

**Proceedings of the pre-proposal conference on RFP for ‘Selection of consultants for preparation of DPR to restore the Tungabhadra Dam to its original capacity / utilisation by studying various alternatives’ held on 17/11/2015 at the Registered Office, KNNL, Bengaluru.**

The officers / officials and consultants / representatives present in the meeting is enclosed at **ANNEXURE-I**.

Global tenders inviting Expression of Interest (EOI) were called by KNNL on 25/10/2014 for the work of engaging consultancy services for preparation of DPR to restore the Tungabhadra Dam to its original capacity / utilisation by studying various alternatives, fixing the last date as 30/11/2014 which was further extended to 31.12.2014. Further modifications have been made in the pre-qualification conditions and uploaded in both the web sites for the information of all the bidders.

2 In response to the above, 7 consultants submitted their EOI and out of them 5 consultancy firms have been shortlisted for further process of tender. The Draft Request For Proposals (RFP) has been deliberated in the 14<sup>th</sup> meeting of Tender Scrutiny Committee, KNNL held on 19/5/2015 and Committee has accorded approval for taking up the further process of issue of RFP documents to the shortlisted consultants.

3 The RFP document is uploaded in KNNL & WRD websites ([www.knnlindia.com](http://www.knnlindia.com), <http://waterresources.kar.nic.in>) and also communicated to the shortlisted consultants through e-mail. As per the RFP document and the corrigendum dated 9/11/2015 a pre-proposal conference was held on 17/11/2015 at 11.00 AM in the Registered Office, KNNL, Bengaluru to clarify / consider the queries / suggestions of the consultants. The queries of bidders and clarifications given are as follows:

**1) M/s. ARVEE Associates Architects, Engineers & Consultants Pvt. Ltd, Hyderabad:**

S. No	As per RFP	Reference	Suggestion / Query	Clarifications
1.1	Key Professional Requirement	Page no.16 Clause 5.2	The Key qualification requirement for Key Professional 1-3 is stated as “Post graduation and above with an Experience of ten years and above in international/national projects of similar nature” and 4-10 is stated as “Under graduation and above with an Experience of five years and above in international/national projects of similar nature”. Since all the experts are not of similar nature, please specify the appropriate field in which their desired qualification and experience are required.	As per RFP



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1.2	Domain Expert	Page no.16 Clause 5.2	Please specify the field in which Domain expert should have done a Post -graduation and also mention the type of experience required.	Consultant has to decide the expertise of domain expert as required for the scope of work. Domain expert should be expertise in hydrology/water resources.
1.3	LIDAR Expert	Page no.16 Clause 5.2	Please specify the field in which LIDAR expert should have done a Post Graduation and also mention the type of experience.	Consultant has to decide the expertise as per the scope of work. LIDAR expert should be expert in GIS/Remote sensing
1.4	Hydrology, Water resources Expert	Page no.16 Clause 5.2	From the scope of work & Terms of Reference, we understand that the Position of Hydrology (Water Resources) Expert would be of Hydrological Modeller. Kindly clarify and also give the experience requirement and his scope of work.	Consultant has to decide the expertise as per the scope of work. Experience requirement has already been clearly mentioned in the remarks column under 5.2
1.5	Land Acquisition, Valuation Techno Legal Expert dealing with interstate river disputes	Page no.16 Clause 5.2	This position seems to be clubbed by two different experts. Land Acquisition Expert is a Social Expert by qualification and experiences whereas Valuation Techno Legal Expert will be having experience in Legal activities. It is difficult to find a person with such combined experiences and qualification covering disputes these two positions. Please specify exact requirement for the position or include two positions for these two experts.	Consultant has to decide the expertise as required for the scope of work. Land acquisition expert need not be a socio economist and should be familiar with the State statutory requirements and GoI guidelines.
1.6	Roles and Responsibilities of Key Personnel	General	Please describe the Roles & Responsibilities of Key Personnel so that the Consultant can propose most suitable professionals with respect to their responsibilities.	Roles & responsibilities have already been included in the RFP document.
1.7	Hydrographic survey	General	Please clarify if the detailed Hydrographic survey has to be performed for the Reservoir area.	Report of hydrographic survey conducted during 2008/ latest data will be made available by the Dept. There is no need for fresh hydrographic survey.
1.8	Terms of payment	General	Please facilitate a 10% of payment towards mobilization advance, which is required to mobilize the team and quick start of work.	No mobilisation advance is admissible. Refer Annexure-II for the terms of payment.
1.9	Man-months requirement of Key Personnel	General	Please specify the number of minimum man-months required for the Key Personnel. This will help the consultants to prepare the Price Bid on a common platform.	This is at the discretion of Consultant and the consultant has to assess based on the scope of work.
1.10	Support staff	General	Please specify the support staff to be proposed for this assignment and their minimum man-months required. This will help the consultants to quote the price bid on a common platform.	This is at the discretion of Consultant and the consultant has to assess based on the scope of work.
1.11	Project Cost	General	Please mention the estimated cost of project to understand the project size.	Client has to arrive at the estimated cost of the project by studying the various alternatives as per scope of work.
1.12	Proposals must be submitted not later than 9/12/2015	Page no.12 Clause 4.2	In view of the above clarifications required and documentation involved in submitting a most competitive proposal, kindly provide 3 weeks time from the date of issue of pre-bid clarifications, for the proposal submission.	Agreeing with the suggestion / request of consultant, the date of submission of filled in RFP documents is extended to 22/12/2015.
1.13	All the remote sensing data shall be obtained	Page No.60	The data may be supplied by Department, as they may not entertain private parties	If satellite data is required, necessary letter for acquiring satellite data from NRSA,

