



**PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION UNIT
PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT BOARD
GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB**

**Request for Expression of Interest (REOI)
For hiring of consulting firm for Public Investment Management Support for P&D
Under Punjab Resource Improvement & Digital Effectiveness (PRIDE) Program**

Country: Pakistan

Project: Punjab Resource Improvement and Digital Effectiveness (PRIDE)

Credit No: 9170-PK

Reference# PK-PSU-324800-CS-QCBS

Assignment title: Public Investment Management Support for P&D

Duration: 1.5 Years (Approximately)

Contract Type: Lumpsum

Program Implementation Unit /PSU, Planning and Development Board, Government of Punjab, under the Technical Assistance (TA) component of Punjab Resource Improvement and Digital Effectiveness (PRIDE) program intends to hire eligible firm for “Public Investment Management Support for P&D”. For this purpose, eligible consulting firms or association of firms (in joint venture) are invited to participate in the shortlisting process (letter of incorporation of the firms will be required).

Interested Consultants (firms) should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the subject services.

Short listing Criteria:

- i. The Consultants/Firm must have 15 years relevant working experience in developing, evaluating and advising on development planning, portfolio and project management, IT systems for business operation and business process re-engineering especially for public sector as relevant to the ToRs.
- ii. The Consultants/Firm must have completed at least three (3) similar projects in public sector / donor funded projects of comparable scale and complexity (copies of verifiable of similar nature of contracts with copies of notification of award and / or contracts and full address and contact information of the employer).
- iii. The Consultants/Firms should demonstrate sufficient HR / managerial capacity and technical expertise in the areas covered in the ToRs.
- iv. Letter of incorporation of firms will also be required.

Interested firms must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.).

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to the World Bank Procurement Regulation for IPF Borrower for Selection and Employment of Consultants on conflict of interest.

Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if

selected.

Firm will be selected in accordance with the Quality & Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the World Bank's Procurement Regulation July 2016 (Revised November 2017 and August 2018).

Terms of Reference (TORs) for the assignment can be downloaded from the website: <https://piu.punjab.gov.pk/> or can also be obtained at the address given below during office hours (0900 to 1700). Expressions of Interest (EOI) may be delivered in written form to the address given below on or before **January 11, 2023** (4:00 PM).

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