

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

**Invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI) for the selection of Consultancy for carrying out Independent Technical Review for Third and Fourth Year Road maintenance works.**

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)/Government of Tamil Nadu have received a loan from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) for implementation of the Tamil Nadu Road Sector Project. The Government of Tamil Nadu intends to apply a portion of this loan to eligible payments under the contract for the consultancy services for carrying out Independent Technical Review for Third and Fourth Year Road maintenance works.

The Technical Review Consultant will be engaged to strengthen the quality assurance and contract management aspects of maintenance works by reviewing the quality and quantity of civil works. The consultant will be responsible to

- 1 verify the suitability and adoptability of designs by undertaking a quick technical review in the detailed project reports prepared by the design consultant and subsequent changes made during execution;
- 2 verify the standards of quality, quantity and workmanship;
- 3 advise and assist on various other aspects of contracts supervision and contract management;

This technical review consultant by way of periodic sample surveys, field visits, quality control test results, examining construction supervision and variation orders issued, will verify the quality, quantity and proper geometry of the works and strict adherence to contract specification, Environmental Social Management Plan and other stipulation of the construction contract document.

The technical review shall be carried out on a sample basis of 20 % of works completed and under execution during the review period

The technical review consultant will submit periodic review reports and make recommendations for better improvement that will help the project achieve its objectives.

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 the 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 studies and similar kind of works, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.

A consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank's Guidelines for selection and Employment of consultants by World Bank Borrower (Current edition).

Interested consultants may obtain further information from the address given below from 10.00 hours to 17.00 hours (IST) on all working days. The invitation for EOI is also available on TNRSP's website <http://tnrsp.com>. It will also be published on UNDB's website <http://procurement.dgmarket.com>

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Interested consultants must submit their Expression of Interest to the address mentioned above on or before 11 .03.2009, before IST 16.00 hours.

Project Director,  
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