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EXPRESSION OF INTEREST DOCUMENT

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Expression of Interest (2nd call)

**For
Empanelment of Reputed Agencies/ Consultants for
Preparation of Designs & Drawings of Power House
component Pertaining to Sitamma Sagar Multi-
Purpose Project Telangana.**

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PART I: REOI PROCESS

SECTION I: EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) DOCUMENT

1. EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

Chief Engineer, Irrigation, Kothagudem, Irrigation and CAD Department (Govt. of Telangana) on behalf of **Engineer in Chief (General)** invites Expression of Interest (hereinafter referred as the 'EOIs') for **Empanelment of Reputed Agencies for preparation of Designs & Drawings of Power House component Pertaining to Sitamma Sagar Multi-Purpose Project Telangana** for 282.8 MW as approved by the Central Electricity Authority, New Delhi from the eligible and qualified Consultants for short listing for the delivery of Consultancy Services as described in 'Part II: Schedule of Requirements – Section IV: Terms of Reference (TOR)' (hereinafter referred to as 'the Services'). Interested Consultants should provide sufficient and relevant information demonstrating that they meet the specified eligibility criteria and have the required qualifications to perform the Services. This Request for Expression of Interest Document, reference number, **EOI/I&CADD/CE/KTGM/SSMPP/1/2025-26** (hereinafter referred to as 'The EOI Document'), details the process of such short listing. **As part of this procurement process, a Request for Proposals (RFP) for selecting Consultants shall be subsequently issued to only such shortlisted Consultants.**

2. INSTRUCTIONS FOR EOI DOCUMENT

2.1. Governing Language and Law

- 1) The EOI submitted by the Consultant and all subsequent correspondence and documents relating to the EOI exchanged between the Consultant and the Entity shall be written in Indian English language specified in Section II: Appendix. However, the language of any printed literature furnished by a Consultant in connection with its EOI may be written in any other language provided a certified translation accompanies the same in the EOI language i.e. in English. For purposes of interpretation of the EOI, translation in the language of the EOI shall prevail.
- 2) The REOI process shall be interpreted under the laws of the Union of India. It shall be subjected to the exclusive jurisdiction of **City Civil Court, Hyderabad.**

2.2. Acronyms

The following Acronyms have been used in this REOI Document:

AEOI	Appendix to Expression of Interest (EOI Document)	RFP	Request for Proposals
EOI	Expression of Interest	REOI	Request for Expression of Interest
DPIIT	Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade	TIA	Tender Inviting Authority
JV/C	Joint Venture/Consortium	TOR	Terms of Reference
ENC(G), GoT	Engineer in Chief (General), Government of Telangana	I&CAD DEPT	Irrigation and Command Area Development Department
CE, KTGM	Chief Engineer, Irrigation, Kothagudem	SE, BCM	Superintending Engineer, Irrigation Circle, Bhadrachalam

2.3. The Contents of the EOI Document

This REOI document provides the relevant information and instructions to assist the prospective Consultants in preparing and submitting EOIs. It also includes the mode and procedure for receipt/ opening, evaluation of EOIs, and short listing of consultants. The **CE, KTGM, I&CAD DEPT** is the designated officer for uploading and clarifying this EOI Document. The following are parts of the EOI Document and are detailed in Section II; Appendix.

Part I: REOI Process

- 1) Section I: Request for Expression of Interest (REOI)
- 2) Section II: Appendix
- 3) Section III: Qualification Criteria

Part II: Schedule of Requirements

- 1) Section IV: Terms of Reference (TOR)

Part III: EOI Submission Formats

- 1) Form 1: EOI Form (Covering Letter)
 - a) Form 1.1 Consultant Information
 - b) Form 1.2 Eligibility Declarations
- 2) Form 2: Qualification Criteria – Compliance
 - a) Form 2.1: Performance Capability Statement
 - b) Form 2.2: Financial Capability Statement
 - (i) Form 2.2.1: Financial Statement
 - (ii) Form 2.2.2: Average Annual Turnover
- 3) Form 3: Checklist for Consultants
- 4) Other Formats: Format 1: Authorization to Attend Pre-EOI Conference

2.3.1. Section II: Appendix to the EOI Document (AEOI)

Variable parameters and information related to this specific REOI process are summarized in the Appendix of this EOI Document.

2.3.2. Section III: Qualification Criteria

This section lays down the Qualifying Criteria for short listing consultants. The Consultants must have requisite experience with assignments similar in nature in general and specific sectors relevant to the subject assignment. It may indicate the extent of dispensation, if any, allowed for Start-ups under Clause 5.1 below. Unless otherwise stated in Section II: Appendix, Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture/ consortium (JV/C) and/or a sub-consultancy. In response to this section, Consultant must submit Form 2: Qualification Criteria – Compliance and its sub-forms 2.1, 2.2, 2.2.1 and 2.2.2.

2.3.3. Section IV: Terms of Reference (TOR)

Part II – Section IV: Terms of Reference’ describes the background, purpose/ objectives, description/ scope, deliverables/ outcomes, and timelines of Consultancy Services (hereinafter called the ‘Services’) required. The ‘Services’ may include incidental Goods, Works, and other Services, if so, indicated therein. Any generic reference to ‘Services’ shall be deemed to include such incidental Goods, Works, and other Services.

2.3.4. EOI Formats for Submission (To be filled, signed, and submitted by Consultants)

The Consultant must fill and submit EOI for “**Empanelment of Reputed Agencies for preparation of Designs & Drawings of Power House component Pertaining to Sitamma Sagar Multi-Purpose Project Telangana**” in the given Formats physically in the designated address mentioned within stipulated date and time.

2.4. Corrigendum/Addendum to REOI Document

- 1) Before the deadline for submitting EOIs, the Procuring Entity may update, amend, modify, or supplement the information, assessment or assumptions contained in the REOI Document by issuing corrigenda and addenda. The corrigenda and addenda shall be published in the same manner as the original REOI Document. Without any liability or obligation, the Portal may send intimation of such corrigenda/ addenda to consultants who have downloaded the document under their login. However, the consultants must check the website(s) for any corrigenda/ addenda. Any corrigendum or addendum thus issued shall be considered a part of the REOI Document.
- 2) If considered necessary, the Procuring Entity may suitably extend the EOI submission deadline to give reasonable time to the prospective Consultants to take such corrigendum/ addendum into account in preparing their EOI. After the Procuring Entity makes such modifications, any Consultant who has submitted his EOI shall have the opportunity to either withdraw his EOI or re- submit his EOI superseding the original EOI within the extended time of submission as per Clause 8.3 below.
- 3) The Procuring Entity may extend the deadline for the EOI submission by issuing an amendment. In such a case, all rights and obligations of the Procuring Entity and the consultants previously subject to the original deadline shall then be subject to the new deadline for the EOI submission.

3. PROCURING ENTITY – RIGHT TO REJECT ANY OR ALL EOIs

The issue of the EOI Document does not imply that **CE, KTGM, I&CAD Dept, GOT** is bound to shortlist Consultants. **CE, KTGM, I&CAD DEPT, GOT** reserves its right to accept or reject any or all EOIs, abandon/ bypass/ cancel the EOI process, and issue another EOI for the same or similar Services before or after short listing Consultants. It would have no liability to the affected Consultant or Consultants or any obligation to inform the affected Consultant or Consultants of the grounds for such action(s).

4. PARTICIPATION IN REOI – ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

4.1. Eligibility Criteria

Subject to other provisions in the EOI Document, participation in this short-listing process is open to all Consultants who fulfill the 'Eligibility' and 'Qualification' criteria. Consultants should meet the following eligibility criteria as of the date of their EOI submission and should continue to meet these until the subsequent RFP process and contract award. Consultants shall be required to demonstrate fulfillment of the Eligibility Criteria in Form 1.2 (Eligibility Declarations). Consultant unless otherwise stipulated in Section II: Appendix:

1) must be:

- a) A private entity (a Consulting Company/ LLP /Partnership firm/ Society registered under an applicable Act in India), a public Entity (Government-owned enterprise or institution), or unless otherwise stipulated in Section II: Appendix - Joint Venture/ Consortium (an association of several persons, firms, or companies - hereinafter referred to as JV/C). However, the experience of the entity in foreign countries shall also be considered while evaluating the bids.
- b) A Consultancy Services provider with valid registration regarding GSTIN, PAN, EPF, ESI, Labour, or equivalent registration certificate issued by the concerned authority/government as applicable to the subject Consultancy Services.

