# OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER(HQ) GROUND WATER DEPARTMENT, JAIPUR

S. No. F1(27)/NHP/SE(HQ)/GWD/JPR/2019/281

Date: 09.12.2022

## **Expression of Interest (EOI)**

#### EOI No.: NHP/GWD/RAJ/EOI/03/2022

## Hiring of Hydrogeologist under National Hydrology Project for Ground Water Department (GWD) Rajasthan for the period of one year from the date of signing of contract

National Hydrology project (NHP) is being implemented all over India by Ministry of Jal Shakti GoI with active assistance of the World Bank. Ground Water Department Govt. of Rajasthan is the implementing agency for the NHP Ground Water component in Rajasthan. The Superintending Engineer (HQ), GWD, Jaipur, GOR intends to engage 'Individual Consultant' to provide operational as well as professional support for execution of NHP Rajasthan Ground Water Component. There will be one post of the individual consultant named as Hydrogeologist.

- 1. The Terms of Reference consisting of eligibility criteria, functions and responsibilities etc. for the post of Hydrogeologist and Annexure attached herewith shall be part of this EOI.
- 2. The SE(HQ), GWD, Jaipur invites interested eligible individuals/candidates to submit proposals to indicate their interest for the above mentioned specialist position.

#### 3. The Submission of Proposals

The proposals shall be submitted in only one part and should follow the forms given in Annexure 1 and 3.

- 3.1 The proposal must be submitted in sealed envelope duly following the formats/schedules given in the Annexure. The envelope should include the duly filled and signed Letter of Offer (Annexure 1), CV (Annexure 3) mentioning educational qualifications, description of the general experience in the field of assignment and the qualification and competency for the assignment, Duly signed EOI, TOR and Annexure (Each page must be signed), and Duly filled Annexure 6 and supporting documents as per Annexure 6 for verifying claims made by consultant in submitted CV etc.
- 3.2 The sealed envelope super scribed "<u>Proposal against Expression of Interest for Hiring of Hydrogeologist under NHP</u>" and be delivered to the address below by not later than **01:00 PM on 26.12.2022** In case this last date being declared as holiday by the State Government. Due date for submission of above "Expression of Interest for Hydrogeologist under NHP" will be the next working day up till the same appointed time.

## 4. Opening of proposal

The Proposals will be opened in the office of SE, GWD, Jaipur at 03:00 PM on 26.12.2022.

#### 5. Evaluation

The Proposals will be evaluated using the criteria mentioned in Annexure 7.

Curriculum vitae of consultant for assessing the qualifications and experience should be included with the proposal (in the format of the sample curriculum vitae). You will be rated in accordance with criteria mentioned in Annexure 7.

Proposal will not be entertained without supporting documents as per Annexure 6.

## 6. Deciding Award of Contract

Quality and competence of the consulting service shall be considered as the paramount requirement. The decision of the award of the contract would be based on following criteria:

- A. Total Score obtained by the Individual Consultant in the Evaluation of Proposal would be calculated in accordance with the Evaluation Criteria given in Annexure 7. Score for any item in Annexure 7 would be considered for calculation of Total Score only if supporting document (As per Annexure 6) for that item is attached with Proposal.
- B. Those Individual Consultants who's Total Score is more than 60 out of 100, would be considered "Qualified Candidates". A merit list of qualified candidates would be prepared based on Total Score obtained by them in Evaluation of Proposals.
- C. The Qualified Candidate scoring highest Score out of all qualified candidates would be selected for this consultancy work and would be invited for negotiation of a contract after reaching agreement on satisfactory terms and conditions of the contract, including reasonable fees and other expenses.
- D. If the negotiations with the selected Individual Consultant fail, as per World Bank Guidelines, the purchaser would seek Bank's no-objection before proceeding to negotiate with the next best individual. If bank provides no-objection then next best individual would be invited for negotiating a contract.
- 7. Please note that the SE (HQ), GWD, Jaipur is not bound to select any of the consultant submitting proposals.
- 8. You are requested to hold your proposal valid for 40 days from the deadline fixed for the offer submission without change the personnel proposed for the assignment and your proposed price. The SE (HQ), GWD, Jaipur will make its best efforts to select a consultant within this period.
- 9. Please note that the cost of preparing a proposal and of negotiating a contract if any is not reimbursable as a direct cost of the assignment.
- 10. An individual consultant being selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank's "Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants Under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers- January 2011 (Revised July 2014)"/ The Guidelines are available at www.worldbank.org/procure.

