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

INDIA

Sustainable Livelihoods and Adaption to Climate Change (SLACC)

Grant No.: TF-18700

Assignment Title: **Hiring of Agency for Remote Sensing & GIS Application**

Reference No. : **SLACC-7 -SBCC-CF**

The Government of India (hereinafter called “Recipient”) has received grant from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD), (the “Bank”) , acting as an implementing agency of the Global Environment Facility (GEF), (hereinafter called grant) toward the cost of Sustainable Livelihoods and Adaption to Climate Change Project (SLACC).

The SLACC project (hereafter referred to as the project) is being implemented in Madhya Pradesh and Bihar under National Rural Livelihoods Mission (NRLM) of Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD), Government of India. The project has been implemented in about 200 villages covering 2 Districts each in Bihar and Madhya Pradesh.

This assignment is related to developing and implementing a Monitoring and Evaluation system for the project in Bihar and Madhya Pradesh that includes a hybrid approach of using remote sensing (RS) and geographical information system (GIS) technologies with more conventional qualitative and quantitative survey techniques. The objective of assignment comprises of:-

- Preparing a climate change and farm-based livelihoods suitability plan that is based on historic, current climate analysis and future climate scenarios for each project village.
- Developing and implementing a GIS MIS system that measures, tracks and reports progress against indicators mentioned in the Results Framework and the GEF Tracking Tool.

The Bihar Rural Livelihoods Promotion Society now invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the Services for Bihar & Madhya Pradesh. Interested Consultants fulfill below shortlisting criteria should provide information in the attached tabular format demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The tabular format may be downloaded from www.brlp.in

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of the World Bank’s Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants under IDA Credits by World Bank Borrowers (2011), updated in July 2014 (“Consultant Guidelines”), setting forth the World Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.

Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub consultancy to enhance their qualifications.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the QCBS method set out in the Consultant Guidelines. Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours from 10.00 AM to 05.00 PM.

Expressions of interest for providing consultancy services should be delivered in sealed envelope in a written form **with a soft copy in CD/DVD** along with necessary supporting documents to the address below in person or by mail within 21 days from the date of publication of advertisement till 17:00 hrs. EoIs will be opened on the same date at 17:30 hours. Interested agencies may attend the opening. **The envelope should bear the name of assignment for which EOI is being submitted.**

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