2) must:

- a) Not be insolvent, in receivership, bankrupt or being wound up, not have its affairs administered by a court or a judicial officer, not have its business activities suspended and must not be the subject of legal proceedings for any of aforesaid reasons.
- b) (Including their affiliates or subsidiaries or consultants/ subconsultants for any part of the contract):
 - i) Not stand declared ineligible/ blacklisted/ banned/ debarred by the Procuring Organization or its Ministry/Department/ State Governments from participation in its procurement processes; and/ or
 - ii) Not be convicted (within three years preceding the last date of EOI submission) or stand declared ineligible/ suspended/ blacklisted/ banned/ debarred by appropriate agencies of the Government of India/ State Governments from participation in procurement processes of all its entities, for:
 - Offences involving moral turpitude in business dealings under the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 or any other law; and/or
 - Offences under the Indian Penal Code or any other law for causing any loss of life/ limbs/ property or endangering Public Health during the execution of a public procurement contract and/ or
 - Suspected to be or of doubtful loyalty to the Country or a National Security risk as determined by appropriate agencies of the Government of India.

- iii) Not have changed its name or created a new “Allied Firm”, consequent to having declared ineligible/ suspended/ blacklisted/ banned/ debarred as above.
- c) Not have an association (as a consultant/ partner/ director/ employee in any capacity)
 - Of any retired employee (of Gazetted Rank) or any retired Gazetted Officer of the Central or State Government or its Public Sector Undertakings, if such a retired person has not completed the one-year cooling-off **period (or any other period stipulated by their erstwhile Employer)** after his retirement. However, this shall not apply if such employees/ officers have obtained a waiver of the cooling-off period from their former organization.
 - Of the near relations of executives of Procuring Entity involved in this procurement process.
- d) Not have a conflict of interest (as defined in Clause 4.5 below), which substantially affects fair competition. No attempt should be made to induce any other consultant to submit or not to submit an offer for restricting competition.
- e) Must fulfill any other additional eligibility condition, if any, as may be prescribed in REOI Document.
- 3) From certain countries shall be eligible subject to certain conditions as detailed in Clause 4.2 below
- 4) Must provide such evidence of their continued eligibility to the Procuring Entity if requested.

4.2. Eligibility of Consultants from Restricted Countries

4.2.1. Restrictions Based on Reciprocity

Entities from countries (if so, identified in Section II: Appendix) as not allowing Indian companies to participate in their Government procurement shall not be allowed to participate (directly or as a sub-contractor or as a member of a JV/C) on a reciprocal basis in this REOI process under the “Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India) Order 2017” (MII – para 10 -d) of Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, (DPIIT). Consultants must apprise themselves of the latest version of this order.

4.2.2. Restrictions Based on Land Borders

Order (Public Procurement No. 1) issued by the Government of India (Ministry of Finance Department of Expenditure Public Procurement Division) restricting procurement from consultants from certain countries that share a land border with India shall apply to this procurement. Consultants must apprise themselves of the latest version of this order.

Any consultant from a country that shares a land border with India (<http://mea.gov.in/india-and-neighbours.htm>), excluding countries to which the Government of India has extended lines of credit or in which the Government of India is engaged in development projects (as listed on the website of the Ministry of External Affairs – <https://meadashboard.gov.in/indicators/92>), – hereinafter called ‘Restricted Countries’ shall be eligible to participate in this REOI, only if the consultant is

registered with the Registration Committee constituted by the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT). Consultants shall enclose the certificate in Form 1 - EOI Form.

4.3. Sub-consultants/Sub-contracting

Consultants may propose to associate Sub-consultants for specialized parts of the Services provided their names and details are clearly stated in the EOI. Such Sub-consultants should not circumvent the eligibility condition laid down above. The value of such sub-contracts shall not exceed the limit specified (25% of the contract price, if not specified) in Section II: Appendix. Nevertheless, the consultant shall solely remain responsible for sub-consultancy portions of the Services. Key and non-key personnel, whether full-time employees or on contract, shall not be considered sub-consultants. Procurement of incidental goods, equipment hires, or labour engagement shall not be treated as sub-contracting.

4.4. Joint Venture/Consortium (JV/C)

- 1) In the case where a consultant is or proposes to be a Joint Venture/ Consortium (that is, an association of several firms, or companies - hereinafter referred to as JV/C), then unless otherwise specified in Section II: Appendix, in JV/C:
 - a) firm / members should not be more than four (04)
 - b) no member should have less than 10% participation;
 - c) Members having participation between 10% and 20% shall be termed as non-substantial members.
 - d) Members having more than 20% participation shall be termed as substantial members.
 - e) The Lead member must have at least 40% participation.
 - f) The lead member/consultant and various categories of members of the JV/C must be identified.
 - g) Number of non-substantial members shall not be more than one (01).
- 2) The JV/C and all members must satisfy all the eligibility requirements in this REOI document.
- 3) JV/C and its members must jointly meet the qualification criteria in Section III – Qualification Criteria. The technical/ experience qualification of all JV/C members (substantial members, Lead member and non-substantial members) shall be evaluated jointly as per Evaluation Criteria. However, for financial criteria of qualification, credentials of substantial and lead members (excluding non-substantial members) shall only be considered.
- 4) All the members shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract if selected in the RFP Process.

4.5. Conflict of Interest

- 1) Any consultant with a conflict of interest that substantially affects fair competition shall not be eligible to participate in this procurement process. EOIs found to have a conflict of interest shall be rejected as nonresponsive. Consultant shall be required to declare the absence of such conflict of interest in Form 1.2 -

Eligibility Declarations. A consultant in this procurement process shall be considered to have a conflict of interest if the consultant:

- a) Directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by or is under common control with another Consultant; or
- b) Receives or has received any direct or indirect subsidy/ financial stake from another consultant; or
- c) Has the same correspondence address or same legal representative/agent as another consultant for purposes of this EOI; or
- d) has a relationship with another consultant, directly or through common third parties, which puts it in a position to have access to information about or influence the EOI of another Consultant; or
- e) would be providing goods, works, or non-consulting services resulting from or directly related to consulting services that it provided (or were provided by any affiliate that directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with that firm) for the procurement planning (inter-alia preparation of feasibility/ cost estimates/ Detailed Project Report (DPR), design/ technical specifications, terms of reference (TOR)/ Activity Schedule/ schedule of requirements or the EOI/ RFP Document etc.) of this procurement process; or
- f) has a close business or family relationship with a staff of the Procuring Organisation who:
 - i) are directly or indirectly involved in the preparation of the REOI document or Terms of Reference of the procurement process and/or the evaluation in EOI and/or RFP process; or
 - ii) would be involved in the implementation or supervision of the resulting contract

Any conflict stemming from such a relationship must be reported and resolved in a manner acceptable to the Procuring Entity throughout the REOI and RFP processes and execution of the contract.

- 2) **Participation of only One Entity from Affiliates:** Only one entity from among a Consultant and its affiliates (that directly or indirectly control or are controlled by or are under common control with that firm) individually or as part of a joint venture or as a Sub- consultant shall be permitted to participate in EOI.
- 3) The consultant shall furnish information on commissions and gratuities, if any, paid or to be paid to agents or any other party relating to this REOI and RFP process.

5. PURCHASE PREFERENCE POLICIES OF THE GOVERNMENT

5.1. Relaxation in prior turnover and experience to startups

- 1) In this REOI process, under the policy of the Government Rule 173 (1) of GFR 2017 the Procuring Entity reserves its right to relax the condition of prior turnover and prior experience for Startups (as defined by the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade) subject to meeting of quality & technical specifications. The quality and technical parameters shall not be diluted. The decision of the Procuring Entity in this regard shall be final.
- 2) Consultants with Startup status can claim relaxation for prior turnover and experience mentioned in Section III by providing a valid 'Certificate of Recognition

issued by the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT), Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India. Such relaxation shall be given only for the specific domain of goods/services they are registered for.

6. DOWNLOADING THE REOI DOCUMENT; CLARIFICATIONS AND PRE-EOI CONFERENCE

6.1. Availability and Downloading of the EOI Document

The Request for Expression of Interest shall be published on the Telangana Irrigation Website ([https:// irrigation.telangana.gov.in](https://irrigation.telangana.gov.in)). It shall be available for download after the date and time of the start of availability till the deadline for availability as mentioned in Section II: Appendix. Unless otherwise stipulated in Section II: Appendix, the downloaded Request for Expression of Interest is free of cost. If the Procuring Entity happens to be closed on the deadline for submitting the EOIs as specified above, this deadline shall not be extended. Any query/ clarification regarding downloading Request for Expression of Interest on the portal may be addressed to their Help Desk (contact details given in Section II: Appendix).

