Invitation of Expression of Interest for hiring Consultant for Livelihood Training and Capacity Building

1. Context
Rajasthan Grameen Aajeevika Vikas Parishad (RGAVP) is a registered society of Govt. of Rajasthan for implementation of Self Help Groups (SHG) based livelihoods programme in rural areas of Rajasthan. At present, RGAVP is implementing National Rural Livelihood Mission (NRLM) & National Rural Economic Transformation Project (NRETP) funded by MoRD, GoI and MPoWeR funded by IFAD.

The objectives of RGAVP are to support the development of livelihood opportunities for rural poor, especially women and marginalized group through promotion of Community Institutions - Self Help Groups, Village Organizations, Federations, and Producer Groups etc; in access to finance through community investment fund, SHG-Bank linkages, Insurance etc and facilitating Livelihoods support services. Build the Non Farm, portfolio of RGAVP to ensure the livelihood of SHG women in non Farm sector by building a brand and develop product lines which are high end and marketable. For other details please refer to our website www.rajeevika.rajasthan.gov.in

2. Eligibility criteria for the Consultant
a. Candidate should be a Post-Graduate in Agriculture/ Agri-business management/ Rural Management/ Rural Marketing / Social sciences from a reputed university/institute;

b. 5+ years in a large size livelihood development project or in reputed industry at middle management level, responsible for development of training materials, manuals for Staff, community resource persons and community for livelihoods activities;

c. Candidate should also have minimum 3 years of experience working in development and implementation of training and capacity building programs;

d. Experience of designing and implementing large scale training programs at the State level for a large scale for a farm livelihoods based program;

e. Experience of developing training material (flipcharts, documents, posters, video etc) on sustainable agriculture, livestock, NTFP or value chain for various types of recipients (community resource persons, community, Staff);

f. Experience of using innovative technologies for delivery of training:
g. Experience of building robust training architecture;

h. Proven experience of leading professional staff and builds their initiative and enables them to function as members of efficient and effective teams;

i. Developed and managed partnerships with academic institutions, training agencies for implementation of training at various levels;

j. Managed a team of at least 5 members;

The consultant would be empanelled based on any selection methods conducted by RGA VP as per its procurement guidelines.

3. Further information can be obtained at the above given address during office hours.

4. Terms of Reference (ToR) are given at the official website www.rajeevika.rajasthan.gov.in. Expression of Interest (i.e. latest CV with required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the services) should be submitted by the interested candidates in a sealed envelope clearly superscripted as “Expression of Interest for Consultant for Livelihood Training and Capacity Building” latest by December 2\textsuperscript{nd}, 2019, 12:00 PM.

5. The submission can also be made during office hours on all working days to the undersigned.

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