



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

HIRING OF CONSULTING SERVICES FOR DETAILED DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISION AND CAPACITY BUILDING

KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA HYDROPOWER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (KPHDP) THROUGH WORLD BANK ASSISTANCE

ASSIGNMENT TITLE: PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION CONSULTANTS (PICS)

Pakhtunkhwa Energy Development Organization (PEDO) through Government of Pakistan / Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa *has applied* financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Proposed Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Hydropower Development Program (KPHDP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services (“the Services”) are likely to include, but not limited to:

- (i) Construction supervision of Gabral-Kalam Hydropower Project (GKH) about 100 MW on Gabral River (a tributary of Swat River), support in procurement of works, goods and services related to this scheme, contract management in the role of “engineer” as well as management support and technical assistance;
- (ii) Review of feasibility study, preparation of detail designs and tender documents, procurement management as well as construction supervision (in the role of the “engineer”) for two hydropower schemes on Panjkora River - 47MW Kalkot-Barikot-Patruk Hydropower and 22MW Patruk-Sheringal Hydropower Project in District Upper Dir;
- (iii) Provision of technical assistance, training, capacity building in all aspects of Hydropower projects, identification planning, design, development, construction supervision, financial management, developing financing, legal and institutional strategies and structures as well as Project Management.

2. The consulting services are expected to start from January 2020 and would be committed till completion of the project which is at least six years. The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment *can be obtained from the office of Director Business Development PEDO.*

3. The PEDO now invites EOI's from eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:

- (a) At least twelve years of experience in development, design, and construction supervision of hydropower projects as a core business, should have expertise in

- environment management, health and safety and site management of large (100 MW+) hydropower projects;
- (b) Should have cumulatively designed and implemented at least 2,000 MW of hydropower plants in at least three countries;
 - (c) Key professional and managerial staff to have expertise in design and construction supervision of dams, tunnels, hydropower plants, turbines, generator and electrical substation.

Key Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.

4. The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" July 2016 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest. 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 and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected.

5. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost Based selection (QCBS) method set out in the Procurement Regulations.

6. Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours. *0900 to 1700 hours, Monday through Friday*. EOI is available on PEDO website <http://www.pedo.pk>.

7. Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by fax) **by May 15, 2019**.

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