11. Interested individuals may obtain further information at the address given below from 10.00-17.00 hours (IST) on all working days. This notice for engagement of individual consultants has also been posted on: <a href="https://phedwater.rajasthan.gov.in/content/raj/water/ground-water/en/departmental-tender.html#">https://phedwater.rajasthan.gov.in/content/raj/water/ground-water/en/departmental-tender.html#</a>

Name and Address of Client: Superintending Engineer (HQ) Ground Water Department, Jaipur 72-B Jhalana Institutional Area, Jhalana Doongri-302004 Contact No. 0141-2706056 Email: mkgsehqgwd@gmail.com

Superintending Engineer (HQ)
GWD, Jaipur

## TOR for Hiring of Hydrogeologist under National Hydrology Project for Ground Water Department (GWD) Rajasthan

## 1. Background

National Hydrology Project is being implemented all over India by Ministry of Jal Shakti, Government of India with the active assistance of World Bank. The funding for the NHP project is in the form of 100% Grant-in-Aid from GoI. The project is closely aligned with the GoI's water sector priorities set out in the 12th Five-year Plan (FYP)(2012–17), which calls for a paradigm shift toward integrated management of water resources based on improved systems for water data collection and information management and open access to water information.

This project envisages to support the establishment and up-gradation of hydrometeorological monitoring network, water resources data management, water resources information systems, development of decision support tools for flood forecasting, water resources operation and planning etc. thereby institutional strengthening of related water resources departments of the country including Ground Water Departments. The duration of the project is eight years starting from 2016-17 and ending in 2023-24. Ground Water Department, Government of Rajasthan is the Implementing Agency for the ground water components in Rajasthan. The expenditure of the project would be met from funds allocated by GoI for the State of Rajasthan.

The NHP has following four components:

Component A: Water Resources Data Acquisition System

Component B: Water Resources Information System

Component C: Water Resources Operation and Planning System

Component D: Institutions Capacity Enhancement

## Some of the key activities envisaged under NHP for Rajasthan Ground Water Department are:

- 1) Installation of TDWLRs on Piezometers located across State of Rajasthan.
- 2) Construction of Piezometers in all 33 districts of Rajasthan.
- 3) Extension of Water Quality (WQ) Lab Building at GWD Jaipur and Renovation of Water Quality Lab Building at GWD Jodhpur.
- 4) Furnishing WQ Lab Buildings at Ground Water Department.
- 5) Maintenance of WQ Labs at Ground Water Department.
- 6) Procurement of Water Quality Testing Equipment for WQ Labs at Ground Water Department.
- 7) Hiring of Hydrogeologist for consultancy services.
- 8) Procurement of IT Equipments.
- 9) Hiring of Vehicle etc.

## 2. Objectives of Consultancy

The objective is to hire a qualified Hydrogeologist as per 'Eligibility Criteria' mentioned in the TOR, through "INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT" selection procedure of World Bank guidelines. This hired Hydrogeologist would provide operational as well as professional support for effective and efficient implementation of National Hydrology Project at Ground Water Department, Rajasthan.

