

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST
PROCUREMENT OF CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR NBP DATA
CENTER PROJECT MANAGEMENT
ID: NBP/ITD/P&VM/CS/DC/18042014

National Bank of Pakistan invites tax registered, experienced and competent consulting firm to submit Expression of Interest (EOI) for procurement of consultancy services for NBP Data Center project management in a transparent manner by adopting PPRA Rules, 2004 and Procurement of Consultancy Services Regulations, 2010.

Scope

The scope of work includes but not limited to oversee project implementation cycle of NBP Tier III/3 Data Center including design, construction, commission into service, integration, testing and overall project management keeping in mind the complexity of the project and its timelines. Therefore, the consultant must be able to provide end-to-end consulting throughout the data center project.

The consultant will ensure successful implementation of NBP tier III/3 Data Center from start to completion and beyond to make sure that project is delivered within the scope and on time. In order to effectively serve NBP, the Consultants will follow the structured project management framework model and ensure the project forwards as per project plan and all deliverables/ milestones being delivered/ accomplished on time.

Similar nature project of consultancy services for Data Center implementation at other NBP sites shall also be accorded to the winning consultant, if required.

Eligibility Criteria

The following eligibility criteria shall be followed:

S. No	Terms and conditions	Yes/ No
1	The interested firm must be a tax registered firm and must provide NTN /STN certificate	
2	The interested firm must submit an undertaking that it is in consulting business for at least five (05) years.	
3	Consulting firm should have been incorporated for at least five (05) years. Certificate of Incorporation required.	
4	The firm should have provided consultancy services for offering similar services for construction/implementation projects in Pakistan. Similar projects references required.	
5	The interested firm must submit an undertaking that it is not blacklisted before by any bank/organization.	
6	The interested firm must submit an undertaking that it is not involved in any bankruptcy cases.	
7	The interested firm must submit an undertaking that it does not have any joint venture or business relationships with the existing NBP Data Center vendor.	
8	Audited financial statements must be submitted for 2012 -2013.	

**Note: Firms, through any means, be linked or provide services/equipment for NBP Data center project cannot participate in this tender.*

Guidelines for submission of EOI

In order to qualify for the next stage, the consulting firm must meet the stated eligibility criteria. Interested firms fulfilling the defined criteria are requested to submit their Expression of Interest by providing information that they possess which reflects their required capabilities and expertise (including company profiles and above mentioned documents etc.)

Expression of Interest shall be submitted in two separate envelopes, one marked ORIGINAL and one marked COPY and must be delivered to the address below not later than **Thursday, May 08, 2014**.

Shortlisted firms who will qualify the stated eligibility criteria will be contacted for submission of Technical and Financial Proposal. Pursuant to Regulation- 3(B) Methods of Selection of Consultants of "Procurement of Consultancy Services Regulations, 2010" of PPRA; Quality and Cost Based Selection will be adopted for the selection of consultant.

For more details please contact the under-signed on following telephone numbers: (92)21-99220979, (92)21-99062585 or (92)21-99220100-30 Ext. 2815.

Note: NBP reserves the right to cancel this invitation at any stage.

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