6.2. Clarifications

A Consultant may seek clarification of the REOI document through the e-mail before the date and time prescribed in Section II: Appendix (or, if not mentioned, before fourteen days of the deadline for the EOI submission). This deadline shall not be extended in case of any intervening holidays. No other means of submission of queries shall be entertained. All such queries shall relate to the REOI document alone, and queries related to a detailed analysis of Terms of Reference, payment terms and mode of selection shall only be entertained during the RFP Process. The Procuring Entity shall respond no later than seven days before the deadline for EOI submission. The query and clarification shall be shared with all prospective consultants on the portal without disclosing its source. If required, the Procuring Entity may modify the REOI document that may become necessary due to the clarification through an Addendum/ Corrigendum issued as per clause 2.4 above.

6.3. Pre-EOI Conference

- 1) If a Pre-EOI conference is stipulated in Section II: Appendix, prospective consultants interested in participating in this REOI may attend a Pre-EOI conference to clarify the conditions of the REOI process at the venue, date and time specified therein. Participation in the Pre-EOI conference is not mandatory but is restricted to prospective consultants who have registered for the Pre-EOI conference.
- 2) The date and time by which the written queries for the Pre-EOI must reach the authority and the last date for registration for participation in the Pre-EOI conference are also mentioned in Section II: Appendix. If the dates are not mentioned, such date and time shall be three days before the date and time of the Pre-EOI conference.
- 3) Delegates participating in the Pre-EOI conference must provide a photo identity and an authorization letter as per *Format 1: "Authorization to Attend Pre-EOI Conference"* from their organization; else, they shall not be allowed to participate. The Pre-EOI conference may also be held online at the discretion of the Procuring Entity as mentioned in Section-II: Appendix.
- 4) After the Pre-EOI conference, minutes of the Pre-EOI conference (including the

questions asked in writing and those asked during the meeting (without identifying the source) and the responses given, together with any responses prepared after the meeting, shall be published on the Procuring Entity's Portal within three days from the Pre-EOI conference. If required, a clarification letter and corrigendum to the REOI document shall be issued, containing amendments, if any, of various provisions (including the TOR, if required) of the REOI document, which shall be deemed part of the REOI document. As per clause 2.4 above, the Procuring Entity may suitably extend by at least three days the deadline for the EOI submission to give reasonable time to the prospective consultants to consider such clarifications in preparing their EOIs.

7. PREPARATION OF EOIs

7.1. EOI Submission Formats

Consultants must fill and submit the EOI in the Formats in Part III - 'EOI Submission Formats'. EOI by the Consultant shall include inter-alia duly signed or digitally signed scanned copies of the original documents in pdf format.

7.2. EOI Validity

- 1) Unless specified to the contrary in the Section II: Appendix, EOIs shall remain valid for a **period not less than Ninety (90) days from the deadline for the EOI opening** stipulated in Section II: Appendix. An EOI valid for a shorter period shall be rejected as nonresponsive.
- 2) In case the day up to which the EOIs are to remain valid falls on/ subsequently declared a holiday or closed day for the Procuring Entity, the EOI validity shall automatically be deemed to be extended up to the next working day.
- 3) In exceptional circumstances, before the expiry of the original time limit, the Procuring Entity as mentioned in Section-II: Appendix may request the consultants to extend the validity period for a specified additional period. The request and the consultants' responses shall be made in writing or electronically. A consultant may agree to or reject the request. A consultant who has agreed to the Procuring Entity's request for extension of EOI validity, however, in no case he shall be permitted to modify his EOI.

8. SIGNING OF EOIS

8.1. Signing of EOI

The individual signing/ digitally signing the EOI or any other connected documents should submit an authenticated copy of the document(s), which authorizes the signatory to commit and submit EOIs on behalf of the Consultant along with Form 1.1: Consultant Information.

8.2. Submission of EOI

8.2.1. Submission

- 1) EOIs must be submitted in sealed cover to the authority mentioned in Section II: Appendix until the submission deadline. If the office happens to be closed on the

deadline to submit the EOIs as specified above, this deadline shall not be extended. EOI submitted through modalities other than those stipulated in Section II: Appendix shall be liable to be rejected as nonresponsive.

- 2) Only one copy of the EOI shall be submitted, and the Consultant shall sign all statements, documents, and certificates submitted by him, owning sole and complete responsibility for their correctness/ authenticity. An EOI submitted by a Joint Venture shall be signed by an authorized representative who has a written power of attorney signed by each member's authorized representative to be legally binding on all members.

8.2.2. Implied Acceptance of Procedures by Consultants

Submission of EOI in response to the REOI document is deemed to be acceptance of the procedures and conditions of the REOI document.

8.2.3. Responsibility of the Consultant to Declare all Changes

Consultants must advise the procuring Entity immediately in writing of any material change to the information provided in their EOI submission, including any substantial change in their ownership, eligibility, or financial or performance capacity. For shortlisted Consultants, this requirement applies until a contract is awarded in the following RFP process. For the consultant successful in the RFP process, this requirement shall apply till the execution of the resultant contract.

8.3. Modification, Resubmission and Withdrawal of EOIs

8.3.1. Modification & Resubmission

Once submitted, Consultants cannot modify their EOI.

8.3.2. Withdrawal

The consultant may withdraw his EOI before the submission deadline and the sealed cover shall be marked as withdrawn and shall not get opened during the EOI opening. No EOI should be withdrawn after the submission deadline and before its validity period expires.

9. EOI OPENING

EOIs received shall be opened on or after the specified date and time in Section II: Appendix. EOIs shall not be opened before the specified date & time, even by the Tender Inviting Authority, the Procurement Officer, or the Publisher. If the specified date of EOI opening falls on or is subsequently declared a holiday or closed day for the Procuring Entity, the EOIs shall be opened at the appointed time on the next working day.

10. EVALUATION OF EOIS AND SHORTLISTING OF CONSULTANTS

10.1. General Norms

10.1.1. Evaluation Based only on Declared Criteria.

- 1) The evaluation shall be based upon scrutinizing and examination of all relevant data and details submitted by consultants in its/ his EOI and other allied information deemed appropriate by Procuring Entity. Evaluation of EOIs shall be based only on the criteria/ conditions included in the REOI Document.

- 2) Information relating to the evaluation of EOIs and short-listing results shall not be disclosed to any participant or any other persons not officially concerned with such process until the notification of short listing is made in accordance with clause 10.2.5 below.
- 3) The determination shall not consider the qualifications of other firms, such as the consultant's subsidiaries, parent entities, affiliates, or any other firm(s) different from the consultant.

10.1.2. Clarification of EOIs and Shortfall Documents

- 1) During the evaluation of EOIs, the Procuring Entity may, at its discretion, but without any obligation to do so, ask Consultants to clarify its EOI by a specified date (or, if not specified, within a day from the date of receipt of such request). Consultants should answer the clarification within that specified date. The clarification request and response shall be submitted in writing. No change in the substance of the EOI shall be sought, offered, or permitted that may grant any undue advantage to such a consultant. Any clarification submitted by a Consultant regarding its EOI that is not in response to a request by the Purchasing Entity shall not be considered.
- 2) The Procuring Entity reserves its right to, but without any obligation to do so, seek any shortfall information/ documents. Provided such information/ documents are historical, which pre-existed at the time of the EOI opening and which have not undergone change since then and do not grant any undue advantage to any consultant.
- 3) If the consultant fails to provide satisfactory clarification and/or missing information, its EOI shall be evaluated based on available information and documents.

10.1.3. Contacting Procuring Entity during the Evaluation

From EOI submission to shortlisting of Consultants, no Consultant shall contact the Procuring Entity on any matter relating to the submitted EOI. Any effort by a Consultant to influence the Procuring Entity during the REOI process shall be construed as a breach of the Code of Integrity, and EOI shall be liable to be rejected as nonresponsive in addition to other punitive actions for such a breach as per the REOI document.

10.2. Evaluation of EOIs and Short listing

In evaluating the EOI, conformity to the eligibility and qualification criteria to those in the REOI document is ascertained. Additional factors incorporated in the REOI document shall also be considered as indicated therein.

10.2.1. Determining Responsiveness

Only substantively responsive EOIs shall be evaluated for short listing. A substantively responsive EOI is complete and conforms to the REOI document's essential terms and conditions. Unless otherwise stipulated in Section II: Appendix, the following are some of the crucial aspects for which an EOI shall be rejected as nonresponsive:

- 1) The EOI is not in the prescribed format or is not submitted as per the stipulations in the REOI document.
- 2) The consultant is not eligible to participate in the EOI as per laid down eligibility criteria;
- 3) The EOI validity is shorter than the required period.
- 4) The EOI departs from the essential requirements stipulated in the EOI document;
- 5) Non-submission or submission of illegible copies of stipulated documents / declarations, if any
- 6) The Consultant fails to provide and/ or comply with the required information, instructions etc., incorporated in the REOI document or gives evasive information/ reply against any such stipulations.
- 7) The Consultant furnishes wrong and/ or misleading data, statement(s) etc. In such a situation, besides rejecting the EOI as nonresponsive, it is liable to attract other punitive actions under relevant provisions of the REOI document for breach of the Code of Integrity.