## 3. Scope of Consultancy Service

- i. Provide technical assistance to Nodal Officer NHP-GWD in activities relating to hydrogeology.
- ii. Assist Nodal officer in coordination and communication with concerned Superintending Hydrogeologists, Senior Hydrogeologists and In-charge Hydrogeologists of the department regarding desired Hydrogeological information, project implementation status& other field activities.
- iii. Monitor the project implementation of activities dealing with hydrogeology, collect and compile progress reports entailing project implementation status and submit them to the Nodal Officer NHP-GWD.
- iv. Assist Nodal officer in coordination and communication with concerned contactor regarding effective and efficient implementation of the contracted activities.
- v. Assist Nodal officer in Regularly monitoring the project implementation.
- vi. Assist Nodal officer in coordination and communication with NPMU-NHP, Ministry of Jal Shakti, New Delhi and SPMU-NHP, WRD, Rajasthan for necessary approvals, data & information exchange and PIP/AWP/PP/MIS related matters etc.
- vii. Updation of project related information such as project implementation status on the MIS and STEP portal.
- viii. Ensure smooth transmission of real time data from TDWLRs to Servers at WIMIS, Delhi & state data centre at WRD Jaipur.
  - ix. Communication with DSPC, GWD Jodhpur regarding processed Hydro geological and water level data from field and analyze it and presentation of analyzed data in the form of Tables, Charts and reports to the Nodal Officer NHP-GWD as required.
  - x. To assist in procurement activities, preparation of cost estimation, note sheets etc.
  - xi. To coordinate with GIS Expert to develop various Hydrogeology maps on GIS Platform as per requirement of the Department.
- xii. Execute other tasks related with hydro geological issues as and when entrusted.
- xiii. Regularly check WIMS portal and update GWD related data on it in coordination with DSPC & NHP-NPMU.
- xiv. Coordinate with Audit Team of World Bank/Govt. and Hydrogeologists of Ground Water Department for Audit Task at field and office. Prepare & Present relevant reports as desired by audit team.

- xv. Proper site selection for the Construction/ Physical verification of Piezometers/TDWLR under NHP as per the criteria decided by the Nodal Officer.
- xvi. Installation/Physical verification/Data monitoring of TDWRs on already constructed and newly proposed Piezometers.
- xvii. Visiting the site for appropriate duration as per direction issued by Nodal Officer from time to time.

#### 4. Data services and facilities to be provided by the client

The following amenities will be provided by the Client:

- i. The data collection shall be facilitated by the client.
- ii. Work place with appropriate Hardware and Software.
- iii. All required stationary.

## 5. Final Output from the Consultant

- i. Monthly progress report of NHP Work
- ii. Data Compilation Report (TDWLR)
- iii. Final Assessment Report of benefits accrued to the Ground Water Department by NHP when required.
- iv. Assist in creation of GIS Reports of Key Ground Water Monitoring Stations (Pz) to be installed under NHP with the help of GIS expert available in SPMU-WRD, Jaipur and NHP-NPMU, New Delhi.
- v. Compilation of reports on benefits of Chemical Lab equipments procured under NHP with the help of Sr. Chemists of GWD.
- vi. Report to Audit Team as and when required by Audit Team of World Bank/Govt.

## 6. Eligibility Criteria: Academic Qualifications & Experience

S. No	Designation	Qualifications & Experience
1	Hydrogeologist	<ul> <li>Post Graduate in Geology/applied Geology/ Hydrogeology/ applied Hydrogeology with over 5 years of experience in groundwater sector.</li> </ul>

## 7. Consultancy Charges

- I. Fixed monthly remuneration: 90,000.00 Rs.
- II. Reimbursable Items: As follows:
  - i. Rail/Bus Fair = 1.20 Rs. Per Km Traveled
  - ii. Local Travel during Tour = 200 Rs. Per Tour
  - iii. Daily Allowance during Tour = 500 Rs. Per day
  - iv. Boarding & Lodging while on Tour = 1800 Rs. Per Day

v. Out of Pocket Expenditure incurred by the consultant for the official work with prior permission of SE(HQ) & Nodal Office, NHP-GWD, Jaipur will be reimbursed as per actual.

<u>Note</u>: No Fair would be provided while using Office Vehicle for (i) travel between Headquarter and destination place and (ii) local travel during tour.

III. Consultancy charges will be paid to the Individual Consultant on the satisfactory service certificate issued by Nodal Officer NHP.

#### 8. Period of Contract

1 year from signing of contract.

#### 9. Compliance with World Bank Guidelines.

- a) The Consultant shall not have conflict of interest as defined in the Bank's Procurement Regulations;
- b) The Consultant should not have been either temporarily suspended or debarred by the World Bank Group in compliance with the Bank's Anti-Corruption Guidelines and its Sanctions Framework; or blacklisted or suspended by Central or any State Government Departments in India.
- **10.** The Purchaser has the right to terminate the contract at any time if the services provided by the consultant are found to be unsatisfactory or by any other reasons.

