

GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR OFFICE OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, BHADERWAH DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY BHADERWAH, DISTRICT DODA. (J&K TOURISM)



Expression of Interest for carrying out of water Sports Activities at Water Sport centre Pul Doda –Doda (J&K) TDA-Bhaderwah, J&K Tourism

Eol. No. BDA/CEO/EOI-WSC-PULDODA/351 Date: 24 . 05. 2019

A. BACKGROUND:

Government of India, Ministry of Tourism is implementing Tourism Promotional Projects through Department of Tourism, Government of Jammu and Kashmir, to achieve the goal of sustainable utilization of resources while maintaining an equilibrium between the eco-system and various development initiatives.

One of these Projects viz. WATER SPORTS CENTRE at PUL-DODA (DODA), is being implemented through Tourism Development Authority, Bhaderwah, Department of Tourism, Government of Jammu and Kashmir, under PMDP-I, with an overall objective of creating alternative livelihood option through community based eco-tourism, to boost the tourism potential of Himalayan regions of J&K State.

B. <u>SITES FOR WATER SPORTS ACTIVITY:</u>

The following visitor amenities have been developed at eco-tourism sites around Bhaghliar Lake at Pul-Doda (distt Doda) so as to boost tourist footfall.

| Sl | Site | Visitor amenities developed on site |
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| No. | | |
| 1 | Water Sports Centre-PUL- | Gangway 01 number; Jetties - (120 Sq Mt i.e. 30 mts x |
| | DODA- District Doda | 4 mts, Rescue boats 02 numbers, Riding Space from |
| | J&K State | Jetties, Security Cabin, Park / Garden, Fencing & |
| | | Illumination along River Chenab, Pathways, Visitor's / |
| | | Tourist Sitting area, Parking |

Water Sports Centre consisting of Civil infrastructure, Jetties , Gangways & Rescue Boats developed / procured under PMDP-I of MOT-GOI are proposed to be outsourced for operation by the private operator(s). The successful agency(ies) shall be permitted to carry out additional Water Sports Activities by installation of additional Water Sports Equipments, as per requirement(s), subject to fulfillment of all the requirements/experience / license(s) or otherwise for said activity(ies)

Annexure -A

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| Sl.No. | Type of Equipment | Number | Locations of deployment |
| 1 | Gangway: Material:Marine grade aluminium 5052 or equivalent grade of section size 100mm x 100 mmx 6 mm thickness and 88 mm x 88 mm x 5 mm thickness. Dimensions: Over all Length: 06 Mts Over all breadth: 1.2 Mts | 01 | Water Sports Centre- Pul-Doda (J&K state) |
| 2 | Boats: HDPE (High Density Poly Ethylene); V shapes Hull- Rotomoulded Dimensions: Length-5.5 mt Width(External Beam) -2.2 mts Width(Internal Beam) -1.8 mts Hull Weight(without load)-500 kgs Capacity: 12-14 passengers (1100 kgs) Engine: Minimum 90 HP; 4 stroke Remote OMB Operating Fuel: petrol with portable 25 lit tank | 02 | Water Sports Centre- Pul-Doda (J&K state) |
| 3 | Floating Jetties: 120 Sqmt-HDPE – Module dimension: Each cube 50 cm x 50 cm x 40 cm Wt: 9 kgs (+-5%) Load bearing Capacity: 350 kgs/ sqmt Lug thickness: 23 mm +- 5% Interlocked – 3 dimensionally; Anti skid top surface, provided by OEM | 120 Sqmts | Water Sports Centre- Pul-Doda (J&K state) |

The above described equipment / activities shall be outsourced only on "right to use" basis for the period co-terminus with the License Agreement and shall be used only for the purpose of providing recreational, adventure and amusement activities to the tourists and not for any other purpose.

C. SCOPE & OBJECTIVES

Expression of Interest (EOI) is invited from cruise operators / adventure tour operators/ hoteliers / other tourism service providers to operate / carry out water sports / tourism related activities within the identified locations, maintain, share & transfer mode on a 05-07 years lease. The operator is supposed to operate / to carry out the above said activities as per agreed terms and conditions, only on "right to use" basis for the period co-terminus with the License Agreement and shall be used only for the above purpose to the tourists and not for any other purpose.