10.2.2. Evaluation of Eligibility

Procuring entity shall determine, to its satisfaction, whether the Consultants are eligible as per Clause 4 above to participate in the REOI process as per submission in 'Form 1.2: Eligibility Declarations'. The eligibility evaluation shall be on a "pass" or "fail" basis. A Consultant must achieve a "pass" on all the criteria to proceed to the next step. Any Consultant not achieving a 'pass' in any of the eligibility criteria shall be rejected as nonresponsive.

10.2.3. Evaluation of Qualification Criteria

- 1) Procuring entity shall determine whether the Consultants are qualified and capable in all respects to be shortlisted to provide the 'Services' (subject to dispensation, if any, for State / Central Government Institutions / PSU / IITs etc, as per Section III: Qualification Criteria and submission in Forms listed in Part II: 'EOI Submission Formats'. The determination shall not consider the qualifications of other firms, such as the consultant's subsidiaries, parent entities, affiliates, or any other entity different from the consultant. The Procuring Entity reserves the right to waive minor deviations in the qualification criteria if they do not materially affect the capability of a Consultant to perform the contract. The Experience of Key Experts are not included in the short-listing criteria but shall be evaluated at the RFP stage.
- 2) Consultants planning to sub-consultancy any of the Key Activities indicated in Part III, Schedule of Requirements to Sub-consultants in accordance with clause 4.3 above, shall specify the activity or activities or parts of the Services to be subcontracted in their EOI identifying the proposed Sub-consultants in their EOI. Experience (but not Financial Qualifications) of such proposed Sub-consultant(s) can be used to meet the experience requirements specified in

Section III, Qualification Criteria.

- 3) Unless otherwise stipulated in Section II: Appendix, assignments completed by the Consultant's individual experts working privately or through other consulting firms cannot be claimed as the relevant experience of the Consultant or that of the Consultant's partners or sub-consultants in Form 2.1: Performance Capability Statement.

10.2.4. Verification of Original Documents at RFP Process

The Procuring Entity reserves its right to call for verification, originals of all self-certified copies of documents from the Consultants during the following RFP Process. If the shortlisted consultant fails at that stage to provide such originals or, in case of substantive discrepancies in such documents, it shall be construed as a breach of the Code of Integrity (see clause 12 below). Such RFP proposals shall be liable to be rejected as nonresponsive in addition to other punitive actions for such a breach.

10.2.5. Declaration of Shortlisted Consultants

- 1) EOIs of Consultants that succeed in the above evaluation shall be shortlisted. Provisionally shortlisted consultants will be informed of the condition(s) that must be met before submitting their Proposal in the RFP process. Such short listing shall remain valid for a period specified in Section II: Appendix (six months from the date of declaration, if not so specified).
- 2) Only shortlisted (including provisionally shortlisted) Consultants shall be invited to participate in the following RFP process. If stipulated in Section II: Appendix, if there are a larger number of consultants meeting the evaluation criteria, the shortlist shall be restricted to a specified number of consultants (if not specified, eight (8) consultants) based on higher Average Turnover, work experience (or any other criteria, if so, stipulated therein).
- 3) The name and address of the shortlisted consultant (s) shall be published in the portal and notice board/ bulletin/website of the Procuring Entity. All Consultants shall be advised about shortlisting of their EOIs or otherwise without disclosing the comparative position of their EOIs with that of others. Shortlisted Consultants must not advertise or publish the same in any form without the prior written consent of the Procuring Entity.
- 4) Short listing a consultant is an administrative process and does not confer any legal or contractual rights on him. Since original documents/ certificates are not being called for and examined at this stage, all shortlisted shall be conditional upon final verification of such documents/ certificates during the RFP Process.

10.3. Publication of RFP Following this EOI

The Procuring Entity shall publish a Request for Proposal (RFP) addressed exclusively to shortlisted Consultants for the following procurement process through the I&CADD website. Procuring Entity may issue notifications/ alerts to such Consultants but without any liability. Such Consultants shall be responsible for being on the lookout for the RFP. While publishing the RFP, the Procuring Entity reserves its right

to elaborate further on the brief overview of the proposed procurement/scope of work, qualification Criteria and other terms & conditions without vitiating the shortlisting process. Shortlisted Consultants shall have no claim in this regard.

11. GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL/COMPLAINT PROCEDURE

- 1) Consultants have the right to submit a complaint or seek de-briefing if he is not shortlisted in this REOI process, in writing or electronically, within ten days of the declaration of EOI evaluation results. The complaint shall be addressed to the Chief Engineer, Irrigation, Kothagudem, Irrigation and CAD Department (Govt. of Telangana).
- 2) Within five working days of receipt of the complaint, the Tender Inviting Authority shall acknowledge the receipt in writing to the complainant, indicating that it has been received. The response shall be sent in due course after a detailed examination.
- 3) The Tender Inviting Authority shall convey the final decision to the complainant within 15 days of receiving the complaint. No response shall be given regarding the confidential process of evaluating EOIs before the results are notified, although the complaint shall be kept in view during such a process. However, no response shall be given regarding the following topics explicitly excluded from such complaint process:
 - a) Only a consultant who has participated in the REOI process and has not been shortlisted can make such a representation. Complaints regarding shortlisting or exclusion of other consultants shall not be entertained.
 - b) No third-party information (EOIs, eligibility/ qualification) shall be sought and must not be included in the response.
 - c) Following decisions of the Procuring Entity shall not be subject to review:
 - i) Determination of the need for procurement.
 - ii) Complaints against eligibility and qualification criteria except under the premise that they are either vague or too specific to limit competition.
 - iii) Choice of the selection procedure.
 - iv) Provisions limiting the participation of consultants in the REOI process, in terms of policies of the Government.
 - v) Provisions regarding purchase preferences to specific categories of consultants in terms of policies of the Government.
 - vi) Cancellation of the REOI process except where it is intended to subsequently re-tender the same Services.

12. CODE OF INTEGRITY IN PUBLIC PROCUREMENT, MISDEMEANOURS AND PENALTIES

Code of Integrity *(as detailed in Rule 175 and Rule 151 of the General Financial Rules (https://www.dow.gov.in/sites/default/files/GFR2017_0.pdf) (and its amendments, if any))* and penalties for violating the Govt of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure shall apply to this REOI process. Procuring authorities, consultants, suppliers, contractors, and consultants should observe the highest standard of integrity and not indulge in prohibited practices or other misdemeanors, either

directly or indirectly, during the entire procurement Process (including this EOI) or the execution of resultant contracts.

Note: For further details, please refer to appended Section II: Appendix.

**The Chief Engineer,
Irrigation, Kothagudem
Irrigation & CAD Department,
1st floor, Above Mahindra Showroom,
Vidhya Nagar, Kothagudem-507101,
cektgm.irr@gmail.com,**

SECTION II: Appendix

Expression of Interest Document No. EOI/I&CADD/CE/KTGM/SSMPP/1/2025-26 for “Empanelment of Reputed Agency/Consultant for preparation of detailed Designs and Drawings of Power House component pertaining to Sitamma Sagar Multi-Purpose Project Telangana”.

1.0 Basic EOI Details			
Tender Title	Engaging of Consultant for preparation of detailed Designs and Drawings pertaining to Power House component of Sitamma Sagar Multi-Purpose Project.		
Tender Reference Number	EOI/I&CADD/CE/KTGM/SSMPP/1/2025-26	Tender ID	1/2025-26
Tender Type	Expression of Interest	Tender Category	Services
No. of Covers	Single Cover	Product Category	Consultancy
Domestic/ Global Procurement	Global Procurement	Organization	I&CAD DEPT, GoT
The Procuring Entity:	SE, IC, Bhadrachalam, I&CAD DEPT, GoT	Authority on whose behalf EOI is invited	SE, IC, Bhadrachalam, I&CAD DEPT, GoT
Through the	Chief Engineer, Irrigation, Kothagudem, I&CAD DEPT, GoT	Tender Inviting Authority (TIA)	Chief Engineer, Irrigation, Kothagudem, I&CAD DEPT, GoT
Address	Address: O/o the Chief Engineer, Irrigation, Kothagudem, 1 st floor, Above Mahindra Showroom, Vidhya Nagar, Kothagudem-507101, Telangana Email: cektgm.irr@gmail.com		
2.0 Critical Dates (Clause 6; 7; 8, and 9)			
Published Date	<u>Dt:05.08.2026</u> (15:00 hrs)	EOI Validity (Days from the date of EOI Opening) – EOI Document’s Clause 7.2	90 days
Document Download Start Date & Time	<u>From Dt: 05.08.2026</u> (15.00 hrs)	Document Download End Date & Time	<u>Dt:12.08.2026</u> upto15:00 hrs.
Clarification Start Date & Time	<u>NA</u>	Clarification End Date & Time	<u>NA</u>
EOI Submission Start Date & Time	<u>From Dt:05.08.2026</u> (15.00 hrs)	EOI Submission Closing Date & Time	<u>Dt:12.08.2026</u> Upto 15:00 hrs.