#### 11. Evaluation Methodology of consultant's work

- a) The services provided by the consultant would be evaluated/ reviewed from time to time by the evaluation committee formed for this purpose. The Tender cum procurement committee of NHP-GWD will act as the evaluation committee for this purpose.
- b) Criteria of Evaluation shall be based on any or all of following output expectations as decided by Evaluation committee:
  - Monthly progress report of NHP Work
  - Data Compilation Report (TDWLR)
  - Midterm reviewed and Final Assessment Report of benefits accrued to the Ground Water Department by NHP when required.
  - Compilation of reports on benefits of Chemical Lab equipments procured under NHP with the help of Sr. Chemists of GWD.
  - Report to Audit Team as and when required by Audit Team of World Bank/Govt.
- **12. Engaged Consultant:** Hiring of hydrogeologist through this EOI is purely on contract basis and the engaged consultant will not claim any type of job in the department during or after the completion of contractual tenure.
- **13. Jurisdiction:** All questions, disputes, differences, arising either out of or in connection with this contract shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction at Jaipur.

#### **Letter of Offer**

The Individual Consultant must prepare the Letter of Offer on stationery clearly showing the Individual Consultant's complete name and address. The italicized text is for Individual Consultant's guidance in preparing these forms and shall be deleted from the final products.

EOI No.: NHP/GWD/RAJ/EOI/03/202	2
Our Reference: No	dated
То:	
Superintending Engineer (HQ) Ground Water Department, Jaipur	

**Subject:** Hiring of Hydrogeologist under National Hydrology Project for Ground Water Department (GWD) Rajasthan for the period of one year from the date of signing of contract.

Sir.

I offer to execute the consulting services as described in your Expression of Interest. This EOI and your written acceptance of it shall constitute a binding contract between us. We understand that you are not bound to accept the one or any offer you receive.

## Ihereby confirm that

- (a) No reservations: I have examined and have no reservations to the EOI Document;
- **(b) Conformity:** I offer to provide Consulting Services as Hydrogeologist under National Hydrology Project for Ground Water Department (GWD) Rajasthan for the period of one year from the date of signing of contract in conformity with the EOI Document and in accordance with the Terms and condition specified in the Terms of Reference (TOR).
- (c) Consultancy Charges: I accept the consultancy charges mentioned in clause 7 of this TOR.
- (d) **Offer Validity Period:** My offer shall be valid for the period of 40 days, from the deadline fixed for the offer submission;
- (e) **Eligibility**: I meet the eligibility requirements and have no conflict of interest, we are not participating in more than one offer in this procurement process, and we have not been temporarily suspended or debarred by the World Bank or blacklisted or suspended the Central or any State Government;
- (f) **Fraud and Corruption:** I hereby certify that we have taken steps to ensure that no person acting for us or on our behalf will engage in any type of corrupt, fraudulent, collusive,

- coercive, or obstructive practices; and we will strictly observe the laws against fraud and corruption in force in India namely, "Prevention of Corruption Act 1988."
- (h) I hereby certify that we have taken steps to ensure that no person acting for us or on our behalf has engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, coercive, or obstructive practices (as defined in the prevailing World Bank's sanctions procedures) in competing for or in performing the Contract.

Yours faithfully,

Authorized Signa	ature		
Name & Title of	Signatory		
In the capacity o	f [insert legal capacity of	person signing th	ne Letter of Offer]
Name of Individ	ual Consultant		
Address			
Dated on	day of	,	[insert date of signing]

#### CONTRACT FOR THE HIRING OF INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT

# Draft Agreement form for Consulting Services through Individual Consultant

## ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT

This deed of agreement is made in	the form of agreement on	between
Mahendra Kumar Gupta, Superintendi	ing Engineer (HQ), GWD, Jaipur (Em	nployer) (hereinafter
referred to as the first party) and	(Name	e of the Individual
Consultant),S/D/W/O	_resident	of
	(hereinafter referred to as the	e second party), to
execute the work of – "Hiring of one	e Hydrogeologist under National H	ydrology Project for
Ground Water Department (GWD) Raja	sthan for the period of one year froi	m the date of signing
of contract" (hereinafter referred to as	work) on the following terms and co	onditions.
CONTRACT DOCUMENTS		
This Contract is comprised of the follow	wing documents with order of preced	dence as indicated
below in the event of any conflict betwe	een or among them:	
a. This document (EOI)		

- b. Terms of Reference (TOR)
- c. Proposal including Letter of Offer.
- d. All Amendments to this EOI, if any.

