

**Government of Bihar, Water Resources Department,
Office of Director, Mathematical Modelling Centre
2nd Floor. Block-A, Jal Sansadhan, Bhawan, Anisabad, Patna-800002**

Abridged Version

**Request for Expression of Interest
(Consulting Services-Firms Selection)**

for

**Management support to Mathematical Modelling Centre (MMC) under Water Resources Department,
Government of Bihar
E- Procurement**

INDIA

Bihar Water Security and Irrigation Modernization Project (BWSIMP)

Loan No.: P505190

Reference No: BIHAR/WRD/FMISC/MMC/MS/BWSIMP/EOI/02/2025-249 Dated:07/03/2025

Assignment Title: Consultancy services for “Management support to Mathematical Modelling Centre (MMC) under Water Resources Department, Government of Bihar”

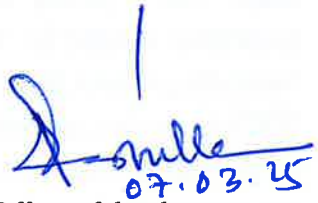
1. The Government of Bihar has applied for financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Bihar Water Security and Irrigation Modernization Project (BWSIMP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.
2. The Mathematical Modelling Centre (MMC), established under the Water Resources Department (WRD) in Patna focuses on Flood forecasting and modelling activities across various river basins of Bihar. The objective of proposed consulting service is to review best practices of mathematical modelling related to water resources, update and improve existing models, develop drought forecasting model, flood and groundwater modelling, training and capacity building of MMC, support WRD in project planning implementation and river basin management. The duration of proposed consulting services would be time-based for 24 months duration. The duration of consultancy work can be extended as per the work interest and requirement of the client.
3. The Director, Mathematical Modelling Centre, Patna (Water Resources Department), Govt. of Bihar now invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the consultancy services for “Management support to Mathematical Modelling Centre (MMC) under Water Resources Department, Government of Bihar”.
4. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services.
8. EOI Documents and details have been hosted on the website <https://wrd.bihar.gov.in> , <https://www.fmiscwrdbihar.gov.in/fmis> and <https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app> and can be downloaded from the website.

Date of Issue/Publishing on https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app	13 th March 2025
Date of Pre-Bid Meeting	18 th March 2025 at 15:00 hrs IST
Last Date and Time for Uploading of REOI	28 th March 2025 at 15:00 hrs IST
Date and Time of Opening of REOI	28 th March 2025 at 15:30 hrs IST

9. The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank’s “Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers” Fifth Edition-September 2023 setting forth the World Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.



10. A consultant will be selected in accordance with the QCBS (Quality and Cost Based Selection) procedures set out in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" Fifth Edition-September 2023. The Procurement Regulations are available at <https://thedocs.worldbank.org/en/doc/6c0602876d68949e80820507d90a14ed-0290012023/procurement-regulations-september-2023>
11. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Framework Agreement arrangements described in the Procurement Regulations and to be specifically set out in the Request for Proposals.
12. Draft Terms of Reference is available on websites <https://wrd.bihar.gov.in>, <https://www.fmiscwrdbihar.gov.in/fmis> and <https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app>. Further information can be obtained at the address below from 0930 hours to 1700 hours (IST) on all working days. This notice for Expression of interest has also been posted on website <http://wrd.bihar.gov.in>, <http://www.fmiscwrdbihar.gov.in/fmis> and <http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app>.
13. Expression of interest with all relevant information and documents must be uploaded on <http://eprocure.gov.in/erprocure/app> for "Management support to Mathematical Modelling Centre (MMC) under Water Resources Department, Government of Bihar" by not later than 28 of March 2025 time 15:00 Hrs server time. In the event, this last date being declared as holiday by the State Government, due date for submission of above EOI will be the next working day up till the same appointed time. The Expression of Interests received till the appointed time and date shall be opened same day at 15:30 Hrs Server time. The electronic bidding system will not allow any late submission of the REOIs after due date and time as per server time. Physical, Email, Telex, cable or facsimile submission of REOIs will be rejected as non-responsive.


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