EOI Opening Date & Time	<u>Dt:13.08.2026</u> at 11:00 hrs		
3.0 Eligibility and Qualification Criteria (2.3.2, 4.1 to 4.5, 10.2 and Section III)			
Nature of Consultants eligible and association with sub-consultants/ JV	A private entity (a Consultancy / LLP /Partnership firm/ Society registered under an applicable Act in India), a public Entity (Government-owned enterprise or institution), Joint Venture/ Consortium (an association of several persons, firms, or companies		
Any additional Eligibility or responsiveness Criteria	Shall have registered offices in India 5 years prior to the day of bid Submission. However, their experiences in foreign countries may also be considered while evaluating the bids. Item No. 4.2.1		
Maximum limit of the value of Subcontracting permitted	25%	Various JV parameters: Maximum number of members etc., as per clause 4.4.-1)	As per clause 4.4.1
4.0 Obtaining the EOI Document and clarifications (EOI Document's Clause 6 & 8)			
Procuring Entity's Portal/ Help Desk	https://irrigation.telangana.gov.in		
Cost of EOI Document (INR)	<i>Nil</i>		
Office/ Contact Person/ email for	O/o the Chief Engineer, Irrigation, Kothagudem, 1st floor, Above Mahindra Showroom, Vidhya Nagar, Kothagudem-507101, Telangana Email: cektgm.irr@gmail.com		
5.0 Pre-EOI Conference (Clause 6.3)			
Is a Pre-EOI Conference proposed to be held?	NA		
Place, time, and date of the pre-EOI Conference	NA		
Place, time, and date before which Written queries for the pre-EOI conference must be received	NA		
6.0 Preparation and Submission and Opening of EOIs (Clause 7 and 8)			
EOIs to be Addressed to	O/o the Chief Engineer, Irrigation, Kothagudem, 1st floor, Above Mahindra Showroom, Vidhya Nagar, Kothagudem-507101, Telangana Email: cektgm.irr@gmail.com		

Instructions for EOI Submission	<i>Sealed cover shall be received before 12.08.2026 upto 15:00 hrs</i>		
Language of Submission	<i>English</i>	<i>EOI Validity</i>	<i>90 Days from EOI Opening Date</i>
EOI Opening Place	<i>O/o Chief Engineer, Irrigation, Kothagudem, 1st floor, Above Mahindra Showroom, Vidhya Nagar, Kothagudem</i>		
7.0 Evaluation of EOI and Qualification Criteria (Clause 10 and Section III: Qualification Criteria)			
Maximum number of consultants on the shortlist and criteria on which it would be based	1) Average Turn-over: 40% 2) General & Similar Experience: 60%	Minimum qualifications to be met by Lead Member and Substantial members	[Lead members should meet a minimum of 40% & other members more than 10% of the qualifying criteria]
8.0 About RFP that would follow – Clause 10.3			
RFP to be issued	Limited to shortlisted Consultants from this EOI	Form of Contract from RFP	Time-based (inputs admeasurement) contract
Selection Method	QCBS (Quality, Cost Based Selection)		
Performance Security	[Yes – shall be detailed in the RFP]		

SECTION III: Qualification Criteria

Request for Expression of Interest Document No. EOI/ I&CADD/ CE/ KTGM/ SSMPP/ 1/ 2025-26 for “Empanelment of Reputed Agencies for preparation of Designs & Drawings of Power House component pertaining to Sitamma Sagar Multi-Purpose Project Telangana”.

(Ref REOI Clause 2.3)

Note for Consultants: Regarding this Schedule, Consultants shall submit the following forms:

- 1) Form 2: Qualification Criteria – Compliance
 - a) Form 2.1: Performance Capability Statement
 - b) Form 2.2: Financial Capability Statement
 - (i) Form 2.2.1: Financial Statement
 - (ii) Form 2.2.2: Average Annual Turnover
 - c) Relevant date when the specified period ends for different supporting reports shall be:
 - i) For all annual reports, the periods mentioned end with the financial year.
 - ii) For other statements, the periods mentioned end on the month before the last date of EOI submission.

Similar Project for Qualification Criteria would be:	The Bidder shall have the Domestic and/ or International Similar experience of design of Hydro Power Projects / Multi-Purpose Projects.
Specific Experience	The Bidder should have been involved in Domestic and/ or international experience of ‘Design of Hydro power Projects and preparation of Detailed cost estimate during last 10 years.
Criteria 1 General and Similar Experience – Weightage 60 %	Submission Form
1) Consultants must have at least 3_nos. similar project in last 10 years – 20% 2) During the last 10 years, must have relevant specific experience of one project. (Consultancy Assignments completed or substantially completed, at least 80% payments received) – 15% Each. 3) During the last 10 years, experience in carrying out following studies in similar projects having specific experience – 50% (16.66% for Each of the Sub-Criteria Mentioned Below):	Form 1.1: Consultant Information Form 2.1: Performance Capability Statement.

i) Experience in Preparation of Design and Drawings of Hydro Power Projects – 16.67%. ii) Experience in preparation of Detailed Cost Estimate for Hydro Power Project – 16.67%. iii) Experience in preparation of tender documentation for finalizing the executing agency for Hydro Power Project based on the Designs and Drawings – 16.66%. Note: During the EOI Process, assignment experience certificates shall be submitted to substantiate qualification. Such certificates from the public sector or publicly listed companies/ private companies/ Trusts must be issued from their Head office by a person of the organization duly enclosing his/her authorization by the Management for giving such credentials clearly specifying the amount of design consultancy services towards the design consultancy. A certificate from a private individual shall not be accepted.	
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Criteria 2 - Financial Capability – Weightage 40 %	Submission Form
Turnover: Minimum Average Annual Turnover of at least INRCr, at least 50% of which should be from Consultancy Service, calculated as total certified payments received for design consultancy services in progress or completed within the last 5 financial years, ending 31st March, 2026. Audited Balance Sheet for 5 (five) years ending financial year 31st March, 2026 are to be enclosed. The turnover shall be certified by Statutory Auditor of the firm/company. Any such certificate must carry UDIN (Unique document Identification number).	Form 2.2: Financial Capability Statements
Selection Criteria	Design consultants who meet the eligible criteria will be short listed. The procuring authority reserves the right to short list public sector / research institute with design experience in the field at its discretion.

Note to Consultant: During RFP Process, while original documents/ certificates are called for to authenticate the qualification claimed, the following may be kept in mind:

- 1) When a joint venture or other association submits the bid, in that case, all members in the JV/C must submit their financial statements in order of the member's share in the partnership, greatest to least. The figures of members of a JV/C shall be added to determine compliance with the minimum financial qualifying criteria. However, unless otherwise stated in Section II: Appendix, for a JV/C to qualify, the Lead member must meet at least 40 percent of those minimum criteria for an individual Bidder and other members more than 10% of the criteria. Failure to comply with this requirement shall result in the rejection of the JV/C's bid.
- 2) The consultant /all members including JV shall submit the audited balance sheet and/or banking reference along with their EOI proposal. An authorized representative of the consultant must sign the statement.

PART II: SCHEDULE OF REQUIREMENTS

SECTION IV: Terms of Reference (TOR)

Expression of Interest Document No. EOI/ I&CADD/ CE/ KTGM/ SSMPP/ 1/ 2025-26 for “Empanelment of Reputed Agencies for preparation of Designs & Drawings of Power House component pertaining to Sitamma Sagar Multi-Purpose Project Telangana”. (Ref Clause 2.3)

1. Recital and objectives

It is intended that a reputed design agency, having relevant National/International experience in similar works, be hired to provide Design and Drawings of Power House Component of Sitamma Sagar Multi-Purpose Project for installed capacity of 282.80 MW (2.8 MW Firm Power & 280 MW Secondary power) as approved by CEA, New Delhi. The agency may remain associated with the Project for the entire remaining period of its implementation, to ensure that firstly the progress is on sound technical footing avoiding bottlenecks and failures, and also to ensure that technical challenge encountered in the Project are addressed appropriately.

