



**Ministry of Rural Development, Department of Rural Development Government of India**

Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi 110114

**Expression of Interest for RFQ (Request for Qualification) for ICT and biometrics related works of MGNREGA on Public Private Partnership (PPP) basis**

**Notice**

**Scheme**

The Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act, 2005 (MGNREGA or Act) is a landmark social security legislation to enhance livelihood security in rural areas, by providing at least 100 days of guaranteed wage employment in a financial year to the adult population in rural households.

**Objective**

The objective of Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD) is to introduce biometrics enabled ICT solutions at Gram Panchayat level for people's empowerment and effective delivery of the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS). MoRD proposes to engage a Service Provider under a Public Private Partnership model to implement the proposed technological solution as detailed in the 'Scope of Work' below ("Project") for every State.

**Scope of Work**

The broad scope of work of Service Provider is expected to be as follows:

- One time UIDAI compliant enrolment of job card holders under MGNREGA scheme and its updation from time to time;
- Deployment of biometrics enabled devices and of manpower for enabling real time biometric capture of field operations at work sites; and
- Recording transaction data in the field such as biometric attendance at worksite with GPS coordinates and measurement of work in relation to GPS coordinates and updation of centralized MIS.
- Facilitating ICT based application, demand for work, issue of dated receipt of job application and allocation of work to the beneficiaries by the functionaries.
- Installation and configuration of application software on hand held devices and providing facility management services both for hardware and software.

### **Consultation**

In light of the unique nature of this Project, MORD invites interested parties for consultation on the proposed Project. A Project Concept Note, specifying the broad Project details is available on the website of MGNREGA (<http://nrega.nic.in>) from **11th October 2010** onwards. Interested parties are invited for consultation and may confirm their interest in participation and send queries in writing to the address below by **14th October 2010**. A consultation conference will be held on **19th October, 2010** at **INDIAN ISLAMIC CULTURAL CENTRE, 87/88, LODHI ROAD, NEW DELHI 110003, Near India Habitat Centre at 11.00 A.M(Tele: 43535353/43535354)**.

### **RFQ**

Through this Notice, MORD also invites Applications for Qualification for the Project from the interested parties in response to the RFQ.- The Request for Qualification (RFQ) document will be uploaded on the website (<http://nrega.nic.in>) on **--26.10.2010**.

The RFQ document contains brief information about pre-qualification requirements and process.

MoRD will not be responsible for any delay in receiving the applications and reserves the right to accept/reject any or all applications without assigning any reason thereof.

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