Notice for Expression of Interest (EOI)

Accessibility Audit of tourism infrastructure and Capacity Building cum sensitization of staff of hotel and resorts of MP tourism with respect to especially able person vide EOI No. 02/TRG/MPTB/2018-19, Dated 06/03/2019.

With reference to notice issued by Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board, Bhopal. The website for downloading the details of EOI and term and conditions may read please www.tourism.mp.gov.in.
EOI shall be available from Dated 06/03/2019 and last date of submission will be Dated 30/03/2019. For further information may please contact 0755- 2780660.

Managing Director
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1. INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

The Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board (MPTB), in order to provide better accessibility in tourism destinations situated across Madhya Pradesh, is willing to conduct accessibility audit for achieving universal accessibility for all citizens including persons with disabilities. The MPTB would also like to conduct capacity building of its staff working at tourism destinations to sensitize them towards apically able person.

The EOI Document containing the details of qualification criteria, submission requirement, brief objective & scope of work and evaluation criteria etc. can be downloaded from the website www.tourism.mp.gov.in

Last date for submission of EOI is 30th March, 2019 upto 1500 hrs. Sealed envelope marked to the captioned address, containing EOI and non-refundable fee of Rs 2360.00(Including GST) by way of DD in favor of “Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board, Bhopal” and payable at Bhopal may be submitted mentioning “EOI for accessibility Audit of tourism infrastructure and Capacity Building cum sensitization of staff of hotel and resorts of MP tourism with respect to especially able person” on the top cover.

The Director (Skill & Training)
Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board,
6th Floor, Lily Trade Wing, Jahangirabad Bhopal
Madhya Pradesh, India. Pin code – 462008

Managing Director,
Madhya Pradesh Tourism, Board
2. Letter of Invitation

Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board,
6th Floor, Lily Trade Wing, Jahangirabad Bhopal
Madhya Pradesh, India. Pin code – 462008

No. Dated: 06.03.2019

Dear Sir/Madam,

Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board (MPTB) invites sealed Expression of Interest (EOI) from consulting agencies for undertaking “**accessibility Audit of tourism infrastructure and Capacity Building cum sensitization of staff of hotel and resorts of MP tourism with respect to especially able person**”

The EOI Document containing the details of qualification criteria, submission requirement, brief objective & scope of work etc. is enclosed.

The EOI Document is available on the MPTB website [www.tourism.mp.gov.in](http://www.tourism.mp.gov.in)

You may submit your responses in sealed envelopes in prescribed format to the undersigned latest by 30.03.2019.

**The Director (Skill & Training)**
Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board,
6th Floor, Lily Trade Wing, Jahangirabad, Bhopal
Madhya Pradesh, India. Pin code – 462008
E-mail: dirskill@mptourism.com

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Yours faithfully,

Managing Director, MPTB

EOI: Accessibility Audit of tourism infrastructure of Madhya Pradesh
3. **Background**

The Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board (MPTB), in order to provide better accessibility in its tourism destinations situated across Madhya Pradesh, is willing to conduct accessibility audit for achieving universal accessibility for all citizens including persons with disabilities. The MPTB would also like to conduct capacity building of its staff working at these tourism destinations to sensitize them towards apically able person.

In this respect, Expression of Interest (EOI) is being floated to invite proposals from reputed and experienced NGOs/Trusts/ registered societies/companies from all over the country having adequate experience and expertise so that accessibility audit of facilities/buildings and capacity building of staffs available in tourism destinations of across Madhya Pradesh could be conducted and action plan for converting them into fully accessible buildings/facilities in time bound manner could be prepared.

4. **Aim and Objective**

The Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board (MPTB), in order to provide better accessibility in its tourism destinations situated across Madhya Pradesh, is willing to conduct accessibility audit for achieving universal accessibility for all citizens including persons with disabilities. The MPTB is willing to achieve it through accessibility audit of tourism infrastructure of Madhya Pradesh. MPTB will also do the capacity building of its staff working in tourism Hotels and resorts to make them sensitize towards especially able person.

5. **EOI Processing Fee**

A non-refundable processing fee for Rs. 2,360/- Including GST (Two Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Rupees only) in the form of a Demand draft drawn in favour of “Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board, Bhopal” Payable at Bhopal has to be submitted along with the EOI response. Bids received without or with inadequate EOI processing fees shall be liable to get rejected.

6. **Bid Security**

A bid security (refundable) of Rs. 15,000/- (Fifteen Thousand Rupees only) in the form of a Demand draft drawn in favour of “Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board, Bhopal” Payable at Bhopal has to be submitted along with the EOI response. Bids received without or with inadequate EOI bid security shall be liable to get rejected. In case of non-selection, the bid security amount will be refunded to the bidder.
7. **Venue & Deadline for submission of proposal**

Proposal, in its complete form in all respects as specified in the EOI, must be submitted to MPTB at the address specified herein earlier. In exceptional circumstances and at its discretion, MPTB may extend the deadline for submission of proposals by issuing an amendment to be made available on the MPTB website, in which case all rights and obligations of MPTB and the bidders previously subject to the original deadline will thereafter be subject to the deadline as extended.

