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

Assignment Title: HIRING OF FIRM FOR MONITORING OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS ATTENDANCE IN SELECTED AREAS THROUGH SOLAR POWERED BIOMETRIC SYSTEM with Smart Phones

Government of the Punjab (GOP) is implementing the Education Sector Reform Programme (PESRP) with the assistance of the donors to support and scale-up specific interventions to improve education outcomes. In order to accomplish the desired results, GOP have undertaken various initiatives designed to support various activities including financial management, research and monitoring mechanisms. Under this programme, GOP intends to implement a pilot project in 30 selected schools to monitor the attendance of the Public School Teachers through solar powered Biometric System with Smart Phones. The real time data collected through the new monitoring mechanism will help improve the presence of the teachers in the schools which will ultimately result in improving the governance and education output.

For the above purpose, GOPunjab is seeking an experienced firm in Pakistan to provide the desired services. PESRP-PMIU now invites registered firms to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested firms should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services:

EOI Evaluation criteria is as under:

- Company profile: must be a registered firm: 10 scores
- Corporate capacity: have capacity to deploy the staff with required logistics, permanent staff and temporary staff, names with their complete CVs indicating qualification and experience; 25 scores
- Detail of similar works/assignments already completed: please mention name of each assignment completed, duration and cost involved i.e. specific experience in education sector/Public Sector: 25 scores
- Delivery mechanism: complete proposal in regard to work plan/implementation plan and teams to be constituted to handle the assignment as per above requirements: 30 scores
- Financial stability certificate: copy of audited reports of last five years if possible: 10 scores

A consulting firm may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a subconsultancy to enhance their qualifications.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours i.e. 0900 to 1600 Monday to Friday.

Firm will be selected in accordance with the PPRA Rules. Request for Proposal (RFP) will be sent to the qualified firms which will secure 60 scores. Expression of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below by December 12, 2013.

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