

REVISED/AMENDED

PROCUREMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS FOR PREPARATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (ESIA) REPORTS FOR CASA-1000 PROJECT FUNDED BY WORLD BANK

This is with reference to the advertisement already published in “Daily DAWN” and “Daily Jang” dated 20-02-2016. The complete revised/amended advertisement with some modifications is again mentioned as under:

National Transmission & Despatch Company Limited (NTDCL) was incorporated on 6th November, 1998 and commenced commercial operation on 24th December, 1998. It was organized to take over all the propertise, rights and assets obligations and liabilities of 220 KV and 500 KV Grid Stations and Transmission Lines/Network owned by Pakistan Water and Power Development Authority (WAPDA). NTDC operates and maintains twelve 500 KV and twenty nine 220 KV Grid Stations, 5077 km of 500 KV transmission line and 7359 km of 220 KV transmission line in Pakistan.

NTDC (the Employer), intends to hire the company/firm for conducting ESIA study of CASA-1000 for obtaining Environmental Approval from EPA and to meet the requirements of World Bank. The project components are:

1. *500/220 kV Grid Station at Peshawar.*
2. *500 kV HVDC Transmission Line (75 km).*
3. *One Convertor Station located at Azakhel, Cherat Road Peshawar (33 58.269 N, 71 51.517 E, 1096 feet Elevation).*
4. *One Earthing Electrode Station located at Tailaband, near Shamshatoo Camp Road (33 52.775 N, 71 41.990 E, 1329 feet Elevation).*

Required Qualification and Experience: Company/firm having 7 years overall experience and five years specific experience of conducting environmental assessments of power/energy projects are invited to submit their sealed proposals including technical and financial proposals at the address given below on or before 24 March, 2016 at 11:00 AM. The detailed RFP/TORs are available on NTDC website.

Time Period: Total time period of this consultancy service will be three (03) months.

Scope of Services and Deliverables: The Consultants will prepare ESIA report including Resettlement Plan (RP) of the project meeting the requirements of World Bank as well as of Government of Pakistan. The Consultants will be responsible for obtaining NOC from respective EPA, presenting the ESIA in Public Hearing and addressing all the queries raised by World Bank and EPAs.

All the initial studies/documents (REA, SIA, LARF) of CASA-1000 Project and Detailed

RFP/TORs are available at www.ntdc.com.pk or can be obtained by sending email on below mentioned address. NTDCL reserves all its rights regarding rejection of the proposals as defined in Clause 33 (1) of PPRA Rules, 2004.

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