D. OBLIGATION OF OPERATOR

- To operate, maintain and manage the Infrastructure, Gangway, Jetties and Rescue boats and other allied structures.
- To maintain safety standard of international level including insurance cover of the tourist, project assets & crew.
- To pay Bhaderwah Development Authority (J&K Tourism) an annual royalty at the rate(s) prescribed and transfer the project assets in the same conditions as on the date of taken over in fully functional / operational condition after completion of lease period.
- To meet all the statutory obligations required for operating, maintaining & managing the above equipments and Infrastructure.
- To take responsibility for satisfactory on-board solid waste management as per the applicable norms of respective authority.
- To perform Jetties and boat maintenance/cleaning above the waterline in such a way that no debris falls into the water body.
- Shall operate the services / activities within 3 months from the handing over of the site.
- To engage at least 2/3 of the manpower from the local community.
- The operator would be responsible for loss of life and property of the visitors during the service, activities or otherwise offered by the operator and Bhaderwah Development Authority or Department of Tourism in no way shall be responsible for any loss/ death/injury/ theft or otherwise.

E. CONCESSION PERIOD

The period of lease shall be for a period of 05 to 07 years from date of signing of agreement which can be renewed for further period on mutually agreed terms & incase mutual agreed terms is not arrived at then through normal bidding process with 1st right of refusal to the operator. However, if the performance of the operator is found not to be satisfactory, Tourism Development Authority-Bhaderwah (BDA); Department of Tourism, J&K would be at liberty to rescind the contract with 1 month prior notice.

F. CONCESSION FEE

- The selected Operator shall be required to pay a fixed annual Royalty to Tourism Development Authority- Bhaderwah, before the initiation of contract (before signing of agreement) in toto, which shall be quoted by the bidder in its financial bid at time of submission of detailed proposal (RFP).
- The annual Royalty shall be increased by 10% annually on compounded basis or as agreed to .

G. TENTATIVE TIMELINE OF SELECTION:

Publication for submission of EOI 25th May, 2019

Pre-EOI meeting with prospective bidders in the meeting hall Directorate of Tourism Jammu. 30th May, 2019 at 03:00 PM

Last date for the submission of Expression of interest 16th July, 2019

Short listing of EOls & Issue of Request for Proposals 19th July, 2019

(RFP) to shortlisted parties

H. CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION:

The applicants must fulfill the following criteria:

| 1 | Technical Capability | Minimum Qualification requirement | Remarks |
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| 1.1 | Operation of water sport activities fully functional for at least one year in last three years. | Minimum of 1 similar projects in last 3 years | Performance certificate from client to be furnished/proof of owning/operating such boating/ |
| 1.2 | Technical manpower available/ deployed with experience/ valid qualification | Minimum of 3 personnel each of category: i) operator Rescue Boats/ Boats and ii) rescue Divers | Technical personal to handle each sports activity functional (NIWS certified) |
| 2 | Financial Capability | | |
| 2.1 | Net worth as on 31.3.2019. | Minimum 20 Lakhs | Proof of Documents certified by Chartered Accountant |
| 2.2 | Turnover from similar operation | Minimum 50 Lakhs | Proof of Documents certified by Chartered accountant |

I. EVALUATION PROCESS

- 1. The EOI does not constitute a solicitation. Employer i.e. Tourism Development Authority, Bhaderwah (Department Of Tourism), J&K, reserves the right to change or cancel the requirements at any time during the EOI and/or solicitation process. Thus, submitting a reply to an EOI does not automatically guarantee that the firm will be considered for receipt of the solicitation when issued.
- 2. Upon receipt of the expression of interest, evaluation based on the background and capacity of the parties will be conducted to shortlist the firms as per process listed.
- 3. Only shortlisted parties will be issued the Request for Proposal (RFP). They may be invited to survey the proposed location and for a detailed discussions.
- 4. All queries and clarifications shall be directed to:

Chief Executive Officer,

Tourism Development Authority, Bhaderwah (BDA)

Tourist Reception Centre (TRC) Sarna

Bhaderwah- District Doda, Jammu & Kashmir, India

J. COMPOSITION OF EOI

1. Letter of Application indicating:

Name, title address and telephone number of the Principal who will serve as the Contact for this project. The Principal must have been empowered to sign the Legal Agreement with BDA and make decisions for the firm on contractual matters.