## 2. CONTRACT DURATION

This Contract shall for commence on	and expire on	unless otherwise
terminated in accordance with FOI attach.		

## 3. PAYMENT

1.

- a) For the satisfactory completion of the services on monthly basis under this Contract, NHP-GWD shall pay based on the agreed rates of this contract (TOR) upon certification by SE (HQ), GWD, Jaipur.
- b) Payments for the previous month shall normally be made till 7<sup>th</sup> of the next month.
- c) The price of this Contract is not subject to any adjustment or revision because of price or currency fluctuations or the actual costs incurred by the Individual Consultant in the performance of the Contract.

#### 4. LEAVES & HOLIDAYS

- a) Working Days, Holidays and working time applicable to the Individual Consultant would be as per Government of Rajasthan rules. However, the purchaser has the right to employ the services of the Consultant on holidays and beyond the normal office working time as well without any additional payment to the consultant.
- b) The Individual Consultant would be entitled to 18 Paid Leaves in each year of the contract. However, Whether to Grant or not grant leave to the Individual Consultant would be the sole discretion of the purchaser.
- c) Other than 18 Paid Leaves, No other leave request would be entertained by the purchaser.
- d) In case the Individual Consultant remains absent on any working day that day's pay would be deducted from the consultant's monthly remuneration. One day's pay of consultant would be calculated using following formula:

One Day's Pay = 
$$\frac{Monthly\ Remuneration}{No.\ of\ Calender\ Days\ in\ that\ Month}$$

#### 5. NOTICES

Any notices required to be given hereunder shall be delivered by hand delivery, recognized courier service or registered post or email and shall be deemed to have been received on the date of actual receipt.

#### 6. TERMINATION

The Employer may terminate the Contract if the other party causes a fundamental breach of the Contract. Fundamental breaches of Contract include, but shall not be limited to the following:

- a. The first party gives Notice that failure to deliver his duties as per EOI and TOR is a fundamental breach of Contract.
- b. If the Contract is terminated the Individual Consultant shall stop work immediately.

#### 7. PAYMENT UPON TERMINATION

If the Contract is terminated because of a fundamental breach of Contract by the Bidder, the first party shall issue a certificate for the value of the work done less advance payments if any received up to the date of the issue of the certificate, less other recoveries due in terms of the contract, less taxes due to be deducted at source as per applicable law. The net balance amount shall be paid to the consultant.

#### 8. DISPUTE SETTLEMENT

If over the works, any dispute arises between the two parties, relating to any aspects of this Agreement, the parties shall first attempt to settle the dispute through mutual and amicable consultation.

In the event of mutual agreement not being reached, the matter will be referred to Chief Engineer, Ground Water Department, Jodhpur whose decision shall be final and binding on both the parties.

## 9. FRAUD AND CORRUPTION:

It is the Bank's policy to require that Borrowers (including beneficiaries of Bank loans), Bidders, and their agents (whether declared or not), sub-Bidders, sub-consultants, service providers, or suppliers, and any personnel thereof, observe the highest standard of ethics during the selection and execution of Bank-financed contracts [footnote: In this context, any action taken by a consultant or any of its personnel, or its agents, or its sub-consultants, sub-Bidders, services providers, suppliers, and/or their employees, to influence the selection process or contract execution for undue advantage is improper.]. The Contract would be subject to Bank's Policy – Corrupt and Fraudulent Practices as per attached annexure 5].

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the duly authorized agreement.	representatives of the Parties have signed this
For and on behalf:	
NHP-GWD	FOR THE Individual Consultant
Name: Mahendra Kumar Gupta	Name:
Designation: S.E.(HQ), GWD, Jaipur	Designation: Individual Consultant
Date:	Date

