

**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST**  
**JALALPUR IRRIGATION PROJECT**  
**COMMAND AREA DEVELOPMENT CONSULTANTS (CAD)**  
**JIP/CSC-03**

Country: Pakistan  
Project Name & Number: Jalalpur Irrigation Project (4652B-02)  
Consultancy Services: Command Area Development Consultants (CAD)  
Deadline for Submission: 18 October 2018 by 11:00 Hours of Pakistan Standard Time  
Implementing Agency: Director General Agriculture (Water Management)/ Project Director CAD Component of JIP, Directorate General Agriculture (Water Management) Punjab, 21 Davis Road, Lahore, Pakistan

Jalalpur Irrigation Project (JIP) has been approved by the ECENC on 07 February 2018 at a total cost of PKR 32,721.46 million and subsequently the project has been signed with the Asian Development Bank (ADB) at a total cost of US\$ 274,630 million on 13 April 2018. A part of loan proceeds will cover the consultancy services cost for command area development consultants of the JIP.

The Jalalpur Irrigation Canal off takes from Rasul Barrage and runs 117 km along right bank of River Jhelum. It is a non-perennial irrigation system, which would irrigate about 169,000 acres of virgin land located in Jhelum and Khushab districts. The key objective of the project is to develop the culturable waste land for agriculture and promote irrigated agriculture with efficient utilization of limited water resources being made available from new canal system through sustainable infrastructure development at the farm level.

The Command Area Development (CAD) component of the JIP envisages construction and lining (upto 50%) of 485 watercourses, LASER land leveling of 30,000 acres, installation of HEIS on 2,000 acres and construction of 20 water storage ponds with solar powered pumping stations for irrigating un-commanded areas in the outlet commands besides awareness creation, training, capacity development, extension services and demonstration activities. The CAD component will be implemented by the Punjab Agriculture Department through its Water Management and Extension wings. The CAD component has been approved at a total cost of PKR 3,959.702 million including government/ donor share of PKR 3,417.412 million and farmer contribution of PKR 542.290 million during four years i.e. from 2019-20 to 2022-23.

The recruitment/ engagement of Command Area Development Consultants (CADCs) has been planned under the JIP for implementation supervision and third party validation of project activities. The consultant's main responsibilities would be design review/approval, construction supervision, quality assurance, technical assistance, and overall coordination of project execution. The consultancy services are required to supervise and ensure that CAD activities of Jalalpur Irrigation Canal are executed in an orderly manner with a high standard of workmanship and specified quality of materials within the envisaged implementation period and in conformity to best possible and latest technical (design, specification and drawing), social and environmental standards. The consultants' team will primarily report to the Director General Agriculture (Water Management)/ Project Director of CAD Component of the JIP.

This advertisement/ publication calls engineering consultancy firms to submit Expression of Interest (EOI) to deliver engineering consultancy services for the assignment. The request for EOI and Terms of References (TORs) for CAD consulting services can be downloaded from websites of OFWM, PPRA and the Consulting Management System (CMS) of the ADB. The "Source of Selection" will be "National Short Listing".

Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications, but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a Joint Venture (JV) and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a JV, all the partners in the JV shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected. Only shortlisted firms/ JVs will subsequently be invited to submit technical and financial proposals on the prescribed RFP. The names and addresses of shortlisted firms will also be posted on the CSM-ADB and OFWM website. The selected firm/ JV, having the highest technical and financial scores, will be invited to negotiate the contract. The applicant may refer to ADB -Project Administration Instructions PAI No.2.03 Revised December 2014, titled: "GENERAL PROCEDURE FOR SELECTING AND ENGAGING CONSULTANTS", for further information on selection of consultants.

Directorate General Agriculture (Water Management), on behalf of Punjab Agriculture Department invites eligible consulting firms from ADB member countries to express EOI in providing the required consultancy services. For preparation of EOI, ADB's templates must be used, which can be downloaded from <http://www.adb.org/sites/default/files/page/83267/eoi-firm-other-selectionmethod.doc> (or search ADB EOI consulting) or ADB CMS. Engineering consultancy firms of international and national origin, having sufficient experience and desirous of undertaking the assignment should submit the EOI along with the following information in English language stating background of their organization and professional experts:

- a) Name, address, telephone and fax numbers and e-mail address of Consultants;
- b) Country of origin, ownership and organizational structure of the Consultants;
- c) Registration with income and sales tax departments and updated Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) registration;
- d) List of similar assignments completed and on-going undertaken by the firm related to project during last 15 years indicating (i) project cost and cost of consultancy services; (ii) share in assignment in case of joint venture; (iii) key staff time input and (iv) description of the nature and scope of work;
- e) Audited statements of accounts and annual turnover for the last three (03) years;
- f) Undertaking/ Affidavit that the firm has not been sanctioned or declared ineligible by ADB or debarred by any Government /Semi Government Organization and the firm/ JV have never been blacklisted by any government department and all the information provided by the applicant firm/JV is correct.

The short listing criteria will be based on technical and managerial capacity of the firm. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method. Applicant firms are required to submit their EOI online through CMS, ADB and must deliver their EOI in three (3) hard copies to the address mentioned in this request. Applicant firms are requested to provide only relevant information specific to the proposed services and avoid submitting generic promotional literature. The POD/ information related to project may be downloaded from ADB of OFWM website free of cost.

The Implementing Agency (IA) reserves the right to: (i) cancel this recruitment process at any time and interested firms are responsible for all costs incurred arising out of or in relation to this request, and (ii) amend or withdraw the terms of reference, budget, this EOI and any or all attachments at any time. Interested firms are advised to address their enquiries (not later than 10 days before submission date) and submission to the following address:

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