The background of the project, progress as well as relevant approved received from Central Water Commission, New Delhi and Central Electricity Authority, New Delhi is enclosed as **Annexure- I**.

2 Form of contract:

The project contract is considered as Time Based (inputs admeasurements) contract.

3 Description of the services

The Scope of Work along with Deliverables is given in Table-1. The deliverables shall also be corroborated with the Standard Operating Procedure for finalization of designs and drawings of Power House as per the directions of Central Designs Organization/TGGENCO. Further, detailed estimate for obtaining administrative approval from GoT as per standard procedure along with tender documentation for finalization of executing agency to be prepared in line with existing practices and procedures in vogue.

Table-1: Tentative Scope of Work along with Deliverables

S. No.	Items	Deliverables
1.	Design and Drawings of Power Component of SSMPP	a) Detailed Designs and Drawings for installed capacity of 282.80 MW (2.80 MW Firm Power and 280MW Secondary Power) as 7x40MW & 1x2.80MW. b) Design and drawings of Tail Race Channel for routing one unit to SRLIP Canal. c) Approval/Vetting of Designs and Drawings by Central Designs Organization/ CEA / CWC/ TGGENCO

2	Detailed estimate for approved Designs and Drawings	Preparation of detailed estimate as per approved drawings in line with Standard Procedures for obtaining administrative approval from Government of Telangana
3	Finalization of tender document for inviting tenders for executing agency	Tender documentation in line with e-procurement policy of Government of Telangana for inviting tenders for executing agency.
4	Any other component / issues as per requisition of Engineer-in-Charge	Provide technical opinion/suggestions on any other component/ issues shall be addressed.

Notes:-

- 1) The selected bidder will be responsible for all the works related to planning, analysis, design and preparation of drawings for Hydro Power Component of SSMPP. The works, inter-alia, include design of:
 - a. Cofferdam if required.
 - b. Cutoffs upstream and downstream as per the requirement.
 - c. Hydro Mechanical components if required
 - d. Guide bunds/Flood Banks
 - e. Tail Race Channel
- 2) All the available technical details, designs, drawings, notes, High Power Technical Committee (HPTC) meeting minutes etc., will be shared with the selected Design Agency.
- 3) The Design Agency shall present its study on each aspect to the Central Water Commission (CWC) and comply with all its observations. The Central Water Commission shall vet the Design Agency's Drawings.
- 4) The Design Agency shall assess additional investigations for the tasks.
- 5) The Design Agency shall suggest any additional investigations or analysis to Irrigation & CAD Department, Govt. of Telangana with available resources in client's country as finalized by CWC.
- 6) The Design Agency shall ensure compliance with standards and technical specifications in vogue.
- 7) The Design Agency shall recommend appropriate construction materials preferably locally available to achieve desired performance of the structure.

Reporting requirements and time schedule for deliverables

Milestone, timelines for study of data/ investigation reports, analysis, designing and report submission during design and construction phase is as follows:

Phase	Milestone	Time Lines
Design Phase	Submission of Detailed Designs and Drawings and approval / vetting of drawings by Central Designs Organization / TGGENCO or any other relevant organization	4 months from the date of signing of the agreement
	Submission of Draft estimate based on approved designs and drawings	1 month from the date of communication of designs and drawings
	Submission of tender documentation for inviting tenders for executing agency	1 month from the date of administrative sanction

6. Statutory and contractual obligations to be complied with by the consultant:

As per prevailing contractual norms.

Part III: EOI SUBMISSION FORMATS

Form 1: EOI Form (Covering Letter) **(Ref Clause 2.3)**

(To be submitted with supporting documents, if any)

(On Consultant's Letter-head)

(Strike out alternative phrases not relevant to you) Consultant's Name

Consultant Name _____

[Address and Contact Details]

Consultant's Reference No. _____ Date: _____

To

The Chief Engineer

Irrigation, Kothagudem (I&CAD Dept., Telangana)

1st floor, Above Mahindra Showroom, Vidhya Nagar,

Kothagudem-507101

Email: cektgm.irr@gmail.com

Ref: Your REOI document No. **EOI/I&CADD/CE/KTGM/SSMPP/1/2025-26;**

Tender Title: Consultancy Services

Sir/ Madam,

Having examined the abovementioned REOI document, we, the undersigned, hereby submit our Expression of Interest (EOI) for being shortlisted for the performance of the Services.

Please tick appropriate boxes or strike out sentences/ phrases not applicable to you)

1) About us:

We M/s _____, hereby certify that We are a firm of proven, established, and reputed Consultant having required Experience, Past performance, Personnel, and Financial capability, with offices at _____.

2) Our Eligibility and Qualifications to Participate:

- a) We comply with all the eligibility criteria stipulated in this REOI document, and the relevant declarations are made along with documents in Form 1.2 of this EOI-Form.
- b) We fully meet the qualification criteria stipulated in this REOI document, and the relevant details are submitted along with documents in Form 2: 'Qualification Criteria – Compliance' and its sub-forms.
- c) We undertake to provide originals of all self-certified copies of submitted documents during the RFP Process. We have understood the ramifications of failure to do so as detailed in clauses 10.2.4 and 10.2.5 of Section I: REOI.
- d) We have / don't have any conflict of interest with any other Consultant as per clause 4.5 of Section I: REOI.

- e) No commissions and gratuities have been paid or are to be paid to agents or any other party by us relating to this REOI and RFP processes.
- f) Following commissions and gratuities have been paid/ are to be paid to agents or any other party by us relating to this procurement process:_____

3) Affirmation of terms and conditions of the EOI Document:

We have understood the complete terms and conditions of the REOI Document. We accept and comply with these terms and conditions without reservations, although we are not signing and submitting some of the sections of the EOI Document.

4) Abiding by the EOI Validity

We agree to keep our REOI valid for acceptance for a period not less than 60 days, as required in the REOI Document, or for a subsequently extended period, if any, agreed to by us.

5) Non-tempering of Downloaded EOI Document and Uploaded Scanned Copies

We confirm that we have not changed/ edited the contents of the downloaded EOI Formats. We realize that any such change noticed at any stage, including after the contract award, shall be liable to punitive action in this regard stipulated in the EOI Document. We also confirm that scanned copies of documents/ affidavits/ undertakings submitted along with our EOI are valid, true, and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. We shall be responsible if any dispute arises regarding the validity and truthfulness of such documents/ affidavits/ undertakings. Upon our successful shortlisting, we undertake to submit for scrutiny, on-demand by the Procuring Entity, originals and self-certified copies of all such certificates, documents, and affidavits/ undertakings.

6) Signatories:

We confirm that we are duly authorized to submit this EOI and make commitments on behalf of the Consultant (*In case of Joint Venture/Consortium, the Lead Member/Consultant shall sign the document on behalf of JV/C Member.*) Supporting documents are submitted in Form 1.1 annexed herewith. We acknowledge that our digital/digitized signature is valid and legally binding.

7) Rights of the Procuring Entity to Reject EOI(s):

We understand that you are not bound to accept the lowest or any EOI you may receive against your above-referred EOI Document.

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(Signature with date)

.....

(Name and designation)

Duly authorized to sign EOI for and on behalf of

[name & address of consultant and seal of Company]

Form 1.1: Consultant Information (Ref Clause 2.3)

(To be submitted with supporting documents, if any)
(On Consultant's Letter-head)

Consultant Name _____
[Address and Contact Details]

Consultant's Reference No. _____ Date: _____

To
The Chief Engineer
Irrigation, Kothagudem (I&CAD Dept., Telangana)
1st floor, Above Mahindra Showroom, Vidhya Nagar,
Kothagudem-507101
Email: cektgm.irr@gmail.com

Ref: Your REOI document No. **EOI/I&CADD/CE/KTGM/SSMPP/1/2025-26;**
Tender Title: Consultancy Services

Note: Consultant shall fill in this Form following the instructions indicated below. No alterations to its format shall be permitted, and no substitutions shall be accepted. Consultant shall enclose certified copies of the documentary proof/ evidence to substantiate the corresponding statement wherever necessary and applicable. Consultant's wrong or misleading information shall be treated as a violation of the Code of Integrity. Such EOIs shall be liable to be rejected as non-responsive, in addition to other punitive actions provided for such a breaches in the REOI Document.

