



INDIA
GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU
HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT
TAMIL NADU ROAD SECTOR PROJECT
IBRD Loan No. 4706 IN

Invitation for Expression of Interest for the Consultancy Services to Develop and Implement Integrated Project and Finance Management System (P&FMS) for Highways Department under Tamil Nadu Road Sector Project.

This request for Expression of Interest follows the general procurement notice for this project that is approved in *UN Development Business* No.593 of October 31, 2002.

The Government of India (GOI) has received a loan from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (*IBRD*) towards the cost of Tamil Nadu Road Sector Project, and it intends to apply a portion of this loan to eligible payments under the Contract for the **Consultancy Services to Develop and Implement Integrated Project and Finance Management System.**

The services include Implementation of simple Applications for Integrated Project Management, Financial Management and Employee record functions at Highways Department. The Developed software is for the use of Highways Department in a Government setup following Government procedures. The contract duration is 12 months of which initial 6 months will be for the software development on pilot basis. The tentative budget for this is about 40 million INR.

The Government of Tamil Nadu represented by the Project Director, Tamil Nadu Road Sector Project (TNRSP) now invites for and on behalf of Governor of State of Tamil Nadu, eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions and similar kind of works, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.). Consultants may associate with other firms or entities as a joint venture relationship or sub consultancy as appropriate to enhance their qualifications.

A consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank's *Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrower* (current edition).

Interested consultants may obtain the Background documents from the following web sites,

1. www.tnrsp.com
2. www.tnhighways.org

Interested Consultants must deliver their Expression of Interest to the address mentioned below on or before IST 16.00 hours of **15.12.2008**

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