

Minutes of First meeting of Consultancy Evaluation Committee (CEC) for selection of consultant for review/appraisal of Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA)

The first meeting of the CEC was held on 30.3.2017 at 3.00 pm to evaluate the applications received on basis of pre-qualification criteria mentioned in the Expression of Interest (EOI) advertised by this Ministry.

The meeting was attended by the following:-

- (1) Shri Maneesh Garg, JS (SE.1), Chairman,
- (2) Shri Anil Kakaria, DS (Finance) and
- (3) Ms. Nazli J. Shayin, Director (RMSA-II) Member Secretary.

2. Director (RMSA-II) informed that in response to the EOI, 08 applications were received in time along with requisite documents and Processing fee.

Based on the discussions in the meeting, the Committee was of the view that a wider response to EoI is desired for which institutions/societies/organisations which undertake such consultancy work should also be invited. RMSA has been in inception since 2009 and the interventions under the scheme have been made on a large scale throughout the country. In order to have a fair assessment and evaluation of the scheme and to broaden the competition and provide the Ministry with a wider choice and scope of selecting the best consultant at a fair cost, efforts should be made to increase the participation in the EOI.

3. Accordingly, the Committee in terms of the note to the advertisement on the EoI wherein it has been mentioned "Information provided at this stage is indicative and DSEL, MHRD reserves the right to amend/add further details in the EoI", the committee recommended following changes to the clause 10 of the EoI:


S. No.	Pre-qualification Criteria (Existing)	Pre-qualification Criteria (Proposed/Recommended)
1.	The applicant shall be a firm/ company/ partnership/ proprietorship firm registered under the Indian Companies Act, 1956/ the partnership Act, 1932 and who have their registered offices in India and must have an office in National Capital Region of Delhi.	The Applicant shall either be a (i) trust registered under the Indian Trusts Act, 1882 or the Bombay Public Trusts Act, 1950 (or other applicable laws); or (ii) a society registered under the Societies Registration Act, 1860 (or other applicable laws) or (iii) a not-for profit company, incorporated under Section 25 of the Companies Act, 1956; or (iv) a firm/ company/ partnership/ proprietorship firm registered under the Indian Companies Act, 1956/ the partnership Act, 1932 or (v) Research and Higher educational institutions.


2.	The Bidder has to be profitable and should not have incurred loss in any of the last 3 consecutive Financial Years (FY 2013-14, 2014-15 & 2015-16)	The Bidder has to be profitable and should not have incurred loss in any of the last 3 consecutive Financial Years (FY 2013-14, 2014-15 & 2015-16). This clause is exempted in case of a Trust or a society or a not-for profit company or an institution as defined at S.No1 above.
3.	The Bidder must have an office in Delhi / NCR.	The applicants should have their registered offices in India

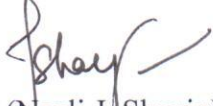
In view of the above modifications, a revised EoI would be circulated for inviting applications by 13th April 2017.

4. The agencies who have applied to the EOI published dated 03-02-2017 need not apply again.

5. Meeting ended with thanks to the chair.


(Maneesh Garg)
Joint Secretary (SE-1)


(Anil Kakaria)
Deputy Secretary (Finance)


(Nazli J. Shayin)
Director (RMSA-II)