(Please tick appropriate boxes or strike out sentences/ phrases not applicable to you)

1) Consultant/ Contractor Particulars:

a) Name of the Company:	
b) Corporate Identity No. (CIN):	
c) Registration, if any, with The Procuring Entity:	
d) Date of incorporation/ start of business:	
e) Place of Registration/ Principal place of business":	
f) Number of Years in Business:	
g) Number of Years in providing Consultancy Services:	
h) Company Website URL:	

i) Complete Postal Address:	
j) Pin code/ ZIP code:	
k) Telephone nos. (with country/ area codes):	
l) Mobile Nos.: (with country/ area codes):	
m) Contact persons/ Designation:	
n) Email IDs:	
o) PAN Number:	
p) GSTIN No:	

(In the case of JV/C, repeat these details for all members)

Submit documents to demonstrate eligibility as per REOI Clause 4.1-1) - A self-certified copy of registration certificate – in case of a partnership firm – Deed of Partnership; in case of Company – Notarized and certified copy of its Registration; In case of JV, letter of intent to form JV or JV agreement and in case of Society – its Byelaws and registration certificate of the firm.

- 2) Consultant/JV's Organization Structure: Submit the overall organization structure of the firm.
- 3) Consultant/JV's Overall profile: Submit the overall profile of the firm, highlighting technical and managerial capabilities.
- 4) Authorization of Person(s) signing the EOI on behalf of the consultant
 - a) Full name:
 - b) Designation:
 - c) Signing as:
 - A sole proprietorship firm. The person signing the EOI is the sole proprietor/ constituted attorney of the sole proprietor,
 - A partnership firm. The person signing the EOI is duly authorized being a partner to do so under the partnership agreement or the general power of attorney,
 - A company. The person signing the EOI is the constituted attorney by a resolution passed by the Board of Directors or in pursuance of the authority conferred by the Memorandum of Association/ Articles of Association.
 - A Society. The person signing the EOI is the constituted attorney.
 - A Joint Venture/ Consortium. The person signing the bid is the designated lead member, as named in the JV/C agreement/ MOU or similar document in connection with the formation of the JV/C or are all future proposed members, in case (JV/C) has not been legally constituted at the time of bidding.

*Documents to be submitted: Registration Certificate/ Memorandum of Association/
Partnership Agreement/ Power of Attorney/ Board Resolution*

5) Consultant's Authorized Representative Information a)

Name:

b) Address:

c) Telephone/ Mobile numbers:

d) Email Address:

(Signature with date)

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(Name and designation)

Duly authorized to sign EOI for and on behalf of name, address, and seal of the Consultant] DA:

As above

Form 1.2: Eligibility Declarations (Ref Clause 2.3)

(To be submitted with supporting documents, if any)
(On Consultant's Letter-head)

Ref: Your REOI document No. **EOI/I&CADD/CE/KTGM/SSMPP/1/2025-26**; Tender Title:
Consultancy Services

Consultant Name _____
[Address and Contact Details]

Consultant's Reference No. _____ Date: _____

[Note: The list below is indicative only. You may attach more documents as required to confirm your eligibility criteria.]

Eligibility Declarations

(Please tick appropriate boxes or cross out any declaration not applicable to the Consultant)

We hereby confirm that we comply with all the stipulations of REOI Clause 4.1 of the REOI document and declare as under and shall provide evidence of our continued eligibility to the Procuring Entity as and when it may be requested:

- 1) **Legal Entity of Consultant:** We are:
 - a) : _____ relevant documents enclosed)
 - b) We are a Consultancy Services provider with valid registration regarding GSTIN, PAN, EPF, ESI, Labour, or equivalent registration certificate as applicable to the subject Services.
- 2) **Eligibility:** We solemnly declare that we (including our affiliates or subsidiaries, or constituents):
 - a) are not insolvent, in receivership, bankrupt or being wound up, not have our affairs administered by a court or a judicial officer, not have our business activities suspended and are not the subject of legal proceedings for any of these reasons;
 - b) (including our affiliates or subsidiaries, or constituents for any part of the assignment):
 - (i) Do not stand declared ineligible/ blacklisted/ banned/ debarred by the Procuring Organisation or its Ministry/ Department from participation in its procurement processes; and/ or
 - (ii) Are not convicted (within three years preceding the last date of EOI submission) or stand declared ineligible/ suspended/ blacklisted/ banned/ debarred by appropriate agencies of the Government of India from participation in procurement processes of all its entities for offences mentioned in REOI document in this regard.

- (iii) We have neither changed our name nor created a new "Allied Entity", consequent to the above disqualifications.
- c) Do not have any association (as consultant/ partner/ Director/ employee in any capacity) with such retired public official or near relations of such officials of Procuring Entity, as counter-indicated, in the REOI document.
- d) We have no conflict of interest, which substantially affects fair competition. The quoted prices are competitive without adopting unfair/ unethical/ anti- competitive means. No attempt has been made or shall be made by us to induce any other consultant to submit or not to submit an EOI to restrict competition.
- e) We certify that we fulfil other additional eligibility conditions if prescribed in the REOI document.
- 3) We certify that we are not an entity from a country identified to restrict Consultants from India from participation in their Government Procurements as per EOI clause 4.2.1.
- 4) Restrictions on procurement from consultants from a country or countries or a class of countries under Rule 144 (xi) of the General Financial Rules 2017:**
- "We have read the clause regarding restrictions on procurement from a consultant of a country which shares a land border with India and on sub-contracting to contractors from such countries, and solemnly certify that we fulfil all requirements in this regard and are eligible to be considered. We certify that:*
- a) We are not from such a country or, if from such a country, we are registered with the Competent Authority (copy enclosed). and;
- b) We shall not subcontract any assignment to a contractor from such countries unless such contractor is registered with the Competent Authority.

5) Penalties for false or misleading declarations:

We hereby confirm that the particulars given above are factually correct and nothing is concealed and undertake to advise any future changes to the above details. We understand that any wrong or misleading self-declaration would violate the Code of Integrity and attract penalties.

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(Signature with date)

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(Name and designation)

Duly authorized to sign EOI for and on behalf of

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[Name & address of consultant and seal of Company]

DA: As in Sr 1 to 5 above, as applicable

Form 2: Qualification Criteria – Compliance (Ref Clause 2.3, Section III: Qualification Criteria)

(To be submitted with supporting documents, if any)
(On Consultant's Letter-head)

Ref: Your REOI document No. **EOI/I&CADD/CE/KTGM/SSMPP/1/2025-26**; Tender Title:
Consultancy Services

Consultant Name _____
[Address and Contact Details]

Consultant's Reference No. _____ Date: _____

Note to Consultant: The Procuring Entity reserves its right to call for verification originals of all self-certified copies of stipulated documents supporting the fulfilment of qualifying criteria during the following RFP Process. If the shortlisted consultant fails at that stage to provide such originals or, in case of substantive discrepancies in such documents, it shall be construed as a breach of the Code of Integrity (see clause 12 below). Such RFP proposals shall be liable to be rejected as nonresponsive in addition to other punitive actions for such a breach.

Summary of Response to Qualification Criteria

Criteria 1 –General and Similar Experience:	Quantum as detailed in Sub-forms	Quantum Criteria Met (Yes, or No)
a) Consultants must have at least one (1) similar project in last 10 years (as per Schedule II: Qualification Criteria) (see Form 1.1):		
b) During the last 10 years, must have relevant specific experience of 2 projects. <i>(Consultancy Assignments completed or substantially completed, at least 80% payments received)</i> (as per Schedule II: Qualification Criteria) (see Form 2.1):		
c) During the last 10 years, experience in carrying out following studies in similar projects having specific experience (as per Schedule II: Qualification Criteria) are (see Form 2.1):		

Criteria 2 - Financial Capability	Quantum as detailed in Sub-forms	Quantum Criteria Met (Yes, or No)
Average Turnover: During the specified period (as per Schedule II: Qualification Criteria): (i) Average Total Turnover (see Form 2.2.1) (ii) Average Turnover from Consultancy Services (see Form 2.2.2)		

Note: Consultants shall provide evidence of their continued qualification to perform the Services (Satisfactory to the Procuring Entity, as the Procuring Entity may reasonably request at any stage during the RFP process that would follow this EOI.