8. **Validity of Offer**

The offer for EOI as per this document shall be valid for a period of three (3) months initially which may be extended further if required by MPTB.

9. **TERMS OF REFERENCE**

**Background:**
The Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board (MPTB), in order to provide better accessibility in its tourism destinations situated across Madhya Pradesh, is willing to conduct accessibility audit for achieving universal accessibility for all citizens including persons with disabilities. The MPTB would also like to conduct capacity building of its staff working at these tourism destinations to sensitise them towards apically able person.

**Objectives:**
The prime objective of this study to conduct a accessibility audit of tourism infrastructure available in Madhya Pradesh to provide accessibility to specially able person as well as to conduct the capacity building cum awareness programs for staff working in hotel and resorts of MP Tourism to make them sensitise towards the specially able person so that staff will be able to provide better services to specially able persons.

The term of reference:

The terms of reference of the study are:

1. Conduct the situation analysis of tourism infrastructure and listing down where the accessibility audit of infrastructure was previously conducted or not? if not list down to conduct the same.

2. Conduct the accessibility audit of tourism infrastructure and prepare details report consisting requirement to make infrastructure accessible for especially able persons with recommendations.

3. Identify and prepare plan for capacity building cum sensitization programs for the staff working at hotel and resorts of MP Tourism. And execute the same with the approval of MPTB at field level.
4. Prepare consolidate report comprising present status, requirement of construction to make infrastructure accessible.

5. Prepare and submit report for each capacity building cum sensitization program at the end of each program and later submit a consolidated report comprising each program.

**Methodology**

1. A field visit for each infrastructure to assess the accessibility of the infrastructure.

2. Review the secondary data available with respect to accessibility of infrastructure.

3. Identification of staff, preparation of plan to MPTB for its approval and to conduct training program for staff.

**Time Schedule**

The MPTB has to complete the accessibility audit of tourism infrastructure as early as possible. The timeline for completion of accessibility audit will be finalize with selected agency. The MPTB may select one or more than one agency/ organization, to conduct the accessibility audit and capacity building cum sensitization program, in order to complete the accessibility audit as early as possible.

**Facilitation by MPTB**

In order to complete the accessibility audit, MPTB will extend its supports to agency. The MPTB, on demand of selected agency/ies, will appoint one officer to coordinate the program between the agency and the district administration. The MPTB will also provide a letter to agency to access the infrastructure for accessibility audit.

**Deliverables**

The agency/ organization has to submit a detail report indicating the following

1. Status of the present status of the tourism infrastructure with respect of accessibility audit.

2. Details report on finding of accessibility audit conducted for each infrastructure.

3. Recommendation to improve the infrastructure of which accessibility audit conducted.

4. Capacity building cum sensitization program plan and detail report on program conducted.

5. The detail report, each infrastructure wise, has to be submitted in two copies and also in soft copy.
10. **INSTRUCTIONS TO CONSULTANTS**

The Expression of Interest is to be submitted in the manner prescribed below: - All information as detailed below is to be submitted in two hard copies in separately sealed envelopes

   a) Applicant’s Expression of Interest as per Format-1
   b) Organizational Details (Format-2)
   c) Organisation’s Experience Related to Accessibility Audit (Format-3)
   d) Organisation’s Experience Related to Capacity Building with reference to especially able person (Format-4)
   e) List of experts / consultants on payroll (Other than information given in format 1) (Format-5)
   f) Non-blacklisting Certificate (Format-6)

EOI Documents have been hosted on the website www.tourism.mp.gov.in and may be downloaded from the website.

The bidders are expected to examine all instructions, forms, terms and other details in the EOI document carefully. Failure to furnish complete information as mentioned in the EOI document or submission of a proposal not substantially responsive to the EOI documents in every respect will be at the Bidder’s risk and may result in rejection of the proposal.

11. **Qualification Criteria**

Following will be the minimum pre-qualification criteria. Each eligible consultant should possess all the following pre-qualification criteria. Responses not meeting the minimum pre-qualification criteria will be rejected and will not be evaluated.

Minimum eligibility criteria for access auditors are as under:

I. Must have an average annual turnover of Rs. 30 Lakh in last two financial years (FY2016-17 and 2017-18).

II. Minimum two years’ experience and expertise of conducting accessibility audit and capacity Building.

III. Must have minimum 10 staffs on organization payroll.

IV. Experience and expertise of conducting accessibility audit of at least 30 government buildings/public infrastructure. Access Audit done for public infrastructure/buildings having public utility (owned by non-govt. organizations) will also be considered to have fulfilled the criteria for conducting access audit.