- 2. Details of the individual, firm, company or consortium, including company profile, Expertise and resource capacity.
- 3. Documents providing proof of experience in operating projects of similar size and complexity including:
 - (a). Total monetary value of similar projects undertaken for each of the last 3 year

- (b). performance in projects of a similar nature and size for each of the last 3 year, and details of activities under way or contractually committed, and clients who may be contacted for further information (Certificate issued by employer(s) be furnished.)
- 4. Following documents providing proof of financial capacity to undertake the project, but not limited to:
 - (a). Evidence of adequacy of working capital for this Project (Availability of financial resources).
- 5. A broad business model/s for the project.
- 6. The Following Forms attached to this call for EOI are to be fully completed:

(a). Form 1: General Information

(b). Form 2: Financial Data

(c). Form 3: Ongoing Contracts

(d). Form 4: joint Venture Data

- 7. If the project is taken by a Joint Venture partnership; A letter of intent jointly signed by Senior Partners/CEOs of all firms, as part of their EOI submission. The Letter of Intent is to include the following:
 - (a). Undertaking that the firms will be working as a Joint Venture for the purposes of the project.
 - (b). Specialties/ areas of work that each individual firm will be responsible for.
- 8. Each firm in the Joint Venture is fully and equally responsible for the quality and timelines of deliverables and the quality control of all aspects of the project including the up-keeping of 1 ease assets.
- 9. Declaration for No Conflict of Interest signed by the Principles of all firms in the Joint Venture.

K. SUBMISSION OF EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

All submissions of EOI shall be marked "Expression of Interest for operation of "Water Sports Centre at Pul- Doda J&K" to be delivered to the address below by no later than 5 PM on 16th July, 2019, and addressed as follows:

Chief Executive Officer, Tourism Development Authority, Bhaderwah (BDA) Tourist Reception Centre (TRC) Sarna Bhaderwah- District Doda, Jammu & Kashmir, India

For any query: mail- ceobda@hotmail

Form 1: General Information

(Note: A joint Venture Proposal must contain a full set of forms for each Joint Venture Partner)

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| a. Head office | |
| Address | |
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| Telephone Number | Facsimile Number |
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| E-Mail Address | |
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| b. Regional office | |
| Address (if any): | |
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| Telephone Number | Facsimile Number |
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| E-Mail Address | |
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| 1. Local office | |
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Form 2: Financial Data

1. Summary of assets and liabilities on basis of the audited financial statement of the last three financial years.

Please provide copies of the audited financial statements of the last three financial years.

Form 3:Ongoing Contracts

| Name of Contract | Value in INR | Name of Owner | Completed period of operation in months | Scheduled Completion Date of Lease |
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Form 4: Joint Venture Data

| 1. | Name of Joint Venture Partnership: |
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| 2. | Head Office Address: |
| | Telephone No |
| 3. | Local / Regional Address (ifany): |
| | Telephone No. |
| | Fax No |
| 4. | Name of Joint Venture Partners: |
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| | d |
| 5 . | Name (s) of Lead Joint Venture Partner: |
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| 6. | Joint Venture Agreement: |

| a. Date of Agreement: | |
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| b. Place of Agreement: | |
| 7. Proposed distribution of responsibil | ities between each Joint Venture Partner: |
| 8. Similar work performed with same p | |
| Form 5: EOI Certification | |
| Assignment Title: | |
| To be completed and provided with the EO | I submission. To be signed by the Principal of the Firm. Principals of all firms involved in a joint Venture. |
| the Expressions of Interest (EOI) for this ass In providing the EOI submission, our compa of confidential information (other than confi Tourism Development Authority (BDA) to | of interest or unfair advantage at present, in providing signment. In y has no knowledge of or the ability to avail ourselves idential information which may have been disclosed by the proponents in the normal course of inviting the formation would be relevant to the services required of |
| the EOI evaluation process. | |
| Name | Name |
| Signature | Signature |
| Position | Position |
| Date | |
| | Date |