# "PROPOSAL" CV FORMAT

1. Name:			
	First	Middle	Last
2. Profession:			
3. Education:			
4. Nationality:			
5. Membership of P	Professional As	sociations:	
6. Employment Rec	ord:		
Period:			
Employer:			
Position Held:			
Summary of work d	lone:		
Period:			
Employer:			
Position Held:			
Summary of work of	lone:		
Period:			
Employer:			
Position Held:			
Summary of work d	lone:		
7. Work undertake	n that best illu	strates related work (clearly s	howing role played, duration
		ertaken, and core competencie	
Name of assignmen			
Year:			
Location:			
Client:			
Main Project Featur	res:		
Positions held:			
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Name of assignment or project:	
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Client:	
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Activities performed:	
Name of assignment or project:	
Year:	
Location:	
Client:	
Main Project Features:	
Positions held:	
Activities performed:	

## 8. List of Key Publications:

## **CITATION FORMAT:**

Author, (Year of publication). Title of journal article. *Title of journal: Subtitle of journal, volume number* (issue number), first page-last page.

## LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE CUM NOTICE TO PROCEED WITH THE CONSULTING SERVICE (Work Order)

То:		
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	SULTING SERVICE (Work Or	
	: NHP/GWD/RAJ/EOI/03/2022	
Dear Sir,		
Hydrogeologist unde Rajasthan for the per	er National Hydrology Project	er dated for "Hiring of on for Ground Water Department (GWI of signing of contract" for the consultance pted by us.
Paper and proceed v		ment form on Rs. 500 Non-judicial Stam under the instructions of the etion within the contract period.
		Yours faithfully,
	Su	uperintending Engineer (HQ) GWD, Jaipur

#### **Bank's Policy – Corrupt and Fraudulent Practices**

Guidelines for Selection and Employment of Consultants under IBRD Loans and IDA

Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers, dated January 2011:

## "Fraud and Corruption

It is the Bank's policy to require that Borrowers (including beneficiaries of Bank loans), consultants, and their agents (whether declared or not), sub-Bidders, sub-consultants, service providers, or suppliers, and any personnel thereof, observe the highest standard of ethics during the selection and execution of Bank-financed contracts [footnote: In this context, any action taken by a consultant or any of its personnel, or its agents, or its sub-consultants, sub-Bidders, services providers, suppliers, and/or their employees, to influence the selection process or contract execution for undue advantage is improper]. In pursuance of this policy, the Bank:

- (a) defines, for the purposes of this provision, the terms set forth below as follows:
  - i. "corrupt practice" is the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting, directly or indirectly, of anything of value to influence improperly the actions of another party1;
  - ii. "fraudulent practice" is any act or omission, including misrepresentation, that knowingly or recklessly misleads, or attempts to mislead, a party to obtain financial or other benefit or to avoid an obligation2;
  - iii. "collusive practices" is an arrangement between two or more parties designed to achieve an improper purpose, including to influence improperly the actions of another party3;
  - iv. "coercive practices" is impairing or harming, or threatening to impair or harm, directly or indirectly, any party or the property of the party to influence improperly the actions of a party4;
  - v. "obstructive practice" is
- (aa) deliberately destroying, falsifying, altering, or concealing of evidence material to the investigation or making false statements to investigators in order to materially impede

For the purpose of this sub-paragraph, "another party" refers to a public official acting in relation to the selection process or contract execution. In this context "public official" includes World Bank staff and employees of other organizations taking or reviewing selection decisions.

For the purpose of this sub-paragraph, "party" refers to a public official; the terms "benefit" and "obligation" relate to the selection process or contract execution; and the "act or omission" is intended to influence the selection process or contract execution.

For the purpose of this sub-paragraph, "parties" refers to participants in the procurement or selection process (including public officials) attempting either themselves, or through another person or entity not participating in the procurement or selection process, to simulate competition or to establish prices at artificial, non-competitive levels, or are privy to each other's bid prices or other conditions.

For the purpose of this sub-paragraph, "party" refers to a participant in the selection process or contract execution.