V. Organisation, a minimum five year’s standing as a registered organisation.
## 12. Evaluation Marking of Proposal:

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Note: Minimum qualifying marks to become eligible for financial bid is 80 Marks.

13. Evaluation Criteria and Method of Evaluation:

a) Screening of EOs shall be carried out as per eligibility conditions mentioned in this document and based on verification of testimonials submitted.

b) EOI will be evaluated for short listing inter alia based on their past experience of handling similar type of project, strength of their man power, financial strength of firm and presentation / proposal to the selection committee whose decision will be final.

c) Short listed agencies will be issued Bid Documents and asked to submit their price proposal in a sealed envelope

14. Response:

Bidders must ensure that their Bid response is submitted as per the formats attached with this document. Special comments on the objectives and scope of the service projected in the enquiry may also be submitted along with the offer.

Application in sealed cover super scribed, as “EOI for accessibility Audit of tourism infrastructure and Capacity Building cum sensitization of staff of hotel and resorts of MP tourism with respect to especially able person”

Conflict of Interest:

Where there is any indication that a conflict of interest exists or may arise, it shall be the responsibility of the Bidder to inform MPTB, detailing the conflict in writing as an attachment to this Bid.

MPTB will be the final arbiter in cases of potential conflicts of interest. Failure to notify MPTB of any potential conflict of interest will invalidate any verbal or written agreement

A Conflict of Interest is where a person who is involved in the procurement has or may be perceived to have a personal interest in ensuring that a particular Bidder is successful. Actual and potential conflicts of interest must be declared by a person involved in a Bid process.

15. Condition under which EOI is issued:

The EOI is not an offer and is issued with no commitment. MPTB reserves the right to withdraw EOI and or vary any part thereof at any stage. MPTB further reserves the right to disqualify any bidder, should it be so necessary at any stage.
16. Last date of submission of EOI:

The last date of submission of EOI is 30.03.2019 (1500 hrs.).
Format - 1: APPLICANT’S EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

To,

The Director (Skill & Training)
Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board,
6th Floor, Lily Trade Wing, Jahanagirabad Bhopal
Madhya Pradesh, India. Pin code – 462008

Sub: Submission of Expression of Interest to undertake accessibility audit of tourism infrastructure and capacity building.

Dear Sir,

In response to the Invitation for Expressions of Interest (EOI) published on 06.03.2019 for the above purpose, we would like to express interest to carry out the above proposed task. As instructed, we attach the following documents in separately sealed envelopes:

1. Organizational Details (Format-2)
2. Organisation’s Experience Related to Accessibility Audit (Format-3)
3. Organisation’s Experience Related to Capacity Building with reference to especially able person (Format-4)
4. List of experts / consultants on payroll (Other than information given in format 1) (Format-5)
5. Non-blacklisting Certificate (Format-6)

Declaration

We hereby confirm that we are interested in competing to undertake the task related to accessibility audit and capacity building as required by MPTB.

All the information provided herewith is genuine and accurate.

Sincerely Yours,

Signature of the applicant
[Full name of applicant]
Stamp...........................
Date:

Encl.: As above.

Note: This is to be furnished on the letter head of the organization.
**Format – 2: Organisation Details**

1. Name of the Organisation:
2. Legal status of the organisation (Company/Society/Trust) enclosed copy of by-laws:
3. Registration Number (Enclose copy):
4. Date of registration:
5. GSTIN no.:
6. PAN No. (Enclose copy):
7. TAN No. (Enclose copy):
8. Address of Head Office:
9. Address of Communication office:
10. Name, Designation and Contact details of authorise person:
11. Financial Capability of the organisation (Enclose CA Certificate & audited Balance sheet of both the years)
   1. Turnover FY 2016-17 & FY 2017-18:
   2. Net-worth (as on 31.03.2018):
12. Experts availability for **Accessibility Audit and Capacity Building**:

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13. Signature of the applicant
   Full name of applicant
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## Format 3: Organisation’s Experience Related to Accessibility Audit.

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Note: Please enclose the supporting documents (i.e. work order/completion certificate etc.) for each work mentioned above.

Signature of the applicant
Full name of applicant
Stamp & Date
Format – 4: Organisation’s Experience Related to Capacity Building with reference to especially able person.

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Full name of applicant
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## Format – 5: List of experts/consultants on payroll (Other than information given in format 1)

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Signature of the applicant
Full name of applicant
Stamp & Date
FORMAT -6: Non-Black listing Certificate

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

This is to certify that we …………………………. (Name of the Agency) registered under the ………………… (Name of the Act) vide registration no. ……………………… do hereby declare and confirm that we have neither been black-listed nor bankrupt by a Ministry/Department/Board/Corporation / Any other entity of the Central of State Government or by any quasi-government or any Public Sector Undertaking or any bank or any other entity till date.

Authorized Person’s Signature.

Name and Designation:

Date of Signature:

Note: The declaration is to be furnished on the letter head of the organization.