF)/ International Bank for Reconstruction and Development and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this grant to payments under the contract for Providing Project Monitoring and Evaluation Services for Intelligent Transport System (ITS) for Karnataka State Road Transport Corporation(KSRTC), Mysore.
3. KSRTC intends to deploy Intelligent Transport System at Mysore to provide real-time bus-travel information to commuters, management and the operating staff. This project is planned to cover 500 Buses, 105 Bus Stops and 6 Bus Terminals and 45 Platforms.

The core components of the ITS will be Automatic Vehicle Location Information System (AVL-IS), Passenger Information System (PIS), covering Information Display signages: in-vehicle, at bus stops and bus stations, and Central Control Station (CCS) application and services including GIS, riding on wireless networks and being fully web-enabled. The overall scope of the ITS implementation will consist of design, development, testing, installation, commissioning, training, operations, and management of facilities of ITS in a period of three years including implementation, operation and exit.

KSRTC seeks to hire Consultants for Project Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) to track the impact of the project before, during and after through various performance indicators; assess the impact of the project by tracking if the objectives of schedule adherence, cost reduction, efficiency and customer satisfaction are achieved and track the outcome and intermediate outcome indicators.

The duration of the project monitoring and evaluation consultancy is expected to be 48 months from the date of award of the contract.

4. KSRTC now invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing the services for Monitoring and Evaluating the Intelligent Transport System (ITS) implementation at Mysore. Interested Consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff etc). Consultants may associate to enhance their qualification. [The "Association" may take the form of a joint venture (with joint and several liability) or of a sub-consultancy].
5. The consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by bank borrowers-May 2004 Revised October 2006.
6. Interested Consultants may obtain further information at the address given below

Name of officer : R. Nagaraja Rao

Name of office : Controller of Stores and Purchases

Postal address : KSRTC, Transport House, K.H.Road, Bangalore - 560027, Karnataka, India

Telephone number : 91-80-22221321

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During office hours: 1000 Hours to 1730 Hours on all working days from Monday to Friday and 1000 Hours to 1330 Hours on Saturdays except on Sundays and Government Holidays.

Expression of Interest superscripted with the title "EOI for Project Monitoring and Evaluation Consultancy - ITS for KSRTC at Mysore" must be delivered to the address indicated above not later than 1500 hrs on March 10, 2011.

Sd/- CONTROLLER OF STORES AND PURCHASES (Tender Inviting Authority)