- a Bank investigation into allegations of a corrupt, fraudulent, coercive, or collusive practice; and/or threatening, harassing, or intimidating any party to prevent it from disclosing its knowledge of matters relevant to the investigation or from pursuing the investigation, or
- (bb) acts intended to materially impede the exercise of the Bank's inspection and audit rights;
- (b) will reject a proposal for award if it determines that the consultant recommended for award or any of its personnel, or its agents, or its sub-consultants, sub-Bidders, services providers, suppliers, and/or their employees, has, directly or indirectly, engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, coercive, or obstructive practices in competing for the contract in question;
- (c) will declare mis procurement and cancel the portion of the Loan allocated to a contract if it determines at any time that representatives of the Borrower or of a recipient of any part of the proceeds of the Loan were engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, coercive, or obstructive practices during the selection process or the implementation of the contract in question, without the Borrower having taken timely and appropriate action satisfactory to the Bank to address such practices when they occur, including by failing to inform the Bank in a timely manner they knew of the practices;
- (d) will sanction a firm or an individual at any time, in accordance with prevailing Bank's sanctions procedures5, including by publicly declaring such firm or an ineligible, either

indefinitely or for a stated period of time: (i) to be awarded a Bank-financed contract, and (ii) to be a nominated6 sub-consultant, supplier, or service provider of an otherwise eligible firm being awarded a Bank-financed contract.

A firm or an individual may be declared ineligible to be awarded a Bank-financed contract upon (i) completion of the Bank's sanctions proceedings as per its sanctions procedures,

including inter alia: cross-debarment as agreed with other International Financial Institutions, including Multilateral Development Banks, and through the application of the World Bank Group corporate administrative procurement sanctions procedures for fraud and corruption; and (ii) as a result of temporary suspension or early temporary suspension in connection with an ongoing sanctions proceedings. See footnote 12 and paragraph 8 of Appendix 1 of these Guidelines.

A nominated sub-consultant, supplier, or service provider is one which has been either (i) included by the consultant in its proposal because it brings specific and critical experience and know-how that are accounted for in the evaluation of the consultant's proposal for the particular services; or (ii) appointed by the Borrower.

## Annexure-6

		Information	to be furn	ished by Car	ndidate	
	Project:			ology Project		
	Name of		•			
	candidate:					
	Position:	Con	sultant Hy	drogeologist		
	Date:					
SI. No	Description of Criteria	Particular		Obtained Marks/No . of Years	Supporting Documents	Remark (if any)
1	Graduation	% of marks in Graduation			Mark sheet of Graduation from a recognized university	
2	Post Graduation	% of marks in F Graduation			Mark sheet of Post- Graduation from a recognized university	
3	Experience in relevant field	No. of years of Experience			Experience Certificate(s)	
5	Knowledge of Hindi and English Language	Marks out of 1 Hindi Language in 10 <sup>th</sup> Standar equivalent Marks out of 1 English Langua Subject in 10 <sup>th</sup> or equivalent No. of years fo	e Subject d or 00 in ge Standard		10 <sup>th</sup> Standard Mark sheet from a recognized Board  10 <sup>th</sup> Standard Mark sheet from a recognized Board  Proof of residence	
	Culture of Rajasthan	candidate have the resident of Rajasthan	e been		(Bonafide certificate/ School leaving certificate/ Rent Agreement/ Undertaking from Landlord/ any other document.	
6	Experience in World Bank Project	No. of years of Experience			Experience certificate(s)	
7	Computer Knowledge (Certificate, Diploma etc)	% of marks in Certificate/ Dip Computer Educ etc			Certificate/ Diploma etc	

## Annexure-7

	Project:	National Hydrology Project		
	Name of Candidate:			
	Position:	Hydrogeologist		
	Date:			
SI. No.	Description of Criteria (Maximum Marks)	Score Calculation Formula	Obtained Marks	Remarks
1	Graduation (10)	Score= % of marks in Graduation x 0.10		
2	Post-Graduation (20)	Score= % of marks in Post- Graduation x 0.20		
3	Experience in relevant field (25)	Score = No. of years of Experience * $5 \le 25$		
4	Knowledge of Hindi and English Language (10)	Score = (Marks out of 100 in Hindi Language Subject in $10^{th}$ Standard or equivalent) $x 0.05 + (Marks out of 100 in English Language Subject in 10^{th} Standard or equivalent) x 0.05$		
5	Knowledge of Culture of Rajasthan (5)	Score= (No. of years for the candidate have been the resident of Rajasthan) ≤ 5		
6	Experience in World Bank Project (20)	Score = No. of years of Experience * 4≤ 20		
7	Computer Knowledge (Certificate, Diploma etc) (10)	Score= % of marks in Certificate/ Diploma etc in computer education x 0.10		
	Total Marks (100)			