(Signature with date)

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(Name and designation)

Duly authorised to sign EOI for and on behalf of

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[Name & address of Consultant and seal of Company]

DA: As above, if any

Form 2.1: Performance Capability Statement (Ref Clause 2.3, Section III: Qualification Criteria)

Statement of Performance of Consulting Services

(On Consultant's Letter-head)

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Consultancy Services

Consultant Name _____
[Address and Contact Details]

Consultant's Reference No. _____ Date: _____

Note to Consultant:

1. *Consultant or member of a Joint Venture/Consortium (JV/C) must fill in this Form to prove conformance to Criteria 1 –General and Similar Experience. Mention contracts in which a consultant or a member of a JV/C is or has been a party, whether as a consultant, affiliate, associate, subsidiary, Sub-consultant, or any other role. The list below is indicative only. You may attach more documents as required to highlight your past performance. Add additional details not covered elsewhere in your EOI in this regard. Statements and Documents may be mentioned/ attached here.*
2. *List only those assignments for which the Consultant was legally contracted as a company or was one of the joint venture members. Assignments completed by the Consultant's individual experts working privately or through other consulting firms cannot be claimed as the relevant experience of the Consultant or that of the Consultant's partners or sub-consultants but can be claimed by the Experts themselves in their CVs. Assignments of Sub-consultant(s) can be used to meet the Experience requirements specified in Section III, Qualification Criteria. The Consultant should be prepared to substantiate the claimed experience by presenting copies of relevant documents and references if the Client requests.*
 - 1) ***The number of years of experience in Consultancy Services:*** Provide evidence for the required length of experience in Consultancy Services and cross-reference the list of assignments below.
 - 2) ***In the specified period, list Consultancy Services assignments completed or substantially completed in a tabular form (Period specified in Section III – Qualification Criteria Note: List only the most important and relevant ones. List the largest value and most relevant projects to this assignment first)***
 - a. *Country, client, (source of funding),*
 - b. *Project title, project reference number, project value, project period*

- c. *Brief description of the consultant's role in the project*
- d. *# of international staff months, # of national staff months deployed by you on the project*
- e. *Is it a Similar Experience as per Section III: Qualification Criteria (Yes or No)*
- f. *Is it in General Sector as per Section III: Qualification Criteria (Yes or No)*
- g. *Is it in Specific Sector as per Section III: Qualification Criteria (Yes or No)*

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(Signature with date)

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(Name and designation)
Duly authorised to sign EOI for and on behalf of

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*Name, address, and seal of the Consultant]*
DA: Performance records/ contracts

Form 2.2: Financial Capability Statement **(Ref Clause 2.3, Section III: Qualification Criteria)**

(To be submitted with supporting documents, if any)
(On Consultant's Letter-head)

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Consultant Name _____
[Address and Contact Details]

Consultant's Reference No. _____ Date: _____

Note to Consultants: Fill out this Form for the Consultant or other association that is a party to the Consultant to highlight conformance to Criteria 3: Financial Capability. The list below is indicative only. You may attach more documents as required. Add additional details not covered elsewhere in your EOI in this regard.

Form 2.2.1: Financial Statements

Note: Each Consultant or member of a Joint Venture/Consortium making up a consultant must fill in this Form.

Financial Data for Previous Five (5) Years					
	Year 1:	Year 2:	Year 3:	Year 4:	Year 5:
Information from Balance Sheet					
Total Assets					
Total Liabilities					
Net Worth					
Current Assets					

Current Liabilities					
Working Capital					
Information from Income Statement					
Total Revenues					
Profits Before Taxes					
Profits After Taxes					

Attached are copies of financial statements (either audited financial statements supported by audit letters or certified financial statements supported by tax returns), complying with the following conditions.

- All such documents reflect the financial situation of the Consultant or other Association and not a sister or parent company.*
- A Chartered accountant must audit historical financial statements.*
- Historical financial statements must be complete, including all notes to the financial statements.*
- Historical financial statements must correspond to accounting periods already completed and audited (no statements for partial periods shall be requested or accepted).*

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(Signature with date)

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(Name and designation)

Duly authorized to sign EOI for and on behalf of

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[name & address of consultant and seal of Company]

Form 2.2.2: Average Annual Turnover
(Ref Clause 2.3, Section III: Qualification Criteria)

(To be submitted with supporting documents, if any)
(On Consultant's Letter-head)

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Consultant Name _____
[Address and Contact Details]

Consultant's Reference No. _____ Date: _____

Note: Each Consultant or member of a Joint Venture/Consortium making up a consultant must fill in these forms.

Annual Turnover Data (Rs Crores) for the Last Five (5) Years		
Year	Total Turnover Amount	Turnover from Consultancy Services
2021-22		
2022-23		
2023-24		
2024-25		
2025-26		
Average Annual Turnover		

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(Signature with date)

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(Name and designation)
Duly authorised to sign EOI for and on behalf of

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[Name & address of Consultant and seal of Company]

Form 3: Checklist for Consultants (Ref Clause 2.3)

(On Consultant's Letter-head)

Consultant Name_____

[Address and Contact Details]

Consultant's Reference No. _____ Date: _____

Ref: Your REOI document No. **EOI/I&CADD/CE/KTGM/SSMPP/1/2025-26**; Tender Title:
Consultancy Services

Note to Consultants: This checklist is merely to help the consultants to prepare their EOIs. It does not override or modify the requirement of the EOI. Consultants must do their due diligence also.

Sr. No.	Documents submitted, duly filled, signed	Yes/No/NA
1.	Form 1.- EOI Form (to serve as covering letter and declarations)	
r.	Form 1.1: Consultant Information and Power of attorney and Registration	
3.	Form 1.2: Eligibility Declarations, along with supporting documents	
4.	Form 2: Qualification Criteria - Compliance	
4.a	Form 2.1, 2.2 (and its sub-forms) to support Form 2 along with supporting documents	
5.	Form 3: This Checklist	
6.	Any other requirements, if stipulated in AEOL; or if considered relevant by the Consultant	

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(Signature with date)

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(Name and designation)

Duly authorised to sign EOI for and on behalf of.....

Name, address, and seal of the Consultant]

Format 1: Authorization to Attend Pre-EOI Conference (Ref to REOI Clause 6.3)

(On Consultant's Letter-head)

Consultant Name _____

[Address and Contact Details]

Consultant's Reference No. _____ Date: _____

To

The Chief Engineer

Irrigation, Kothagudem (I&CAD Dept., Telangana)

1st floor, Above Mahindra Showroom, Vidhya Nagar, .

Kothagudem-507101

Email: cektgm.irr@gmail.com

Ref: Your REOI document No. **EOI/I&CADD/CE/KTGM/SSMPP/1/2025-26;**

Tender Title: Consultancy Services

Subject: Authorisation to attend Pre-EOI Conference on _____ (date).

*The following persons are authorised to attend the Pre-EOI Conference for the EOI mentioned above on behalf of _____
(Consultant) in the order of preference given below.*

Sr.	Name	Government Photo ID Type/ Number
I.		
II.		
Alternative Representative		

Note:

1. Maximum of two representatives (carrying valid Government photo IDs) shall be permitted to attend the Pre-EOI opening. An alternate representative shall be permitted when regular representatives are not able to attend.

2. Permission to enter the hall where the Pre-EOI conference is conducted may be refused if authorisation as prescribed above is not submitted.

Signatures of consultant

or

The officer authorised to sign the EOI.

Documents on behalf of the consultant

*Name, address, and seal of the Consultant]*9

SITAMMA SAGAR MULTI PURPOSE PROJECT

Note on Power House

- The Special Chief Secretary to Govt, I & CAD on 17.01.2023 has requested the CMD, TSGENCO, Hyderabad to take up execution of SSHEP civil and E&M works of the powerhouse along with erection and commissioning of units as CAPTIVE POWER PLANT with I & CAD Department funding to meet power requirements of SRLIP and other small LI schemes in the vicinity.
- It is decided for routing the discharge required for SRLIP canal through powerhouse to utilise one unit discharge to generate the power while meeting irrigation requirements.
- Vide Lr. No CE(I)/KTGM/DCE/DEE2/AE/SRLIP/DPR/83 Dt: 27.01.2023 consolidated DPR of Sitamma Sagar Multi-Purpose Project was submitted to Central Water Commission and Central Electricity Authority for approval.
- The Central Electricity Authority Hydro Project Appraisal Division vide File No. CEA-HY-12-29/6/2021-HPA Division, Dt: 04.08.2023 has vetted 282.8 MW as installed capacity duly considering water availability series of 41 years (1971-2012) with firm power of 2.80 MW with 90 % success rate and secondary power of 280 MW with annual load factor of 40.83 % obtained through simulation studies.
- Power House parameters as approved by CEA, New Delhi for an installed capacity of 282.80MW are as follows:

Sl No	Parameter	Value
1	FRL	El 63.00m
2	MDDL (Power)	El 52.00m
3	TWL	El 46.72m
4	Head loss	5% of net head as proposed by developer
5	T-G efficiency	88.65%
6	Storage at FRL	1035.72 MCM
7	Storage at MDDL	85.2 MCM